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Goodeve and Curtis Address a Greenwood Audience.

Mackintosh Proved to be a Back Number—The Minister of Mines Carried the Audience With Him.

The meeting opened shortly after 8 p. m. Mr. Jas. Sutherland acted as chairman and asked a fair hearing for each speaker and introduced Mr. Mackintosh.

Mr. Mackintosh said this was his first visit to the Boundary country? that it was a country with a great future before it, if the people are only true to themselves, and that he hoped some day to show his great appreciation of the country.

He had been charged with being too loyal. He expressed the wish that the British flag might fly over every school house in the land. He would prove his loyalty by relieving the province of the worst government British Columbia has ever had.

Mr. Curtis had asked him time and again what his platform was. The main plank in that platform was the defeat of Joseph Martin. When the Martin government has been defeated they (the opposition) would find many men coming to the front who would prove themselves fully up to the mark.

He said that it was a crying shame that the Boundary country had no representative of its own. Mr. Martin had defeated the redistribution bill to serve his own ends. Mr. Curtis had made a feeble apology with regard to redistribution. He said it was the intention of the governmeut to give it, and that he had made it a condition on joining the Martin government, that there should be redistribution.

Mr. Mackintosh said that since Lillooet and other districts in that locality had six representatives, Boundary, with a greater population, should have more still. As soon as he could he would urge the passage of a redistribution bill.

Mr. Curtis had asserted that there were only three issues in the election, government ownership of railways, Chinese and Japanese question and eight-hour law.

He said he had been represented as the foe of the workingman in this country. He went back over twenty-five years and tried to prove that he had been consistent as the friend of labor.

Mr. Mackintosh here favored the audience with a lenghty review of his life and its success.

Shortly before he left Ottawa he was asked to act as chairman of the Trades and labor Council. He was presented with an address by workingmen when he was leaving Ottawa. All this went to prove that Mr. Mackintosh was the true friend of the workingman.

He said that statements had been made behind his back that would not be made on the platform that evening. It was utterly untrue that he had ever been an enemy to the eight-hour law. He had always been a conservative under Sir John MacDonald. Sir John MacDonald's government was the best friend the workingman ever had. [Cries from the audience: "Let us hear something about the eight-hour law."]

He said then that although he had been criticised for going back over twenty-five years to prove his record, he considered that the very best of proof.

He said he would prove that Joe Martin had repudiated the eight-hour law. (Cries of "rats.") "Mr. Curtis says I am in favor of Chinese labor. (Mr. Curtis interrupting denied having said so.) "You said I did not have anything in my platform against Chinese labor."

Then the speaker again turned to the past to prove that Sir Alexander Mackenzie was in favor of Chinese labor, and that Sir John MacDonald was opposed to it.

"In 1892 it was in force in several places in the United States." Then turning dramatically to Mr. Curtis, he said, "My friend, you are not the discoverer of the eight hour law." Turning to England and France he proved very conclusively that Joe Martin did not originate the law. He was in favor of the eight-hour law, but had been afraid there would be trouble on account of it. He claimed Mr. Ralph Smith had settled the labor trouble in Rossland on the strength of a letter written by him. (cries of rats.)

"Mr. Martin says he will continue re-enacting certain anti-Jap bills until the dominion goverument gives in; but instead of taking the matter in our own hands, let the legislature turn it over to parliament, and let them turn it over to the imperial government."

"Martin wants to borrow a million dollars to build and improve roads, trails and bridges. The taxes levied on our mines will go to pay for roads in other parts of the province, instead of improving the surrounding country." Turning to Mr. Curtis he asked if that was not the intention of the present government, and received an emphatic, "No." In conclusion Mr. Mackintosh promised he would do all in his power to obtain redistribution for the Boundary country if returned. The chairman then introduced Mr. Curtis, who came forward amid deafening applause and said:

"I am sure I have listened with interest and pleasure to Mr. Mackintosh's remarks. Although the posters announced that I was invited to attend this meeting, personally I received no invitation. I had been assured that Mr. Mackintosh would not speak here until Friday night. But having received a wire telling me of the change I decided to come on.

"Mr. Mackintosh's attitude has considerably changed of late in order to satisfy the people. With regard to loyalty I can answer that Mr. Martin and I are fully as loyal to the Empire as Mr. Mackintosh is. He says the present government is the worst the province has ever had. He should have offered some evidence to back that statement, he gave no proof whatever. I defy anyone to show that any act of ours so far has not been for the good of the country.

"I have repeatedly asked Mr. Mackintosh who his leader is, and what is his platform. He has given us tonight tne whole of his platform contained in one plank—the defeat of Joe Martin. But he has not given us any reasons why Joe Martin should be defeated. He says the members of the present legislature have no seats in the legislature. Mr. Martin made it a condition that the house was to be dissolved before he chose his cabinet. It only remains to be shown in June that the men who are in Martin's cabinet will be returned.

Martin showed up the coalition, and challenged Forester to deny him. I also challenged him to deny it in Nelson and he did not. The bill would have been dropped and you would not have had the election till 1902. I made it a condition when joining the government that the government should not delay four years before bringing on the election, based on fair redistribution. We will have the new election as soon as possible after the census returns come in. Mackintosh does not promise you anything like this, and if he did it would do no good as he has no party to back him up. No matter what promises he may make, you cannot depend upon them as he recognizes no party. Who are the men who are supporting Mackintosh? They are the same men who supported Turner and robbed you of your rights. He will be working hand and glove with them and they can't see ten miles out of the city of Victoria.

He lives in the past and does not hold out anything to you in the future. I am going to speak about living questions. We are face to face with Chinese and Jap labor in B. C. Our government is prepared to do everything that will enable us to drive out that labor. Mackintosh is taking a stand in favor of this labor by trying to shelve the question and appealing to the Imperial government. In connection with the settlement of the labor trouble at Rossland, Ralph Smith came to Rossland as a representative of the Martin government. He settled the question at my suggestion. Only for the Martin government that settlement would not have been brought about. There are a large number of people in the province, allies of Mackintosh, who are slandering us. They are pledegd to wipe out the eight hour law. If they succeed no capital will come into the country. If we are returned, no one will endeavor to touch the law. Also in a letter on the 16th of March he denounced the eight hour law. Then he said at Rossland when he wrote the letter he did not know he was going to be a candidate.

"In regard to the enforcement of the eight-hour law, they say that Martin wavered, and Mackintosh stiffened him up with a letter. That letter was written on the 16th of March and Mrrtin had announced his stand on the 1st."

"At Rossland I made Mackintosh get down and grovel before the audience and say that he was in favor of the eight-hour law. The labor unions backing me proves that I am the friend of labor. I have to thank the unions of Greenwood for endorsing me the other night. When I am returned to the house I go as much a labor candidate as a government candidate I intend on every occasion to support and bring forward measures in favor of labor.

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"Mr. Mackintosh wants to know what assets we have on which to draw for building our railway. Our assets are

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WAR NOTES.

A dispatch to the Daily Telegaap from Mequatling's Nek, dated May 16, says: General Brabant is reported to have captured 1500 Boers at Clocolan.

London, May 20.—11:55 p. m.—The following is the text of Lord Robert's dispatch:

Kroonstad, May 20.—3 p. m.—No official intimation has yet been received but Reuter states that the relief of Mafeking has been effected. Rundle reports having occupied Bresler's Flat, Trommel and Clocolan, the enemy falling back on Senekal and Ficksburg. Fifty rifles and 2,000 rounds were surrendered by the Free Staters to a battallion of yoemanry working along the telegraphic line from Boshof to Bloemfontein. A field cornet and 86 burghers surrendered at Boshof yesterday. While at Hoopstad, Methuen secured 250 rifles and between 300,000 and 500,000 rounds. A special dispatch from from Kroonstad says that General De wet has sent word that he is prepared to surrender conditionally with his entire command.

Regarding Gen. Buller and his supplies there is also an interesting anecdote current. Buller, is appears, telegraphed from Natal to some wine merchants to send out fifty cases of champagne, marked "castor oil." About the time the wine was due, Buller wired the officer in charge of the base notifying him that he expected fifty cases of castor oil, he wished dispatched without delay. The officer at the base replied regretting the cases had not arrived, but saying he had procured all the available castor oil, twenty cases, which he had forwarded in the hope that it would suffice for the present. Gen. Buller's remarks are not recorded.

At Johannesberg the women are forming a police corps, so as to release every man for fighting purposes at the front. There seems no longer any doubt of the intention of the Transvaal to transfer the seat oj government to the Lydenburg district, and to endeavor to make a final stand there. The raad is reported to have endorsed the proposal. The Times also says that a number of Transvaal officials are preparing for flight, and that State Secretary Reitz has selected South America as his future home.

Gen. Hunter's movements in the western Transvaal are rather puzzling. He has returned to Fourteen Streams with one brigade, leaving another, Gen. Barton's, at Christiana. Lord Methuen is said to be advancing along the south bank of the Vaal. Colonel Kekewich is with him. The loop railway line across the Vaal is fast nearing completion. The probability is that Gen. Hunter took back a brigade to Fourteen Streams owing to the scarcity of transport. Gen. Rundle has captured 10,000 bags of corn. He is marching slowly through a district which is described as literally "alive with cattle, sheep and horses."

Will Get Himself Disliked.

Collector Sheads of Grand Forks is making the inhabitants pay up their road tax. Some of them have to be taken before Magistrate Johnson to be finally convinced that they must pay. The Greenwood collector did the same last year and got himself disliked by a few ignoramuses who were more willing to owe than they were to pay.

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4. The enactment of an accurate system of government scaling of logs, and its rigid enforcement.

5. The re-enactment of the disallowed labor regulation act, 1898 and also all the statutes of 1899, containing anti-Mongolian clauses if disallowed as proposed by the dominion government.

6. To take a firm stand in every other possible way with a view of discouraging the spread of Oriental cheap labor in this province.

7. To provide for the official inspection of all buildings, machinery and works, with a view of compelling the adoption of proper safeguards to life and health.

8. With regard to the eight hour law the government will continue to enforce the law as it stands. An immediate enquiry will be made by the minister of mines into all grievances put forward in connection with its operation, with a view of bringing about an amicable settlement. If no settlement is reached the principle of the referendum will be applied and a vote taken at the general election as to whether the law shall be repealed. If the law is sustained by the vote it will be retained on the statute books with its penalty clause. If modifications can be made removing any of the friction brought about, without impairing the principle of the law, they will be adopted. If the vote is against it the law will be repealed.

9. To re-establish the London agency of British Columbia, and to take every effective means of bringing before the British public the advantages of this province as a place for the profitable investment of capital.

10. The retaining of the resources of the province as an asset for the benefit of the people and taking effective measures to prevent the alienation of the public domain, except to actual settlers or for actual bona fide business, or industrial purposes, putting an end to the practice of speculating in connection with the same.

11. The taking of active measures for the systematic exploration of the province.

12. The borrowing of money for the purpose of providing roads, trails and bridges, provided that in every case the money necessary to pay the interest and sinking fund in connection with the loan shall be provided by additional taxation so as not to impair the credit of the province.

13. In connection with the construction of government roads and trails, to provide by the employment of competent civil engineers and otherwise that the government money is expended upon some system which will be advantageous to the general public, so that the old system of providing roads as a special favor to supporters of the government may be entirely discontinued.

14. To keep the ordinary annual expenditure within the ordinary annual revenue, in order to preserve intact the credit of the province, which is its best asset.

15. To adopt a system of government construction and operation of railways, and immediately to proceed with the construction of a railway on the south side of the Fraser river, connecting the coast with the Kootenay district, with the understanding that unless the other railways now constructed in the province give fair connections, and make equitable joint freight and passenger arrangements, the province will continue this line to the eastern boundary of the province. Proper connection with such Kootenay railway to be given to the island of Vancouver. With respect to other parts of the province, to proceed to give to every portion of it railway connections at as early a date as possible, the railway when constructed to be operated by the government through a commission.

16. A railway bridge to be constructed in connection with the Kootenay railway across the Fraser river, at or near New Westminster, and running powers given over it to any railway company applying for the same, under proper conditions.

17. In case it is thought at any time advisable to give a bonus to any railway company, the same to be in cash, and not by way of a land grant; and no such bonus to be granted except upon the condition that a fair amount of the bonds or shares of the company be transferred to the province, and effective means taken to give the province control of the freight and passenger rates, and provision made against such railway having any liabilities against it except actual cost.

18. To take away from the lieutenant-governor-in-council any power to make substantive changes in the law, confining the jurisdiction entirely to matters of detail in working out the laws enacted by the legislature.

19. The establishment of an institution within the province for the education of the deaf and dumb.

20. To repeal the alien exclusion act, as the reasons justifying its enactment no longer obtain.

21. An amicable settlement of the dispute with the dominion government as to Deadman's Island, Stanley Park and other lands, and an agreement with Mr. Ludgate, by which, if possible, a sawmill industry may be established and carried on on Deadman's Island, under satisfactory conditions, protecting the intererts of the public.

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The full strength of Great Britain's Indian army is 306,000 men, of whom 230,000 are native and 70,500 British soldiers. In addition to this military force, there are about 20,000 enrolled European volunteers, and a native police, officered by white men, nearly 200,000 strong.

The young King of Spain is an expert in the use of the sword, which has always been his favorite pasttime. quite little wooden swords were made for him, with which he would fence with his playmates- young noblemen of the proudest blood of Spain. He is now one of the most expert swordsmen of Europe.

The Kentucky governorship has been decided by the United States Supreme court in the interest of Leckham, affirming the decision of the Kentucky court of appeals.

Republic, Wash., has been organized as a city of the third class. Liquor licenses are to be $600 per annum.

On the 24th at Rossland Joseph Blevids, a miner employed in the Iron Mask, fell a distance of 10 feet in No. 2. winze and was severely hurt about the head. Dr. Bowes was summoned and attended to his injuries.

Since the outbreak of the was there has been exported to South Africa from Halifax and St. John, 1,810 horses, 8,229 tons of hay, $600,000 worth of products, and $125,000 worth of manufactured goods. In addition the department of agriculture had exported to Capetown via. Boston, 3,645 tons of hay, 2,000 bags of flour and 2,000 cases of beef.

The world looks upon the United States as a great and prosperous country; yet the trade of the United States the past year was $25.31 per head of population, while the trade of Canada averaged $53.00 per head of the population.

FROM THE SEAT OF WAR.

All accounts of the stubborn fight before Mafeking on the 16th, extol the bravery of the Canadian soldier. They were at the front and added fresh laurels to those won at Paardeberg.

When the Boer delegates say that the Americans fought to defend their rights and obtain their liberty, they themselves proclaim the rights of the Outlanders, and they protest against the oppression and spoilation inflicted upon them for the last ten years by the government of Pretoria.—Paris Siecle.

It was reported at Cape Town on May 23 that President Kruger had received a communication from Abraham Fischer, one of the Boer delegates now in the United Strtes, advising him to surrender on the best terms obtainable from Lord Roberts. It is also understood that when Lord Roberts crosses the Vaal river he will issue a proclamation announcing that if the burghers return to their farms their property and stock will be respected.

Government Candidate Endorsed.

Ymir, May 22.—A meeting of liberals of this place was held last night with J. Ross in the chair and J. A. Paul acting as secretary. The most important feature of the meeting was a motion made by Mr. Burgess and seconded by Mr. Snyder that the liberals of Ymir endorse Dr. Hall as the liberal candidate in the coming election. The motion was carried unanimously. It is thought Dr. Hall will poll fully eighty per cent of the votes in this district.

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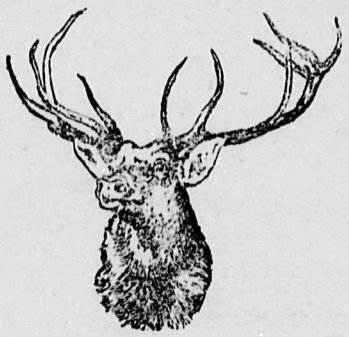

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FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1900.

GRAND FORKS GAZETTE FLOPS.

The Grand Forks Daily Gazette has been astride of the political fence for some weeks and no one was surprised that when Mackintosh and his heelers had held a satisfactory confab with the management it should next appear on the side of the fossilized opposition. Times are hard in Grand Forks and substantial encouragement is a God-send to the newspaper business.

MACKINTOSH MEETING.

Although a large number were present at the meeting on Wednesday night, there were not nearly so many as those who congregated to hear the premier three weeks ago.

The crowd not being in sympathy with Mr. Mackintosh gave him a poorer hearing than that given to any other speaker. The poor old man felt it, and can now see that Greenwood has no use for the fossilized remains of a political past. He tried once or twice to pitch his aged and cracked voice to a higher key than usual, but again it dropped to a quaver, and "silence like a poultice came to heal the blows of sound." His address had no dealing with the issues of the present day, but carried one back to the time of confederation and was mostly made up of laudatory remarks on Sir John A. McDonald and the conservative party, which will now doubtless be acquiesed in by the Greenwood Times, and contained bitter denunciations of the liberal party and its leaders, which was also music to the Times editor, who occupied a prominent position on the platform. After Mr. Mackintosh became too fatigued to say more he sat down with a weary look upon his aged countenance, and amid a burst of applause Hon Smith Curtis came forward and dealt with the issues of the day, only referring to bygone ages in the likeness of the anti-Martin demonstration at Sooke, with that of Mr. Mackintosh's political god fathers when Lord Elgin was governor general of the Canadas. Mr. Curtis becomes more of a favorite with the masses with every appearance before them. Mr. Goodeve following Mr. Curtis did just what Mr. Curtis said he would, i. e, make absolutely false statements and misrepresentations; but no more could be expected from a disgruntled politician, who can be lead by the proboscis and made to do what ever he is told.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Who is the leader of the Mackintosh party? Hon. C. H. Mackintosh.

The MINER's prophecy—350 majority for Smith Curtis on June 9th.

Hon. Smith Curtis is the labor candidate for the Boundary district.

Of whom do the followers of C. H Mackintosh consist? C. H. Mackintosh.

Who are the Mackintosh party? Hon. C. H. Mackintosh and ex-Governor Mackintosh.

There were no traces of "his fine Italian hand" in his address. Nothing but a senile production of political old-fogyism.

Goodeve knows he's working the wrong way, but like a jack-in-the-box when his master pulls the string he has no alternative but to jump.

Will the Times editor now apologize for roasting Mr. Mackintosh on the Sunset deal? Or does he still think him a "distinguished knocker.

Ralph Smith is giving proof that he is boosting for the Vancouver Coal Co., and is accompanied by one of the company's officials on his canvassing tour.

Mr. Hawthornwaite of she Vancouver Coal Co. is poor company for a labor organizer to be in, but Ralph Smith is doubtless thinking of the buttered side of his slice, and will try and square himself with labor men later on.

Notes on the Sunset Deal.

From the Greenwood Times, Oct. 26, 1900.

If Mr Mackintosh was as ingenious as he is ingenious in the art of knocking, he would tell an anxious public that his conduct has been prompted by chagrin; that his experts reports on the Sunset are favorable and that he has still as good an opinion as he ever had regarding the merits of the property.

Mr. Mackintosh will have to change his tactics before he can retain and command the respect of mining men, which is so necessary in carrying on a mining business.

In his note to the Toronto Globe, Mr. Mackintosh cleverly leaves the impression that his firm had expended a considerable amount of money on the Sunset. The truth is, that neither he nor his firm spent anything on the Sunset. Mr. Mackintosh did drop a thousand for interfering with another man's negotiations for adjoining propertirs.

Nelson Miner's Opinion of Ralph Smith.

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REPUBLIC MINING NOTES.

Steam was turned on at the Quilp mine yesterday, and from this time on development of the mine will be rapid and systematic. As soon as possible sinking will be continued by drill power and the ore body thoroughly opened up. The drills will do rapid work, and by midsummer the Quilp will be "under a full head of steam." Supt. Crummer will soon have a diamond drill in operation, and that instrument will no doubt show up something interesting.

The Princess Maud has passed to new management and there is to be a new superintendent. The chances now are that the property will be developed along legitimate and systematic lines. An assessment of three mills, or $3000, has been levied and this money will be used in settling old scores and development work. The new board of trustees include L. Linnemann, of Butte; Frank Graves, Volney D. Williamson, John Hunner, S. R. Stern and D. Holzman. With the splendid showing already made in the mine, the Princess Maud should rapidly develop into a leading property. That it has a rich lead has already been proven, and at greater depth than has yet been reached it is more than likely to open out into a veritable bonanza.

Notes on the Premier's Meeting at Vancouver.

Old dyed-in-the-wool conservatives freely admitted that no politician in the province ever had a greater reception than Premier Martin.

The ladies present in the front row enjoyed the speeches quite as much as the men folk did.

The great number of young men present was surprising and significent Joseph Martin is a young man's man—he is no old fogy.

"What earthly show would Messrs. Wilson and Cotton have up against a thoroughbred like Premier Martin?" said a local sport, as he was leaving the hall.

Aldermen McQueen never spoke better, and dealt with his subject in a scholarly manner.

H. B. Gilmour made a favorable impression and gained many votes by his thoughtful and finely delivered speech.

When Premier Martin appeared on the platform the shout of welcome was like the roar of Niagria.

There was only one drawback to the meeting—the smallness of the hall.

Some who went to jeer remained to cheer.—World.

Curtis and Smith.

Hon. Smith Curtis, minister of mines, and Edwin C. Smith, who is contesting this constituency on the Martin platform, were in Moyie last Saturday evening and held a meeting in McGregor hall. The meeting was presided over by Lewis Thomson. Mr. Curtis made quite a lengthy address, and convinced the audience before he got through that he was thoroughly familiar with the duties of the office which he held. Mr. Curtis is a plain, business-like speaker, and received the careful hearing which he was entitled to.

At the close of Mr. Curtis' speech, Mr. Smith took the platform. He said he had just entered the field and had not had time to prepare an address; that later on he would again meet the people and lay his views before them, and talk over the issues of the day. He endorsed Mr. Martin's platform just as it stood, and proposed to conduct his campaign on the lines set forth therein. —Moyie Leader, May 19th.

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SOCIETIES.

WESTERN FEDERATION OF MINERS—The Greenwood Branch of the Federation meets hereafter in Union hall, Silver street, at 7:30 p. m. every Saturday evening.
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POLITICAL NOTES.

Premier Martin stated at the Colwood meeting on the afternoon of May 21st that since the disallowance of the liquor license act there is no liquor law in British Columbia, and anyone can sell liquor. Those who have paid their licenses will have their money refunded.

"Joe" may not be a logical reasoner and there may be some weak planks in his platform, but he may be depended upon to have some fun with the opposition the next few days. His platform may be weak, but on the platform he is strong.—Victoria Times.

E. C. Smith of Fort Steele, the straight Martin candidate in this constituency, spent several days in Fernie this week. He was much taken with the appearance of the town, and predicted that in a few years Fernie would be a big place Mr. Smith is one of the original locators of the Sullivan mine, Kimberley, in which he still holds a number of shares He own a fine ranch on Bull river, where he is at present living.—Fernie Free Press.

Victoria, May 19.—Jas. B. Thompson, assayer of this city, who formerly resided in Alberni, has gone there announcing his intention of contesting that constituency as a liberal-conservatlve.

Brown, one of the Martin candidates here, says a very strong man will probably contest Nanaimo for the government' but he is not at liberty to give his name.

The Hon. Smith Curtis and others will address a meeting at Eholt on Monday evening, May 28th. Hon Mr. Mackintosh is invited to be present and address the electors.

Mr. Frank Burnett is to be the Martin candidate in the north riding of East Kootenay and is sure to be elected.

Walter Ford was nominated on Saturday by the government supporters of Cowichan to contest the district against C. H. Dickie and Major Mutter, making a three-cornered fight.

Duncan McPhail the delegate from Kaslo, thinks the Martin man will win easily. He is an enthusiastic supporter of George Kane

EDITORIAL EXTRACTS.

Not much is heard of Dr. Hall these days, but it would be a great mistake to suppose from his silence that he and his friends are inactive. Dr. Hall is one of our best citizens; he is popular personally with all classes, and has a strong labor support.—Nelson Miner.

A report of this gentleman's meeting will be found on another page. In these lines the Herald will deal principally with his personality.

Mr. Curtis, after warming up proved to be the most effective speaker, it was generally conceded, that had appeared on the platform up to that time, and it is safe to affirm that he won some votes. He is possessed of tact, an apparent knowledge of human nature and the manner in which to appeal to audito win their sympathies and then their support. In brief Mr. Curtis gave indications of being an astute politician. His statements were made with the air of sincerity that often carries conviction but on the other hand his answer made to the statement made to him by Mr. A. E. Watts, regarding the claims of Cranbrook for recognition from the government as to the establishment of a court, etc., again showed that he is a politician.

The Hon. Smith Curtis, while in Cranbrook, far from injured the cause he plead.—Cranbrood Herald.

Mackintosh's opinion of himself as given in the Greenwood Times of Oct. 20, 1899: "Mr. Mackintosh's professions on public occasions, are out of touch with his actions in reference to his Similkameen negotiations. At the banquet in Rossland, tendered to him, he is reported to have given expression to the following sentiment: 'Mr. Mayor, reference is made to my generous nature and admirable traits of character. I answer, if to love my fellow-man, if to refrain from injuring his feelings, if to endeavor to do unto others as I would have others do unto me—If these be symbolic of a generous nature, I can without vanity accept the compliment.'"

And yet on Wednesday night he assured the audience that he cared nothing for self praise and had not a grain of vanity in his make up.

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Premier Martin, as everyone knows, has been a lifelong liberal. He has invariably advocated liberal measures, and if he is returned in British Columbia, it will be a genuine triumph for liberal principles. The premier is a man who does his own thinking, and is not one of those meek followers who ascertain what other party leaders are saying before he makes a declaration on a public question. And the liberal party is composed of thousands of such men. If the leaders are right the following may be depended upon; if the leaders wander and are advocating anti-liberal measures, the following will still be found standing on the Gibralter of principal.

When at Ottawa, Premier Martin voiced the views of the liberals of Western Canada, and the liberals of all Canada. He was no truckler to corporations.

He stands to-day the provincial leader of Liberalism in British Columbia.

There are organs on the Coast calling themselves liberal, which advise members of the party to vote for conservatives in vancouver in preference to the Martin nominees. Give them anything in preference to anti-machine, anti-C. P. R. politicians.

The Toronto Telegram aptly says: "About the vilest attack yet made on Hon. Joseph Martin is the attempt of the Winnipeg Free Press to blacken him with the slime of its own peculiar views."

The C. P. R. organ, in season and out of season has endeavored to misrepresent Mr. Martin. He has his faults, everyone has; but he deserves fair play. The railway organ has not yet had the decency to apologize to Mr. Puttee, M. P., for misrepresenting him in regard to Mr. Martin.—Winnipeg Tribune.

The straight conservatives may possibly elect Price Ellison in East Yale and Tom Taylor in Revelstoke riding. What a meagre showing for a party that has had organizers and spellbinders in the field for months.—Tribune.

Fairview Pick-Ups

F. T. Abbott has returned from a trip to Fairview and vicinity and says business is looking up in that section of country. The Stemwinder mine has started up again, and as considerable money is at hand it will be steadily developed.

The O. K. mine near Penticton is working, and some very rich ore is being taken out.

W. J. Snodgrass is moving his sawmill from Okanagan Falls to Ollalla. After finishing there he will move to Penticton.

Times are looking bright in the Similkameen district, and many prospectors are going in to make investigations.

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PICKED SPECIMENS.

Husbands and wives sometimes say very sharp things to each other. One day Mr. and Mrs. G. had a very hot argument. Mrs. G. indignantly asked her husband "if he dared to say his judgment was better than hers." It was only an Irishman who could have made the ready retort with cutting sarcasm—"Certainly not, my love; our choice of each other showed how very much inferior my judgment was to yours." That was certainly one for you, Mrs. G.

Mrs. ——, an Englishwoman, knocked at a door, which was opened by an old Irish butler in a very dingy black, and signs of tears in his eyes "Does Mr. O'Regan live here?" she asked. "He does, ma'am, but he's dead." "Dear me," she replied, "I'm truly sorry. How long has he been dead?" "Faith, ma'am, if me poor master had lived till Wednesday next he'd just been dead a fortnight." This was too much for the Englishwoman.

A man came up to me one day after service in a frontier town and was pleased to address me in this manner: "Say, parson, that there service and sermon was grand. I wouldn't have missed 'em for $5." When I suggested that he hand me the difference between the amount he had put in the collection basket and the figure he mentioned for my missionary work, he stopped suddenly, looked at me with his mouth wide open, and then slowly pulled from his pocket $4.90, which he handed to me without a word.—Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady.

A Salt Lake City paper reports that a tall, gaunt woman, with ginger hair and a somewhat fierce expression of countenance, lately came to the county clerk of Boxelder county in that state.

"You're the man that keeps the marriage books, ain't you?" she asked.

"Yes ma'am" he answered. "What book do you wish to see?"

"Kin you find out if Jack Peters was married."

Search developed the name of John Peters, for whose marriage a license had been issued two years before.

"I thought so," said the woman. "Married 'Lize Waters, didn't he?"

"The license is issued for a marriage with Miss Eliza Waters."

"Yep. Well, I'm Lize. I thought I'd ought to come in and tell you that Jack Peters has escaped!"

The editor is found of a joke and has the good sense to appreciate one at his own expense. A few weeks ago he was walking with a friend, and at the corner of a busy thoroughfare he saw a dilapidated looking Hibernian standing at the opposite corner gazing listlessly into vacancy.

"Watch me surprise this old fellow," said he to his friend. "Look right into his face and see if he won't be a study."

A second later they were abreast of the son of Erin, and the editor pulled out a silver coin, and said as he thrust it into the man's hand: "Here's that half crown I owe you. Now, don't go round any more telling people that I don't pay my debts,"

For a second the man's face was a study. He was amazed at the unlooked for kindness, and then, as its purport dawned on him, he raised his head and said: "Heaven bless your 'onnert. I'll never say another word agin ye. But," and his eyes twinkled merrily, "are ye sure it wasn't a crown ye owed me?"

The friend roared. "Oh, pay the man in full! Don't try to beat him out of a paltry half crown." The Irishman got his crown, but the editor no longer pays his debts at sight now.

LABOR NOTES.

World's labor congress will occur in Paris, September 23 to 28. Delegates will be present from every country.

The Order of Railway Telegraphers and the Order of Railway Trackmen have a combined total membership of about 112,000.

Attacked and denounced as scarcely any other institution ever has been, the unions have thriven and grown in the face of opposition. This healthy vitality has been due to the fact that they were the genuine product of social needs—indispensable as a protest and a struggle against the abuses of industrial government, and inevitable as a consequence of that consciousness of strength inspired by the concentration of numbers under the new conditions of industry. They have been, as is now admitted by almost all candid minds, instruments of progress. Not to speak of the material advantages they have gained for workingmen, they have developed powerful sympathies among them, and taught them the lesson of self-sacrifice in the new interest of their brethren, and, still more, a new spirit of independence and self-respect. They have brought some of the best men to the front, and given them the ascendency due to their personal qualites and desirable in the interests of society."—John K. Ingram, L. L. D.

Gladstone.s Monument.

F. W. Pomeroy's statute of Gladstone, in the central lobby of the house of parliament, was unveiled May 19th with appropriate ceremonies, which were witnessed by a throng of prominent persons. Lord Tweedmouth presided over the ceremonies, and the oration was delivered by Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman. The statute is considered by those who knew Mr. Gladstone intimately as a splendid work of art. It represents the great statesman with lifelike fidelity in one of his characteristic attitudes as an orator. The statue is of Carrara marble and, including the plinth on which it rests, is eight feet in height. The statute is a memorial by liberals of their great leader, and the cost was defrayed from liberal memorial fund. The statute occupies a commanding position in the central hall of St. Stephen's, near the replicas in marble of Lord Granville, Earl Russell and Lord Iddesleigh.

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beyond calculation. Mackintosh and Turner speak enthusiastically of the country but will not consent to borrow money on the strength of its resources. I will prove that the railway will be a success from the start.

The dominion government disallowed the acts framed br the Manitoba government, but Martin continued to reenact them. There was not a dollar put against that road outside of actual cost, and the same will hold true in building a railroad in this province. No time checks will be discounted, and no contractors will be allowed to fleece the laborers by forcing them to body at their stores.

"I believe the Semlin government gave a pledge to complete the road to White's camp. Whatever pledge was given by the Semlin government with regard to that will be carried out by the present gaverument. When returned.

After denying Mr. Goodeve's oft repeated statements with regard to the bridge connecting Vancouver Island with the mainland, Mr. Curtis sat down amid tremenduous cheering. Mr. Mackintosh rose, made a short, disjointed, unsatisfactory reply after which Mayor Goodeve in an oratorical address fortified with numerour misstatements tried to bolster up a weak cause, but without any success. The Mackintosh meeting closed with cheers for the candidates.

Notes of the Meeting.

Mackintosh partially explained the facts of the Sunset deal, but would not tell the audience why he tried to "knock" the property afterward.

The aged gentleman did not want to "shut up."

Goodeve thought he could get along with his misrepresentations better without interruption.

Even their posters lied, as neither Mr. Martin or Mr. Curtis ever received an invitation to speak at the meeting.

EAST YALE FIGHT

Being Prosecuted Energetically By Candidate Snodgrass.

The Government Candidate is Addressing Meetings Nightly and Feels Confident of Success.

W. J. Snodgrass, the Government candidate in East Yale, opposing Price Ellison, is working hard to achieve victory. He has already addressed meetings at Vernon, Enderby, Armstrong and Lumby, and tonight again holds a meeting at Vernon. He will speak at Peachland on the 30th, Kelowna 31st, Penticton June 1st, Keremeous 2nd, Fairview 4th, Sidley on the afternoon of the 5th and Camp McKinney on the evening of the 5th, Rock Creek 6th, Okanagan Falls 8th, and he will be elected on June 9th. A Cotton supporter will be nominated in Vernon today, and will materially effect Price Ellison's chances of success.

Mr. Snodgrass believes that he will divide the vote in the upper portion of the district, and is assured of 75 per cent of the vote south of Penticton, which will give him a substantial majority in the distrirt.

The Celebration.

The 24th of May celebration at Midway was a success so far as crowd went, there being a large number present from Greenwood, Phoenix, Eholt and Grand Forks. Owing to lack of space we are unable to give any further details.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

G. R. Naden and D. C. McRae are on a trip through the Similkameen.

Drop in and see our stock of summer suits. *G. F. Williams.*

Don't forget the Curtis meeting at Eholt on Monday night.

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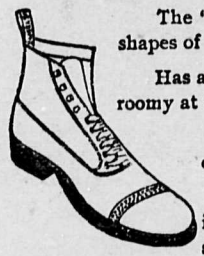

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A Correction.

Mr. D. G. Monro of Phoenix called at this office, Wednesday last, and asked that the following item which appeared in the Miner of the 8th inst. be corrected:

"D. G. Monro of Phoenix was in town Monday and says that town will go solidly for Hon. Smith Curtis, in spite of the threats of the mining companies."

It appears that Mr. Monro was an employe of the Old Ironsides company previous to the election. He also was a strong supporter of Mr. Curtis. After the election he was discharged. Why the officials of the Old Ironsides should take the item as referring to that company we do not know. It may be that "The wicked flee when no man pursueth," in this case. It is to be regretted that the officials of the Old Ironsides company have taken such harsh measures after a denial by Mr. Monro, as all fair-minded persons will look upon their action as a punishment of Mr. Monro for his support of Smith Curtis. The discharge of Mr. Monro will undoubtedly convince unprejudiced persons that the action of the company was intended as a warning to employes to vote "right" at future elections.

Suit For Half a Million.

The suit of L. F. Williams vs. the British American Corporation will come up for trial before a jury in the Supreme court on Tuesday next at Victoria. This suit involves about $250,000. The suit grew out of the purchase of the Le Roi by the British American Corporation. It is alleged that during the negotiations for the purchase of the mine by Hon. C. H. Mackintosh the latter carried on the deal principally with Col. I. N. Peyton, who represented 260,000 out of the 500,000 shares of the capital stock of the old Le Roi company. The other parties at interest with Col. Peyton were Valentine Peyton, J. M. Armstrong, W. D Henley, and L. F. Williams, of Spokane; C. L. English, J. T. English and others of Danville, Ill. The sale of the majority interest was cleverly prevented by the minority stcokholders, consistiug of Senator George Turner, Wm. J. Harris and others, who appealed to the courts and successfully prevented the majority for a time from consummating the deal. The majority finally secured the price it wanted. The result of this disagreement was that the majority stockholders got $6 per share for their holdings and the minority $8. It is claimed by Williams, who is the trustee for the plaintiffs, that during the progress of the negotiations it was agreed that $6 per share be paid for the majority holding, and that this was done. It is further alleged that Col. Peyton pointed out that as he and his associates had control they would not part with their shares unless a further consideration was agreed to. He further states that Mr. Mackintosh agreed to pay the majority stockholders the same price per share as was given for the shares of the minority. This amounts to $2 per share or a total of $520,000. The defendant corporation makes a general denial of the allegations of the plaintiffs.

If you want to take your girl for a drive, get a rig from Robbins & Harvey.

The Political Stope.

In the political mine of British Columbia last Saturday about 90 blasts were touched off and when the smoke cleared out of the stope about 38 of them were found to be effective. The ore knocked down is principally Conservative, some chunks of Martin and traces of Labor, Liberal and Provincial party. It is questionable whether it can be amalgamated sufficiently at the legislative smelter in Victoria to pay shipping expenses. Much of it is refractory and another shipment may have to be made before the mine will pay dividends. The two grades of Conservatives seem to predominate and will probably be run together to save the country from going over the dump.

In Kootenay and Boundary the miners stood almost solid and elected their favorites. The men were evidently guided by their leaders who were probably influenced by some sort of gain. If all the leaders worked for pure glory and the love of their fellow man they deserve great credit for their success even if it is misplaced. — New Denver Ledge.

Big bargains in Gent,s Clothing and Furnishings. G. F. Williams.

The Dunsmuir Ministry.

James Dunsmuir and two of his cabinet were sworn in on Friday afternoon. It is unlikely that the remaining members of the ministry will be selected for some time. As the cabinet now stands it is James Dunsmuir, premier and president of the council; D. M. Eberts, attorney-general; J. H. Turner, minister of finance. The general consensus of opinion in Victoria is that the premier will have a strong working majority in the new House. Politicians, too, concede that Martin has, in resigning when he did, with the recommendation that Dunsmuir be called, made a good move, at least in as far as the protection of the position of the Lieutenant-Governor is concerned, for it is now unlikely that any step will be taken towards securing the dismissal of Mr. McInnes.—Rossland Miner.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1900.

To Our Readers.

THE GREENWOOD MINER comes out today under a new management. While under my control I strove to have its columns filled with mining news from the surrounding mining camps. In politics I used its columns for what I considered the best interests of the province in general, and Boundary Creek district in particular. Other political contests will come in the future and I am confident that the present management will, though perhaps differing from me, work for the district's best interests; and the mining news found in its columns will at all times be of a high standard without a touth of wildcat booming. I thank the public for their past patronage and bespeak a like liberal amount for my successors. With best wishes for the success of the MINER,

Faithfully yours,
W. S. KEITH.

In taking charge of the MINER the management does not expect to furnish a better or more readable paper than has been published heretofore, but will give a paper in accordance with the patronage received. The principal object in publishing is to make money. News items that can be picked up and printed without exertion on the part of the editor will be published. To business men who look upon advertising as a business proposition, we will be pleased to sell space in the advertising or local columns of the MINER. To those who look upon the space occupied by their names and business as a sort of charity, we would say, take the advertisement out. The manager of the paper is not in need of charity. There will be wages to pay, rent to pay, meal tickets to pay for, and the first day of each month, Sundays and holidays excepted, our customers may expect our collector to call on them and pay and be paid Our position is as clear as we can make it. If you think it pays to pay, pay; if you don't think it pays to pay, order your advertisement out.

THE MINER will be independent politically, supporting that party which it considers will enact laws for the many, and not in the interests of the few. It is opposed to what is known as the "wide open town," especially is this the case in reference to roulette. The game is one in which it is impossible to win. The percentage is far too large against the player. It robs the workingmen, and thereby diverts their wages from circulation among business houses to the pockets of non-producers. It attracts an undesireable class of people to the town, who are only beneficial to the lowest class of the population. The matter will be taken up more fully in a future issue.

A LETTER from Mr. W. S Keith appears in another column, in reply to an editorial in the Midway Advance of last week. During an election campaign, little exaggerations are considered legitimate if they serve the purpose of gaining votes. After the campaign, people should shake hands and laugh over their pre-election difficulties. In Midway, the campaign was, perhaps, more bitter than in any other part of the riding, and the editor of the Advance, being an earnest supporter of Mr. Mackintosh, used strong language to gain his ends. Mr. Keith was also very much in earnest in his support of Mr. Curtis, and used equally strong language. Both should cry quits now that the election is over, as there are more able liars than either of them in the district who are not saying a word.

In scanning the election returns from the six Kootenay ridings, the coast politicians will do well to note that in each of them the electors returned as their representative the man who was the most uncompromising champion of the eight-hour law. Kootenay is more interested in the eight-hour law than is any other section of the province, and the pronouncement of the people of Kootenay upon it should be given due consideration.—Nelson Tribune.

West Kootenay is by far the most important district in the province, so far as mining is concerned. For the year ending December 31st, 1899, there were 355 crown grants issued for mineral claims situate in the district, as against a total of 211 in the remainder of the province. In East Kootenay crown grants were issued for 24 claims, 8 in Lillooet, 111 in Yale, 15 in Alberni, 38 in Nanaimo, 6 in New Westminster and 9 in Victoria.—Nelson Tribune.

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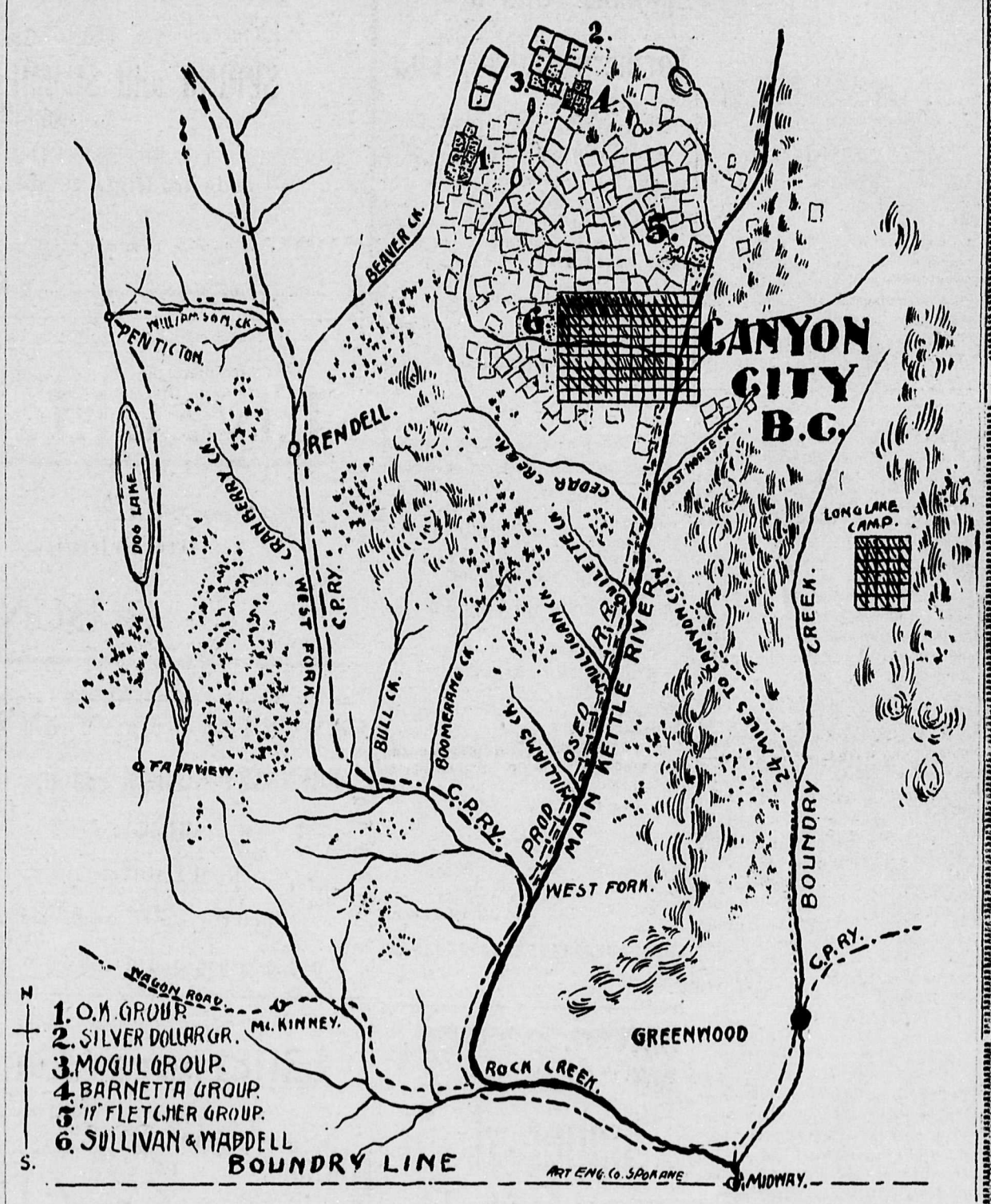

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W. S. FLETCHER, Canyon City. GEO. R. NADEN, Gen. Agt. Greenwood, B. C.

Campaign Amenities.

To the editor of THE MINER—In the Midway Advance of June 11th appeared an editorial concerning the Greenwood Miner and its editor. As I was acting in that capacity when the article was written, I beg leave to answer the insinuations contained therein.

When I returned from the east about the last of February my predecessor, Mr. Gosnell, informed me that he had a deal on with C. H. Mackintosh for the Miner and I acquiesed in the deal, but from business reasons Mr. Gosnell ceased to be connected editorially with the paper, and I took charge, my first issue coming out March 16th. A couple of weeks after I wrote Mr. Mackintosh offering the paper for sale, for as a mining engineer I never considered journalism my forte. Still, I have striven to keep to facts throughout my management of the Miner, which is more than can be said of the Advance.

Mr. Mackintosh nor any agent of his never approached me for the purchase or support politically of the Miner, neither did Mr. Curtis or any agent of his. I took the part I did in the election because I believed the return of Hon. Smith Curtis and the Martin government was the best thing for the province in general and for the Boundary district in particular. The Advance lies and lies maliciously when it says "Prior to Mr. Gosnell's connection with the Greenwood Miner that paper was notorious in the Boundary Creek district for its readiness to indiscriminately publish favorable write-ups of mineral claims and mines in return for stock or other considerations."

As to the change of the Miner from a weekly to a semi-weekly I alone am responsible for that, never receiving one cent from Smith Curtis or any agent of his for making the change. The Midway Advance with its little circulation could injure no one, especially where people are acquainted with its manager and editorial writer, and its whipper-snapper of a canned-goods fed country bumpkin or its shallow-pated cantankerous editorial ink-slinger would be just as much thought of if they would be sparing of their nonsensical shallow articles and write some news of their town which some day will be one of the centres of trade in the Boundary district and which should have a live, independent paper to make known its worth.

Thanking you in anticipation for space for this letter, I am

Yours truly,

W. S. KEITH.

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"Yes."

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POLITICAL NOTES.

THE Cottonites, the Wilsonites and the Mackintoshites may now safely be labeled "bust."

RALPH Smith should be proud of his part in the preliminaries to the coronation of King Dunsmuir.

DUNSMUIR, Turner, Eberts! Mackintosh and a Chinaman would have made the aggregation complete.

THE gravel train arrived in Phœnix on election day. This accounts for the large vote polled there by Mackintosh.

Now that Dunsmuir has again taken over the management of the province, the people need not fear the encroachments of the New Vancouver Coal company.

THE difficulties of Joe Martin in capturing the votes of the people are nothing when compared to the difficulties of Jas. Dunsmuir in capturing honest men for his cabinet.

A DISPATCH from Victoria states that the Trout Creek Constable range will be stocked immediately. This will prove beneficial to many of the non-producers of the province.

THERE is a scheme on foot to "re-incarnate" the three bolters from the Liberal association in Greenwood. Or perhaps the scheme is for the three bolters to "re-incarnate" the Liberal association.

MAYOR GARDEN of Vancouver and Mayor Houston of Nelson have each declined a cabinet position in Dunsmuir's ministry, for the very good reason that neither of them could be re-elected as members of the present government.

WHEN the "reincarnation" of the Liberal party has taken place, and the moss has been scraped off the backs of the Conservatives, there will be other issues than which of the coal companies shall manage the affairs of the province.

THE new premier has sufficient wealth to preclude the likelihood of his taking part in petty peculations. In intellect he is equal to the average British Columbian, which, judging from the legislators sent to enact laws for the province in the past twenty years, should be used sparingly by the owner, and voted for seldom by the elector. The motto of the Dunsmuirs has been, "What we have, we hold; what you have, we want to hold." The Hon. James Dunsmuir may make a good premier, and the province may prosper under his guidance, but if so he will prove traitor to the traditions of his family and the Victoria compact of which he is one of the leaders.

Among the Missing.

The following gentlemen, who had seats in the last house, are missing from the present one: Messrs. Bryden, Higgins, Robertson, McKechnie, Macpherson, Cotton, Tisdale, Forrester, Semlin, Deane, Kinchant, Helgesen, Kellie, J. Martin, Hume, Baker and Henderson (17). Of these, one-half did not offer for re-election. Of the members who voted for the defeat of the Semlin government two have been defeated and one did not offer again; the others have been elected. Of the Semlin government only one offered for re-election and he was defeated. Of the members of of the late house who voted with the Semlin government on the final want of confidence question only six are in the new house. The overturn is complete.

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