

# The Prospector.

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## BUILDING BOOM

### Building Improvements Contemplated for Cranbrook—Real Estate Purchased.

Provincial government and and civic buildings to be erected on Norbury Avenue at an expenditure of \$15,000.

N. Hanson of Wasa is completing arrangements for the construction of a new hotel at Cranbrook. The new building will be 80x122 feet, and three stories high. It will be, when completed, the largest and most modern hotel in the Kootenays.

It is rumored that a store building 52x85, two stories, will be erected on Baker street.

G. T. Rogers will soon enlarge his store on Baker street by taking in two additional store rooms. When completed this will be one of the finest and most convenient business rooms in Cranbrook.

A. L. McDermott's eight room cottage on Garden Ave. is about completed.

B. A. Tozer is building a cottage on Armstrong Ave.

### BIG SALE OF LOTS

Saturday was a busy day at the townsite office. S. J. Migh-ton purchased four lots on the east side of Norbury Ave.

T. M. Roberts, of the real estate firm of Arnold & Roberts, purchased three lots on Norbury Avenue.

J. F. Armstrong also secured two lots on Norbury Avenue. These lots are situated in close proximity to where the new city and government buildings will be erected.

Six lots facing Van Horne street in Block 98 were sold.

### Social Gathering.

A pleasant afternoon was spent last Saturday when Mrs. G. T. Rogers opened her spacious residence to the friends of Mrs. Fenwick in the form of a farewell reception. The house was beautifully and artistically arranged and all who came thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Mrs. Fenwick has been an active member of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church and her departure was keenly felt, she being one of the first to unite with the society. On behalf of the society on Saturday, an address was read by Mrs. Van Decar expressive of deep regret at the departure of so valued a member and setting forth the high esteem in which Mrs. Fenwick was held. At the same time a presentation was made in the form of a beautiful and costly brooch in the style of a crown. Mrs. Fenwick made a very appropriate and feeling reply.

On Monday afternoon a large number assembled at the station to say good-bye and wish her a long and prosperous life in the Eastern Provinces.

### Quarterly Meeting.

At the regular quarterly Official Board meeting of the Methodist Church held on Tuesday evening of this week a resolution was passed expressing appreciation of the services of their pastor and requesting him to remain for another year. Mr. Westman replied briefly stating his pleasure in working with his board and in the city and accepted the invitation with thanks. The different reports received were encouraging.

### Coming to Her Own.

In referring to the mineral production of British Columbia for the London, England, Financialer concludes a lengthy article; "With regard to copper production British Columbia is slowly but none the less surely coming into her own. The wild-cat speculative element is practically dead so far as the province is

concerned; good work has been done in organizing and developing on sane and safe lines, properties which are known to be of permanent value, while the higher price for metal now ruling means not only additional profits to the recognized producers, but furnishes an incentive for the development of new and carefully surveyed propositions. Generally speaking, those interested in British Columbian mining have no reason to regard the future with anything but an easy mind. If, at times, progress has seemed slow to the onlooker, it has been none the less sure, and today the industry in practically all its branches can claim to rest upon a sure and sound basis, which allows of at least the adoption of an optimistic attitude when attempting to forecast the future."

### FERNIE VS. CRANBROOK.

#### The Home Team Plays a Warm Exhibition Game.

Tuesday of this week the Fernie Seniors while on their way from Rossland stopped off to look around and try odds with our boys. The stores were closed for an hour and a large crowd was in attendance. A fine exhibition of hockey was given those who attended. Although Fernie won out with a score of 6 to 2 yet all the good playing was not on that side. There was something doing when Fernie got the face off and in 20 seconds found the goal, and immediately on the face off Cranbrook did the trick in 15 seconds.

Interest was running high then and some very clever pass work was done. There were some clever players on the visiting team but the star of the day was Roy Clothier. Time after time he completely deluded all opponents by taking the puck through a whole bunch. He received great applause for his clever stick handling.

With a little practice the home team would be strong. We will not attempt to criticize any of the players at this time. The game was a good one and all were satisfied.

### Hockey.

On Friday evening of last week the Juniors of Fernie crossed swords with the Juniors of this place in a friendly game of hockey. The game at times was very interesting and was decidedly in favor of Fernie as the score shows 9 to 5. In the latter half the home team made a dash and gained ground but it was too late.

### Weekly Ore Shipments.

Last week the record in ore shipments was again broken. The chief shippers in silver-lead ore were the St. Eugene, Sullivan and North Star. It is most gratifying to miners and mine owners in this district to know that the North Star is again numbered with the shipping mines. The following is the ore shipment for the week ending February 10th.

	WEEK	YEAR
St. Eugene	819	3,541
Sullivan	300	1,750
North Star	172	172
Total	1,271	5,463

### Election of Officers.

A regular monthly convocation of Rocky Mountain Chapter R.A.M., was held in Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

Ex. Comp. J. D. McBride	.....	Z.
Ex. Comp. D. Mackay	.....	H.
Comp. A. B. Fenwick	.....	J.
Ex. Comp. J. F. Armstrong	.....	Treas.
Comp. Wm. F. Tate	.....	Scribe E.
Comp. P. Parks	.....	Scribe N.
Comp. E. Elwell	.....	P.S.

## MEETING OF COUNCIL

### Our City "Dad's" Want a Recreation Park

The city council held its regular weekly meeting on Wednesday. There were present His Honor Mayor Rogers, and aldermen Fink, Greer, Tisdale, Ryan and Jackson.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and adopted.

Communication from Provincial government, and one from B. H. Short requesting the use of the council chamber were referred to committee consisting of Alderman Fink and City Clerk Prest.

Applications of Dr. S. Green and King for position of Medical Health officers were referred to health committee.

The finance committee then brought in a special report which was received and on motion adopted.

The Board of Works reported progress re-obtaining lots for government building.

Health committee reported progress in the matter of securing a dumping place for garbage. Committee on Public Works reported that the townsite company were asked to donate Lot D to be used as a public park.

Council then resolved into a committee of the whole to consider by-law No. 9, being the health by-law.

The mayor reported that by-law No. 9 being the health by-law as having been considered up to and inclusive of section 39. Council then adjourned.

### LOCAL NEWS.

N. Hanson of Wasa was in the city Friday on business.

H. Vosper of Vancouver was at the Cosmopolitan Monday.

F. J. McMahon of Moyie was transacting business at Cranbrook Tuesday.

R. Clothier and T. Lowry of Moyie were at Cranbrook Monday on business.

N. C. McKinstry came down from Marysville Monday on business.

Fred Moore and J. S. Walsh of Vancouver were guests at the Cranbrook Monday.

Rev. W. G. W. Fortune is in Nelson this week attending a meeting of the Presbytery.

Arch Leitch left on Monday's train on a business trip to Winnipeg.

N. F. Hanbury of Elko was transacting business at Cranbrook Tuesday.

E. H. Guinther and R. M. Tod of Toronto were guests at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

Road Superintendent Don Mackay drove over from Port Steele Tuesday.

T. T. McVittie, P.L.S., of Port Steele was in the city Tuesday on business.

T. Cragg of Port Wayne, Ind., was a guest at the Cosmopolitan Wednesday.

A. Grez of Port Steele was in Cranbrook Wednesday on business.

The Fernie Ledger will have a monoline type-setting machine operation in a few weeks.

A. McCowan who has been visiting Montreal and other eastern cities returned to Cranbrook Wednesday.

For Oranges. The new Navels sweet, juicy and in fine flavor—go to Stewart's—here you find the best in all lines.

R. L. T. Galbraith of Port Steele was in the city Tuesday to meet Senator Page and A. J. Devlin on mining business.

A regular monthly communication of Cranbrook Lodge, A. F. & A. M., was held in Masonic Hall on Thursday evening.

John Ryan of Wardner was in Cranbrook Tuesday on business.

R. Johnson was down from Marysville Friday.

H. Kershaw, postmaster at Port Steele was in the city Thursday on business.

Engineer D. E. Murphy was on the sick list this week with a severe attack of rheumatism.

See Hill & Co.'s window this week. Ladies Hats usually selling from \$2 to \$4 now 50 cents.

Geary & Doyle have about 200 men employed in cutting lumber at their Sheep creek camp.

Harry White, Custom Officer, was at Eastport Monday on official business.

H. H. McVittie has taken over the real estate business of John Hutchison.

Wanted—A young girl to take care of a baby, inquire at the Club Restaurant.

T. M. Roberts of the firm of Arnold & Roberts was at Blairmore this week on company business.

W. S. Allen and Dr. L. C. Bishop of Marysville were Cranbrook visitors on Wednesday.

J. P. Adams, J. Goodwin and J. R. Wright of Toronto were registered at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

We keep a first class stock of Dairy Supplies, such as "Samson" heavy milk cans and pails, creamer cans. Patmore Bros.

Tom, Armstrong, sheet-metal worker for J. D. McBride was at Eastport this week putting in a furnace in the new station.

W. D. Hill was on the sick list for several days this week, but was out again during the latter part of the week attending to business.

Miss Jameson returned to her home in Calgary on Monday accompanied by Mrs. E. H. Eager who will spend a week visiting friends.

For a few days only Hill & Co. are selling ladies suits and skirts at 33 1/3 per cent off cost price.

D. McDonald, Wardner, T. Acton, Sirdar, and J. F. Hutchcroft of Marysville, were registered at the Cosmopolitan Monday.

J. F. Pringle of Spokane Junction, R. Neil of Elko, and J. Larsen of Bayard were registered at the Cosmopolitan Wednesday.

Rev. J. P. Westman has taken a trip to Kimberley this week in the interest of the work there. He preached three times while up the valley.

The steel for the new Corbin line is being rushed to the front as rapidly as possible and track-laying will be resumed as soon as the weather will permit.

We can fit out your Bath Room with beautiful snow white "Standard" Sanitary Porcelain Enamel goods. Very handsome Patmore Bros.

Regular public preaching services will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday as usual, the pastor in charge. Evening subject "Something Abiding". Chorus singing and anthems. All are invited.

The next regular meeting of the Cranbrook Conservative Association will be held in Patmore hall on Monday evening Feb 20th. Every Conservative in Cranbrook is earnestly invited to attend.

Late votes taken in the Local House do not inspire the Liberals with the belief that a Provincial election is one of the probabilities of the near future.

A parlor meeting to celebrate the anniversary of the death of Mrs. Francis Willard will be held at the home of Mrs. Connolly, Baker Hill on Saturday evening February 17th, commencing at 8 p.m. An interesting programme will be given. All interested in temperance work are cordially invited.

R. E. Beattie was visiting at Victoria this week.

Mrs. Donohue of Wasa was a Cranbrook visitor Thursday.

E. Hawes of Victoria was in the city Thursday.

J. A. Wright of Montreal was in the city Friday.

Timber Inspector Martin left on Friday's train for Nelson.

Chas. Armstrong was in the city Friday on business.

H. B. Gilmore, of Vancouver, was at the Cranbrook Friday.

P. H. Buhl of Spokane was registered at the Cranbrook Friday.

Malcolm McInnis of Elkton was at Cranbrook Thursday on business.

See Hill & Co.'s window this week. Ladies Hats usually selling from \$2 to \$4 now 50 cents.

Custom Inspectors, Bushby and Standon are in the city today.

Government agent J. F. Armstrong was at Nelson Friday on official business.

G. T. McGregor of Moyie was a guest at the Cosmopolitan Thursday.

Breckenridge & Lund have a large force cutting lumber in the vicinity of St. Mary's River.

For a few days only Hill & Co. are selling ladies suits and skirts at 33 1/3 per cent off cost price.

After a period of nearly a year spent in development work the North Star has resumed shipments.

Cranbrook Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will give a Charity Ball on February 26, in Wentworth Hall.

W. J. Atchison, of Beattie & Atchison, was taken to St. Eugene hospital Friday seriously ill.

J. G. McDonald, Nelson, J. Gourley, Galt, Ont., and W. S. Cone of Toronto, were registered at the Cranbrook Thursday.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce has moved into its new quarters, corner of Baker and Cranbrook streets.

Miss Pinkham of Calgary, is visiting her brother, J. F. M. Pinkham, manager of the Imperial Bank, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McDermott left on Friday afternoon train for Winnipeg to attend the wedding of Mr. McDermott's sister.

B. J. Short of Vancouver was in the city this week. Mr. Short who has been on a visit to the Maritime Provinces, came in over the Crow line to see his son Mr. B. H. Short of this city.

J. Miller, M. A. Kastner, C. Clark, E. Sherman, R. Armitage, T. Poque, F. Delaney and A. W. Glendenning, the Fernie Hockey Club, were guests at the Royal Tuesday.

G. E. Laurie, Creston, Wm. Read, Fernie, J. G. Murry and D. Evans, of Sirdar, A. W. Sheppard, Fernie and A. J. Lee of Montreal, were guests at the Royal this week.

Messrs Larsen and Burrow are building a flume 5,000 feet in length which will enable them to work their placer ground on Wild Horse creek. The flume will be completed about April 1st.

### Watch Sullivan Stock.

The actions of Sullivan stock during the past week have caused some curiosity among stockholders, says the Spokane Chronicle; and it is learned that a representative of several large eastern stockholders is now at the property making a personal examination. This stock has been very weak for the past two months in spite of the fact that the smelter has been operating continuously. This is perhaps due to the fact that the Sullivan's

heavy bonded indebtedness is looked upon by many as too heavy a load for the company to carry.

### Ontario Legislature Opens.

Toronto, Ont., February 15.—The Ontario Legislature will be formally opened this afternoon by his Honor Lieutenant Governor Mortimer Clark. The government intends to have all public business disposed of within eight weeks and to adjourn the session on Thursday, April 12, the day preceding Good Friday. An organized attempt will be made to do away with the delays which have in the past characterized dealings in connection with private legislation.

### Around Town.

Business continues good, with some improvement noticed in mill supplies.

This has been a record month and the prospects for the year in building appear very encouraging.

Trade in dry goods is quiet, and our merchants are busy on spring shipments.

The weather has been very reasonable, with no lack of snow for logging.

Activity in mining quarters makes the situation very favorable for a larger output this month than last.

### Items of Interest.

One and a half millions have been given by Carnegie to Canadian libraries.

The Crow's Nest coal beds are estimated to hold enough coal to last for 5,000 years if mined at the rate of four million tons a year.

Mrs. Vanderbilt possesses a cat for which she paid the sum of \$1,000.

Canada has 100 million acres of grazing land in the west.

British Columbia produces over one million tons of coal a year.

Canada's public schools are attended by 1,125,532 pupils.

### Aurora a Shipper.

Michael Sullivan is making a shipment of two or three car-loads of ore from the Aurora mine on the west side of Moyie lake. The ore will be shipped to either the Nelson or Trail smelters.

It is being hauled from the mine down on the ice at Aldridge to be loaded. The mine is looking well, and a small force of men is continuously employed doing development work.—Moyie Leader.

### Church Notice.

The Gospel Temperance meeting held in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening last, was largely attended. Rev. Goodfield, B.A., and Mrs. Nobles, gave interesting and soul stirring addresses on temperance which cannot help but result in much good. Miss Leitch's solo was very much appreciated.

### St. Valentine's Day.

St. Valentine's Day was celebrated at Cranbrook and throughout the district much as usual, but there did not seem to be as much interest in the day as in former years. Valentines of all kinds were sold in the shops during the past week, but the demand was much lighter than in former years.

### New Railway.

The Calgary and Fernie Railway company will apply to the next session of parliament for power to build from Calgary to the headwaters of Elk River in British Columbia, through Kananaskis Pass, thence south along Elk River to Fernie.

## DISTRICT MINING NEWS.

### Of Interest to Those Engaged in the Development of the Mining Industry of Southeast Kootenay.

At the present price of lead, \$15 15s, the Dominion lead bounty is again in force. The amount payable is about 85 cents per ton.

Careful estimates place the amount of ore blocked out in the workings of the Sullivan Group of mines at from 200,000 to 400,000 tons. All of this immense amount of ore is exposed above the 150 foot level, and few mines in British Columbia make such a showing with the same depth.

Saturday last was pay day at the St. Eugene mine and the amount distributed totalled \$92,000, the largest sum paid out on any pay day in the mine's history. The men employed number 320 and the average paid to each man was \$100 for the month.

The very promising silver-lead camps of Southeast Kootenay are in line for a greatly increased output for the present year over that of 1905.

The Sullivan has become a great mine, for which fact much credit is due president Charles Sweney and the eastern officials of the company. New machinery will soon be installed and the capacity of the smelter at Marysville increased.

The Mystery mine on Alki Creek is rapidly being developed. Mr. Leavick, the manager says that, the prospects are favorable for making a big copper mine.

Continued success and prosperity await the big silver-lead mining camps of Southeast Kootenay.

The metal markets are more active than usual. Silver has made rapid advances and is now quoted at 66 3/8 cents an ounce in New York, the highest price in over 5 years. Lead has been falling for some time and is now below the price at which the Canadian bounty lapses. The decline in copper continues.

### Machinery Ordered.

The machinery for the Black-Mackay Mining Co. has been ordered. Portions of it are coming from Nelson, Rossland and Vancouver. The machinery consists of a seven drill compressor, boilers of 100 horse power capacity, two pumps, a hoist and two drilling machines.

There has been some delay in getting the prospectus of the company before the public. Mr. Alexander Sharp, the mining engineer who is making the report, has been in Mexico and has just returned to Nelson. His report however, will now be in the company's hands in a few days. The first shaft will be sunk a short distance south of the C.P.R. station on the shore of the lake.—Moyie Leader.

### To Make Concrete Blocks.

Geo. R. Leask & Co. will soon begin manufacturing concrete blocks for building purposes. Mr. Leask has the necessary machinery on hand, and says that sand and gravel of suitable quality can be obtained in this vicinity. It is said that several buildings of this material will be put up here the coming spring. Also several retaining walls and fire walls.

### Maine Anniversary Celebrated.

Havana, February 15.—Today is the anniversary of the blowing up of the Maine in this harbor during the night of February 15, 1898. The anniversary was observed here by hoisting the American flag on the wreck of the Maine and by a memorial meeting of American residents.



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PERHAPS there are political organizations which can afford to welcome calamity; but the Conservative party in Cranbrook is not one of them. The most selfish as well as the most unselfish reasons must prompt it to earnestly desire the continued and increasing prosperity of the province; and it is justified in guarding against factors which effect that prosperity as against evils which threaten its direct interests.

Without wasting time in discussing the need of harmony and trusting contentedly to the wisdom of the Conservative Association here, let us at least seek to minimize the effect of the whisperings of the Grit party, who are trying to create dissension in our ranks, by seeing that everything necessary for the material progress of the province and party are properly placed before the association and giving the association time to weigh those matters, as they should be weighed, for the benefit of the association as a whole.

There is a disposition on the part of some Grits to take it for granted that it is easy to create dissension in the Conservative ranks. It will not do to count too much on that. If the Conservatives expect to win they can only do so by earnest work, and not by listening to the idle vapors of the party of the "Czar".

The meeting of Conservatives held on Monday evening was an encouraging one. There was not only a good attendance, but an evident interest on the part of those present that augers well for the spirit with which Conservatives are going into the next campaign. And the interest was not worked up by those who have taken a most active part in political affairs, but by Conservatives who have no personal axes to grind, but are desirous of the success of the party.

There will probably be several appointments for some offices before the Conservative Association. The association has a right to ask of every person seeking an appointment that he shall present his claim, and then abide by the decision of the association.

The next regular meeting of the Cranbrook Conservative Association will be held in Patmore hall on Monday evening Feb. 26th. Every Conservative in Cranbrook is earnestly invited to attend.

After all, the "Czars" political combine will work more havoc with public pride than it will with Conservative party interests.

Memorial banquets were held

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While noting political shortcomings, it was ludicrous to witness the efforts of a "Grit" politician, on Monday evening, hustling weak-kneed Conservatives to attend a meeting of their own party.

There is little that is new in the railway situation in Southeast Kootenay. All sorts of rumors find circulation, but when sifted down they amount to little.

Good streets make habitation along them desirable; they economize time and force in transportation of products, reduce wear and tear of horses, vehicles and harness, and enhance the market value of real estate.

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## ANNUAL REPORT

## Satisfactory Report Made to Shareholders of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company was held here today at the head offices of the company, Hon. George A. Cox, president, in the chair.

The directors submitted their ninth annual report showing that the net profits of the past year amounted to \$497,898.68. Dividends paid during 1905, \$349,418.05. After transferring \$35,400.00 to rest account, \$351,801.07 was carried forward to this year. The reserve fund now amounts to \$1,800,000.

A detailed financial statement in the report gives the following figures:

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

For year ending 31st December, 1905.

Balance at credit, Dec. 31, '04. \$203,320.44  
Net profits for 1905. 497,898.68  
Premium received on calls paid on new stock. 35,400.00  
\$736,619.12

Appropriated as follows:  
Dividends paid. \$349,418.05  
Transferred to reserve fund. 35,400.00  
Bal. carried forward to 1906. 351,801.07  
\$736,619.12

## GENERAL STATEMENT

31st December, 1905.

ASSETS  
Mines, real estate, plant, development, etc. \$5,374,644.89  
Securities owned. 328,296.98  
Accounts receivable. 616,803.27  
Cash on hand, and in bank. 13,772.98  
\$6,333,518.12

LIABILITIES  
Capital stock, paid up. \$3,500,000.00  
Bills payable. 367,769.96  
Accounts payable. 226,447.09  
Dividend No. 20, payable Jan. 1, 1906. 87,500.00  
Reserve fund. 1,800,000.00  
Profit and loss. 351,801.07  
\$6,333,518.12

I have examined these statements of profit and loss, and of assets and liabilities, also the books and vouchers of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, Limited, and find the same correct.

J. G. LANGTON, Auditor.  
Toronto, 9th February, 1906.

All the old directors were re-elected for an ensuing year, except J. A. Gemmill, of Ottawa deceased, whose place on the board is taken by James W. Woods.

The directors elected were: Hon. G. A. Cox, Robert Jaffray, lieutenant-colonel sir H. M. Pellatt, William Fernie, J. D. Chipman, E. R. Wood, David Morrice Thomas Walmsley, lieutenant-colonel Mason, Frederic Nichols, G. G. S. Lindsey, K. C. C. C. Dalton and James W. Woods.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers of the company were re-elected for the ensuing year:

President, Hon. George A. Cox, 1st vice-president, Robert Jaffray 2nd vice-president, Lieut. Col. sir H. M. Pellatt; 3rd vice-president and general manager, G. G. S. Lindsey, treasurer, E. R. Wood.

## How To Be A "Good Man".

Don't always try to do a lot of thinking for the house. Getting a hustle on you and doing the things the head of the department wants done will often make a much greater impression than an idea or a suggestion.

Idea are only relative, and the head of the department may have the idea he has given to you to work out directly from the head of the house, and it always makes

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an impression with an employer to have his suggestions worked out promptly and with enthusiasm.

The man who can train himself to take hold of another man's idea and work it out with enthusiasm, soon establishes the reputation of a "good man," no matter whether the ideas are good or not.

Too many employees balk and think too much when they are handed things to do that do not appear commendable to them, and that's why there are so many people looking for jobs all the time.

Many a bad idea has been made a success by the enthusiastic work of the men to whom it was given to work out.

When you have a really good idea you will get it recognized in time, but in the meantime a lot of enthusiastic work will keep pushing you along to a place where you will get a better chance to get your idea a hearing, is the suggestion of a writer in the New York Evening World.

Disappointment doesn't keep the man with the real element of success in him from getting there.

As, for instance, there is that story of Edison, who tried to get the capitalists to take up his electric street car twenty-five years ago, and they said they were very sorry, but they couldn't see anything in it. Edison knew he had a great idea but the fact that he couldn't get any one to see it didn't cause him to sit down and sulk. He kept on going and when he finally found a man who wanted his idea he got ten times as much for it as he would have received had he disposed of it at the first time.

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Notice is hereby given that the annual sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the Assessment of the City of Cranbrook, B.C., will be held in the Council Chamber in the said City of Cranbrook on the 5th day of March, A.D. 1906, at the hour of 10:30 A.M.

Dated at Cranbrook, B.C., this 24th day of January, 1906.

C. H. PREST, City Clerk.

NOTICE.

That I intend thirty days after date to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a Special Licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south side of Moyie Creek one and a half miles up the creek from C. P. R. Railway Bridge, thence 100 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains east to place of beginning, containing 640 acres.

Dated 27th December, 1905.

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NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands situated northeast of Kimberley in Southeast Kootenay District.

Commencing at a post 30 chains north and 10 chains west of the northwest corner of Old Staples' timber licence, thence 30 chains south, thence 80 chains north, thence 150 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 40 chains south to point of commencement.

Dated 9th January, 1906.

C. M. EDWARDS

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Dated 9th January, 1906.

C. M. EDWARDS

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted on the north boundary of Lane's timber licence and about twenty chains east of the north west corner. Thence north eighty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west eighty chains to place of beginning.

January 8th, 1906.

H. H. McVITTIE

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted, where the west boundary of Lot 650 crosses the north boundary of Lot 361, Group I. Nineteen chains from the north west corner of Lot 361, thence north eighty chains more or less to the south bank of Elk River, thence westerly and southerly down Elk River to the north west corner of Alex Moffatt's timber licence, Lot 650, thence east along the north boundary of Lot 650 and Lot 361 fifty nine chains more or less to place of beginning.

January 5th, 1906.

J. M. AGNEW

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Lot 650, thence south forty-five chains more or less to the north west corner of Lot 361, thence east one hundred and twenty-six chains more or less to the north east corner of Lot 361, thence north thirty-five chains to the south east corner of Lot 1831, thence west eighty chains to the south west corner of Lot 650, thence north nine chains to the south east corner of Lot 650, thence west forty-five chains and eighty eight links more or less to place of beginning.

January 8th, 1906.

J. M. AGNEW

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Ferne, B.C., December 6th, 1905.  
J. J. Cowdery  
Per J. B. Ferguson

## NOTICE.

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Ferne, B.C., December 6th, 1905.  
J. H. Seukler  
Per J. B. Ferguson

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for licence to prospect for Coal and Petroleum on the following lands: Beginning at a post planted at the southwest corner of J. H. Seukler's claim and marked W. A. Maclean's northeast corner, thence south one mile, thence west one mile, thence north one mile, thence east one mile to the point of commencement.  
Ferne, B.C., December 6th, 1905.  
W. A. Maclean  
Per J. B. Ferguson

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for licence to prospect for Coal and Petroleum on the following lands: Beginning at a post marked W. A. Maclean's northeast corner, thence west one mile, thence north one mile, thence east one mile, thence south one mile to the point of commencement.  
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## The Prospector.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17, 1906

### LOCAL NEWS.

Geo. Laurie of Creston was in Cranbrook Thursday on business.

Otis Staples of Bayard was in the city on Thursday.

B. S. Wright of Nelson was in the city Wednesday.

Come in and see us anyway. Patmore Bros.

R. A. Chapman of Perth, Ont. was in the city Monday.

A. W. Chisholm of Fort Steele was at Cranbrook Monday.

J. A. Harvey was at Moyie Monday on legal business.

J. Highwarden of Fort Steele was in the city Wednesday.

H. C. Woods of Toronto, and R. Shields of Winnipeg, were guests at the Cranbrook Friday.

G. H. Ramsey of Vancouver was a Cranbrook visitor Wednesday.

F. D. Henderson of Montreal was transacting business at Cranbrook Wednesday.

Candies fresh every day at the "Sugar Bowl." Why not try them?

D. J. Elmer of Moyie was transacting business at Cranbrook Monday.

J. A. McLean, James Joyce and L. M. Proctor, all of Fernie were at Cranbrook Tuesday.

You can get a box of the best cigars in town at S. J. Mighon's Tobacco Store.

Mrs. Soper of Kimberley was a Cranbrook visitor during the early part of this week.

J. P. Fink and T. M. Roberts were at Wardner Monday on business.

Mrs. Bremner entertained her Sunday School class, at her residence, on Tuesday evening.

If you want a good cup of coffee you can get it at the Club Restaurant.

Dick McBurney, who has been visiting the far east for several weeks returned to Cranbrook Monday.

Thos. Cavin, who has been taking in the coast cities for the past two weeks, returned to Cranbrook Tuesday.

W. E. Brown, A. C. Lochea, T. F. Dawson and J. Dairer, all of Vancouver, were registered at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

We will be pleased to have you investigate when in need of any Sheet Metal Work. Patmore Bros.

There has been nineteen new subscribers among the visitors at The Prospector office this week.

Al Mutz, manager of the Fort Steele Brewing Co. of Fernie, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Mutz and Frank Clapp inspected the Cranbrook Brewery during the afternoon.

The Club Restaurant is again open to the public. Home cooking, home made bread and pies a specialty. Lunches at short order. Lumber Jack, prospectors, miners and millionaires eat at the Club Restaurant.

Patmore Bros. timers and plumbers.

Senator A. Page of Wardner, Idaho, and A. J. Devlin, a prominent mining man of the Cour d'Alenes, who have been in New York on mining business, and who are largely interested in the Flathead, were in Cranbrook Tuesday.

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Al Doyle visited the logging camps at Sheep creek on Thursday.

D. R. Yates of the Staples Mill, came down from Bayard Wednesday on company business.

J. M. Agnew who was at Brandon on business returned to Cranbrook this week.

The many friends of Chief of Police Baron will be sorry to learn that he has been seriously ill at the St. Eugene hospital this week.

Patmore Bros are getting out an exhaust pipe order for the Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Co's Planing Mills at Wardner that will require nearly one ton of heavy galvanized iron.

A concert in aid of the Free Reading Room will be held in Wentworth Hall on the evening of February 25th. The best of Cranbrook talent will take part. Don't forget the date.

C. Kamm, R. R. Clothier and D. J. Elmer of Moyie were at Cranbrook Tuesday, and during the afternoon attended the hockey game at the Columbia Rink.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Fort Steele Registry

IN PROBATE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of January, 1906, it was ordered by P. E. Wilson, Esq., local Judge of the said Court, that James Ferguson Armstrong, Official Administrator for that portion of the County of Kootenay included within the Electoral District of Fernie and Cranbrook be administrator of all and singular the estate of Michael Portle of Elk-mouth, lumberman, deceased intestate.

Every creditor or other person having any claim upon or interest in the distribution of the estate of said deceased is required to send before the 1st day of May next, by registered letter, addressed to the undersigned, his name and address and the full particulars of his claim or interest, and a statement of his account and the nature of the security (if any) held by him.

After the said first day of May, 1906, the Administrator will proceed with the distribution of the estate having regard to those claims only of which he shall have had notice.

Dated at Cranbrook, this 25th day of January 1906.

J. F. ARMSTRONG, Official Administrator.

FORT STEELE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and assessment taxes and income Tax, assessed and levied under the "Assessment Act" are due and payable for the year 1905. All taxes collectible for the Fort Steele Assessment District are now due and payable at my office at the Government Offices, Cranbrook, B.C.

This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes.

Dated at Cranbrook, B.C., this 25th day of January, 1906.

A. C. NELSON, Deputy Assessor and Collector.

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NOTICE.  
Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special licence to prospect for Coal and Petroleum over the following described land situate in the District of South East Kootenay:

Commencing 100 chains north and 15 chains west of a post planted 16.66 chains west of the crossing of the north fork of Michel creek by one of the northern boundaries of Lot 4588, Group 1, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning. Located this 18th day of December, 1905. E. V. Thompson per C. M. Edwards, Agent.

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Commencing 100 chains north and 15 chains west of a post planted 16.66 chains west of the crossing of the north fork of Michel creek by one of the northern boundaries of Lot 4588, Group 1, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning. Located this 18th day of December, 1905. Archibald Elwell per C. M. Edwards, Agent.

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NOTICE.  
Take notice that thirty days after date 1 in tend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at the northwest corner of E. E. Harvey's licence, thence south one mile, thence west one mile, thence north one mile, thence east one mile to place of beginning. Dated Nov. 20th, 1905. A. B. Fenwick, Locator.

NOTICE.  
Take notice that thirty days after date 1 in tend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the Western boundary of Lot 0023 and northern boundary of Lot 3985, thence north eighty chains, thence west eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence east eighty chains to place of beginning. Dated November 20th, 1905. A. B. Fenwick, Locator.

NOTICE.  
Take notice that thirty days after date 1 in tend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted on the western boundary of Lot 3633, one mile north of Lot 2855, thence north eighty chains, thence west eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence east eighty chains to place of beginning. Dated 24th of November 1905. A. B. Fenwick, Locator.

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Tues., Wed., February 20, 21

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There are all kinds, the ARISTOCRAT and the PLEBIAN, the DELICATE HIGH FLAVOURED PEKOE and the BIG COARSE CONGOU. Judiciously blended these two make a popular tea with the PEOPLE and a profitable tea for the MERCHANT but the CONNOISSEUR knows that only the DELICATE BUT DEPENDABLE PEKOE will hold its own. We have this week received a shipment of BROKEN ORANGE PEKOE direct from CEYLON and packed, as every packet will show, For G.T.R. CRANBROOK No middleman gets a profit in this deal.

5 lb. Caddies \$2.00

50 lb. Caddies \$17.50

If you will call in we will brew you a cup of this new tea, give you comfortable chair to sit in, and a biscuit to nibble.

## G. T. ROGERS.

FANCY and STAPLE GROCERIES and CROCKERY.

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Now is the time to select your new carpets while the stock is complete in Union Wool, Tapestry, Brussels, Velvet and Axminster. All shades and patterns

From 40c. to \$2.00 Per Yard

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