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Columbia & Kootenay Valleys; unrivalled
for scenery of all kinds; the distributing
point for the richest mineral country on the
continent.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

The Archdeacon will preach in St.
Paul's Church to-morrow evening.

"The best boat in Canada" has re-
cently arrived in town—owing to an
extra coat of paint. It's well connect-
ed they say—even with Noah's Ark.

A ladies gun club is in vogue. This
would be very very nice, and we should
stand a chance of yet beating our 1st
team's score at Donald on the 25th.

The operator has been operating a
bicycle this week, much to the injury
of the sidewalks, no doubt thinking it
necessary to "relay" them. The work
was supervised by the agent who was
no better than the operator.

Mr. Neil Burton was very funny,
wasn't he? and inebriated man even,
gave consolation better even than
Napoleon Bonaparte got from Bill
Adams

I forgot to mention that Peter Se-
bastian has found some tin. I thought
perhaps it was in the form of a pocket
book, but they say he has now found
the "pure quill." He should get a
"magnum bonum" from the Govern-
ment.

Mr. Warren has some attractions
now in the form of musical clocks, he
is musical himself you know, and
since he has removed his stove he has
some stove polish for sale, and if you
will look at his ad. you will see lots
more.

There was seen on Monday night at
Field, on the post office, the following
notice: "Good Greener guns and
plenty of ammunition for sale, cheap.
Apply, The Sick Boys Home, Field,
B.C." I wanted a Greener gun so I
applied, but they must have been
"sold" before.

Mr. Mara has gone up the river,
what for I cannot say, though I hear
that the people "have no use for him"
up there, but it's only right that he
should go and thank them for past
kindnesses. This is the first visit he
has made up there in many years I
believe. Why is he making it now?
so quietly too, there must be some-
thing in the wind. Have a care up
there.

We have to express our many thanks
to the people of Donald for the kind
and hospitable way in which they
treated us on Monday and Tuesday
last and especially the members of the
Tennis Club, though I am sure the

Gun Club lacked nothing in showing
hospitality, but we did so badly that
we cannot appreciate it to such a de-
gree of intensity as we did the sports
at which we "cut a better figure"

The Gun Club.

Some of its members on the first
team had better quit and "play mar-
bles" as our bearded friend would say.
Any team that cannot break more than
25 p.c. must be "a bird" to the on-
lookers. How can we account for such
bad shooting? The average of the
lowest man on the team was 40 p.c. or
so. On Thursday evening when prac-
ticing the whole members of the team
broke 66 p.c. as the following score
will show:

Dr. Taylor	12 out of 16.
G. B. McDermot	11.
P. Leake	11.
A. Taylor	11.
W. McNeish	10.
J. Lake	10.
H. Semple	9.

This shows that our captain can
shoot though he only broke 25 p.c. at
Donald. Now when the club is shoot-
ing under the American rules as they
do when not at home, I think they
should take advantage of the benefits
allowed by them. There is no doubt
to any one who has practiced it that
when the bird is known, putting the
gun to the shoulder before giving the
"pass word" is an advantage. Then
why not make use of this? Then
again our ammunition as a rule is not
good enough, most of the member of
other clubs load their own cartridges
fresh with the best smokeless powder.
You cannot be sure of good shooting
unless you do. Could not the com-
mittee of the club meet about this
question, viz.: whether the American
rules shall be hereafter used.

To "Prince" Mara.

Jam vero etiano securis ad radicem
arborum posita est. Omnis igitur
arbor non ferens fructum bonum exci-
ditur. (And now also is the axe laid
at the foot of the tree, etc.) John
Andrew Mara the axe is laid, and to
the electors of the Yale-Quiboo Divi-
sion you have brought forth no fruit,
therefore what do you expect to be
your doom. And again you have been
trying to serve two masters, you have
been trying to serve John Andrew
Mara and your electors, whose inter-
ests are far from being identical. You
have been trying to make a "prince"
of the one and slaves of the other, and
therefore we the electors despise you.
You may say you repent at this the
11th hour, our answer is: repent and
die, as you surely will on the 23rd of
June to come.

QUID FACEREM.

Mr. Hewitt Bostock has, by his so-
licitor, Mr. Archer Martin, issued a
writ against the Colonist Printing and
Publishing Company, and Mr. R. M.
Horne-Payne, claiming \$20,000 dam-
ages for libel on account of an article
headed "An Investor's Advice," which
appeared in the Colonist of May 7th
last. This is in addition to the action
against Horne-Payne, claiming \$10,-
000 damages for slander alleged to
have been spoken against Mr. Bostock
at Golden.—Kamloops Sentinel.

An ingenious person has invented an
asbestos boot. It is said to be damp
proof and to protect the sole of the
foot from cold in winter and from the
heat of sun baked pavements in sum-
mer. If some person would invent an
asbestos covering which would protect
souls from heat, it might have a ready
sale in view of possible future contin-
gencies.

The Golden Era

The **GOLDEN ERA** is published every Saturday morning in time to catch the east and west mail trains, also the mail for the upper country, Vancouver, Fort Steele etc. is the only advertising medium in the Kootenay district.

Subscription Rates: \$2.00 per annum IN ADVANCE.

Advertisements and changes must be in the office not later than 12 a.m. on Thursday to insure insertion.

All cash to be paid to the Manager, from whom the Company's receipt will be obtained.

Advertisement rates made known on application to

The Golden Era Publishing Company,

SATURDAY, MAY 30, 1896.

ONLY a few days since I, as editor of the **GOLDEN ERA** was "called down" so to speak, in Western parlance, for making a "positive assertion" in these columns about the tax, that tax which affects nearly all of us. The gentleman said he had, no it was he was nearly coming 100 miles on purpose to correct me, saying he could not write but he could talk. But seriously I am glad that I interviewed him on the subject, though at the time I was slightly under a disadvantage, not remembering the exact words I had used whereas he seemed to remember them, and this fact quite flattered my vanity thinking previously that no one thought sufficiently well of the opinions expressed in the **GOLDEN ERA** to have committed the sentences to memory. Now the grievance was this. I said in the number dated April 25th the following:

"It is certainly an injustice to force the miner to pay an additional \$5 to work in a mine. Before a man can locate, hold, or deal in a mining property he should, and most rightly too, be made to pay this tax, for my part I would rather see a double tax placed upon such men than to see the miner taxed a cent for the privilege of working for his bread. It is the option of any to meddle in mining but a man must work for his living and its unfair to burden optional and compulsory actions alike. Besides it casts a cloud over the mining industry which it has no right to do."

"I should like to suggest to the Executive Committee of the B.C. Miners Association that they would be conferring a great benefit on East Kootenay if they could accomplish this end I should like also to propose that the fee be made \$10 for all persons locating holding or dealing in mining properties in the Province, but that miners should be free to work in mines which they have no interest in."

When writing the above I must acknowledge that I had not East Kootenay particularized in my mind and that I wrote what I thought about the matter. I for my part would much rather pay \$10 for a free miner's certificate and see the miner who is working in the mine free, than the present state of things. As to this plan conferring a benefit on East Kootenay, I must again acknowledge that I am wrong, for the fact that I am premature in my remarks. At present there are many more locators of claims than actual working miners, or if preferred most of them have claims in some part of the province. But this will not exist long. The country has not yet got a start and as soon as it does start, and not till then will the said benefit be conferred. I must apologize for getting a little ahead of time.

THE question of "Who owns the land," in many of our Provincial towns along the C.P.R. line is at present a very vexed one, and in some instances this same question has become so notorious and the stronger hand is so apparently gaining ground, that even in this we cannot but ac-

knowledge but that Darwin was right about that "survival of the fittest." There is one instance in this town that exemplifies this to a degree. In fact its nothing more than the stronger hand pushing the weaker down, and the weak one has to take it all in good part too, never murmuring a complaint so to speak. I believe Mr. Mara wrote a letter to Mr. Spragge of Donald, stating to him that Mr. White—then secretary of the Interior, — had said or given him authority to say that a certain portion of the Townsite of Golden would be open for sale in the near future and that the inhabitants were not be afraid to build on them. Upon the strength of this some did build and quite expensive houses, for the time mind you things went on all right for a year or two but the lots were never offered for sale, and for this reason the C.P.R. had made application for the same land for a depot site. Of course we all understand how the thing runs. Our poor settlers have to "get off there," and if "I guess not," well we shall have to see about putting you off. To resort to law in the matter would be folly, and would only add to your losses. Now whose fault is it that the land has become so and so. It is without doubt the Government's. Why did they not see that the land was not taken up before they disposed of it again. Let the C.P.R. have it by all means if they want it, in fact there is little use in trying to prevent them, but the Government should see that the citizens are protected, in fact get their rights, and in this case they have certainly neglected their duty. Mr. L. H. Estelle, an old and much respected citizen of Golden, built a large house on one of the lots of the former town site of Golden, and these lots acknowledged to be open. He made application to buy it, got no satisfactory information when it would be open for sale, and is now ordered to "get off there." By who? The C.P.R. of course. Now I think most of the citizens here will join with me in saying that this is an injustice to our fellow citizen and that something should be done to put the matter right. He, after going on in good faith, is suddenly deprived of his expectations or in other words the lot if his in deed would be worth \$1,000. Now I say again that the Government should as in duty bound, either allow him to buy his lot and give him a deed or compensate him for his loss, for certainly his loss was occasioned by them this I think is only fair. Mr. Mara has been asked to assist but without fruit I am sorry to say.

Any one who has ever had an attack of inflammatory rheumatism will rejoice with Mr. J. A. Stumm, 220 Boyle Heights, Los Angeles, over his fortunate escape from a seizure of that distressing ailment. Mr. Stumm is foreman of Merriam's confectionery establishment. Some months ago, on leaving the heated work room to run across the street on an errand, he was caught out in the rain. The result was that when ready to go home that night he was unable to walk, owing to inflammatory rheumatism. He was taken home, and on arrival was placed in front of a good fire and thoroughly rubbed with Chamberlain's Pain Balm. During the evening and night he was repeatedly bathed with this liniment, and by morning was relieved of all rheumatic pains. He now takes especial pleasure in praising Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and always keeps a bottle of it in the house. For sale by druggists Langley & Co., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

WORK FOR MEN AND WOMEN. We pay \$5 to \$10 per week for easy home work. Child can do it. No SCHEME, BOOKS OR PEDDLING. This is bona fide. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. **THE SEYMOUR SUPPLY CO.**, Masonic Temple, Camden, N.J.

Send To-day.

Ladies and gentlemen, be alive to your own interest. There has recently been discovered, and is now for sale by the undersigned, a truly wonderful "Hair Grower" and "Complexion Whitening." This "Hair Grower" will actually grow hair on a bald head in six weeks by the use of this wonderful "Hair Grower." It will also prevent the hair from falling. By the use of this excellent remedy boys raise an excellent moustache in six weeks. Ladies if you want a surprising head of hair, have it immediately by the use of this "Hair Grower." We also sell a "Complexion Whitening" that will in one month's time make you as clear and white as the skin can be made. We never knew a lady or gentleman to use two bottles of "Whitening," for they all say that before they finished the second bottle they were as white as they would wish to be. After the use of this "Whitening," the skin will forever retain its color. It also removes freckles, etc., etc. The "Hair Grower" is 50 cents per bottle, and the "Face Whitening" 50 cents per bottle. Either of these remedies will be sent to any address on receipt of price. Address all orders to—

R. & J. RYAN,
201 DIVISION STREET, OTTAWA, ONT

The split between the Liberals and the Irish members in the British House of Commons has been the absorbing feature of foreign news during the past week. The Liberals are bitter against the Irish for supporting the Government on the Education Bill and say it is a great blow to Home Rule for it has alienated from it the non-Conformists. This break will postpone the Home Rule question sine die.

The Colonist goes out of its way to say: "We have no reason to believe that Mr. Bostock is not an honorable and an upright man." It says this in last Saturday's issue, but it was only a few days previously that the Colonist opened its columns to Horne-Payne to make one of the most contemptible insinuations against Mr. Bostock's reputation in the old country that we ever read. The Colonist's repudiation comes tardily and in a left handed manner, but it will probably before long have an opportunity more clearly to define its opinion as to Mr. Bostock's character. — Exchange.

While in Stockton, Cal., some time ago, Thos. F. Langan, of Los Banos, that state, was taken very severely with cramps and diarrhoea. He chanced to meet Mr. C. M. Carter, who was similarly afflicted. He says: "I told him of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and we went to the Holden Drug Store and procured a bottle of it. It gave Mr. Carter prompt relief and I can vouch for its having cured me." For sale by druggists Langley & Co., Wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

Mr. A. Carney, at Kelowna, said he had never met Mr. Mara till that morning, when Mr. Mara came up to him at the station and spoke to him. "Really," Mr. Carney replied, "you have got the advantage of me," (loud laughter), but he did not think that the ex-member for Yale would ever get the advantage of him again. (Renewed laughter.)

Fact or Fancy.

The following extraordinary story appears in the Canadian Mining Review, and is not at all calculated to improve matters in the mining districts of B.C.—that is, if people are foolish enough to believe it:—

A man was recently met in the wilds of British Columbia looking for a gold mine to put a stamp mill on. He had a mill brought in 150 miles from a railway, but had no mine to employ it. Enquiring as to how so singular a

thing happened, he said that he went to examine a mine and was particular to select all the samples of quartz with his own hands, but he incautiously laid the specimens down on the ground and when his back was turned a man adroitly sprinkled some flour gold over them. The assay went so high that the mine was bought and the machinery ordered, but at last one of the men got faint-hearted and "blowed" on his partner, and new assays of rock proved the mine to be worthless. These stories are common enough, and are only alluded to in order to show how difficult it is for one who has not the special experience needed for judging to determine the value of the proposed investment.

We should very much like to know who this strange individual was—if he ever existed. If he be on the land of the living to-day, we venture to say that he is not mining.

Whooping Cough.

There is no danger from this disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It liquefies the tough mucus and aids its expectoration. It also lessens the severity and frequency of paroxysms of coughing and insures a speedy recovery. There is not the least danger in giving the remedy to children or babies, as it contains no injurious substance. For sale by druggists Langley & Co., Wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

Church Services.

The usual evening service will be held to-morrow in St. Paul's Church at 7:30 o'clock.

Methodist service will be held in the school house to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Mr. Robins.

Presbyterian service will be held to-morrow evening in Knox Church at 7:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. T. S. Glassford, B.A.



NOTICE.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
13th May, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that the rescission of the operation of the "Official Sealers' Act, 1894," will take effect from and after the 30th day of June, next.

By Command,
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.



NOTIFICATION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

THE following extract from the "Health Act, 1893," is published for general information by direction of the Provincial Board of Health:—

"Sec. 69. Whenever any householder knows that any person within his family or household has the small pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, cholera, or typhoid fever, he shall (subject in case of refusal or neglect to the penalties provided by sub-section (2) of section 98) within twenty-four hours give notice thereof to the Local Board of Health,* or to the Medical Health Officer of the District in which he resides, if there be one, and such notice shall be given either at the office of the Medical Health Officer or by a communication addressed to him and duly mailed within the time above specified, and in case there is no Medical Health Officer, then to the Local Board of Health."

Sub-section (2) of section 98 provides a penalty of \$100, or imprisonment for six months, for neglect to report as required.

*The Government Agent is the Local Board of Health in outlying Districts.

A. T. WATT,
Secretary, Provincial Board of Health.



TABLE

Showing the dates and places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1896.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo.....Tuesday...5th May
New Westminster.....Tuesday...12th May
Vancouver.....Tuesday...19th May
Clinton.....Monday...25th May
Victoria.....Tuesday...26th May
Kamloops.....Monday...1st June
Vernon.....Monday...8th June
*Nelson.....Monday...15th June
*Donald.....Monday...22nd June

*Special Assize.



EDUCATION OFFICE,
Victoria, May 4th, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Friday, July 3rd, 1896, at 9 a.m.:—

Victoria In South Park School Building
Vancouver—In High School Building.
Kamloops—In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above named places he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be an applicant must be accompanied with satisfactory testimonial of moral character.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be fulfilled before their applications can be filed.

All candidates for First Class, Grade A. Certificates, including Graduates, must attend in Victoria to take the subjects prescribed for July 14th and 15th instants, and to undergo required oral examinations.

S. D. POPE,
Superintendent of Education.

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Notice to Taxpayers.

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.

OLD DIVISION OF EAST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all taxes due under the Assessment Act are due for the year 1895. All of the named taxes collectable within the District of East Kootenay, are payable at my office, the District House, Golden.

Assessed taxes are collectable at the following rates, viz.:
Paid on or before June 30th 1895: one half of one per cent on real property.
Paid on or after June 30th 1895: two per cent on assessed value of land.

One third of one per cent on personal property.
One half of one per cent on income, paid after June 30th 1895—
Two-thirds of one per cent on real property.

Two and one half per cent on assessed value of wild land.
One half of one per cent on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent on income.

Provincial Revenue Tax \$3.00 per acre.

F. C. LANG,
Assessor and Collector.

Golden, January 2nd, 1895.

NOTICE.

The Supreme Court of British Columbia, re Connacher, — Connacher vs. Pither.

Pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia made in the matter of the estate of Henry Connacher in the suit of Connacher vs. Pither. The creditors of Henry Connacher, late of Golden, in the District of Kootenay, hotel keeper, deceased, died on or about the month of January, 1895, are on or before the day of April, 1895, to send by registered letter to A. G. M. Spragge, Donald, in the District of Kootenay, British Columbia, the solicitor for the estate of Henry Connacher, the above named plaintiff, the executor of the estate, their Christian and surname, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the order. Every creditor holding security is to produce the same to the James Ferguson Armstrong, Registrar of the County Court at Donald, the Referee appointed by the court to take the accounts and enter under the said order, at his chambers at the Court House at Donald, in the Province of British Columbia, on the 8th day of April, 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon being the day appointed for adjudication on the claims.

Witness my hand and seal at Donald, in the District of Kootenay, British Columbia, this 15th day of January, 1895.

J. F. ARMSTRONG,

Referee appointed under the said order.

Golden Hospital Society.

HOURS FOR CONSULTATION.

From 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.
" 2 p.m. " 4 p.m.
" 7 " " 8 "
Day from 10 a.m. to 12 m., and from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

VISITING HOURS.
From 2:30 p.m. to 8 p.m., daily Monday and Saturday.

NOTICE.

Application for Certificate of Improvements.

EXCELSIOR MINERAL CLAIM.

Take notice that I, Walter Dainard, free miner's certificate No. 47839, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Mining Recorder and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this seventh day of December 1895.

WALTER DAINARD,

By his agent, F. W. Aylmer.

NOTICE!

Application for Certificates of Improvements.

HIDDEN TREASURE AND GIANT MINERAL CLAIMS.

Take notice that I, Thomas Jones, free miner's certificate No. 47848, intend 60 days from date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for certificates of improvements for the purpose of obtaining crown grants of above claims.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Mining Recorder and action commenced before the issuance of such certificates of improvements.

THOS. JONES,

By his agent F. W. Aylmer.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1895.

NOTICE!

Notice of Application for Certificates of Improvements.

SIMCOE AND LANCASTER MINERAL CLAIMS.

Take notice that I, John McRae, free miner's certificate No. 34453, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for certificates of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Mining Recorder, and action commenced before the issuance of such certificates of improvements.

JOHN McRAE,

By his agent F. W. Aylmer.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1894.

SILVER, LEAD, COPPER, GRES . . . WANTED.

Write for prices. Give assays, etc.
STATE ORE SAMPLING CO.,
DENVER, COLO.

RUPTURE More CURES have been effected by my Trusses, with Belvies combined. They retain largest Rupture under severest strain. A system of fitting has been perfected the last 25 years. Fully equal to personal examination by mail. 27 patents. I will come. **DEFORMITY** CHARLES CLUTCH, 131 King St. W., Toronto.

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THE FINEST TEA IN THE WORLD
FROM THE TEA PLANT TO THE TEA CUP
IN ITS NATIVE PURITY.

"Monsoon" Tea is put up by the Indian Tea growers as a sample of the best qualities of Indian Teas. Therefore they use the greatest care in the selection of the Tea and its blend, that is why they put it up themselves and sell it only in the original packages, thereby securing its purity and excellence. Put up in 1/4 lb., 1 lb., and 5 lb. packages, and never sold in bulk.

ALL GOOD GROCERS KEEP IT.

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Sir Charles Tupper in his Winnipeg speech shows himself to us in his old familiar role. He tells the taxpayers to give him their hard earned coin and that he in return will give them promises. This is played out. He issued a promissory note seventeen years ago and the note has been dishonored.

Tuesday's No. 1 pulled out with Master Brown enveloped in the quilt and holding the challenge cup in his hand. Everybody is glad that Revelstoke won the cup and the quilt. Revelstoke men are sportsmen and they will guard the cup till next year when we will bring it back to Donald for at least twelve months.

The score which is appended shows that we did fairly well and that we have kept the trophy of the shoot in our town and that Willis is the same old Willis with the gun:

Revelstoke.....	58
Donald.....	45
Kamloops.....	33
Golden.....	31
Field.....	21
W. J. Armstrong, gold medal.....	15
J. Edwards, silver medal.....	13
A. Taylor.....	13

There are some people in Donald who can play tennis. R. W. is one, a disciple of Galen is a second and Mrs. Nellis is a third.

In the mixed doubles Mrs. Nellis and Mr. Patmore vanquished Miss Moodie and Mr. Plowright. In the gentlemen's singles Mr. Patmore had in Mr. Gadd an opponent who is as cool as a cucumber and who certainly knows something about the game, but somehow or other Donald's post master won.

In the gentlemen's doubles Power and Patmore proved themselves a little better than Gadd and Leake. In tennis we had things all our own way and won with hands down.

At 1 p.m. all adjourned to the vestry of St. Peter's Church, where they found ample evidence of what good providers for the inner man the lady members of the club are. We had a most delightful lunch and everything from sandwiches to ice cream was all that could be desired. Mrs. McKay,

Mrs. Kington and Mrs. Griffith have earned the sincere thanks of every member of the club for the way in which they worked to make the thing a success.

A medico from Kamloops and a He brew from the East had, on Monday night, a slight discussion as to the merits of one of our best papers, viz., the Province. The medico said the Province should go to Hades, but our Jewish friend told him a little story about Judas and when he was through the Dr. felt like crawling into a hole and pulling the hole in after him.

What are Mr. Mara's friends doing in Donald? They are doing nothing. Mr. Tostock's committee is working and on June 23rd will see the fruits of their labors.

— NEMO.

MINING NEWS.

Mr Kingsmill of Toronto, who was staying at Golden two weeks ago passed through here this week from West Kootenay on his way back to Toronto. He has bonded several properties in West Kootenay and has obtained an interest in some in East Kootenay near Golden. Some of these are at Ortertail on the C.P.R. near Field. The properties situated there are yet covered with snow for the most part, but work will be commenced in a few weeks on an extensive scale. Mr. Dollinadge is their representative here. Mr. Kingsmill has, I believe, formed a strong company of Toronto and English capitalists. They intend to pay much attention to East Kootenay this year.

Mr. Askwith, who for some time has owned the Bobbie Burns mine in the McMurdo district has, it is reported, sold it to Mr. Townsend and Co. The property has at present a 5 stamp gold mill on it, which was worked at a great disadvantage for a short time in the summer of 1892. It is the intention of Mr. Townsend to again work the mine as soon as the weather will permit. He has also procured the International gold mine, which is a crown grant claim situated close to the Bobbie Burns. Though they have not yet decided what character of plant to place on it, this will be done during the summer. The successful working of two mines in the neighborhood will be great stimulus and will—we may anticipate—be the means of bringing many others before the public to be put in a like condition. It is the intium that we want and then all things shall be added unto us. Some would-be-clever persons are anxious to explain to you that there are no paying mines in East Kootenay outside the North Star. If they would stop here I would not have a word to say on the subject, but as a corollary they bring out, "which goes to prove there never will be, else they would have been found." My dear friend they have been found, they have not been worked is true enough, but there are extenuating circumstances. There might have been other causes heretofore, but at the present time, want of capital is preponderatory one. There was a time I believe, at least the old timers say so, when they thought that capital was no object, and everybody who had a surface prospect could trap a fortune.

"A Recreant Canadian."

Sir Charles Tupper has been denounced from one end of the Dominion to the other as a man totally unfit to lead any party, and it is a matter worthy of note that the "prince of political cracksmen" has received his most stinging castigations from Conservatives.

The Toronto Star, a Conservative paper, in a recent issue says: "Sir Charles Tupper is a false Protestant, a recreant Canadian, a corrupt politician, a man who is willing to make

any promise, endorse any crooked proposition, in order to obtain power. There is no national policy, no appropriation, not a single opportunity to increase the national debt or political degradation of the country that would be safe or unused, with such a man as Charles Tupper, Bart., as premier. As Mr. Laurier once told him, almost in so many words, that he has not the reputation of being a gentleman, and is suspected by nobody of being an honest man. Mr. Laurier is regarded by everybody as a gentleman. His policy is suspected by many of being weak, but he is not, and never has been the tool of the hierarchy and today he is more or less the hero of the French-Canadian people. He has never been suspected of a dishonest honest transaction, and is not the sort of man who is likely to lend himself to jobs, and the acquirement of a fortune by political trickery. It would be a crime against confederation for any section of citizens to support a man like Tupper, and to oppose a gentleman like Laurier simply because the latter is a French-Canadian and a Catholic."

Kamloops Sentinel: A meeting of the electors was held at Revelstoke on Saturday night, having been called by Mr. Mara. Mr. E. K. Dodds, the speaker imported from Toronto to enlighten the ignorant people of Yale-Kootenay-Cariboo, as to how they should vote, was present and made his first speech in the province. The meeting was well attended. Mr. Mara opened with a speech in which he endeavored to justify his vote on the remedial bill, but apparently gained no sympathy from the audience. He read voluminous extracts from parliamentary reports, and succeeded in thoroughly tiring his listeners. Mr. H. McCutcheon followed in an address of over an hour in favor of Mr. Bostock and succeeded thoroughly in turning the tables on the ex-member. Mr. Dodds spoke for a long time on purely national questions, eliciting no enthusiasm whatever. To instance what a complete failure Mr. Mara is making of his canvass, at the close of this meeting, which had been called by himself, he and his imported "rooter" were compelled to listen to tumultuous cheering for Bostock, Laurier and the Queen, while not even a call was made for the ex-member. It shows how strongly the tide has set in in favor of the Opposition candidate.

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