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LONG TUNNEL OPERATIONS BEGUN.

Famous Nettie L. Mountain to be Tapped at Over 1,000 Feet Depth.

19 CLAIMS to PROSPECT

Company Successfully Floated, Directors elected, and the First shot put in the Ground.

Ferguson during the past week has been a busy town. The Reward Mining Co., better known as the "Big Tunnel" proposition, has been the main factor in the excitement. Some months ago the preliminary arrangements were started for the grouping together of 19 claims situated on the South Fork of the Lardeau above 5-Mile point.

Negotiations were entered into between J. C. Kirkpatrick, Harry Carter, Lew Thompsoo, W. Waller, Jim Livingston, George Yuill, and others who owned the claims, and Messrs. Morton, Forbes and White of Minnesota, whereby the latter gentlemen were to finance the development of the proposition on the consideration of the property owners putting up their claims for an interest only. These negotiations are now completed, and a company organized to carry on the work. The first general meeting of the company was held at Ferguson last Saturday, and the following elected directors: J. C. Kirkpatrick, H. Carter, and R. H. Battey, of Ferguson, and W. White, Duluth, John E. Burchard, St Pau', James Lawrence, and D. D. Forbes, Marshall, and John Morton, Havana, all of Minnesota.

The plan of operation is to drive a long cross-cut tunnel which will cut the different leads known to exist, on which some surface work has been done, at depth. Surveyor Wilkie has already laid out the line of work, which has now begun. A large amount of credit is due Solicitor F. C. Elliott in bringing the many different interests involved together and the successful consummation of a deal which will be a big factor in the development of this district.

Immediately after the general meeting two of the promoters were given an advantageous offer for their hold ngs, which was accepted, and the Eastern men increased their holdings large'y.

The original Steel & Freeland moving picture and illustrated concert company will appear and give their high-class entertainment in the Oddfellows' Hall on Monday the 15th inst. The performance comes well recommended by the press, and a good crowd will undoubtedly turn up on this occasion. The moving pictures include the latest series of the Russo-Jap war, and will prove very thrilling. The entertainment lasts about 2½ hours.

Rev. H. A. Solly was a visitor this week. During his visit he held Divine service at the Anglican church.

A. G. Fraser, Mrs. Fraser and Marjorie left Wednesday morning for Nelson on a combination business and pleasure trip.

Rev. A. K. Sharp left on Tuesday morning for Vancouver to attend the Methodist Conference there. Services morning and evening at the church here will be conducted by lay help.

Don't forget the public meeting next Monday night.

Poplar Creek.

E. L. Masterson, of Poplar, came up on Wednesday's boat. He reports matters in the gold camp looking bright. A deal has been consummated whereby Andrew Christenson, of Laclede, Idaho, takes over the Mother Lode group and will thoroughly exploit it. The property is a big concentrating proposition, and will require some kind of reduction works to be instal'ed to handle the output in an economic manner. This the new owners are preparing to do. Transportation facilities are good, the property being only a little over a mile from the C.P.R. track.

C. T. Porter and associates, who are Minnesota men of some means, are in looking over the Broken Hill group and other claims controlled by them. They have also taken an option on the Smith and Rogers property. After a thorough test the Minnesota men expressed themselves as being surprised at the values received, and stated that they beat anything they had ever seen in any of the mining states in the big Republic.

Jack Chism has returned to camp after putting in the winter on the other side of the line. Jack has some good people interested in his properties, and is now cleaning out his cuts and putting things in good shape for their expected arrival in a week or two.

Colonel Brayton has switched. Instead of selling town lots he has now started buying. He has secured a good site in the town, and will put up an office, which he intends to make his headquarters for mining.

Is Government to Blame?

We believe in the exclusion of Japanese and Chinese, and will support any legitimate proposition that will work towards that end We, however, have no sympathy with men who for political purposes play upon the feelings of any part of the voters simply for the purpose of knifing a political enemy.

We believe that the introduction of such labor will do incalculable injury to the people and retard the development of the country. To gain headway in the movement now started and gain the sympathy of all, it must of a certainty be non-political in its nature, and any attempt to carry it into politics will mean its utter failure. We can readily understand when we see the list of names of the speakers at the Nelson mass meeting, that the meeting was not called with sincerity of purpose for the object of assisting the people of Salmo, but for the purpose of knocking the McBride govetnment. What position would John Houston, S. S. Taylor and the others have taken had the legitimate request of the Kootenay Shingle Co. been refused and serious results had been the outcome?

Where are these same gentlemen on the question of employing Chinese labor in their homes or for domestic purposes? It is a well-known fact that Nelson is one of the greatest "oriental" towns in the interior. Have these gentlemen attempted to clean out their own stables before attacking the Government for not cleaning out the almond-eyed Orientals from Salmo? The question must be handled, and the movement must have the sympathy of all sects, classes and creeds, who are white, and any attempt to array one class against another is bound to result disastrously to the movement.

Pleased at Placer Prospects.

SPOKANE CO. HAS AMPLE FUNDS FOR PROGRESSIVE SEASON'S WORK — OPERATIONS GOING ON STEADILY —500 FEET MORE FLUME.

Mr. Thos. Levall, promoter of the Spokane Falls Placer Mining Co., who are operating Lardeau river on the out-skirts of the town, came in from Spokane early in the week. Mr. Levall expressed himself as being well satisfied with the result of the operations so far. The early spring, which has naturally carried high water in its wake, is hampering the work at the present time to some extent, but Mr. Levall hopes to overcome the difficulty by installing a pump, which will be run by power supplied by flume, which is now in course of construction. The style of pump to be put in is after the pattern of one which was put in by Mr. Levall some six years ago on practically the same ground, and which gave excellent satisfaction.

He informs us that his company have ample funds on hand for the successful carrying out of proposed work. Mr. Levall is an old-timer in placer work, and knows this ground thoroughly, and after careful sampling over 400 feet of the creek bed he estimates that $100,000.00 can be taken out of that number of feet. It will be necessary, however, for the proper working of the ground to extend the flume at least 500 feet further than at present.

Pat Huffman is something of a bird in his migrations. When the chilly breezes of fall arrive, Pat folds his blankets and hies himself southward, to re-appear when the balmy spring zephyrs begin to waft through our whiskers. He is at present making arrangements to have the Morning and Evening claims on the lower Lardeau surveyed. Another $7.50 for the REVIEW!

Malcolm Mathieson (with sword) arrived in town from the Triune early in the week. Malcolm came into the "printeries" first crack and pot-latched his $2.00. Go thou and do likewise!

Fred Jacobs arrived on Wednesday's boat. Fred is another one of those migratory birds which fly south in the winter, work hard, and return to the best mining country on earth to plant the seeds that will in the future return unto them a hundredfold—aye, even a thousandfold.

R. L. McBride, of the Wood Vallance Hardware Co. of Nelson, came in on a business trip this week.

Ed. Hillman came in from Arrowhead during the week to look after his different investments in the town.

E. E. Chipman, the genial gold commissioner of the Slocan, came in from Kaslo on Wednesday. The rapid growth of the North end of the riding is such that it is only a matter of time when it will be necessary for the government headquarters to be removed to where the business is, viz., Trout Lake or Ferguson.

Our old friend Shaughnessy (nee Mullins) returned to his old stamping grounds Friday night. Since closing of navigation he has been taking up the shekels from the ranchers over on the Okanagan country. When he arrived at Trout Lake he remarked "It's good to live again."

Card of Thanks.

The officers and members of the Trout Lake Lodge No. 41 I.O.O.F., have directed me to express their sincere thanks to the Rev. A. K. Sharp for the excellent address delivered Suuday evening, April 23, on the occasion of the celebration of the 86th Anniversary of their order; also to the members of the church and choir for their efforts in connection with the same.—F. MUMMERY, Secretary.

Good Showing at Poplar.

Quite a flurry was raised by a Greek named Socrates this week uncovering a lead on Meadow creek of gold-copper ore, assays running between $300 and $400 per ton. The lead is a good one, showing two feet of clean ore.

Commencing Good.

Joe Verschoyle and partners started work on the Willow Grouse lease a few days ago. Work was commenced on the ore showing exposed by the last work done, which consisted of a narrow vein of carbonates and galena. This has widened out to four inches of solid ore carrying high values in grey copper.

Hon. R. F. Green Touring

The Hon. R. F. Green, chief Commissioner of Land and Works, arrived in town on Wednesday night. The hon. gentleman in conversation with the scribe intimated that he was merely taking a run over the Kootenay country to become acquainted with the requirements for the coming year. In speaking of the failure of the Government to introduce some railway legislation in the session just passed, the hon. gentleman said it was just a matter of terms. The railway promoters wanted more than the government thought they were entitled to. Under past administrations promoters could get anything they asked for, no matter whether the road was an actual possibility or only a paper scheme, and as yet they had not come to realize that they had (if they wanted assistance), to come to the present government with a clear-cut business proposition, and one in which the interests of the people were conserved to the greatest extent.

Speaking of conditions as a whole throughout the province, the hon. commissioner expressed himself as highly pleased with the generally prosperous condition of affairs. Confidence in the minds of the people both home and abroad had been strengthened. The financial condition of the province was good, and the future bright.

Beaton Bits.

J. C. Tunstall, of Kamloops, has taken the position as book-keeper for A. Crawford, succeeding L. C. Park, who is leaving shortly for Nova Scotia in connection with some mining deals.

Dickenson & Brantford have started a logging camp on the Beaton-Camborne road.

Arthur Evans has applied for a club license for his hotel at Beaton.

George Lux has left for Lytton, where he intends purchasing a pack outfit preparatory to going up to Bulkley Valley.

W. G. Gerard, of Comaplix, had three of his fingers taken off during the week while working in the saw-mill.

Business at the Landing has been brisk for the past few weeks.

Directors Visit Triune Mine.

ALL PLEASED WITH THE SPLENDID DEVELOPMENT OF THE PAST WINTER.

John Morton, president, W. White, and D. D. Forbes, all of Minnesota, and directors of the Metropolitan Co., have been visiting the Lardeau the past week. While here they went thoroughly into the affairs of the company, and made arrangements for a comprehensive plan of operations. In conversation with a representative of the Review they expressed themselves as well pleased with their investment in the Triune. When asked what steps had been taken towards the installation of a reduction plant, they said that the matter would be gone into and a thorough test made of the different classes of the low grade ore in the Triune, and as soon as a sufficient ore body had been opened up to justify the expenditure, a plant such as their experiments would prove would be the best adapted for the treatment of their ores would be installed. The matter of tramways would be held in abeyance until arrangements had been fully completed with respect to the reduction works. In the meantime a contract has been given to Packer Vipond for the getting down of clean ore, of which there is a large quantity blocked out.

This property is fully sustaining its early reputation as a producer of high-grade ore, and we feel satisfied with such men controlling the affairs of the company there is no fear of its ultimate success.

Bert Northey, the rustling editor of the Camborne Miner, came in on Thursday. It is rumored that Brer' Northey had an encounter with an animal of the goat species, and came out second best.

The blackboards for the new school came in a few days ago, and have been put in position. The seats will be transferred from the old school at once, when the new building will be ready for occupancy.

A sad occurrence took place at Comaplix on Sunday last, which has resulted in the death of Mr. George Blaney. He was working a ranch near the town, and had ploughed up some wild parsnips, and not being aware of their poisonous nature took some home and had them cooked. The whole family partook of them, and shortly afterwards the poisonous matter began to take effect Mrs. Blaney and the children were fortunate in being able to vomit freely, but Mr. Blaney was not so fortunate, and a message was sent to Trout Lake for Dr. Robinson. Druggist Abey, who received the message, gave instructions for temporary relief until the doctor could get there. Dr. Robinson made a record trip, getting from the Lake to Beaton in 80 minutes. There the tug Archer was in readiness to take him across the arm After a long uphill fight against grim death, the doctor seemingly gained the victory, and left for home the next day at noon, leaving the patient evidently well on the road to recovery. During Monday night, however, a relapse took place, and all efforts to revive the unfortunate man were futile, he passing over the great divide on Tuesday morning.

Sam Green, late post-master at Kaslo, came up with Commissioner Chipman and Hon. R. F. Green on Wednesday's boat.

Ferguson Briefs.

A conundrum banquet will be held in the Eagle hall on Thursday evening, 11th inst., commencing at 8 p.m. Admission free. Games, music and shadow pantomime will be the entertaining features of the evening, after which the feast will be spread.

Lew Thompson and Will Waller went on Tuesday to the Hot Springs.

Great credit is due the ladies who have so tastefully decorated the interior of the chapel.

W. A. Skinner returned from Nelson Wednesday night, where he had been on a business trip.

Jim Livingston is putting some good licks on his South Fork property and getting out some nice ore.

It is reported on good authority that the Electric Light owners will establish their power at a point near Half-way creek and operate both Ferguson and Trout Lake. We trust this proposition will materialize, as between the two towns there would be a sufficient demand to warrant the installation of a first-class plant.

McKinnon & Sutherland report splendid business with the Slater shoes, and their clerks are kept busy wrapping up this article. The firm attribute the big sale to superior quality and ADVERTISING.

The crew from the Surprise are all down, having run out of provisions. It is expected the trail will be in shape to allow of packing up to the property in about two weeks. Dave Morgan has gone up the Brow claim on Nettie L. hill to do the assessment on the property.

With the prosperous conditions prevailing in town, the business heads have this week made a move to beautify the town. For a long time the want of a side-walk the whole length of Victoria Avenue has been sadly needed, and this week nearly every man in town has been extending the sidewalk from the Balmoral hotel to the Windsor hotel, a distance of a furlong. The job was completed yesterday.

A. J. Gordon returned from his winter's sojurn in Vancouver on Thursday.

Scottie O'Neil has left for a trip to the Old Country.

A Narrow Escape.

While going to Comaplix last Sunday in response to a call, Dr. Robinson had a narrow escape from drowning. The night was very dark, and the doctor was standing on the bow of the boat when it struck the barge at the dock. The sudden jar sent the M.D. into the water, where he remained for about five minutes and until he was hauled out by the boat crew. The doctor is very methodical in his habits, and as it was not time for his "annual" he feels somewhat aggrieved.

Drowned at Comaplix.

A fatal drowning accident took place at Comaplix early in the week. Sigurd Birgh had been imbibing a little too freely, and sat down on the bow of the tug to take a rest. The captain and crew missed him on their return from dinner, and a search was made and his body found. All attempts at resuscitation were unavailing Coroner Newcombe held an inquest, the jury returning a verdict of Accidental death by drowning while under the influence of liquor.

Easter Exams. at Trout Lake.

The Easter Examinations of the pupils at the public school resulted as follows. The names of pupils in each class read in their order of merit:—

Arithmetic, 3rd Class.—Naomi Vipond, Lilian Cornelius, Edna Hollenbeck, Alice Murray, Carson Murray, Charles Haner, Lotus Griffiths, Martha Johnston, William Johnston.

4th Class: Willie Atherton, Mabel Hooker, Ethel Johnston, Mabel Burrell, Marjorie Fraser, Gordon McPherson.

5th Class: Alex. McPherson, Grace McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck, Florence Woods.

Mental Arithmetic—3rd Class: Edna Hollenbeck and Alice Murray equal, Lilian Cornelius, Chas. and George Haner equal, Naomi Vipond, Martha Johnston, Carson Murray, Lotus Griffith and William Johnston equal.

4th Class: Ethel Johnston, Willie Atherton, Mabel Hooker, Marjorie Fraser and Gordon McPherson equal, Mabel Burrell.

Grammar—3rd Class: Lilian Cornelius, Edna Hollenbeck and Chas Haner equal, Lotus Griffith, Alice and Carson Murray equal, Martha Johnston, William Johnston, Geo, Haner, Naomi Vipond.

4th Class; Marjorie Fraser, Willie Atherton, Gordon McPherson, Mabel Burrell, Mabel Hooker.

5th Class: Alex. McPherson, Grace McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck.

Dictation and Spelling — 3rd Class: Edna Hollenbeck, Lilian Cornelius, Lotus Griffith, Charles Haner, Alice Murray, Geo. Haner, Carson Murray, Martha Johnston, Naomi Vipond, William Johnston.

4th Class: Willie Atherton, Gordon McPherson, Mabel Burrell, Marjorie Fraser, Mabel Hooker, Ethel Johnston.

5th Class: Grace McPherson, Alex. McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck, Florence Woods.

Composition—3rd Class: Lilian Cornelius, Lotus Griffith, Edna Hollenbeck and Willie Johnston equal, Alice Murray, Naomi Vipond and Charles Haner equal, Carson Murray, George Haner, Martha Johnston.

4th Class: Mabel Hooker, Willie Atherton, Ethel Johnston and Marjorie Fraser equal, Mabel Burrell, Gordon McPherson.

5th Class: Lulu Hollenbeck and Grace McPherson equal, Alex. McPherson.

History — 3rd Class: Carson Murray, Alice Murray, Charles Haner, Willie Johnston, Edna Hollenbeck and Lotus Griffith equal, Naomi Vipond and Martha Johnston equal, George Haner.

4th Class: Marjorie Fraser, Willie Atherton, Gordon McPherson.

5th Class: Alex. McPherson, Grace McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck, Florence Woods.

Geography — 3rd Class: Edna Hollenbeck, Naomi Vipond, Willie Johnston and Carson Murray equal, Lilian Cornelius and Chas. Haner equal, Lotus Griffith.

4th Class; Marjorie Fraser, Gordon McPherson and Mabel Hooker equal, Willie Atherton, Mabel Burrell, Ethel Johnston.

5th Class: Alex. McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck, Grace McPherson.

Physiology — 3rd Class: Edna Hollenbeck, Alice Murray, Lilian Cornelius, Lotus Griffith, Charles Haner, Naomi Vipond, Carson Murray and Willie Johnston equal, George Haner, Martha Johnston.

4th Class: Gordon McPherson, Ethel Johnston, Willie Atherton, Marjorie Fraser, Mabel Burrell, Mabel Hooker.

Euclid.—Alex. McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck, Grace McPherson.

Algebra.—Lulu Hollenbeck, A. McPherson, Grace McPherson.

Latin.—Alex. McPherson, Lulu Hollenbeck, Grace McPherson, Florence Woods.

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reservation established in pursuance of the provisions of the "Columbia and Western Railway Subsidy Act 1896," notices of which were published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated 7th May, 1896, and 5th June 1896, respectively, are hereby cancelled.

Crown lands situated within the area embraced by the said reservation will be opened to sale, settlement, lease and other disposition under the provisions of the "Land Act," three months after the date of the first publication of this notice in the British Columbia Gazette; provided, however, that in all cases where lands are so sold, pre-empted, leased or otherwise alienated by the Government, and are subsequently found, upon the survey of the Columbia and Western Railway Company's blocks, to lie wholly or in part within such blocks, then the persons so acquiring such lands shall acquire their title thereto from the Railway Company, who have agreed to deal with such purchasers, pre-emptors, lessees, etc., on the same terms and conditions as the Government would under the provisions of the "Land Act," except in respect to timber lands on the Company's blocks, which shall be subject to the regulations issued by the Company relative to the cutting of timber on the Columbia and Western Railway Land Grant.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 23rd February, 1905. 8-2

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Legal Notices.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS.

To PHILIP KING and J. W. SMITH or to whomsoever they they may have transferred their interest in the "Maple Leaf" mineral claim, situated on the south east side of Poplar creek and about two and a half miles from the mouth of the creek, in the Trout Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay.

You are hereby notified that I, Arthur G. Johnston, co-owner with you in the "Maple Leaf" mineral claim above described have performed labor and made expenditure on the said claim to the extent of $100.00, under the provisions af section 24 of the Mineral Act, in order to hold said claim, and the year for which said labor was performed and expenditure made having expired, I do hereby give you notice to contribute your proportion of such expenditure, and you are further notified that if at the expiration of 90 days of publication hereof you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of the expenditure so made, together with all costs of advertising, your interests in the said claim shall become vested in me under and by virtue of provisions of Section 4 of the Mineral Act, amended Act 1900.

Dated at Poplar Creek, B.C., Dec. 31,'04.

ARTHUR G. JOHNSTON, Co-owner

6-1-1905.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER

To John Parisian or to whomsoever he may have transferred his interest in the Homestake, Ibex and Charlottenburg mineral claims.

Take Notice that I the undersigned co-owner with you in the Homestake, Ibex and Charlottenburg mineral claims situate about 3 miles in a south-wes direction from Trout Lake in what is known as the Homestake basin in the Trout Lake mining division of West Kootenay, have performed the necessary work and made the necessary expenditure on the above-mentioned mineral claims for the years 1900, 1901, 1903, in order to hold the same under section 24 of the Mineral Act, and the years for which said work was performed and expenditure made having expired, I hereby give you notice that if within 90 days from the first publication hereof you fail or refuse to contribute your proportionate share of such expenditure and pay the costs of this advertisement, your interest in the said mineral claims will become the property of the undersigned under and by virtue of section 4 of the mineral act amendment act 1900.

Dated at Trout Lake this 7th day of March, 1905. FRANK LANDRIAN.

Mar.10,05 Co-Owner.

NOTICE O CO-OWNERS.

To T. R. Davey, or to any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interests.

Take Notice, I the undersigned co-owner with you in the Coon and Davey mineral claims situate about four miles above Ferguson on South Fork creek in the Trout Lake mining division of West Kootenay district and province of British Columbia have done the required work on the above-mentioned mineral claims for the years 1903 and 1904 in order to hold the same under section 24 of the mineral act, and if within 90 days of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of such expenditure for work done, together with the cost of this advertisement, your interest in the said mineral claims will become the property of the subscribed under section 4 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act of 1900. Dated at Trout Lake this 24th day of March '05.

S. DANEY,

24.3'05. Co-owner

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE.

Sunset, Joseph, Maud and Anna Mineral Claims, situate in the Trout Lake Miniug Division, West Kootenay District. Where located:—Situate on the North Fork of Lardeau creek in the Province of British Columbia, about one mile above Circle City.

Take Notice that I, Charles W. McCrossan, of the City of Los Angeles, California, Free Miner's Certificate No. B67793, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this 3rd day April, A.D. 1905.

8-4-05 CHARLES W. McCROSSAN.

NOTICE.

L B., Bluejay, Doubtful, C.D., C.H. and X.Y.Z., mineral claims situate in the Trout Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay district.

Where located:—Near Trout Creek, about 3½ miles from Trout Lake.

Take notice that I, O. B. N. Wilkie, acting as agent for Jas. J. McGlone, free miner's certificate No. B83127, intend sixty days after date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining crown grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of Improvements. Dated this 30th day of March, A. D., 1905.

Mar.3'05. O. B. N. WILKIE.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Revenge mineral claim, situate in the Trout Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay district.

Where located:—On Triune Mountain a north-westerly extension of the Morning Star mineral claim.

Take Notice that I, George S. McCarter, acting as agent for Andrew Ferguson, free miner's certificate No. B83552 intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 16th day of March, A.D. 1905. GEO. S. McCARTER.

17-3-05.

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TIME TABLE

S.S. ARCHED or S.S. LARDEAU.

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Trades Committee Meet.

The regular monthly meeting of the Trades Committee was held on Monday night A resolution was presented towards the securing of hose and the installation of hydrants for fire protection. A communication was received from Fred Starkey of Nelson, who as secretary of the citizen's meeting called for the purpose of protesting against the employment of Japanese labor, asked for the co-operation of this board and requested an endorsement of the action taken by Nelson people. It was agreed that a public meeting be called for Monday next to discuss these important matters.

NOTICE.

A public meeting will be held on Monday night in the Oddfellows' Hall at 8 o'clock. The first question will be "Fire Protection," and the second "What are we going to do about the employment of Japs and Chinks in the Salmo country?" These two questions vitally affect our town and Kootenay in particular. Come and help elucidate the questions before it is too late.

NOTICE.

Whistler, Vancouver, and Imperial Limited, mineral claims situate in the Trout Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay district.

Where located:—On Gainer Creek.

Take notice that I, J. Z. Hall, free miner's certificate No. B71531, intend sixty days after date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining crown grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of Improvements. Dated this 17 h day of April, A. D., 1905.

May 5'05. J. Z. HALL.

The Great Western Mines Limited Liability.

TAKE NOTICE that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Great Western Mines, Limited Liability will be held at the office of the Company, at Ferguson, B. C., on the 15th day of May, 1905, at the hour of 8 p.m., for the purpose of considering and, if deemed advisable, passing the following resolution:

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Erland G. Hadow of Ferguson, B. C., be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 12th day of April, 1905.

By order of the Directors,
ERLAND G. HADOW,
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