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MR. F. W. PETERS TALKS

Tells Why the New Freight Schedule is So High.

SAYS THE C. P. R. NOT TO BLAME

He Went Over the Line Himself, in Several Different Ways, to Size Up the Track Laying Situation.

Last Wednesday F. W. Peters, assistant traffic agent of the C. P. R. at Nelson, arrived in Cascade, having made the trip from West Robson over the new line of railway, as far as the track is laid, a few miles this side of Gladstone. He enjoyed a variety of modes of traveling on the trip, including riding on a work train, on the pilot of a locomotive, on a flat car, on a hand car, on a cayuse, on a steamboat on Christina lake, and in a buggy. But he finally arrived safely in the Gateway City. En route he enjoyed a refreshing dip in the lake.

The object of this not very desirable trip was to see for himself the condition of the road and how soon the C. P. R. could begin to deliver carload freight in Cascade. This end he accomplished, and informs a Record man that the powers that be among the railway builders still hold that, notwithstanding the great obstacles in bridge building, the track should be here on or about August 1st. His own opinion was that it would take a trifle longer.

Last week's publication of the construction freight rates have created no little interest among Boundary shippers. A careful study of them will show that the C. P. R., in this construction traffic on the new line, is getting all there is in it. That is to say, West Robson and Bossburg are figured as common points, and the rate from the former is placed just low enough to attempt to knock out the freighters from Bossburg. On any class under third, this may be done; above that, it is doubtful.

The carload rates to Cascade by rail. are: 1st class, 74c; 2nd class, 62c; 3rd class, 50c; 4th, 38c; 5th, 34c; 6th, 31c; 7th, 26c; 8th and 9th, 21c; 10th, 19c; a 1 lb., 50c each, unless flat class rate be higher.

When asked why these high rates prevailed, Mr. Peters stated that it was the schedule agreed upon between the contractors and the company, and was something over which the C. P. R. did not have exclusive control. He thought they would prevail until the road, or a section of it was turned over to the company by the contractors.

It is believed there is a colored gentleman concealed somewhere in the pile of wood, and it is probable that a large share of Cascade freight will come by the old route for the present. Mr. Peters went to the upper Boundary, and also

hopes to corral some of the tonnage into Republic.

Developments of an exceedingly interesting nature are looked for almost any day by those who think they understand the situation.

Cascade's Telephone Exchange.

The telephone exchange to be installed in Cascade, is expected to be started in the course of a week or ten days. Forces of men are now busy putting the new Columbia Co.'s line into Camp McKinney and Rossland. The former is now almost connected and the latter will be shortly. Then the men will be set at work installing exchanges in different cities.

J. B. Donald of the Columbia Co., informs the Record that a switchboard for 50 'phones will be put in here, but at present only 25 drops will be attached, so that the local 'phones can be used. Those wishing 'phones should give Mr. Cameron notice at once, so that the necessary instruments can be ordered.

George T. Curtis, formerly of Cascade, is now manager of a branch store recently opened by the B. C. Syndicate at Gladstone.

Contractor Videen, while on the way to Gladstone, Monday, was hurt by his horse stepping on his foot. He has charge of the grading for the side track.

THROWN FROM A FLAT CAR

Bridge Contractor McArthur Sustains Serious Injuries.

ALMOST BURIED BY FALLING TIES

Accident Happened Between Gladstone and Cascade--Sufferer is a Member of the Firm of Porter Brothers & McArthur.

Alex McArthur, of the firm of Porter Brothers & McArthur, who are contractors for the bridge work on the new branch of the Columbia & Western railway, sustained injuries Wednesday afternoon that at best will lay him up for some time.

Mr. McArthur was at the front, with the bridge gang, a few miles this side of Gladstone, when the accident occurred. He was riding on a car of ties, the train moving at the rate of 12 miles an hour, when one of the side support sticks broke, precipitating Mr. McArthur to the ground, the heavy ties piling up around and on him. He was badly hurt about the head and hips, and a physician was at once sent for to Cascade, who responded promptly.

His injuries are serious, and the physician advised that the patient be not moved for the present. The doctor thinks, however, that with careful attention, which he is receiving at Gladstone, he will pull through. The chief danger is in the shock to his nervous system.

Among the Miners

During the past week, while no remarkable strikes have been reported from the Christina lake mining camps, the work of development in dozens of properties has been going steadily forward, and generally speaking very satisfactory progress has been made. Mining men are well aware that a few specks of gold, or a rich piece of ore, does not necessarily make a mine, per se, but that many dollars, as well as days, must be judiciously expended on even the most promising properties to reach the desired goal. Just this kind of steady, systematic development is going on in several camps not far from Cascade. That it will be richly rewarded in due time, no one familiar with the prevailing conditions, will dispute.

In the Burnt Basin the scene of activity continues. Work on the Mystery group goes on with unabated vigor, under Supt. Littlejohn, and the owners of the property are more than pleased with the outlook.

Mr. Littlejohn also has charge of the work on the Ennismore, where he is sinking a shaft on an 8-foot ledge of auriferous quartz, which assays \$16 to \$103 in gold.

The Mother Lode is looking better with every day's work. The son of T. Mayne Daly, one of the owners, and Mike Shick went up to the property of Tuesday. Manager Alexander, at the bottom of a 24-foot shaft, found a vein of black sulphurets and quartz nearly 15 feet wide, between well defined walls. Remarkable assays were obtained from this rich stuff, some of them running as high as \$16,000 to the ton. In sinking it was found that the ledge was widening and giving increased values with depth. Surface work on the Daly, Base Ore and Ajax, belonging to the same group, has uncovered other valuable ledges of great size, which give high assays. The properties of the group are being crown granted, substantial buildings have been erected, and preparations generally are being made to work this property on a more extensive scale. It will undoubtedly make a great mine.

Thomas G. Elgie, who recently bonded the Chamberlain, on McRae creek, from Frank Hutchinson, went to Rossland this week, firm in his conviction that he also has one of the greatest properties in this section. The claim thus far has been developed by a vertical shaft sunk to a depth of nearly 20 feet. In this shaft was found a vein of sylvanite ore, a mineral rarely met with, but which is exceedingly valuable. It is a telluride of gold and silver, of a steel grey, silver-white or brass-yellow color. Ore of this character has been found at Cripple Creek, Colorado, and was the making of some of the best mines in that camp,

which is now producing \$1,500,000 in gold every month. As stated before in the Record, picked samples of Chamberlain ore gave 11 ounces of gold and 15 ounces of silver, or \$229 per ton. An average assay runs \$22. Mr. Elgie will keep right on with his development.

Recent assays from the Pay Ore, on the north fork of Kettle river, gave \$163 in gold. A new contract to extend the 70-foot tunnel has been let.

The Seaforth claim of the Ballard group, on Norway mountain has a 40-foot ledge, which has been reached by a 95-foot tunnel. It is owned by Wm. Hooper and partner.

The 40-horse power boiler and engine were installed this week at the Snowhoe mine in Greenwood camp. The shaft is down 180 feet, and the C. P. R. spur, under construction, crosses the property.

In the 23-foot crosscut on the 100-foot shaft, on the Pathfinder, north fork of Kettle river, 12 feet of shipping ore have been encountered. Values run from \$12 to \$28. A 5-drill air compressor will be installed as soon as the new railway is completed.

Stephen Brailo, one of the owners of the Cascade, on Granville mountain, is about to resume operations on the Bonanza group, adjoining the Cascade group. One of the ledges has been stripped for a distance of 15 feet and another 10 feet. A shaft will be sunk at once. There is considerable work going on in this section, which is close to Gladstone.

John A. Coryell, of Grand Forke, has issued a new map of Christina lake mining camps, which is complete in every particular. The new map was prepared with great care, and shows the claims located on Castle and Shamrock mountains, on McRae creek, in the Burnt basin and on the streams tributary to Christina lake. It will be indispensable to the large number of mining men interested in these various districts.

Late Metal Quotations

New York, July 13.—Bar silver, 60c.
Mexican dollars, 47½c.
Lake copper—18@18.50.
Lead—4.60@4.75.

The firm that fixes the selling price for miners and smelters quotes lead \$4.35 at the close.

Orangeman's day, last Wednesday, was not observed in Cascade.

Inland Revenue Collector Angus K. Stewart, of Greenwood, spent last Sunday at his Christina lake ranch.

Chief License Inspector D. J. Darraugh visited the Sheep Creek hotel, at Melville, on the Dewdney trail, this week. He also went on to Rossland.

IN AND AROUND CASCADE.

A new townsite is that of Canyon City, located on Canyon creek.

Since July 1st Cascade's post-office has been made a daily report office.

Frank Baily is now at work for the Rathmullen Co., on the north fork of Kettle river.

Murdock Bros. have, it is said, begun grading for the Granby smelter. They will also build the flume.

P. C. McArthur, son the president of the Columbia Townsite Co., was in Cascade Tuesday on stage business.

The newly formed Greenwood Board of Trade is the successor of the old Mining and Commercial Association.

Greenwood has sold \$30,000 worth of civic bonds to the Manufacturers Life Association, at a price of 101.

Major Cooper has commenced an action against the suburban townsite company for commissions due on lots sold.—Grand Forks Miner.

Rev. Jos. McCoy will preach in Grand Forks tomorrow, and Rev. J. D. Wallace, of the latter place, will occupy the pulpit in this city at the same time.

The collections at the Vernon custom house are 50 per cent over those of last year. Dutiable goods entered were \$26,777 on which \$8,971.25 was collected.

Jim Delaney, a brother of Tom Delaney, of the firm of Knox & Delaney, jewelers, died Sunday in Grand Forks, and was buried Tuesday in Columbia. He was carried off by pneumonia.

Father Pat spent Tuesday night in Cascade, and the next day took his accustomed jaunt back to Rossland over the trail, via Trot and Walker line. He has been taking in the race meets in the Boundary.

The first use of the brick burned at Christina lake last winter by Stagg & Co., is being made on some chimneys in town. The quality is said to be first-class—far superior to that brought from the Forks last fall.

W. J. Sanders, formerly of the Slocan Sun, later of the Cascade Maple Leaf and then of the Columbia Review, has laid down the shears and paste brush, and is now head mixologist at the Hotel St. John at Columbia.

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Collector Rose moved into the new custom house last Sunday, and was ready for business as usual Monday morning. The building has been finished up in good shape, and is conveniently arranged for the prompt transaction of the large amount of business passing through the hands of Mr. Rose and Mr. Sinclair.

Barnes' Wonderland and Vitascope Co., with its trained ponies and dogs, filled the Cascade Auditorium to the doors last Monday evening. The circus like parade and pseudo brass band was an irresistible attraction. The picture machine was good, but the films

had evidently seen better days. If Johnny Carter had been left out the performance would have been less tiresome and more acceptable.

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MINES AND MINING

Brief Bits From Many Camps.

The King Solomon, in Copper camp, has \$100,000 worth of ore in sight.

The Cariboo, in Camp McKinney, has paid \$248,000 in dividends.

A number of Burnt Basin and Christina lake properties are to be surveyed this summer.

In many mining camps the eight-hour law is being gotten around by letting out contracts.

An eight-foot body of ore, running \$80 in gold, has been struck at the 275-foot level in the Jewel, Long Lake camp.

A force of men has been engaged by Superintendent Sharp to begin work on the Gold Bug, in Deadwood camp, owned by the Boundary Mining & Milling Co.

The Bonanza Mountain Gold Mining Co. has decided to spend \$5,000 in the development of its property, close to the Pathfinder, on the north fork of Kettle river.

On the Golden Crown, in Wellington camp, two Burleigh drills are running, one on the drift and one in the shaft. Shipments will begin as soon as the railway track arrives.

Peter Johnson, who is prospecting in the Similkameen, has sent word to Chas. Willarson, his partner, that he has made some good finds, and the samples sent bear out the claim.

The Dominion No. 1 and 2 claims, in West Copper camp, have been taken hold of by Hector McRae and other Rossland parties and it is reported that extensive development is to be commenced at once.

The steam hoist has been installed on the Oro Denoro, in Summit camp, and the shaft is now down 100 feet. It will be continued to the 150 foot level before cross-cutting. A dozen men are employed, but the force is to be increased.

The Stenwinder, in Fairview camp, is expected to have 100,000 tons of ore blocked out and ready for stoping in the course of two months. Recent assays run from \$6 to \$20 per ton. If it averages \$5 it will be a dividend payer, after the stamps in the new mill, to be erected, begin dropping.

A rich strike has been made on the Diamond Hitch, on the north fork of Kettle river, assays giving \$80, \$185, and \$250 in surface values. On the Mammoth, adjoining the Diamond Hitch, there is a 35 foot shaft, the vein being 50 or 60 feet wide. The Little Bertha, next to the Mammoth, has an 85 foot shaft and a 20 foot crosscut.

Stock in the Camp Hewett Mining Co. is steadily on the move, and it is evident that a good deal of favorable attention is being directed to these properties. During the month of May 81,000 shares changed hands, and in June about 50,000 were transferred, as shown by the books of the company. The properties are to the west of Lake Okanagan.

The British America Corporation have purchased from Sir Sanford H. Fleming of Ottawa, through Hon. C. H. Mackintosh, the Caledonia group of 11 mineral claims

on Big Sheep creek. The group consists of the Lark, Big Six, Klondike, Yukon, Anaconda, Copper King, Skookum, Paystreak, Produce, Caledonia and Copper mineral claims. It is stated that a force of men will be at once put to work developing the group.

Church Service

Divine service will be conducted by Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A. tomorrow (Sunday) at 11 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., Standard Time, in the school-house, Sabbath school at 2:30 p.m. in the same place. All are cordially invited to attend.

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ANOTHER EFFECT OF THE KICK.

Last year, just previous to the provincial election, the Turner government chopped off the Boundary creek section and added it to Rossland riding or electoral district. In several ways, this has been a detriment to this section, as has previously been pointed out by the Record, and new evidence of it crops up.

Last week's issue of the British Columbia Gazette contains the names of the various sheriffs in the province and the limits of their jurisdictions. One paragraph is as follows:

County of Yale—Sheriff, Arthur Gore Pemberton; postoffice address, Kamloops. Limits of County—The Kamloops, Nicola Lake, Okanagan and Rock Creek polling divisions of Yale electoral district.

Another is as follows:

County of Kootenay—Sheriff, Samuel Parker Tuck; postoffice address, Nelson. Limits of Jurisdiction: The Slokan riding of West Kootenay, the Nelson riding of West Kootenay, that portion of the Rossland riding of West Kootenay which is within the county of Kootenay, and the South riding of East Kootenay as defined by the Redistribution act, 1898.

By which it will be noticed that the Boundary country or eastern part of the old Yale district, is left out entirely so far as the services of a sheriff go. Not that this section is likely to need one to any appreciable extent, but at the same time we may require one.

The Semlin government has been in many respects a series of blunders, but when we had been kicked out of one riding by the old government, and not really taken into the fold of another riding, it only accentuates our position to have the force of the kick illustrated in the way here stated. If this is merely an oversight, it should be remedied at once.

PROFITS IN LOW GRADE ORES.

Low grade ores—those that yield less than \$10 per ton—are, as a rule, not sought after by the average prospector, and yet it is a fact that the best paying mines in the world are today getting their profits from ore that runs under \$10. A few examples will prove the truth of this assertion.

The Treadwell mine, on Douglas

Island, Alaska, with 800 stamps treats ore at a cost of \$1.21 per ton. The Homestake, in South Dakota, 500 stamps, treats ore at a cost of \$1.40 per ton. In the Transvaal, South Africa, three leading mines—the Crown Deep, Geldenhuis Deep and Rose Deep, with from 100 to 150 stamps, treat each \$10 ore at a cost of from \$4.88 to \$6.42 per ton. All of these properties are exceedingly profitable undertakings, and in one of them, the Crown Deep, £1 shares are quoted at £17 15s. in London.

These mines are profitable because they are worked on a large scale. On no other basis could they be made to pay dividends. In several instances they are operated under the greatest difficulties and at great expense. The cost of running 50 stamps is practically no more than 500, when the machinery is once installed and started. It is the quantity and not the quality that is the factor in profit sharing. In the Boundary there are almost numberless low grade properties with gigantic ledges—not all, but a large majority. It goes without saying, then, that the ores must be treated practically on the ground—that is, without a long railway haul—and at a low rate. Careful average assays show that \$10 ores predominate. If these ores can be freighted and smelted for \$5 or \$6 per ton—and we believe when the far sighted smelting scheme of the C. P. R. is worked out, it will be done for even less—there will be a handsome profit left for the mine owner.

The best smelter site in the entire district must be chosen for such extensive works as will be required—nothing less will do. This has been done, and Cascade is that site. It is written in the book of fate that one of the largest smelting industries in America will be established here. It takes time to work out such huge propositions, but they are eventually worked out.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

In Germany it is proposed to make marriage as popular as possible. At any rate, the Hessian diet has passed a measure requiring bachelors to pay 25 per cent. more income tax than married men.

Although the Kootenays have a population of over 25,000, Sir Wilfred Laurier states definitely that the new redistribution bill will not afford relief. Consequently, our triple constituency—Yale-Cariboo-Kootenay—must be satisfied with one member till after the next census.

The Spokane Industrial Exposition management for this year, have a thrifty eye open, when they announce \$2,000 in prizes in a rock drilling contest. There are

to be single and double handed teams, six of each to enter, each team to pay an entrance fee of \$100. That is to say, of the \$2,000 to be distributed, the contestants will put in \$1,200, leaving \$800 to be added by the fair management. Great scheme, that!

When Joe Martin quits his job as attorney-general and Lord-High-everything-else of the province, which seems likely in a short time, there is one part of the province where he will not be in the least welcome, and that is Atlin. On account of the alien legislation, the mining records of that new and promising district, are in a terrible mess. The natives, as well as the foreigners, universally condemn the act and its modus operandi. A modus vivendi has not yet been declared.

DOWN THE KETTLE RIVER.

Venturesome Trio Start From Cascade to the Mouth.

Last Monday three men started on a trip that few persons would care to undertake, viz., a trip by boat down the Kettle river to its junction with the Columbia. Those who are most familiar with this turbulent stream and its wicked eddies, unseen whirlpools and dangerous rapids, consider it a foolhardy undertaking.

The trio consisted of A. M. Burton, his son Wm. Burton and Ira Isham, all of whom are from Michigan and have until recently been in the employ of Lynch & Earle at the Cascade sawmill. Their plan was to row against the current, so as not to travel too fast in unknown waters. At the railway bridge, east of town, this scheme had to be reversed to pass the piles in safety.

No word has been received from the voyagers at this writing, but their friends in Cascade hope they have by this time succeeded in their perilous undertaking.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Kettle river is steadily falling, going down six inches one night this week.

J. A. McMaster returned Wednesday night from Trout Lake City, which he says is quiet.

This week the first loads of lumber were hauled to the site of the new Presbyterian church building.

D. R. Young, of the Kootenay Mining Standard, Rossland, is visiting the Boundary camps this week in behalf of his special July annual.

Mrs. T. F. Carden, wife of one of the managers of the B. C. store will sail from London on the 27th inst, with Director Rathbone, and come direct to Cascade.

R. B. Dixon, representing the Rossland Miner, was in Cascade Thursday, and will write up the Boundary for his widely-known journal.

Monday a fire occurred in the brush east of town, across Kettle river. A cabin owned by McDonald was burned down, and a number of ties owned by Brown. Messrs. Lamont and Paterson, of the engineers' camp, went across and assisted in putting out the blaze.

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TABLE OF DISTANCES FROM CASCADE.

MINING CAMPS	MILES	MILES	
Sutherland creek.....	3	Bossburg.....	23
Baker creek.....	6	Marcus.....	28
McRae creek.....	8	Rosland.....	41
Burnt Basin.....	16	NORTHBOUND	
Central camp.....	20	Christina Lake.....	2
Fisherman creek.....	21	Graham's Ferry.....	3
Summit camp.....	26	Grand Forks.....	13
Seattle camp.....	28	Columbia (Up. G. F.)	14
Brown's camp.....	28	Carson.....	19
Volcanic Mt.....	25	Niagara.....	21
Pathfinder Mt.....	28	Greenwood.....	31
Knight's camp.....	33	Anaconda.....	32
Wellington camp.....	24	Boundary Falls.....	36
Skylark camp.....	30	Midway.....	39
Providence camp.....	34	Rock Creek.....	52
Deadwood camp.....	35	Camp McKinney.....	70
Smith's camp.....	35	Okanagan Falls.....	112
Long Lake camp.....	39	Pentleton.....	125
Copper camp.....	37	RESERVATION POINTS	
Graham camp.....	45	Nelson, Wash.....	19
Kimberly Camp.....	38	Curlew, Wash.....	29
		Toroda ck., Wash.....	41
		Republic.....	50
		SOUTHBOUND	
		Balls Ferry.....	7
		Gladstone.....	15
		Rock Cut.....	10
		Brooklyn.....	4

BY THE WAYSIDE

The strawberry social held last evening by the ladies of the Presbyterian church was a pleasant gathering of the town folk. Financially it was also a success, as \$63 was realized. The tables were tastefully arranged and decorated, and the ladies and those assisting them are deserving of all praise for the successful outcome of the event. The program rendered was also a pleasant part of the evening's enjoyment, those who assisted being Mesdames Rochussen, Bremner, Revs. Wallace and McCoy, and Messrs. Stocker, Good, Blanchard and Willcox. The proceeds will go towards the new church building, work on which is expected to begin next week.

The force of surveyors who have been running lines for the pole lines for the Cascade Water Power Co., from Wellington camp to Cascade, are now camped between here and the Forks, and will soon have their work completed. The water in Kettle river is going down fast, and Supt. Anderson will soon be able to resume on the big dam. It is expected that work will be started also on the flume, 600 feet of which will be through solid rock, and also on the power house and electric lines.

Miss Marietta La Dell's entertainmen last Wednesday evening, at the Cascade Auditorium, was a pronounced artistic success. Every piece on the program was well ren-

dered and splendidly received. Miss La Dell is an elocutionist and Delsartean delineator of wonderful ability, and her audience thoroughly appreciated the evening's enjoyment. Mr. George K. Stocker contributed most acceptably to the program by two vocal solos. When Miss La Dell visits Cascade again she will undoubtedly have a full house, as she has made many friends here.

Next Tuesday the Taxpayers' Association will meet to select delegates to the boards of trade meeting at Rossland. Mining men are requested to meet at the same time to arrange for sending an exhibit of ores to the Spokane Exposition.

IN AND AROUND CASCADE.

W. H. Norris has sold the Midway Advance to John Withall, of Montreal.

Louis Ernst, of the California Wine Co., Nelson, was in town Wednesday.

P. J. O'Reilly, formerly connected with the Record, has started on a trip to Ontario.

It is reported that fire yesterday destroyed a planing mill and steam laundry at Grand Forks.

The office of Mann, Foley Bros. & Larson was furnished with a telephone by the Columbia Co. last Sunday.

Thursday the citizens of Grand Forks voted favorably on saddling the city with a bonded indebtedness of \$135,000.

H. Mortimer Lamb, editor of the

B. C. Mining Record, Victoria, has been spending the week in the Boundary country.

There has been a potato famine in Cascade this week, which is now broken, however. They are quoted at 5c. per lb. by Francis & Milne.

I. Langley, Cascade's merchant tailor, has received some beautiful suitings this week, which he is making up in the latest styles.

W. L. Bowen, the engineer who with a force of 15 men, recently made the preliminary railway survey from Republic to Midway, was in town Tuesday on his way to Spokane. He informed the Record that the surveys referred to are completed.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Peter Nelson and Charles Johnson, under the firm name of Nelson & Co., conducting the Montana Hotel at Cascade B. C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. (Signed) PETER NELSON. CHARLES JOHNSON.

Dated at Cascade, B. C., June 30, 1899. P. O. Address, Box 74, Cascade, B. C. 39

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between S. F. Quinlivan and W. J. Ross, under the firm name of Quinlivan & Ross, owners of the Club Hotel at Cascade, B. C. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by S. F. Quinlivan, who is authorized to collect all outstanding accounts and will be responsible for bills due by the late firm. (Signed) S. F. QUINLIVAN. W. J. ROSS.

Dated at Cascade, B. C., June 20, 1899. 38

Notice.

Take notice that the partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, as hotel keepers at the towns of Wardner and Cascade, B. C., under the firm name of Eckstorm & Simpson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by C. J. Eckstorm, who assumes all liabilities of partnership and to whom all debts due the partnership must be paid.

Dated at Cascade, B. C., March 1, 1899. Signed, C. J. ECKSTORM. F. E. SIMPSON.

Witnesses, O. N. Johnson, for C. J. Eckstorm. Matt Rockendarf, for F. E. Simpson. 39

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. A. Bertola and J. A. Cumberland, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm are payable to J. A. Bertola. Signed, J. A. CUMBERLAND. J. A. BERTOLA.

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Claim Owners Should Take Note of This new Little Wrinkle.

The British Columbia Gazette has the following information:

Notice is hereby given that when the holder of a mineral claim is prepared to make application for a Crown grant, he shall send all the documents in support thereof, together with the fee of \$10, to the gold commissioner for the district within which the claim is situated, who will examine and transmit them, when in order, to the head office at Victoria.

The chief commissioner of lands and works gives notice 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 12 months from this date, failing which their records or agreements concerning such lands are liable to cancellation, as provided by section 38 of the Land Act.

The minister of mines notifies that it is desirable that the marbles and building stones of the province be properly represented at the Paris exposition, 1900, and provision is made as to how the specimens are to be dressed.

\$2,000 in Rock Drilling Prizes.

The Spokane Industrial Exposition (as the Fruit Fair has been

renamed), is offering prizes amounting to \$2,000 for rock drilling contests. Event No. 1 will be a double-handed contest for a purse of \$1,000, divided into first \$500, second \$300, third \$200. Event No. 2 will be a single-handed contest for a purse of \$1,000, divided into first \$500, second \$300, third \$200. The entrance fee in each event is \$100; six entries will be required to fill. The entries close September 30, 1899. Teams contemplating entering either event and parties requiring information should address L. K. Armstrong, secretary mineral department.

New Christina Lake Dock.

The owners of the little steamer Myrtle B. have built a good 70 foot wharf at the old landing, near the brickyard, at the foot of the lake, which will be a great convenience to patrons. The boat will not land at Moody's in the future.

Last Sunday another party took an excursion to the head of the lake on the steamer, including Mr. and Mrs. Victor Monnier, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stocker, Miss Mendenhall, J. H. Earle and others. These 40-mile excursion trips are becoming quite popular.

Send it Back East.

The Cascade Record will be sent to any place in Canada or the United States for one year on receipt of \$2. It pays special atten-

tion to mining in the Boundary and Christina lake sections, and aims to give the most reliable information in regard to this fast developing country.

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Lands.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, to-wit: Commencing at a post located about one mile north easterly of the junction of Moltke and Day creeks and about six miles from Christina lake, Yale district, thence running forty chains east, thence one hundred and twenty chains north, thence forty chains west, thence one hundred and twenty chains south to point of commencement, comprising four hundred and eighty acres. WALTER C. ARCHER. Rossland, B. C., June 1st, 1899.

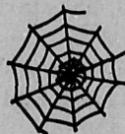
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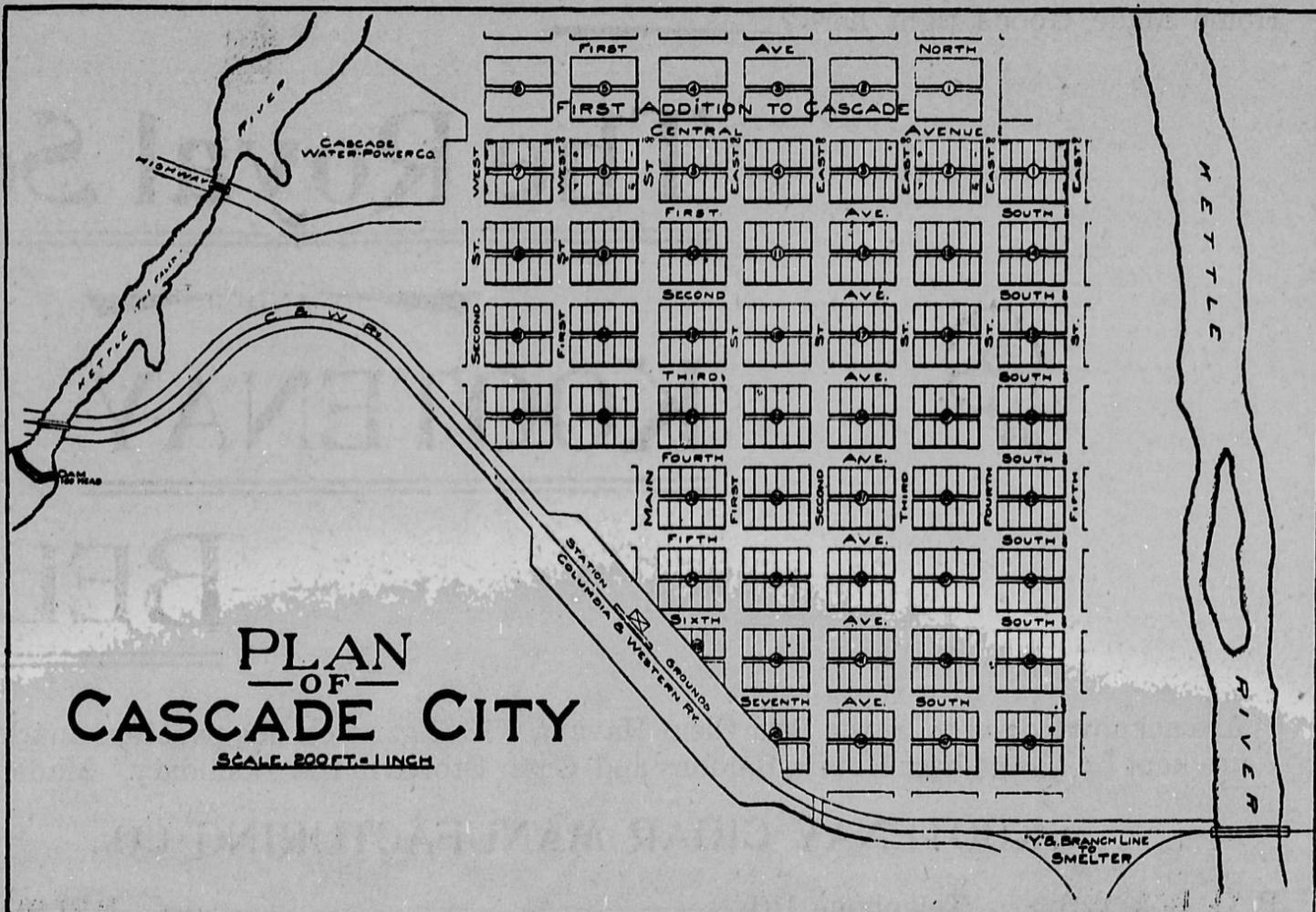
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Penalties for Infringing Eight-Hour Law.

The eight-hour clause of the enactment is contained in an act passed last session, amending the Inspection of Metaliferous Mines Act of 1897. Section 13, governing the employment of boys in mines was repealed by the amending act, and the following section inserted in its place: "No person shall be employed underground in any metalliferous mine for more than eight hours in every twenty-four hours."

The penalties attached to the infringement of this particular clause are the same as are attached to the infringement of any other provision of the original act of 1897, namely: \$100 for the first offense for owners, agents, managers or lessees, or \$10 for other offenders, with a further penalty if the inspector has given written notice of any such offence, of not more than \$100 and not less than \$10 for every day after such notice as such offence continues to be committed, for owners, etc., and \$5 for every day for other persons.

Finished Fence Post Contract.

E. Hildebrandt, with whom is associated G. L. Woodard, have broken camp near the summit, above Gladstone, and completed their fence post contract for the railway.

There were a dozen men in camp for nearly a month and they got out 16,000 cedar fence posts, five inches or more in diameter and eight feet long. This quantity will be sufficient to fence nearly a hundred miles of railway. On account of snow, rain and hail the camp has been anything but pleasant, though they found plenty of the right kind of timber. Messrs. Hildebrandt and Woodard expect to do some building on contract at Eholt shortly.

Prospectors Should Look Sharp.

One who claims to know says that prospectors should look out not only for veins of quartz when in search of gold, but also all other rocks which have a vein like appearance, as dykes of porphyry, etc., particularly where found stained red, brown or yellow by iron oxides, or green by carbonate of copper. A few years ago no one thought of examining dykes in search of gold, but they are now known to be very commonly gold bearing and often contain free gold as well as auriferous iron and other sulphides.

Ladies' Aid Society Formed.

The ladies of Cascade interested in the work of the Presbyterian church, have organized a Ladies' Aid Society with the following officers: President, Mrs. D. McLeod; vice-president, Mrs. W. M. Wolverton; secretary, Miss Cameron; treasurer, Miss Darrow. The society will hold meetings in alternate weeks, the next one being on Thursday afternoon next. The object of the society is to devise ways and means for assisting the church in the many ways that only energetic women can conceive and carry through successfully.

To Reimburse Losers of Registered Letters.

A dispatch from Ottawa says that Postmaster General Mulock has introduced a bill to amend the post office act. The most important provision is one authorizing the payment of an indemnity

to the extent of \$25 or lower for lost registered letters. Provision is also made for charging a fee in this connection and the founding of an insurance fund. The bill also authorizes the transmission of sample newspapers in the same connection, as copies now sent to bona-fide subscribers.

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ALL OVER THE PROVINCE

A chamber of commerce is talked of at Ymir.

Trout Lake City had a big celebration on the first.

New Denver's electric light plant has closed down indefinitely.

Nelson had five brass bands for its Dominion Day celebration.

The rate of taxation in Victoria for 1899 is being settled at 19 mills.

The special edition of the Nelson Miner was a decided credit to the paper itself and the town.

Oscar Hagar, a cigar maker, was drowned, while canoeing the river, at Kamloops, a few days since.

Greenwood is to have two new church buildings, Methodist and Baptist, each to cost about \$2,500.

The benchers of the law society at Victoria are discussing a charge of champerty made against Attorney-General Martin.

Rosland, which has been a customs out-port, has been made a chief port of entry, with the station at Sheep creek under it.

Nelson has disposed of \$60,000 in 20-year 5 per cent debentures at 107, the best price yet obtained for municipal bonds in the province.

Under the recent readjustment of customs offices, Nakusp reports through Revelstoke. Returns from the former will probably be close to \$10,000 for the year.

The Rosland city council has decided to accept the offer of the Bank of British North America for the \$25,000 issue of street improvement debentures, at 102.

During the last 30 days the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company has imported and entered through the Fernie Customs 250,000 fire bricks for the construction of its new coke ovens.

The C. P. R. has given \$1,500 to the family of each of the two young men from Nova Scotia, who worked as laborers on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, and who died through neglect.

The Kaslo & Lardo-Duncan railway have their right of way cleared between Lardo and Duncan City, a distance of 12 miles. The C. P. R. have 4 miles of grading done in the same locality.

Alex Sproat, of New Denver, gold commissioner for the Slokan mining division, has been discharged by the government, he says without notice or cause. No appointment has yet been made to fill the position.

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