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TH IS FLYING ON CORBIN ROAD

aining Contracts Will Be Let Within a Few Days.

onstruction business is boom along the line of the Corbin d. All contracts are let, ex- t twelve miles, from Bonners rry north to the connection h the C.P.R., also a contract en miles east of Bonners Ferry the vicinity of Naples. The ating Engineers have been hing their work and the gaps now about all closed up.

Mr. Corbin with his General nager Mr. Roberts, is out er the line this week, and will ch final conclusions, so that balance of the contract will let in a few days.

The first six miles north of nners Ferry is let to Towhy os., the next ten miles to nters, Parsons & Boomer, and next five miles to contractor bin.

Breckenridge & Lund have ten es on the other side of the line. is reported that they are to ve eight miles south of the e. Chapman & Gray have ten iles near Naples. The right- -way is cleared for 15 miles orth of Bonners Ferry. Two team shovels are already at ork.

The location line at Bonners Ferry will be known probably oday. The furtherest that it an miss Bonners Ferry is 800 eet the width of the river. The oint is whether the road will cross at the Ferry, with the depot on the town side, or across at Galena Landing, a half mile lower down, with the depot on the north side.

Mayor Alexander called a meeting Thursday evening at which Arthur J. Shaw, the right-of-way agent explained the situation as to the two routes. A committee of five was appointed to take the matter up and see what, if any thing, could be done to induce the Corbin people to locate the depot on this side.—Bonners Ferry Herald.

Wireless Telegraphy

Wireless messages, were flashed, for the first time in the Kootenay, at Nelson on June 11th. The following is one of the first messages sent from the launch Pioneer at Five mile point to Nelson:

Launch Pioneer June 11th
Kootenay Lake,
John Hutchison,
Hume Hotel, Nelson;
"What do you think of talking from Five mile point by wireless."
H. G. Munroe.

Feel Safe

It is not at all surprising that the mining section tributary to Cranbrook is attracting the attention of conservative capitalists. The field is a large one and capital has been looking to Southeast Kootenay as a place to invest their money. That this is true is evidenced by the number of promoters who have engaged in all branches of mining during the past few years. Mining men, with capital, have reached the conclusion that British Columbia is the place they have been looking for and that Cranbrook is the centre of a vast mineral district, that has a most promising show of mineral.

A Round Up

Constable Morris was making his usual rounds, one night last week, when he observed, a suspicious character leaning against the doorway of a down town store. He walk up to the S. C. and asked him what he was doing there, to which no reply was made. He took the S. C., by the arm and repeated the question, when to his astonishment and surprise the S. C., fell into his arms. It was a dummy stuffed with straw, Constable Morris, looked up and down the street to see if any of the boys, were on to him, there being no one in sight, he gave a sigh of relief, and murmured that he had a narrow escape, threw the lay figure on a pile of lumber then walked away with a satisfied air, that denoted that he was attending strictly to business.

DISTRICT MINING NEWS.

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

The St. Eugene will declare a dividend of $70,000, or two cents a share, on July 1st.

The continued increasing activity in placer mining on Perry Creek, would indicate that gold min ng in Southeast Kootenay is only in its infancy.

The outlook for the Sullivan mine is very bright and it should soon become a valuable addition to the producing silver-lead mines, and aid to swell the list of growing dividend paying mines in Southeast Kootenay.

Since the blowing in of the Marysville smelter, Kimberley camp is experiencing considerable activity in mining.

The Sullivan mine is now working a force of 35 to 40 men, taking out about 125 tons of ore daily.

Considering the amount of development work done in the district, it is safe to say that no section of British Columbia gives such promises of high grade ore as Southeast Kootenay.

At the North Star mine development work is progressing.

Work has been resumed on the Stemwinder mine on Huckleberry Hill. A tunnel will be driven on this property, which is considered to be one of the best on the hill.

There has been a large number of people that have made a study of mining and commercial interests of this district for a number of years, and the result of their investigation has been, that Cranbrook is the mining and business centre of this district.

T. T. McVittie, P.L.S., left Steele on Monday for the St. Mary's river country, where he will survey a mining claim for W. Micham.

New Church for Cranbrook

The Presbyterians of Cranbrook having confidence in the stability and prosperity of the town and finding the capacity of the present church limited, have decided to build a new church on the site of the present one.

More than half the amount required had been subscribed some time ago. A building committee consisting of Messrs. Leitch, McCallum, Macconnell, and Bremner have the work in charge A few weeks delay was caused while waiting for plans from Toronto. Last week the plans were received and immediate action taken, tenders were called for to be submitted to the committee next Friday. The building, under an energetic committee will be pushed to an early completion.

Cranbrook Wins at Lacrosse.

The Fernie vs Cranbrook Lacrosse game which was played on Friday evening was a very one-sided affair, Fernie being out-played throughout the entire game, the score was Cranbrook 8, Fernie o.

MARYSVILLE, B. C.

The Smelter Town of South-East Kootenay—Mining on the St Mary's River and Lake.

Marysville is one of the growing and most prosperous towns in Southeast Kootenay. It enjoys the honor of having the first and only smelter in South east Kootenay.

The smelter at Marysville is one of the most important industries in this district, and at the present time, one stack is being operated, and from one hundred and fifty to two hundred and fifty tons of silver-lead ore from the Sullivan Group of Mines is being treated.

Marysville is a hustling town situated at the confluence of Mark creek and St. Marys river. It is the gateway to the vast mineral district known as the St. Mary's river and Lake district. All roads and trails, from every mining camp center at Marysville.

In the vicinity of Marysville are immense forest reserves, and lumbering is carried on to a large extent and is one of its most important industries.

Marysville has three fine, large and commodious hotels, several general merchandise stores and other business houses which are credited with doing a large amount of business.

It will pay you to keep your eyes on Marysville, as from now on its growth will be rapid and constant, as the mines in that vicinity are being developed to a producing stage. As soon as the smelter is in condition to handle copper ore from camps tributary to Marysville its business and importance as a mining center will steadily increase Keep your eyes on the smelter town of the district.

Election of Officers

Cresent Lodge K. of P. held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, at which, the annual election of officers was held. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

John Bremner	C.C.
G. H. Thompson	V.C.
A. C. Bowness	Prelate
H. L. Bowness	M. of W.
V. A. Rollins	M. of E.
J. A. Arnold	M. of F. K. R.S
S. A. Grimmond	M. at A.
A. L. Bradley	I. G.
H. Mercer	. G.

A Big Tie Contract.

B. F. Butler of Sandpoint, and Robert Miller, of Rathdrum have a tie contract on the Spokane and International. It will require about 400,000 ties for the main line, from the International line to Spokane.

Mr. Miller went up the Moyie to look up the timber along the route. Mr. Butler is at Bonners Ferry awaiting his return. Tie makers will soon be in demand. The contract amounts to over $100,000.

Charlie McCowan has earned the Generaal Assembly's Certificate and a handsome bible for repeating the shorter catechism without a mistake. Charlie is a member of the Presbyterian Sunday school.

The new C.P.R. Depot is rapidly approaching completion.

MISS STAPLES BRIDE

Her Marriage to Dr. Green of Cranbrook is a Brilliant Affair

Stillwater, June 11. — A wedding of social importance not equalled in this city in years took place Thursday evening at 6 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Staples. The bride was Miss Lillian B. Staples, their daughter, and the groom, Dr. Frank W. Green of Cranbrook. The residence was charmingly decorated with flowers, plants and trellis vines. In the drawing room was a railing and arch of flowers mounted by a canopy, from which a bell of roses was suspended. It was there the Episcopal ceremony was performed by Rev. F. L. Palmer of Ascension Church and Rev. S. J. Kenneday; pastor of the First Presbyterian Church

The maid of honor was Miss Estelle Nelson of this city, and the best man A. R. Green of Banff, N.W.T., a brother of the groom, Elmore and Chester Staples, brothers of the bride, held the ribbons leading to the altar. The Ryder Mandolin orchestra of St. Paul rendered the wedding march and the concert of the evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Green left the same evening for Banff, and will be home at Cranbrook Sept. 1st.

At Home

An at Home, will be held under the auspices of the Cranbrook Football Association on Friday June 23rd, at 8-30 P. M. in Wenthworth Hall. During the evening the "Beattie" Cup will be presented to the winners and the gold and silver medals to the teams that finished in first and second places in the championship struggle.

LOCAL NEWS.

E. Sproule of Marysville, was in town Wednesday on business.

A. L. McDermot was at Moyie on Saturday last on business.

W. F. Gurd, was in Michel last week on legal business.

Reid & Co—have the finest line of fishing tackles ever brought into the Kootenay.

Peter Lund, Wardner, manager of the Crow's Nest Lumber Co. was in town Tuesday.

The circulation of the Prospector is growing fast and now numbers 820 paid up subscribers

Fink Bros new storehouse is about completed—James Greer has the contract for its construction.

A five room cottage for Mrs. A. B. Grace is now under construction, and will be completed by July 1st.

Wesley Cline, president of the Fisherman's club is having his cottage improved by the addition of a veranda, where the club will assemble and tell fish stories.

Chief License Inspector, T. H. McMullin of Fernie, was in town on Thursday attending a meeting of the License Commissioners.

Are you going to buy a Wedding Present? we have a great variety to select from.
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BRITISH COLUMBIA WEEK

At the Lewis and Clarke Exposition at Portland.

The following is a copy of a letter addressed to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, by the president of the Lewis and Clarke Centennial Exposition, and will be of interest to a great many people in the Kootenay.

Office of the President, Portland, Oregon, April 17th, 1905

Sir H. G Joly de Lotbiniere,
Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, Victoria, B.C.
Dear Sir,

On behalf of the Lewis and Clarke Centennial Exposition, I take pleasure in stating that with a view of doing honor to the great Province of British Columbia and organizing a systematic movement by which the people of the various communities in the Province can, in substantial numbers, arrange to visit and enjoy the manifold educational advantages and other attractions at the Exposition, the Exposition Management has decided to set apart the period commencing Monday, July 3, and ending Saturday, July 8, as "British Columbia Week." Seperate days in the week can be designated by municipalities of the Province for their respective special celebrations at the Exposition. A "Dominion of Canada Day" has already been arranged for Saturday, July 1st.

If this plan meet with your approval, we would request the issuance by you of a proclamation a month in advance of the suggested period, calling attention of the people of British Columbia to these auspicious events and urging every patriotic son and daughter of your great Province to assemble at the Exposition during this time for the purpose of honoring the occassion and by their presence insure the success its importance deserves.

In this connection, permit me to add that the Mayor of each City will be invited direct by the Exposition Management to make appropriate arrangements for the visit of his City's delegation to the Lewis and Clarke Centennial Exposition and all are assured of a hearty welcome. Awaiting your reply, I am, very respectfully yours

(Signed) H. W. GOODE,
President.

Our Fire Fighters.

The Cranbrook Fire Brigade responded to an alarm on Monday evening. The call was sent in by Chief Fink, and the response by the brigade showed that Cranbrook has fire-fighters that are second to none in the Kootenay. In just two minutes from the time the alarm was sounded, water came from the nozzles, and in four minutes two streams were in action playing over the highest building in town.

The reason for the sudden call was that Mr. Geo. B. Lawry, inspector for the Mainland Board of Fire Underwriters was in town, and Chief Fink suggested that he should make an inspection of the Cranbrook Brigade, its apparatus, and manner of fighting fire. After the trial test of the efficiency of the Brigade, Mr. Lawry placed a guage on the hydrant and found that the pressure was 98 and one-half pounds. With two streams playing it was 72 pounds with a siamese coupling on one line of hose, playing, in all three streams, the pressure was 62 pounds. It was found that the supply of water was sufficient for all necessary fire protection.

Mr. Lawry was well pleased with his inspection of the water supply, the apparatus, and the personnel of the Brigade, and remarked, that Cranbrook was better equipped for fire protection than many towns or cities much larger than Cranbrook.

C.P.R. Builds Kootenay Central.

Construction is assured for the Kootenay Central Railway.

At Canadian Pacific headquarters at Vancouver, it was announced on Monday that the C.P.R. will build this summer the projected line from Golden to Fort Steele connecting with the Crow's Nest branch. The branch line will be known as the Kootenay railway.

ON THE GRIDIRON

C.P.R., Shops and Fire Brigade play a close and exciting game —One more game.

The C.P.R. Shop defeated the Fire Brigade in the football match on Tuesday evening by a score of two to nothing. The Brigade were seriously handicapped by an adverse wind and the glaring sun in the first half, but succeeded in limiting the score against them to two goals. In the second half, the sun had gone down, and better football was played. Neither team scored in this half and the score therefore, remained two to nothing in the shops favor. Attridge and Graham played well for the Brigade, and Wright, Sarrell and Logan showed up well for the shops. The team lined up as follow:—C.P.R. Shops—Goal Wright; backs, Sarrell, Whebell; halfbacks, Shankland, Long and Graves; forwards, Brooks, Caldwell, Logan, Abbott, Seville.

Fire Brigade—Goal Sloat; backs, Grimmond, Attridge, half backs, Bennett, Stark, Greer; forwards, Nicholson, Harrington Brumwell, Graham, Staples.

One More Game

Only one more game remains to be played in the football league, the contestents will be the C.P.R. Shops and the town team, and the game will take place on Tuesday evening June 20th. The town team has nine points to their credit, and the shops seven, should the latter team win; which is not improbable, the teams will be tied for first place. Both teams are playing fast ball, and a splendid game will assuredly be put up It is expected that the game will be witnessed by a large number of spectators.

Among the Craft.

The regular monthly convocation of Rocky Mountain Chapter was held on Tuesday evening last at Fort Steele. There was in attendance a large number of sojourning companions from Cranbrook. Our "Cowan" reporter has learned that, at the convocation held on Tuesday evening, it was resolved to move the Chapter from Steele to Cranbrook. The removal will take place at once and the next convocation will be held in Cranbrook.

The regular monthly meeting of Cranbrook Lodge, A. F. & A. M was held in the Masonic Temple on Thursday evening. The event of the evening was the annual visit of Deputy G. M. J. F. Armstrong. A large number of visiting brethern were present.

We have just added to our **Crockery Department** a few new designs in **Dinner and Toilet Sets, Fruit Dishes in Glass and Earthenware, Glass Table Sets Glass Measuring Cups, Cheese Dishes.**

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SOUTHEAST Kootenay today is one vast prospect Let the Canadian promoter or capitalist visit this vast mineral area. Let him invest in a good prospect—two or three if necessary—and then develop them; for this is the only way to get in on the ground floor of mining; it is the only sure means of success in mining, and it don't take a tenth part of the capital to develop a prospect into a mine, as it does to purchase an already developed mine. We would say to Eastern Canadian capital, to those interested in mining, come to Southeast Kootenay investigate for yourselves, examine the mineral resources of this district if you see anything you want, invest.

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The demand for houses in Cranbrook is far in excess of the supply. The real estate agents say that the supply is not equal to the demand.

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The sale of a large number of residental properties in Cranbrook during the past month is a certain indication that the fame of Cranbrook has gone abroad.

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The people of Eastern Canada are awakening to the fact, that, in the vicinity of Cranbrook there are mines of gold, silver, copper and lead. These facts have been persistently set before the Canadian public for a number of years, but not until recently could Eastern Canadians be made to understand that the mines of Southeast Kootenay were becoming famous. Now they have had their eyes opened by the production of such mines as the St. Eugene and Sullivan, and are looking to this district for investment. If the people of the east would send out a number of representative citizens to see and report on the mineral resources tributary to Cranbrook it would be a trip of instruction as well as one of pleasure, and they would see and learn that the half of what we have here has not been told, and the trip would give them a faint idea of what the future has in store for this district.

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The St. Mary's district, which is tributary to Cranbrook, has large copper deposits, which according to reports of mining experts are the richest in British Columbia, which when fully developed will add hundreds of thousands of dollars to the wealth of the district. With the abundance of idle capital seeking investments, the time is fast approaching when this grand mineral wealth that has lain dormant for centuries awaiting the coming together of the miner and capitalist will be developed, and the residents of Cranbrook, and Southeast Kootenay, will witness much mining activity.

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Cranbrook from its many natural advantages and its favorable position, being the railway and commercial centre, will always be the business and residential center of Southeast Kootenay.

Meeting of License Board.

The half yearly meeting of the Board of License Commissioners of Cranbrook riding was held at the Court House, Cranbrook, on Thursday June 15th, when the following licenses were granted:

James Brown, Union Hotel, Wardner
A. L. McDermot, wholesale, Cranbrook
A. C. Bowness " "
L. B. VanDecar Royal Hotel "
D. McDonald, Manitoba " "
Hoggarth & Rollins, Cranbrook "
J. Beault, Canadian Hotel "
E. H. Small, Cosmopolitan "
Gougeon & Netterfield, Queens "
W. Small, Imperial Hotel "
W. Rollins, Wentworth Hotel "
H. W. Drew, North Star, Kimberley
O. P. Chenette, Falls View, Marysville
G. H. Wales, Royal Hotel "
O. Burge, Perry Creek " Perry Creek
H. S. Mather, Windsor " Fort Steele
R. A. Fraser, Strathcona " "
F. J. McMahon, East Kootenay, Moyie
Jane Firth, International Hotel "
Swinarton&Armstrong, Manhatton "
P. F. Johnson, Moyie Hotel "
F. G. Clapp, Yahk Hotel, Yahk
H. H. McVittie, Royal Hotel, Hamilton
A. P. Chenett, Royal, Fort Steele Jct.
N. Hanson, Wasa Hotel, Wasa

J. M. Carrol, Ontario Hotel, and Wm. Forsyth, Royal Hotel, Kimberley, were refused licenses

T. Caven, Royal Hotel, Yahk, applied for a renewal that was refused.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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CRANBROOK LICENCE DISTRICT

A special meeting of the Board of Licence Commissioners, Cranbrook Licence District, will be held in the Court House Cranbrook, on Friday June 30th, 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to consider the following applications.

T. D. Caven, Royal Hotel, Spokane Junction.
Wm. S. Forsyth, Royal Hotel, Kimberley.

Dated this 15th June, 1905.

T. H. McMULLIN,
Chief Licence Inspector.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in Southeast Kootenay; commencing at the northwest corner of Lot No 2969, Group 1, thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to place of beginning containing 560 acres more or less.

Rosa M. Linthacum, Locator

Dated this 27th, day of May 1905. 22

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria for permission to purchase the following described lands situated in Southeast Koootenay district

Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot No. 340, Group 1, Kootenay district, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of beginning containing 680 acres more or less.

Charles E. Linthacum Locator.

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LOCAL NEWS.

New potatoes at Fink Bros.

J. J. Cameron, Elko, was in the city Monday.

We have two or three houses to rent, apply to Beale & Elwell.

Dr. J. H. King was at Fort Steele on Sunday last.

Kootenay Lake berries at Fink Bros.

Sam Caduix was down from Sheep creek on Saturday last.

Harris Bros moved into their new store on Armstrong Ave on Saturday.

Get rid of your South African War Scrip. They expire July 1st, 1905.

R. Benedick and Fred Anderson, Mayook, was in town Monday.

Walter Johnson of Wardner was at Cranbrook Monday on business.

T. Ewart, Winnipeg, C.P.R. inspector, was a guest at the Cranbrook Monday.

Mrs. C. M. Brown, Wardner, was a Cranbrook visitor on Monday.

Imperial Coal and Coke Company shares are worth $50.00 at Cranbrook.

Constable Morris, was at Nelson during the early part of this week on official business.

J. Atwood, C.P.R. station agent at Moyie was in the city Monday.

James Ryan and V. Hyde Baker were at Fort Steele Junction Saturday last on business.

Dr. Harvie, Moyie, was at Cranbrook Monday on professional business.

Fred Robinson returned from a business trip to Alberta Monday.

When you get a Photo you want one with some stamp to it. If you go to Prests that is what you will get

C. H. Pollen, president of the Kootenay Central Railway is at Montreal this week on railway business.

Herbert S. Clark, customs officer at Fort Steele, was at Cranbrook Monday on official business.

Malcolm McInnis was at Kimberley this week. Mr. McInnis took a ride over the ariel tramway, and during the trip had his hand caught between the cable and one of the supports, receiving a very bad cut.

Dirt is now flying on the Corbin road. The construction of this road will be of great benefit to Cranbrook.

NOTICE.

SOUTH AFRICAN WAR LAND GRANT ACT.

GRANTS of land made to Volunteers, their heirs or assigns, under authority of this Act, are subject to the condition that such lands shall have been selected by the grantees on or before the first day of July, 1905. Notice is, therefore hereby given that applications for such lands must be filed at a Government Office by that date.

R. F. GREEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 26th May, 1905. 24

Editor Fred Smythe of the Moyie Leader was in town Tuesday. Mr. Smythe visited the Prospectors office, gave us the same old laugh, which indicated that Smythe was happy and contented with his job in the silver city.

M. Phillipps, of Elkmouth, was at Cranbrook Monday, to receive the body of his daughter who died at Vancouver last week from injuries received from coming in contact with a street car.

Mr. Clifford Harris, of Birmingham England, is at the "Wilga". Mr. Harris is a Lyrical and Monologue writer, and is at Cranbrook in search of rest and health.

William Fernie the locator of the Crow's Nest Coal areas, and the town of Fernie will wield the trowel in laying the corner stone of the new offices of the Crow's Nest Coal Co., on Monday.

R. R. Hedley, manager of the Hall Mines Smelter, at Nelson, was in town Friday. Mr. Hedley has just returned from an inspection of the Marysville Smelter, and said that he was much impressed with the workings of the new smelter.

It is penny wise, but pound foolish to put off the care of your eyes till it is to late—"Read our add"—W. F. Tate & Son, Graduate Optician.

Cresent Lodge, K. of P will attend divine service at the Baptist Church tomorrow—Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m.

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Bay Mare brand C with s inside over left hip three years old and broke. Weight about 1200 lbs white star in forehead. Reward, apply to Prospector office or to

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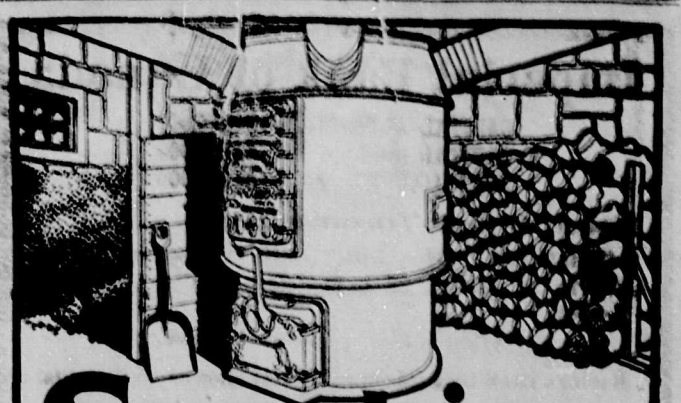

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MINERAL ACT
(FORM F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE.

Flying Cloud Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of East Kootenay District.

Where located:—On Mark Creek one mile from Kimberley.

Take notice that I, Thos. T. McVittie, F.M.C. No. B73710, agent for J. C. Drewry, F.M.C. No. B86408, Jos. Trainner, F.M.C. No. B85607 and J. F. Armstrong official administrator for Kellogg estate Free Miner's Certificate No. B73402, 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 claim

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 18th day of April, A.D. 1905.

16 THOS. T. McVITTIE

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Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:—Commencing at a post planted at the South East corner of lot 1879, Group 1, thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of beginning.

E. M. FERRICK.

Located this 8th day of June, 1905. 25

READ THE PROSPECTOR

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Post Office at Vancouver, B.C.," will be received at this office until Friday, June 23, 1905, inclusively, for the erection of a Post Office building at Vancouver, B.C., according to plans and specifical ons to be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Ont., and at the Vancouver Armoury, Vancouver, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
FRED. GELINAS
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
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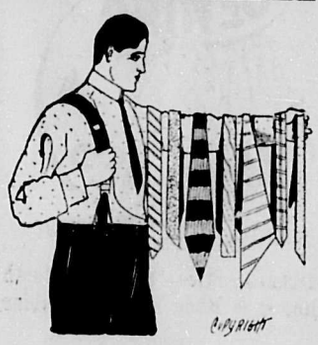

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All other goods in the same proportion.

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The Prospector.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 1905

LOCAL NEWS.

D. R. Yates of Staples was in town Wednesday.

Dr. H. Watt of Fort Steele was in town on Wednesday.

Fresh Kootenay Lake fruit at H. Stewarts, Armstrong Ave.

For snaps in houses—see Beale & Elwell.

F. L. Byron, a prominent Perry creek mining man was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bellamy, Moose Jaw, were guests at the Cosmopolitan Wednesday.

R. B. Durant came down from Perry creek Wednesday on business.

Remember that Reid & Co. are giving 25 per cent off on Ladies and Children shoes.

D. C. Corbin of the Spokane and International railway was at Fernie on Tuesday.

For news that is news of the district read THE PROSPECTOR—Then subscribe for it.

Buy St. Eugene stock, it is a sure winner, Beale & Elwell Mining Brokers.

John Hutchison returned Wednesday from a business trip to Nelson.

Have you seen the new McClary ranges?—Patmore Bros have them.

Mr. Benette proprietor of the Falls View Hotel at Marysville was in town on Wednesday.

The Cranbrook Gun Club were out practising at the traps on Wednesday.

Men's shoes, hats and furnishings at Hill & Co.—Sold at wholesale prices.

The Cranbrook Fire Brigade will send a team to Moyie on July 1st to compete for a prize.

R. Fraser of Fort Steele was in town Thursday attending a meeting of the License Commissioners.

The Imperial Bank is now located in its new commodious quarters corner of Baker Street and Hansons Avenue.

J. O. Trow was down from Perry creek Wednesday. He reports placer mining operations as being active.

T. Rader, and O. J. Johnson came down from Morrissey Wednesday, and left on Thursday for Moyie.

Edward Elwell of the firm of Beale & Elwell returned Wednesday from a business trip to Spokane.

Harry Drew, proprietor of the North Star Hotel at Kimberley, was in town Thursday on business.

Ladies Summer goods—Correct styles, selected the best from Eastern Markets, at Hill & Co. Sold at wholesale prices.

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Messrs W. F. Tate, J. A. Harvey, J. F. Armstrong, Frank Parks, A. Erickson, E. Small, A. Jensen, Geo. Monro, D. A. McKillop and A. B. Grace were attending a convocation of Rocky Mountain Chapter, R. A. M., at Steele on Tuesday.

James Finley, superintendent of the Sullivan group of mines was in the city Thursday. Mr. Finley left on the afternoon train for Michel on business connected with the transfer of a coal property in that vicinity.

A piece of Cut Glass makes a very acceptable Wedding Gift. We have just opened up a fresh lot.

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Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. G. McCALLUM
Chairman Building Committee.

Just arrived at Tisdale's, first shipment of G. B. chocolates.

F. J. Watson, and T. H. McMullen of Fernie, were at Cranbrook on business Wednesday.

J. Crawford, Michel, was a Cranbrook visitor on Saturday last.

Cheap Millinery at Reid & Co. this week.

Chas Armstrong, Moyie, was in town during the early part of the week.

A. Carney, government timber inspector, was at Cranbrook on Saturday last on official business.

Robert Johnson, of Marysville passed through Cranbrook Monday on his return from an extended visit to Spokane.

If you want a shave—a clean cool and refreshing shave—go to Cline's barber shop, in the Watt building.

T. J. Coo, Calgary, general storekeeper for the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., was in town Monday.

G. R. Parker, Moyie, has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the East Kootenay Lumber Company.

J. H. Fenton went to Medicine Hat Monday to meet Mrs. Fenton, who is coming to reside in Cranbrook.

Tenders are being called for the construction of a new church by the Presbyterian church committee.

At Prest Photo Studio you will find some New Photo Mounts which are up to the minute.

Malcolm McInnis, Calgary, received a telegram Monday from Mrs. McInnis stating that his mother in-law died on Sunday.

Marconi Securities are still being sold at Cranbrook. If you want them "Hutch" has a few left, see him at once.

Frank Angere, of Marysville, was in town Tuesday on business. He subscribed for the Prospector.

John Hutchison was at Nelson this week with the Marconi wireless. "Hutch" is always rounding up business.

Constable Baron, on Monday, arrested two chinaman for firing a rifle in the town limits. The "Chinks" were each fined $5 and cost.

Wiggens Strawberries are best quality, each basket contain full weight, are picked and carefully packed every morning and delivered in Cranbrook same afternoon. Procurable only at G. T. ROGERS GROCERY STORE.

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