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The Doings of Conspicuous Persons Affecting Canadian Interests.

Bulgaria is openly defying the Turk to war.

The Mad Mullah has sustained a serious reverse.

Small pox has broken out at Moscow, Wash.

Good reports are still coming in of the Lardo finds.

The Cunard company is fighting the Morgan combine.

Russia is said to be weakening on the Manchurian situation.

The Cuban treaty will probably be signed next week at Washington.

The 'phone girls are out on strike in Spokane and are making things lively.

The Lenora mine, Vancouver Island, has been leased to James Breen.

A coal mine explosion at Hanna, Wyo., has caused the death of 200 people.

The report that the Mad Mullah has several British prisoners is officially contradicted.

There is a movement on foot to join the Lutheran churches of Canada and the United States.

Canada's preferential tariff will be made an issue at the forthcoming bye election in Durham, England.

The Rev. R. C. Fillingham of Hexton, England, is denouncing Bishop Potter of New York for ritualism.

The C. P. R. land sales in Manitoba for June amounted to a million and a half dollars averaging under \$5 per acre.

Russophiles in the Associated Press are booming Dalry as the new terminus on the China seas of the Siberian railway.

T. Mayne Daly has entered suit on behalf of R. A. Bonnes against the Winnipeg Free Press for libelling his conduct as revising officer.

British, United States and Japanese fleets are massed in the Gulf of Pech li, North China. Russia has 57 war vessels in the neighborhood.

It is stated that Ottawa has concluded an arrangement, the details of which have not yet been disclosed, with the Grand Trunk Pacific for the building of a transcontinental railway.

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STEWARDSHIP OF CURTIS HOLIDAY

AT TRAIL

Transactions of the Late Parliament.

Trail Wins the Baseball Match.

WAR EAGLE SECURES WET TEST

Downpour of Rain Interfered Much With the Celebration—A Good Time Was Still Had.

BURNING ISSUES OF THE MOMENT

Platform of Successful Liberalism--Martin Is Denounced--Union of Labor and Liberal Parties.

At the meeting Tuesday evening at Miners' Union hall, assembled for the purpose of hearing Smith Curtis, the late member for this riding, give an account of his stewardship since he was elected its representative three years ago last June, the chair was occupied by P. R. McDonald, president of the Western Federation of Miners in British Columbia and school trustee for this city. Mr. McDonald expressing himself shortly as to the purposes of the meeting and as to the pleasure it gave him to render aid, introduced the speaker of the evening to the audience.

Mr. Curtis began by drawing attention to the presidents of the United States and France and of the estimation in which the former was held owing to his fearless speaking out for the right. Much had been spoken of the corruptness of the politics of that country, but the speaker doubted that it worse than Canada. The heart of the people was right but members of the legislature and others were often too afraid to speak out and insist that there should be as honest dealings in politics as in business. (Applause.)

The first session showed little but that the government was in league with the railway influences, especially the C. P. R. The beginning of the next session, 1901, showed this even more. The Coast Kootenay railway was first to come. It was opposed by the speaker because it was supported by a bill which was meant to prevent construction. He rather favored the V. V. & E. because it was backed by the Great Northern and thus meant competitive rates. This was blocked by the government by so framing a railway bill that none but the C. P. R. could build. To prove this Mr. Curtis gave some details. The speaker had insisted that, according to the Martin platform, railway subsidies should be covered by stocks or bonds. This was provided by the bill and therefore Martin and McInnes supported the bill. But the bill was a bluff.

It was not giving the province what it wanted. It was practically giving the C. P. R. everything. Yet Martin spoke for it, spoke for C. P. R. monopoly. As leader of the opposition it was his business to defeat the government. Martin voted against monopoly in the first session. Had he voted against it in the second the government would have been defeated. But he and McInnes voted for it and kept it in office for another year.

That Dinner

On the night of 11 May, 1901, the night of the prorogation, McL. Brown asked that the speaker support a land grant. Mr. Curtis refused. He and other Liberals were invited to dinner by Mr. Martin on that very night, but the speaker refused to stay and went to the house to find that prorogation was in progress, and had it not been for Richard McBride, then Minister of Mines, who afterwards resigned his office, the land grant might have been passed. (Applause.) Leaving the dinner Mr. Martin was informed by the speaker that his purpose was to oppose that bill. Yet afterwards Martin declared that he had heard nothing of the bill. Martin, in 1900, had declared that the Columbia & Western railroad had no title to any land subsidy except for that small part between Trail and Rossland. They had lost all legal right. The speaker here made a trenchant criticism of Mr. Martin's untruthfulness and declared he was a disgrace to the province. (Laughter and applause.)

The Land Bill

The land bill was again brought up 1902, giving the C. P. R. the right to choose any lands they wanted in Yale and Kootenay, and yet Martin, who had so forcibly opposed it, in that session made a speech in support of it! Afterwards he declared he never knew what the bill meant! He swore that before the commission, and yet the bill was very short. (Applause.) Yet what applies to Martin applies to every member of the Dunsmuir government excepting McBride who resigned.

The reason why the speaker attacked Martin was not to help Conservatives but rather Liberals, so that they should not wreck themselves by following a man whose principles fell so far short of those

While the liberal downpour of rain yesterday morning interfered considerably with the celebration of Dominion Day at Trail the citizens of the smelter city deserve much praise for their persistent efforts to carry out each and every event on the programme. For this much credit is due George Weir, marshal of the day.

The morning was given over to children's races and these were run off as fast as the weather would permit. In the foot races S. Brokenshire of Rossland captured two first prizes.

The juvenile ball game was won by Trail by a score of 11 to 13 after a spirited contest.

The principal event of the afternoon, and of the day in fact, was the hose racing, which occurred immediately after the lunch hour. The War Eagle-Centre Star team won the wet test in 24 1/2 seconds. Trail received no time, failing to get the nozzle on. The hub and hub race also came to Rossland, being won by superior running. Trail was about four feet behind at the finish.

After this came the horse racing, and in these Trail took sweet revenge, taking both events.

The decorations and pyrotechnic display were by no means equal to that of a year ago, but were very good nevertheless.

The cup given by Trail for the fire team must be won three years in succession to become the property of the winners.

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MR. CURTIS.

What is likely to be the valedictory speech of the late member for the old Rossland riding, Mr. Smith Curtis, was given on Tuesday night in the Miners Union Hall where it met with a favorable reception. It is really wonderful, considering the type of politician with which we have been afflicted in this province, the consideration that Smith Curtis has gained with all parties. He has stood for Liberalism. But Liberalism with him has meant a government for the people whose watchwords are "Advance" and "Reform". Small wonder then that his career has been watched with interest by the province at large and especially by the labour people. No man they could have elected could have served their interests better and it is indeed a pity that he is dropping out of politics through the urgent pressure of those private affairs which he has neglected in order that he might better serve his province and his constituency. Many Conservatives were present on Tuesday evening and the way in which the speaker shewed himself to be above party, honest, though strict and fair in his criticisms, flung straight at the mark, whether that mark was his own party or another, elicited applause from them which many of their own speakers would find it hard to obtain.

A strong opposition is as necessary to good government as a strong ministry, and Mr. Curtis has certainly shown himself strong in opposition. Of all the little band that went in opposition three years ago Curtis alone has been consistent and he really occupies the best position politically of any man in the province.

Smith Curtis was strong in opposition and many of his admirers and all of his enemies concede him this. But many also say that he would not be of the same service if in office. Those who say so have short memories. It was not for long that Smith Curtis occupied the position of Minister of Mines in the ill-starred Martin government but in those few months arrears accumulated for months, even years, were cleared off and his successor in office had a clean sheet with which to start. This in the middle of a hot political campaign when labor troubles supervened in Rossland, whose happy ending was largely due to him, where much would have been forgiven had he left the reins in the hands of his subordinates when it came to the duties of his office. The fact of the matter is that he possesses an infinite capacity for taking pains, which, be it remembered, is the definition of genius. Other wise the work he has accomplished could never have been done. The World will be glad to see Mr. Curtis return to political life. The province cannot afford to lose so able a worker, so straight forward and so consistent a man.

He has set a hard row for his successor.

DONT SHOOT.

A British member of parliament, says the Victoria Colonist, is credited with the story that last summer when on a visit to the United States, he asked President Roosevelt what the United States would do if the British Empire adopted Imperial preference. The President, according to this story replied: "Oh, we should simply say, 'Don't shoot—we will come down.'" Whether this story is true or not, the remark is certainly in keeping with Mr. Roosevelt's character. It is also remarkable that it is exactly what Germany has already said at the very mention, let alone the acceptance of Imperial preference. Tariff wars may or may not be made, but tariff defencelessness when other people are deliberately warring on British trade, is a great deal worse. There is nothing in the way of trade hostility to Great Britain which the United States and Germany have not attempted. The attempt to convince us in Canada that this hostility has not been prejudicial to Great Britain, is absurd. Because the United States attempted to conquer Canada by exactly the same means, and would have conquered Canada if Canada had not promptly defended herself. The Dingley tariff was very largely an engine constructed for the purpose of keeping Canadian goods out of the United States, and of crippling Canadian export trade, at least if it was not constructed for that purpose, that was one of the incidental ends. The effect on Canada was to kill every desire for reciprocity with the United States, and to stiffen our independence of that country both economic and political. The result has not been at all unsatisfactory to Canada, and now we find that the desire for reciprocity is entirely confined to the south of the boundary line. We certainly import a large amount of goods from the United States. But if we were to put up a Dingley tariff of our own against these goods, would not the United States immediately say: "Don't shoot—we'll come down!" It is one thing to attack Canada, and a different thing entirely to attack Great Britain. But it is idle to say that what if Canada had not defended herself, would have ruined her, has not injured Great Britain, who has not defended herself. And when an opportunity of successful defence, leading to freer and fairer trade, is presented as it would be presented by the Empire's showing a united front, it is pure madness if that opportunity is not accepted.

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pay \$5 to \$20 an acre yearly and the coal sold at certain rates to be fixed by the government from time to time, and Canadian industries should be first supplied. Wild lands should be better looked after. The timber lands should be better managed. The tax on mines should be on the profits.

Liberals should come out flat-footed on these questions and would win unless the McBride government would first take the bull by the horns. Further, the Liberals should endorse the resolutions passed by the Mining Association of last February.

Finally the speaker would be glad if the Liberals of this riding would bring out their candidate in conjunction with labor. Let a public meeting be called of the two and select a candidate and let that man be free of reproach. Lastly the speaker declared that he would not support a candidate who stood for either Martin or McInnes as leader. He would reconsider his position.

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standards which had been set up in the beginning of the address.

The Land Steal

Referring to the later stages of the bill and the land grants which came of it the speaker said he thought that Wells had been actuated, not by personal boodle but by a policy of keeping his government in power. But Eberts was in a different case. Mr. Wells swore that the bill had come from the Attorney-General, but it had been shown in commission that it had gone there from G. McL. Brown, the Executive Agent of the C. P. R. Mr. Brown couldn't remember. Had he remembered the lawyer who drew the bill and were it a member of the house he was in danger of going to prison for 14 years. A lawyer drafted that bill. Who were the lawyers in the house who supported that bill? D. M. Eberts, J. Martin and W. McInnes. If any outside lawyer in Canada had drafted this bill surely he would have risen up and supplemented Mr. Brown's memory. This bill, which gave away coal and oil lands of incalculable value, was a gigantic steal. (Sensation.)

Now in the 1902 session the government put in several railway subsidy bills, but they carefully left out all those safeguards which they had inserted in the 1901 bill of bluff. The speaker in vain tried to get these clauses inserted but Martin again supported the government and thus went against his own platform

An enormous land subsidy was proposed to the Canada Northern. On this platform Mr. Prior ran at Victoria. He was supported by Martin and McInnes. Without the support of Martin he could not have been elected. Yet his election meant the success of the land grants had it not been for the secession of Messrs. Oliver and Kidd. Had Martin not been secured his opposition could have upset Premier Prior. But the Martinites deliberately voted to keep him in office while he could negotiate for the support of Helmcken and Hayward and others.

Labor Legislation

Referring to labor legislation the speaker claimed that through the aid of a labor member, Mr. Hawthornthwaite, and of himself, who stood for labor as well as Liberalism, the labor people had got a good deal. They had got the Workman's Compensation Act. Martin had secretly opposed all such legislation. McInnes had done so openly. Mr. McPhillips had supported this legislation. Another bill was brought in protecting labor unions, which Martin had rabidly attacked and incidentally the Western Federation. Martin had brought in a bill afterwards which made every union register under the Dominion act and so put itself out of court with regard to the provisions of this very act. Eventually this bill, amended, was passed, but it was the speaker's bill in every word.

Another bill, fathered by the speaker, about advertising for labor was passed after three years' fight, but Martin and McInnes knocked out a clause which made it imperative for an advertisement for

such labor to intimate that a strike or lockout was in course, if such was the case. Mr. Curtis here referred to an instance of starvation and death of a baby and its mother which occurred in Nanaimo through the non-operation of such a clause, and warmly declared that it was instances such as these that made him stand for labor. (Loud applause.)

Scores Dunsmuir

The speaker went on to score Dunsmuir for his attitude with regard to labor and his declaration that the mines, given to him by the people, were his alone to deal with! Such pretensions forced the speaker to stand for labor wherever right.

Politics of the Day

Speaking as to the politics of the hour. Mr. McBride had very properly formed a government on party lines. It is said he had promised office to Liberals. Were this true Mr. McBride was to blame, since a public man should keep his word absolutely.

But the reason why the Conservatives and not the Liberals had been called to office was this: The Liberals, all with the exception of Mr. Hawthornthwaite and the speaker, had followed one or more Conservatives. They were not compact.

If Liberals wanted power they must remember that the present Conservative ministry had turned out the old Victoria ring and were the best of the party, and show themselves to be better men. But they must remember that Martin and McInnes had allied themselves with the discredited Victoria ring. If the Liberals had not the courage to disassociate themselves with such men and their like in the house, a gang of boodlers, they did not deserve office and they would not get it. (Applause.)

Martin had got his leadership through treachery. His platform was shilly shally. A clear out platform should be drawn up. Martin had been turned out of the Liberal leadership. He had been marched up to the table and made to resign. He did not do so willingly.

A New Platform

Speaking of politics as they should be, the speaker declared the burning question of the hour was labor and capital, and compulsory arbitration was absolutely necessary. Capital opposed it. Labor was afraid of the judges. Labor need not be. New Zealand and New South Wales showed this. The labor trouble must be settled if the province was to go ahead.

The Dominion government was taking yearly one to two million dollars more out of the province than it returned. This was a war tax and must be stopped.

Another question was the supply of coke. But the Crow's Nest contract called for \$2 a ton penalty for every ton short shipped to Canadian smelters. The law should be enforced. The coal lands of Southeast Kootenay should be opened. In the opinion of the speaker the locations made were good and should be granted under the Dominion act and so put itself out of court with regard to the provisions of this very act. Eventually this bill, amended, was passed, but it was the speaker's bill in every word.

But certain lands should be absolutely reserved with a view to the government opening up mines itself. Coal lands located should

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THE LOCAL EXCHANGE

Centre Star Is Selling Better.

WATERLOO TAKES A BIG JUMP

The Latest Quotations and Sales Locally Upon the Market.

The market is much interfered with by the holidays and but little buying or selling has been done. The feature of the day is the marked jump in Waterloo which has nearly doubled in price. Centre Star is slightly firmer than earlier in the week.

Today's Local Quotations:

	Asked	Bid
American Boy.....	4 1/2	4 1/4
Ben Hur.....	5 1/2	4 3/4
Black Tail.....	4 1/2	3 3/4
Canadian Gold Field.....	4 1/2	3 3/4
Cariboo (Camp McKinney) ex.....	13 1/2	12 1/2
Centre Star.....	28	25
Crows Nest Pass Coal.....	5	4
Fairview.....	5	4
Fisher Mill.....	3 1/2	3 1/4
Giant.....	4 1/2	3 3/4
Granby Consolidated.....	35 1/2	34 1/2
Lone Pine.....	1 1/2	1 1/4
Morning Glory.....	2	1 3/4
Mountain Lion.....	23	20
North Star (East Kootenay).....	12	10 1/2
Payne.....	14 1/2	13
Quilp.....	32	29
Rambler-Cariboo.....	42 1/2	40
Republic.....	3	2
San Polo.....	5	4
Sullivan.....	4 1/2	4
Tom Thumb.....	5	4
War Eagle Consolidated.....	13	12
Waterloo (Assess. paid).....	7	6
White Bear (Assess. paid).....	4 1/2	4 1/4

Today's Local Sales.
 Mountain Lion, 1500, 21 1/2c;
 American Boy, 1000, 4 1/2c; Centre Star, 500, 27 1/2c; Rambler-Cariboo, 500, 41 1/2c; White Bear, 1000, 4 1/2c.
 Total, 4500.

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Merely Local

A Larsen left today for Spokane. Mrs. Wallace Fraser has left on a trip to the coast.

Rupert Bulmer is back from a trip to Fort Steele.

Mrs. S. Tippet and children left today for Butte.

There was a small conflagration at the War Eagle yesterday.

George H. Bayne of the Home-stake has returned to the camp.

Mrs. W. H. Danby and son have gone on a trip to Victoria.

There was another alarm of fire yesterday from First avenue and Butte.

Superintendent Larsen has severed his connection with the Kootenay mine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cunliffe have returned from their wedding trip to California.

Tom Long says that taking lunatics to the New Westminster is not all it is cracked up to be.

People who went out of the camp yesterday in order to get wet might have remained in the city.

The only people whom seem seem happy with the recent holiday are the fishers. They have returned wet but happy.

Many people are figuring on the Loon Lake excursion and tickets are already asked for. They will be on sale tomorrow.

Smith Curtis proposes going east at the close of the week but thinks he will be enabled to return before the end of the month.

The Le Roi No. 2 is going on with its flume from Little Sheep creek, the contract having been awarded to C. Corbett.

Many Liberals are speaking in favor of A. J. McMillan as a possible candidate. The chances seem to lie between him and J. A. Macdonald.

Rebecca at the Well will be one of the features of the entertainment given next week at the Miners Union Hall by the ladies of St. George's church.

Don't forget the Fourth of July ball at Miners Union hall Friday evening, July 3. Graham's orchestra.

COUNCIL STILL LIVELY

Mayor Dean Fixing Up Insurance-Assessment Bylaw.

There was a lively old time at the council meeting on Tuesday night, there was no particular business transacted. The assessment by law came up again but was again laid over for another week.

It is suspected that Mayor Dean has had his hands fall with the arbitration proceedings and that he has had no time to go into the figures himself. Of course nobody else can.

There were several passages at arms between Alderman Daniel and the mayor which resulted in little. Alderman Daniel objected to the use of the fire team for watering the streets and thought an extra team should be purchased. He found no seconder to a resolution he brought into this effect, however, and Mayor Dean explained he was fixing up the whole matter.

Tenders Wanted.

Tenders are invited for the erection of a two-story brick building on Columbia avenue. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of C. R. Hamilton. Tenders to be in not later than July 8th, 1903. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

NELSON CELEBRATION

First Day Passes Off Successfully -- The Fire Brigade.

Despite the downpour of rain the Nelson celebration went off very well. The proceedings began with the procession, headed by the Rocky Mountain Rangers preceded by the Rossland bugle band which received well merited applause all along the line. After these came every element of the city turning out in strength, the Miners' Union and fraternal societies being well represented. Rossland was unfortunate in its baseball match, losing to Northport by 12 to 7, the winners playing Nelson this afternoon. The lacrosse match was won by New Westminster. The first games of the tennis tournament were also played resulting, on the whole, rather favorably to this city.

The drilling contest was won by the North Star boys, Stanley McLennan and H. Thomey. The finish of the proceedings was the con town fire brigade which thought the crowd wanted cooling off rather than the shack which was deliberately set on fire by some incendiary.

FOR RENT CHEAP—Good three roomed house, well located, near Central school house, Fifth avenue. O. M. Fox & Co., Grocers, Columbia avenue.

The Quilp

Thirty cars of ore were sent out this week by the Quilp mine, 17 cars went over the Great Northern to the Tacoma smelter and 13 cars over the Kettle Valley road to the Granby smelter. The mine never looked better and has on its payroll 39 men all of whom have a full holiday on the Fourth of July.

Don't forget the hot lunch at the Palace tonight.

Kaufmann's orchestra at the Palace on Saturday and Sunday nights, 6 to 11 o'clock.

Notice.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the stockholders of the Pontiac Copper Mines, Limited, will be held at the Company's office, 111 east Columbia Avenue, Monday, 6th July, 1903, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

S. H. WHEELER, Secretary.
 New York, June, 19, 1903.

NOTICE.
 RESPECTING TIMBER LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order in Council making a regulation for the survey of timber limits before the issue of special licences to cut and remove timber from Crown lands, notice respecting which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated 26th March, 1903, has been rescinded.

W. S. GORE,
 Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works
 Lands and Works Department,
 Victoria, 26th June, 1903.

4th of JULY Excursion

Loon Lake, Wash.

For the above occasion the Spokane Falls & Northern railway will run a special train to Loon Lake.

FARE FOR ROUND TRIP \$2.75

Children Half Fare.
 Special train leaves Rossland at 7:00 a.m. July 4th and arrives at Loon Lake at 11:42 a. m.

H. P. Brown, Agent,
 Rossland

H. A. Jackson, G P A,
 Spokane.

PROGRESSIVE PLATFORM

1. No candidate will be accepted or endorsed by the party unless endorsing the platform and placing his undated resignation in the hands of the endorsing body.
2. Government ownership of transportation.
3. Compulsory arbitration of labor disputes.
4. Absolute reservation of portions of coal lands by the government. Coal leases must have a clause inserted governing coal prices.
5. Conservation of forests so as to produce a revenue and to promote the pulp industry.
6. Insertion of a clause in all charters forbidding the employment of Orientals.
7. Compulsory sealing of all logs by government sealers.
8. Free transportation to members of the legislatures and the judiciary.
9. Gradual abolition of all taxes upon producers and their products, shifting the burden on land values.
10. Restriction of Oriental immigration on the lines of the Natal Act with a provision for reenactment in case of disallowance.
11. The abolition of property qualifications or public officers.
12. The establishment and operation of government smelters and refineries.
13. All franchises and subsidies to be referred to the electorate.
14. Declaration of election day as a public holiday, with four hours reserved in any case, so as to allow all employees an opportunity of voting.
15. Farm lands and implements to be exempt from taxation and wild lands to be assessed at the price asked by holders.
16. No land subsidies to be granted.
17. Ten per cent of public lands to be set aside for a revenue for education and that children up to 16 years be given free books and meals and clothing when necessary.
18. Municipalization and public control of the liquor traffic.

Notice.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Keremos Copper Mines, Limited will be held at the Company's office, 110 east Columbia Avenue, Monday, 6th July, 1903, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

W. H. DANBY,
 Secretary.

SOCIETY CARDS.

F. O. E. FRATERNAL ORDER OF
 No. 10, Regular meetings every Monday evening, 8 p. m., Eagles Hall, Carpenters' Union Bld'g.
 J. Levy, W. P.
 H. Daniel, W. Secretary.

I. O. O. F. Meets in Odd Fellows Hall First and Second avenues. Regular meetings each Monday night. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend and register within 30 days.
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GRAND Fourth of July BALL
Miners Union Hall
Friday Evening, July 3

NOTICE.
 Re John Y. Cole Addition to Rossland. Registered Plan No. 719.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in said plan that application on behalf of the Consolidated White Bear Mining Company, Limited, Non-Personal Liability, will be made to a Judge of the Supreme Court in Chambers, at the Court House, Victoria, B. C., at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 28th day of July, 1903, for an order changing said plan so as to close Montreal street and substitute a new street to be called Montreal street ninety feet to the west thereof; also to close a portion of Kootenay Avenue between the westerly boundary of Lot 12 in Block 2 and the westerly boundary of Lot 16, Block 3 and to open in lieu thereof a street running south through Lots 15 and 16, Block 3, thence westerly parallel to the old street to the new Montreal street above mentioned, including the lane between said Lot 15 and said new Montreal street, also the westerly end of the lane in Block 10 is to be closed, also the westerly half of the lane in Block 6.
 And further take notice that the plan of said Addition as proposed to be amended may be seen at the law office of the undersigned, Columbia avenue, Rossland, B. C.
 J. A. MACDONALD,
 Solicitor for Applicants.
 Dated 26th June 1903.

Certificate of Improvement.
NOTICE.

The Brothers and Jungle Fraction Mineral Claims, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District.
 Where located: Near the international boundary line on Sophie mountain
 Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, Prov. Land Surveyor of Rossland, agent for E. B. Sentell, Esq., of Vancouver, B.C. free miner's certificate, No. B57520, 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 Improvement.
 Dated this 4th day of June, A.D. 1903.
KENNETH L. BURNET

Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

"Idaho Fraction" Mineral Claim, situated in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District, and adjoining the "Enterprise," "Idaho" and "Virginia" Mineral Claims.
 Take notice that I, T. P. O'Farrell of Rossland, B. C., acting as agent for Mary Kraus, free miner's certificate No. B54770, and William Kellm, free miner's certificate No. B54891, 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 at Rossland, B. C., this 7th day of February, A. L. 1903.
T. P. O'FARRELL

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