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PORTER IDAHO TO INCORPORATE

High-grade Marmot River Property Getting On Its Feet As a Permanent Producer

The Porter Idaho Syndicate, according to an announcement made this week, by the management, will be converted into a company incorporated under the laws of British Columbia during the coming fall, with a capitilization of 1,500,000 shares, of one dollar par value, with the head office in Stewart, The present capitalization of the syndicate is $150,000, divided into 15,000 units. By increasing this ten times the above mentioned capitilization has been established; thus the present holders of units will receive 100 shares in the new company for each unit held, when the new company organization goes into effect about the end of the present year.

For this reason the work is being confined to one only of the numerous showings of high-grade ore. Two tunnels have been driven on this vein, in the upper of which a crew is stoping ore that will average $200 per ton. This comes from the foot wall of the vein, which has a width of 25 feet, all being considered as good milling grade. The lower tunnel on the same vein is being extended and rapidly gaining depth, on the foot wall of which is the same, if not better grade of ore with an average width of 18 inches, native silver being of very common occurrence. At present the stoping, sorting and sacking of three tons of high-grades daily from the upper tunnel is keeping the pack train well supplied, and the first of a series of regular shipments is expected to go out some time during the coming week. Judging from all indications the management will have no difficulty in getting out for shipment this season the 300 tons of ore, according to plans laid in the early spring.

The first semi-annual meeting of the syndicate was held early in the month, the report submitted being published on page 3 of this issue.

Two Husky New Prospectors

A newsy letter has been received from Wm. Irwin, at one time foreman of the Premier mine and now superintendent of the famous old Eureka mine at Hope, the first hard rock mine recorded in British Columbia. Irwin says the mine looks like a producer, and that he has recently increased his crew, Mrs Irwin and family recently returned from a visit in Vancouver with a pair of husky boys. This news will undoubtedly result in a flood of congratulations going south on the next mail.

PROGRESS ON RUBY SILVER

Good reports are coming down from the Ruby Silver. Recently a blind vein was encountered in the drift, coming in from the northwest, composed of an argilite-quartz breccia, with considerable graphite, and carrying argentite and some free gold. The tunnel, being driven as an adit on the main vein, is now in about 130 feet, following the foot wall of the ore body and obtainining better values as depth is attained A commodious cabin has been erected, affording comfortable quarters for the crew of miners. Great interest attaches to the upper showings of the property, upon which only superficial work has been done, but which contains chalcopyrite, as well as values in gold and silver.

MAKING GOOD ON TEXAS CREEK

Work is progressing rapidly at the Texas Creek Comstock Company's property near the head of Texas creek. Since July 5 a crew of packers has been taking in supplies, of which an amount has been accumulated sufficient to last for at least two months. Meanwhile a comfortable cabin has been built at the foot of the mountain, and another at timber line, on the property, is nearing completion. Extensive surface prospecting has been done this summer, the ground being thoroughly covered as fast as the snow melts back, and to date 25 mineral showings have been located, some of them in the general northwesterly series of the zone and others in cross fissures. It is the intention of the management to spend most of this season doing surface work and securing complete data of values by assaying, so as to definitely determine the best place to start permanent work. It is probable that diamond drills will be employed before any great underground development is attempted. The Texas Creek Comstock group consists of 20 claims, through the entire length of which the ore is traced, the same belt being again picked up on other properties on the other side of the mountain.

A feature of the company is that three-fifths of the stock is in the treasury, and the incorporators were wise enough to provide against the necessity of future reorganization and increase of capitalization, by capitalizing high enough at the start.

Chas. O. Knipple, one of the original owners of the Daly Alaska, who visited Texas creek recently, told the writer that the Texas Creek Comstock is one of the finest looking properties he has ever seen.

STEWART-HYDER LOCAL NEWS

Ride to the Premier with Bob McCombe.

Three ore cars arrived Monday on the Anyox for the Dunwell mine.

Mrs W. J. Wakefield returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Rupert.

Joe Sexsmith, Premier foreman at Nine-mile, returned Saturday from a trip outside.

Mrs Sobieralski arrived from Seattle Saturday for a visit with her sister, Mrs Wm. Grey, of Hyder.

Bryden & Lee this week connected up the Northern Rooms and Baths with the city waterworks system.

Yesterday Jim Douville and Wm. Dann brought in some nice looking ore from their Gold Cliff property.

Services will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in St. Mark's Church. There will be no evening service.

Mrs Kaye Puckle and the Misses Puckle of Victoria, arrived Saturday and are the guests of Mrs Puckle's sister-in-law, Mrs John Stewart. In addition to being a large shareholder in the Dunwell, Mrs Puckle is heavily interested in Stewart property.

Lots of Visitors

Stewart and Hyder were full of "towerists" Saturday, the Prince Rupert arriving with a capacity passenger list. The pilgrims bought the customary snow-scene post cards, expressed surprise at the absence of dog teams and Eskimos, and some of them kicked because they could not see the Premier mine, the management having failed to build it close enough to the dock.

Fine School Record

Results of the High School examinations held in the Stewart school from June 20 to 27 were as follows: First year pupils passing are Cherry Campbell, Joan Mellor, Daphne Workman, Staveley Mellor, Roy Workman.

Second year pupils passed are Muriel Crawford, Mabel Mellor, Ida Watson. A total of eight out of ten of those who wrote passed, the two who failed having been handicapped by having to come a long way through the heavy snows, not always being able to attend as regularly as desirable. Thus for the local children there was 100 per cent of passes, a record that reflects great credit upon Principal Cunningham, as well as upon the pupils.

Results of the High School entrance exams. are expected to arrive tomorrow.

Mr and Mrs R. W. Martin left on the Cardena for a trip to Vancouver.

M. G. Clark, post office inspector, was in Stewart from Saturday until Monday night.

A. W. Fox of Ketchikan arrived Saturday for a visit in Hyder, where he formerly practised law.

Joe Grashio, the Hyder tonsorial artist, returned Saturday from a trip south, and left again Monday night.

A Holt caterpillar tractor has been shipped in by the Public Works Department for use on the government roads.

Sergt. Spiller, N.C.O., Inspector in charge of the district, made an official visit to Stewart on the Cardena, inspecting the local detachment.

The Gilbert & Bressler show which was here last June, will again entertain at the Hotel Stewart tomorrow night. They made good last time.

A special general meeting of the Citizens' Association will be held in Moose hall at 8:30 o'clock on Friday evening, August 8, for the purpose of nominating officers for the ensuing year, the election to be held at the same time and place two weeks later.

Last Saturday Mrs McLeod, Miss Fraser, Miss Crawford, J.W. Wilson, Sl. Silverman, H.D. Rochfort and Hugh Wake went over to Anyox to play tennis. Mrs Gibson, who is visiting there made up the set. Mrs Stratford and Mrs Crawford went along as spectators.

B. C. Silver Ships

The first shipment of high-grade ore from the B. C. Silver will be made during the coming week. It is estimated that it will consist of some 60 tons of ore averaging approximately $120 per ton. Good progress is being made on the property; shipping ore is being extracted, sorted and sacked in a volume that establishes the status of the mine as a steady shipper.

Harbor Improvements

Dominion Government Engineer Ford made a reconnaisance of the harbor situation here this week and arranged to have a survey made of the head of the canal. It is understood that he intends recommending the construction of a wing-dam in the vicinity of the round-house to divert the main stream of Bear river and throw silt now accumulating around the present wharf across to the east side of canal. He is also recommending that the present wharf be extended a distance of 600 feet north from its eastern end, making it the shape of an L.

HAVE A GREAT MINERAL ZONE

H.C. Magee and son Clifford were in from the Marmot river early in the week, having finished doing assessments on the Horseshoe claim, the most easterly of the Montana group. They have been working on a great mineralized zone, 300 feet and more in width, which extends across the mountain between the forks of the Marmot, and in which are a number of veins of various widths, containing ore of commercial grade.

As could be expected in such a zone as this, various types of ore are found. Samples brought in show galena in varying quantities, pyritic and arsenical iron, massive pyrrhotite, and one vein carries honeycombed quartz liberally stained wirh silver chloride, such as is charaeteristic of the Porter Idaho quartz. On one side of the zone is a strong dyke of white limestone, the prevailing country rock on the other side, as well as some of the brecciated vein filling, being greenstone, altered in places until it assumes a schistose appearance.

In Mr Magee's opinion this entire zone will at some time be worked on a large scale by quarrying as a low grade milling proposition. The property is reached via the south fork of the Marmot, and has the advantage of presenting no transportation problems.

TERMINUS LOOKS GOOD TO VISITOR

Herb Leiser of Victoria, director of the Terminus company, visited the property this week in company with Harry Heywood the manager, and Jimmy Nesbitt, locator of the Prince John, Sunshine and other winners of the camp. They came down from the property Wednesday, and Jimmy says that the Terminus looks good. He was there when Heywood picked up the extension of the main vein, 1300 feet south of the shaft, and carrying the high-grades.

Leiser, like all other visitors from the south, is amazed at the accomplishments made in the hills by hand power. His report to other directors of the company is an illuminating source of information as to the property and the country in general.

The local Boy Scout troop organised by Rev. A.W.R. Ashley, are planning a 5-days' camping trip to the vicinity of Bear lake next week. Eight boys have to date joined the Troop.

MAYFLOWER GROUP BONDED

American Interests Acquire Prominent Glacier Creek Properties and Will Do Development

Another Bear river property will commence operations in the near future, according to the terms of a bond whereby H. P. Gibson of Stewart turned his Mayflower and Shamrock groups over to W. D. Boehm and Philip C. Stoess of Seattle, on Monday of this week. The Mayflower group, consisting of five claims, is situated immediately north of the Dunwell, and is reported to contain an extension of the same mineral zone that has earned a reputation for that property. The Shamrock group of four claims lies north of the Mayflower. Both groups are close to the wagon road. They contain a number of very promising showings, high values in gold and silver having been taken from several of them over a period of years. George Clothier, government resident mining engineer, has on several occasions examined the property, and work done, giving it a very satisfactory report.

The bond calls for a price based on $10,000 per claim, spread over a period of eighteen months, with work to start on the ground within the next two months. Being approximately 5½ miles from Stewart, bordering on the wagon road, with ample timber and good camp sites, and a good trail up the hill, little difficulty should be experienced in getting to work.

NATIVE SILVER IN LAKE VIEW

After making thorough surface and underground surveys of the Lake View property, the management started drifting westerly in the lower tunnel on the east and west vein, and after penetrating for ten feet a very disturbed zone, better ore was encountered, the vein having well defined hanging and foot walls. At a distance of 25 feet on the drift, still better ore came in, containing native silver At the time of writing, this high-grade ore body has a width of three feet in the face of the drift. A feature of satisfaction to the management is the fact that the work done has clearly demonstrated that the ore encountered is the east and west, or Cabin vein, from which McKay and Bibeau shipped high-grade ore some years ago.

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In the passing days of the past century, and dawning of the present, several of the Stewart family were wandering over the earth in search of the mineral wealth hidden in its bosom. As with many others of all ages this search carried them far and wide, till in 1902 John W. Stewart, after coming out from Atlin, met on the Naas, Dana, the well known geologist, who at that time had just returned from inspecting the Roosevelt group on Bitter creek. It was Mr Dana's faith in the district, and prediction that one day it would be a great producer of metals, that crystalized the existing idea in Mr Stewart's mind of coming into this section, which he did in September of that year, accompanied by Hugo Stratford, a present resident of Stewart. That fall he located the Rainier group, just east of the mouth of Bear river. Returning the following spring, 1903, and seeing a great future for the district, he acquired more property and subsequently, with the assistance of the late Mr D. J. Rainey, staked the whole of the head of Portland Canal, the present townsite. Mr Rainey located, under the laws of Alaska, the land west of what is now Columbia street, and Mr Stewart that east of that street. At that time the temporary International Boundary line ran up the centre of the Bear river valley.

In 1904 Robert M. Stewart joined his brother, and together they continued prospecting. The little community grew until in 1905 a post office was established and Robert Stewart was appointed its postmaster. Following a custom long established in western Canada, the post office was named after him, and was gazetted as Stewart Post Office; in natural sequence, the town took the name of the post office. Later the two brothers established a hotel and store on the site now occupied by the Hotel King Edward. The growth of the community continuing, the Stewart Land Co. was incorporated and the town platted.

In 1906 the brothers located the Sunbeam claim, the initial claim of what is now the Dunwell mine. Handicapped by few rock exposures and tremendous overburden, it was years before the true merits of the property were realized, with the result that it was included in the reorganization of the old Stewart Mining and Development Co., which had operated the adjoining property for several years. The considered at that time insignificant Dunwell claim ultimately became, as today, the corner stone of the building, and now rapidly proving to be a mine of great potential wealth, that has attracted to Stewart's back door, the Bear river valley, immense sums of capital for the development of other properties, and is primarily responsible for the great activity now being experienced in that section, so vital to the town.

Years of hardship, labor, and disappointment piled upon disappointment, that would have broken the hearts of less dogged men; supported by a dauntless faith, nourished by an unseen hand, as is always the case in the working out of the scheme of things, they plodded on until today the harvest appears about ready for the garnering. Stewart is a thriving and growing community. The Dunwell will soon reward its developers. A life's work will be completed. A name will be handed down to posterity, and born upon the lips of countless unborn generations, a monument to the type of men who are Builders of Nations.

In 1864 a certain Dr. Brown found placer gold on the Sooke river, Vancouver island, about 12 miles from the sea. When he announced his discovery and showed his nuggets and dust, the rush to the new diggings was so great that the Governor of British Columbia followed the population from Victoria to Leechwood, 20 miles away. There he built the first Government House, a log building, the walls of which are still standing. It is estimated that $30,000 were taken out of the new diggings within a month from the announcement of the discovery.

MUDDY CREEK BOTTOM BECOMES BEAUTY SPOT

AN object lesson in reclamation is provided by the present Canadian National station grounds at Vancouver, B.C. Before the site was developed the location was known as False Creek, a muddy stream in the centre of the city over which the tide water from the bay backed. It is now one of the beauty spots of the City of the Lions. The approach to the station is called Thornton Park, in honor of Sir Henry W. Thornton, Chairman and President of the Canadian National Railways, who materially assisted the Parks Commissioners by contributing 19,000 yards of earth for the filling and beautification of the grounds. Work on the park area is not yet completed but when finished it will be one of the most attractive railway terminals on the continent. At present thousands of flowers are bursting into bloom and many hundreds of beautiful shrubs in their attractive foliage add their charm.

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Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes, minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

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Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free or partially free permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers up to ten head.

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PORTER IDAHO STATEMENT

The semi-annual report of the Porter-Idaho Syndicate, published below, is of particular interest just now, not only to those who hold syndicate units but to the general public, on account of the gratifying achievements at the property and the rapid advance in the price of units since their sale by the management was discontinued. The report follows:

To the Unit Owners:—

The present holdings of the Syndicate consist of seven mineral claims located on the North Fork of the Marmot River in the Portland Canal District, B. C., about eight miles from Hyder, Alaska, and about ten miles from Stewart, B. C.

The property was located by Clay Porter and associates in 1920, and prior to the organization of the Syndicate, the work was carried on by the locators, and several highly mineralized deposits were explored to such an extent as to justify more extensive operation.

The property is reached by a foot trail from the beach at the mouth of the Marmot River, a distance of about six and a half to seven miles. The British Columbia Government is now building a pack trail to the workings, which should be ready for the pack train by July 20th, 1924.

The present workings are at about 4500 feet elevation. What is known as the upper tunnel has been driven a distance of 100 ft. The tunnel is approximately five feet by seven feet, and 60 tons of ore, valued at better than $200 per ton, was extracted from the tunnel and is now ready to ship. This high grade ore lies against the hanging wall of the vein. No cross-cuts have yet been made, so the width of the vein is not known. The vertical depth obtained in the upper tunnel is approximately 150 feet. A tunnel was started 50 feet below the upper tunnel, and now has a lateral depth of 20 feet on the vein, with the same character of ore as is in the upper tunnel.

The trustees have contracted with the firm of Bryson and Harner for the delivery of 360 tons of ore from the mine to the Stewart Wharf, and arrangements have been made with the Coastwise Steamship Company for transportation of the ore to the Tacoma Smelter.

Following is the Financial Report:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Porter-Idaho Syndicate

July 1, 1924

Total Unit Value	15,000 Units	$150,000
Total Units Issued	9,207 Units,	$92,070
Units in Treasury	5,793 "	57,930
	15,000 "	$150,000
Units issued for Purchase Price of Syndicate Property	8,400 Units	$84,000
Units issued for Services, Commissions, Labor etc.	262 "	2,620
Units issued to Purchasers	545 "	5,450
	9,207 Units	$92,070
Total Units Sold	545 Units	$5,450
Less Commission Deducted		487.50
		$4,962.50

Disbursements:

By Check	$1,373.06
Petty Cash	279.65
	$1,652.71
Cash in Bank	$3,309.79
	$4,962.50

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MINERAL ACT
Certificate of Improvements
NOTICE

OLD TIMER, BUTTE and YELLOWSTONE Mineral Claims, situate in the Portland Canal Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—On West slope of Mount Dilworth.

TAKE NOTICE that Dalby B. Morkill, of Stewart, B. C., acting as agent for William Murphy, (Estate of) Free Miner's Certificate No. 84051 C, and Laura Isabella McEwan, Free Miner's Certificate No. 84052 C, intends, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 85 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements

Dated this 18th day of June, A. D. 1924. 5

MINERAL ACT
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE

"MONEY" and "DOUBLE O No. 6." Mineral Claims, situate in the Portland Canal Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—Upper Salmon Valley.

TAKE NOTICE that I, William McGrew, Free Miner's Certificate No. 84014C, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

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Local Stocks

Dunwell and Glacier Creek stabilized considerably during the week under pressure of heavy profit taking.

The striking of high-grade ore in the Lake View, and the guaranteeing of title by the directors, caused a rush of local buyers for the remainder of the 25 cent issue. In fact there was not sufficient of this issue to satisfy the numerous applicants. A new issue of treasury stock amounting to 25,000 shares at 50 cents during the middle of the week, 5000 of which is alloted to Stewart.

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Boxing Contest Arranged

Articles have been signed and forfeits posted for an eight-round bout between the American boxer Harold Blanton, of Hyder, and George Dando, of Stewart, the match to take place in the Hotel Stewart hall on August 16, commencing at 8 p. m. In addition to the main contest there will be two good preliminaries.

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ILL THIS FALL FOR RIVERSIDE

roperty On Alaskan Side Being Fully Equipped To Enter Shipping Lists Before End of Year

With in the neighborhood of a ile of underground work done nd a large tonnage of good mill- g ore blocked out, the owners f the Riverside mine at Seven- ile, on the Salmon valley road, re now preparing to realize on eir investment of many thous- nds of dollars spent in develop- g this property. A complete ncentrating plant of 60 tons ily capacity has been ordered nd should arrive on the Curacao out the end of this week. tto Trojanowski, who built the remier mill, has arrived to con- ruct the Riverside plant. The ork will be rushed, and barring nforseen delays the mill should e ready to turn over about the t of October.

Without attempting to describe e flow sheet in detail it may be id that included in the equip- ent will be Traylor gyratory ushers, Colorado ball mills. ilfley tables for controling the n content of the ore, two O & flotation cells, Oliver filter etc. wer will be supplied by a 150 p. Fairbanks Morse engine for iving the generator. A bunk- use to accommodate 60 men s just been completed, and 45 n are now employed.

Underground work at present nsists of sinking a winze from 440-foot level to 600 feet, ere a new level will be open- up.

The Riverside has the advan- e of being situated on a good gon road only seven miles m tidewater. Supplies are led in, and concentrates will delivered at the wharf by a rdson tractor with two-wheel- trailer, making two round s daily and taking six tons h trip.

ctoria Visitors On Vacation

Irs Hadley, proprietor and ager of the Book-lovers' Li- y, Victoria, and her daugh- Miss M. Hadley, of the Bank ontreal staff in that city, ved Monday night to spend r vacation here. Both are rested in Dunwell and Gla- Creek properties, and yes- ay visited them. Tuesday ing, in company with Mr Mrs H.G. Marvin, their son r, and C. L. V. Bagshawe of oria, they went down to the mot river, camped over night the next day took in the ic wonders of that little n, although so accessible on. For three hours they ed around on the glacier in ot sun, under guidance of ge Bunn, and also visited atter's Engineer property. e camping they were visited wo porcupines which had ntly sensed their hope that would see one.

START WORK ON FISH CREEK

Silas P. Silverman, who arrived in Stewart a few weeks ago, received instructions from New York this week to start work on the Fish Creek property, which is owned by the American Mining and Milling Co. and has been closed down for several months. A crew of men has gone to the property, with Wm. Tompkins as foreman. The first work will be to put the camp into shape, after which the preliminary mining program calls for open cutting and other surface work, which will have a bearing on the winter's underground development program.

The Georgia River property will be looked over by Mr Silverman within the next week or so with a view to also starting work on it in the very near future. According to present plans it is altogether possible that this property as well as the one on Fish creek will operate during the coming winter.

Samuel I. Silverman is expected to arrive from New York about the end of the month, and will then definitely lay out plans for the future.

HOVLAND CLAIMS

The Hovland group of claims at the junction of Fish creek and Skookum creek, about six miles from Hyder, have been bonded by Arthur Moe and associates of Ketchikan Alaska, who are at present constructing a camp preparatory to undertaking extensive development work. The Hovland group is already well advanced in this respect, the owner having devoted much time to it during the past ten years or more. Several veins have been opened up and partially explored some of which have shipping ore from the surface, and others a good quality of milling ore.

The property is only about a mile from the Salmon valley road and at an elevation of 750 feet, with an abundance of timber and water power available throughout the year.

Two New Shippers

In addition to the regular cargo of Premier high-grade ore, the big freighter Mogul last Monday took out 45 tons of B.C. Silver ore estimated at $120 per ton, and 30 tons of Porter-Idaho estimated at $200 per ton. Clearing earlier than was expected, the ship did not take all the ore from the dock.

Close To the Top

In the report of the high school examinations published last week a small paragraph was omitted. This was to the effect that three of the eight pupils who passed made 75 per cent or better. The highest mark was made by Mabel Mellor, 77, which was within four points of the mark receiving the Governor General's medal for this district, 81.

STEWART-HYDER LOCAL NEWS

Mrs H. P. Gibson returned on the Cardena from a visit with friends in Anyox.

John Lindsey has secured the contract for putting a corrugated iron roof on the school house.

Jack McLeod left last Monday night for Vancouver, where he expects to make a prolonged visit

J. K. Green, president of the Texas Creek Comstock Mining Co., is on a business trip to Vancouver and Victoria.

J. T. North of Vancouver arrived Saturday for a visit with his son, Major C.B. North, manager of the B.C. Silver.

The annual meeting of the Citizens Assocation for the purpose of nominating officers for the coming year will be held in Moose hall at 8:30 this evening.

Dale L. Pitt, general manager of the Premier, returned Saturday from an extended visit in New York, accompanied by Mrs Pitt, their daughter Elizabeth, and little son.

W. H. Forest of Vancouver Island, son of William Forest, prospector and owner of prominent mining properties in this camp, arrived Saturday and will visit for some time.

A.W.P. Le Sueur, manager of the Ruby Silver Co., and W. D. Brown, who is interested in the property, and has been here for several weeks, left Monday for a business trip to Victoria.

Miss Esther Traversy has arrived from Seattle to join her brother Noel in Hyder. Miss Traversy is a public stenographer and will undertake this work, as well as attending to a store to be opened in the front of Noel's paint shop in which wall paper, stationery, leather goods etc will be handled.

He Likes the Star

G. S. Norton of Seattle, who is interested in the Chief Metals Mining Co., who are operating the Star group, southeast of the Big Missouri, arrived Saturday and has been spending several days on the property as well as examining surrounding showings Mr Norton is highly pleased with the Star, which he considers as good as any property he has seen in an equal stage of development. Samples taken by him from two places across the vein assayed $102.20 and $45.80 respectively.

Hyder Board of Trade

Last Tuesday night the Hyder Board of Trade was organized in Hyder Alaska with the following officers: President, Ernest Blue; vice president, Merle Thomas; secretary, E.D. Haddon; treasurer, H.H. Howard; executive committee, John Hovland, Lee Balch, J.A. Hall, J.A. Talbot and Noel Traversy. The spirit of optimism pervaded a forceful address made by Col. Wm. T. Perkins, Seattle banker and Regent of the University of Washington, who is here looking over the mining situation. Another meeting will be held next Tuesday evening in Pioneer hall.

D. L. Coulter, assayer at the Premier, returned Saturday from a trip outside.

Geo. A. Young, district road superintendent, arrived Monday night from Alice Arm.

Harry Quickstad, manager of the Barite property, left Monday night on a business trip to Seattle.

H. S. Parker, of Stewart & Mobley, Prince Rupert, accompanied by his wife, spent the week end in camp.

J. Fred Ritchie, president of the Indian Mines, left Saturday for his home in Rupert, after inspecting the property.

Mrs Wm. Etherington and her daughter Dorothy have arrived from the south for a visit with Mr Etherington at the Riverside mine,

Noel Traversy has finished a week's job paper hanging at the Riverside mine camp and is now painting the Carolan building in Stewart.

B. S. Wise of Deep Cove, Vancouver Island, who is interested in the Dunwell, arrived on the Prince George Saturday, inspected the property and returned south on the Cardena Monday night.

H.S. McCartney, diamond drill expert, who has been in the district for more than a year, left Saturday for Peru, where Boyles Bros. have contracted with the Guggenheim interests for a large amount of work.

M. Dapoulis, of the firm of Killas & Co., who operate the pool hall, tobacco store etc. at Premier, returned Saturday from a visit in Rupert. J. Killas, who had been relieving him, went back to Rupert on the same boat.

Enjoyable Musical Treat

Miss Bertha Weber, California composer, assisted by Miss Mamie Fraser, soprano, of Victoria and Stewart, delighted an audience of music lovers with an instrumental and vocal recital, supplemented by a lecture by Miss Weber on the fundamentals of music, at the Hotel Stewart hall last Sunday evening. Nearly all the piano numbers were composed by Miss Weber, as well as one of Miss Fraser's solos, "Spirit of the North," an appreciation of the courage of the men of the North.

Accident at the Tram

Lawrence Danson, one of the bucket pushers at the Premier ore bunkers, was near death last Thursday night when struck by a runaway bucket that failed to grip the running cable at No. 1 angle station and came down so fast there was just a streak of flame visible along the carrying cable. The bucket, with its load of 800 pounds of ore, crashed into the dumping floor of the bunkers, causing somewhat of a wreck and catching Danson, who was dumping the previous bucket He is now in the hospital and out of danger though a mass of bruises.

NO. 3 VEIN ON INDEPENDENCE

S. P. Fitzgerald, president of the Independence, came down from the property Monday with samples of fine ore from the No. 3 vein, across which a deep open cut has been run. The ore carries fine-grained galena, silver sulphides and iron pyrites, and is liberally stained with silver bromide and chloride, giving it a spectacular appearance. No. 3 vein parallels No. 1 vein, upon which most of the work has been done, and is about 500 feet from it. The vein is visible for five or six hundred feet up the hill above the tunnel and several hundred feet below it, and is from seven to eleven feet wide. The samples brought down were sent out to the company's Victoria office.

STOP ROAD WORK

Owing to the expenditure of this year's appropriations in the district, practically all the government road and trail work closed down this week and nothing more will be done until the receipt of instructions from Victoria.

This sudden closing down of the work came as a great surprise to every operator in the camp, and will without doubt work considerable hardship on a number of operations, such as the Dunwell, Porter-Idaho and Indian, and properties operating in close proximity to them. The Dunwell had counted on the road to the mine being completed this fall; the Indian was in the same position, and Porter-Idaho had figured on a good trail; but with the cessation of work the managements of these various operations will have to change their programs, with consequent inconvenience and added costs unless, as is hoped, an additional appropriation can be secured.

The district allottment this year was approximately $58,000, $12,000 of which was for the Bear river bridge.

Rushing Salmon Valley Road

Good headway is being made with the two-mile change of wagon road on the Alaskan side below Seven-mile. A large camp has been established and considerable right of way has already been cleared. Owing to the river cutting very rapidly into the present road at Seven-mile, the new change is being rushed in order ro facilitate transpportation to the upper end of the district.

Driving Big Dolphin

Lawrence & Workman are nearing completion of their contract for driving a dolphin at the wharf to prevent ships that are too long for the wharf from swinging with the current. Thirteen piles, 100 feet in length are to be used, and on account of their extreme length the work can proceed only at high tide.

ELDORADO TO SHIP ORE SOON

Management Has Planned To Commence Sending Out High-grades to Dock This Month

According to T.V. Wilson, president and managing engineer of the Eldorado, 1000 sacks of ore, approximately 45 tons, will start coming down from that property by the 15th of August for shipment. The ore will be hauled down Salmon glacier on double-enders to the Glacier group cabin thence over the new trail to the Salmon valley road below the Indian mine camp, where it will be transferred to wagons.

Test shipments were made last fall and results received showed that Eldorado ore will give good returns without too close sorting although, in the opinion of the management, it will eventually pay to run the entire mine product through a concentrator. A concentration test made on average ore last fall by the Granby experts with the flotation process showed a recovery of $391 per ton, of which $22 was gold. The tailings assayed $15 per ton, and further experimenting would probably result in saving most of this. A mill site just below the mine at the edge of the glacier has been selected and a survey made for a tramline down from the mine, which has an elevation of 500 feet above the glacier. A hydro-electric plant could be installed to run the concentrator, there being ample water power for about six months in the year.

A series of veins has been partially explored on the Eldorado ground, all of which show shoots of high-grade, with bodies of milling ore. One of the veins furnished a surprise this summer. On the surface it showed, on one wall, 2½ feet of high-grade and on the other wall one foot. An open cut put in across the vein disclosed, at a few feet of depth. 11 feet of good ore across the width of the vein. A tunnel is now being driven to give a depth of 100 feet below this showing, while the No. 1 tunnel, driven last summer, is being extended, in a face of good ore.

T.V. Wilson, in charge of the operations, has had a wide experience in various mining districts of the world, and has the driving force, coupled with diplomacy, necessary to successfully operate in a new camp.

Boxing Contests

Reserved seats for the eight-round boxing contest between Harold Blanton of Hyder and George Dando of Stewart, are now on sale at the Stewart Market, and Blanton's Pool Hall in Hyder, at $2.50, general admission being $1.50. The contest will be held in the Hotel Stewart hall on the night of August 16. Two good preliminaries will precede the main bout.

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PURCHASE OF MINING PROPERTIES

WHAT should be paid for a new gold-mining property slightly explored has always been subject to great difference of opinion. What should be paid for a dormant mine is an equally hard nut to crack. Past production may or may not be of significance.

Assuming that the property in question could be operated for a period of years at the rate of 35,000 tons per year, or 100 tons per day, and an operating profit of $1 per ton made under skilful management, it would require 2.85 years to pay off a $100,000 purchase price. If the plant, development and initial expenses totaled a like sum, an additional 2.85 years, or total of 5.7 years, would be required to pay off the obligation of 200,000. Under a labor and commodity index of one, more than twice the operating profit could have been made and the period for earning purchase price, development, and equipment costs decreased by more than one-half.

Although labor, supplies, freight, and power costs have advanced to a marked extent, compared with conditions in 1913, ideas of the value of mining property remain much the same in the minds of others than mining men. Some mining men also do not appreciate the changed conditions. For example, assume a Mother Lode mine in California consistently producing $5 per ton recoverable value. The present operating cost would be around $5 per ton, assuming, let us say, an ore body of 10 ft. average width. The value of the property would be practically nothing. However, under a labor and commodity index of one, which represents the pre-war level of prices, the corresponding costs would be around $3.33 and the operating profit $1.67 per ton. On the basis of ten years' life, 10 per cent return per annum, and 35,000 tons per year mined, the present value would be somewhat less than $300,000. If the plant cost of $150,000 be subtracted, the present value of the property upon a purchase basis would be about $150,000. Thus though this might have been a fair price for such a property twelve years ago, under existing conditions it would be an absurd price.

Dormant mining property having a speculative future can be purchased safely only on a nominal price basis. A better arrangement would be the payment for the property by a fractional part of operating profits each year. An equitable arrangement providing for the amortization of plant and initial exploration costs could be readily worked out. Under present conditions in gold mining, it is better business for owners to take a chance on profits if some one is willing to work the property rather than to let it lie idle or to ask fantastic prices.

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SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes, minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 10 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling house being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under the Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free or partially free permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

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BOND CRAZE INJURES WEST

Maurice D. Leehey, the well known Seattle attorney, who has a large Alaskan clientelle, was in Juneau on legal business recently and gave a talk before the Juneau Chamber of Commerce in which he made a strong plea for the encouragement of honest speculative investments and for confidence in "our own resources." The Empire quotes Mr Leehey's speech at length, which, in part, follows:

"The present bond buying boom, or craze, is hampering the development of the West and of Alaska," said Mr Leehey.

For the first time in many years, Mr Leehey said, money for investment in developing enterprises, mining and other kinds, is scarce. On the other hand there is plenty of ready money in the country. The savings banks have larger deposits than ever. But these funds are being invested not in mortgages and similar development papers but in bonds. Western money is flowing to Eastern bond markets and being put into Eastern securities. Eastern capital formerly available for Western and Alaskan enterprises is being put into bonds. The result, he said, is that "we of the West are suffering."

Admitting that he did not know of any steps to be taken to relieve the situation he had described, Mr Leehey said he believed the bond investment craze like the mining, real estate, farm land, irrigation securities and oil stock booms, would soon subside. He ascribed the source of the craze for bonds to the wartime bond selling campaigns originated by W. G. McAdoo as Secretary of Treasury, which he characterized as a wonderful work.

The preachments of thrift have been carried to an extreme, farther than is justified, he declared. Economy is advisable; frugality is commendable, but the deadest town in the world is the one in which all of its money is tied up in savings accounts. "You have been told of elderly people in the East who have achieved independence, comfortable incomes, through the fruits of the savings and thrift. That is not so. They are parasites. They have earned nothing, achieved nothing from thrift. It is their neighbors and friends who, while the thrifty ones remained at home, went West and opened up new lands, built up communities and provided markets for the Easterners who have really achieved their independence for them," he asserted.

He plead for intelligent support of "speculative investments." Speculators, he said, built America, extending its domain from the Atlantic seaboard to the Pacific, and made it the richest country in the world. The honest speculator, the man who represents his proposition truly, who isn't out to corral the nickels and dimes of unsuspecting needy widows and guileless individuals comes among you, don't knock him. Investigate, of course, and if he is worthy, get behind him, he said.—Alaska Weekly.

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MINERAL ACT
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NOTICE

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Where located:—On West slope of Mount Dilworth.

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And further take notice that action, under section 85 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements

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LOCAL NEWS

A. H. McCallum, who has various mining interests in the district, arrived from Victoria Saturday.

R. M. Taylor, Dominion Public Works Engineer, was in Stewart and district from Saturday morning until Monday night.

The International Electric Co. have their light current turned on in Hyder B. C. and are giving satisfaction to their patrons.

Mrs H. Carolan, of the Carolan stores in Stewart, left for Vancouver Saturday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Miss Pegg of Saanich, Vancouver Island, who is an investor in mining properties here, arrived Saturday morning and returned south Saturday night.

Col. Wm. T. Perkins of Seattle, who has mining interests on the Alaskan side above Hyder, arrived Saturday and has been spending the week in the hills.

Mrs E.R. Workman left Saturday for Vancouver to meet her mother and father and accompany them back to Stewart. They intend to become permanent residents of this town.

Chas Knipple and Alex McInnes returned early in the week from a prospecting trip down the canal back of Glacier Bay. They found plenty of high-grade brush and concentrating flies.

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Local Stocks

The local stock market has been comparatively dull during the week, though in spite of this Dunwell held firm at high levels, and Lake View stiffened slightly owing to the selling out last week of the 25c issue and the placing on the market of 50c treasury stock. Glacier Creek softened under heavy profit taking though still retaining its popularity. Porter Idaho also softened as a result of heavy profit taking but with the continued shipments of high-grade ore, is in strong demand. Owing to reports from the property during the week, Terminus loomed into activity, and a number of local sales were made. Good reports from the Silver Crest have stiffened this property's market considerably during the week.

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B. C. Silver	$ .55	$ .65
Dunwell	5.30	5.75
Glacier Creek	.41	.48
Independence	.—	.17
Indian	.—	.16
Lake View	.30	.50
Premier	2.10	2 30
Porter Idaho Sy.	16.00	20.00
Rufus	.—	.10
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