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Meeting of Trades Conmittee.

A GOOD MUSTER DISCUSS MATTERS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THE DISTRICT.

The meeting of the Trades Committee on Monday night last is an augury of better times in the district. It gave evidence of increased interest in the affairs of the town. We would like to see every property owner in town attending the meetings.

President Jas. A. Griffiths occupied the chair, while secretary Newman-Taylor took minutes of the proceedings.

The secretary read copies of communications to Trades Committees of Ferguson and Poplar, Capt. Gore, supt. of navigation C.P.R., John R. Greenshield, P.O. Inspector; Secretary Board of Trade, Nelson; J. S. Lawrence, divisional superintendent C.P.R.

A communication was read from J. R. Greenshield, P.O. Inspector, Vancouver.

The By Law Committee read report and submitted schedule of laws to govern business, and after several minor alterations had been made the by-laws were adopted

Two new members were enrolled.

The committee enquiring into our standing re incorporation reported progress.

E. R. Vipond brought up a matter relating to the widening of the wagon road between Five and Ten-Mile. Mr. Vipond pointed out that it would be a matter of impossibility for two teams meeting to pass each other on this road, and suggested that the matter be gone into without delay.

F. C. Elliott said that this was a matter requiring urgent attention. It was known that a vast amount of machinery would be drawn over that road this summer, and he suggested that the various freighting and packing firms should give expert opinion at a meeting of the Committee to be called when the gold commissioner (E. E. Chipman) was present.

The meeting then adjourned.

Bert Fowler and E. R. Vipond paid a visit to Camborne this week.

Sid Graham returned the first of the week from Seattle, where has been enjoying a quiet time the past month.

Dan McLennan and Noah Abrahamson, two of our popular hotel men, rusticated at Revelstoke for several days this week.

O. B. N. Wilkie returned from the coast Monday night. He is now busy surveying the line for the big tunnel up the South Fork.

Patronize our home merchants. Between Ferguson and Trout Lake the merchants carry everything that can makes life a joy, and their prices make the eastern sweat shops look like a copper cent.

As soon as the line of the tunnel is run by Surveyor Wilkie about twenty men will be put to work on the big tunnel proposition.

We are not boomers; we're boosters. There is an opening for a booster club in town.

The slides are all down on the Silver Cup, and a big force of men will resume operations at an early date.

Placing an incompetent man in charge of the mine is like refusing to place insurance on your buildings.

Two attempts were made this week to open communication with the south. Five-mile point, however, was as far as could be got owing to the heavy ice and the barge not being in shape to stand the pressure.

The Miner says the Bowman Lumber Company will employ 200 men in their logging camps adjacent to Camborne this summer.

The man who does his mining in a bar-room seems dazed when underground in a working property.

Dan McCarthy went up to the Horse Shoe during the week to assist Alex. McLean in sacking up silver dollars.

Ralph Higginson left Thursday morning for a trip to Calgary.

The arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Dr Robinson on Monday got the boys out with their tin cans and horns, and the result was a regular old-time chivari. While out they gave Billy Crawford a serenade, and after playing several enlivening overtures it was found that the house was empty, Billy and Mrs. Crawford having gone out to spend the evening.

The Camborne Miner is agitating for a Trades Committee. Its a good thing, Brer Northey; push it along.

The traffic on the wagon road between Trout Lake and Ten-Mile is sure to be heavy this summer. A little expenditure in the way of making a few "turn-ins" would facilitate matters considerably.

We have not seen any indication on the part of the post-master in following the suggestion of our "Constant Reader" with regard to the establishment of boxes at different parts of the town.

Town lots will be very valuable before many moons. Read the big ad. on page 3 and act quickly.

The Symphonia Orchestra has this week been augmented by the introduction of a concert dulcimer. This old-fashioned instrument blends delightfully with string and wind chords, and the player, W. Kelly is an adept exponent with the beaters. We learn that the orchestra, under the direction of Dad Carothers, will open their season with a dance next Thursday at the Lakeview Hotel.

Jim Livingston is doing some good work on the Rambler up the South Fork.

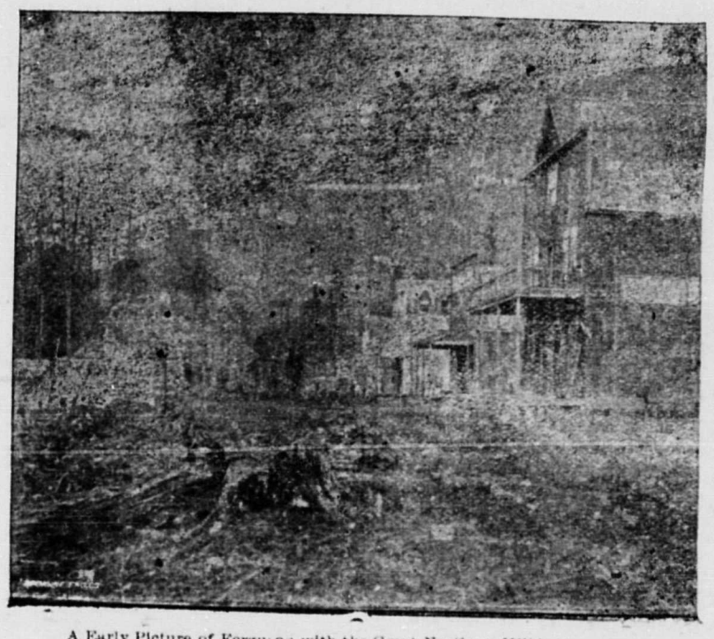
Progress at The Mines.

About thirty men are employed at the Nettie L. The ore from this property is keeping the Five Mile plant working full time.

The repairs at Five-Mile are all completed, and the full force is now employed. While absolute figures are not obtainable, it is understood they are perfectly satisfactory to the management.

A View of Ferguson in its Infancy, showing the Famous Nettie L. Hill in the Background.

Amalgamating Floor at the Silver Mill.



A Early Picture of Ferguson with the Great Northern Hill in the rear.

A North Fork Property Being Taken.

A proposition is pending whereby the Big Five group up the North Fork will be taken up on a bond by Eastern capitalists. The group consists of five claims, and has two distinct veins running the entire length of the claims. No. 1 vein has been uncovered for a distance of 2,000 feet, and consist of a quartz gangue with 4 inches of solid galena, giving values of $95.00 per ton.

On No. 2 vein from 4 to 8 inches of galena is exposed, the values of which run a few dollars better than No. 1

In a report made some time ago by R. Roberts, Associate of the Royal School of Mines, London, Eng., the property is very favorably commented on. The only drawback is the lack of transportation, which, however, would be largely overcome by the building of a wagon road up to Circle City.

The opening of the Surprise creek properties and others up the North Fork make the building of this road easily within the possibilities either this year or next.

This, with other deals on foot, and the ones that have been closed this spring, indicates that the wealth contained in the rocky fastnesses of the hills of the Lardeau are attracting capital, and a revival of the mining industry is assured.

Reasons Why the C.P.R. Should Extend.

Just one big reason and a few small ones why the C.P.R. should extend the road to the head of the lake.

The retarding the development of the district because of the uncertainty attached to getting in or out during winter, and the impression prevailing on the outside that we are isolated for five to six months of the year, which difficulty would be overcome by the extension of the road.

The cost of building the road very light, as it is nearly an even grade the whole distance.

The same rolling stock and train crews that now run from Lardo to Gerrard would be ample for al requirements for the extra run to Trout Lake.

The cost of handling freight at Gerrard would be entirely deleted.

The cost of operating the lake boat would be wiped out.

Good revenue would be derived from the extension of the telegraph system.

The train now running from Lardo to Gerrard with practically no traffic would be well patronized if through to the head of the lake.

The Dominion government would undoubtedly assist by way of at least $3,000.00 per mile.

Lastly, the people of Trout Lake and Ferguson want it, and will keep on hammering until we get it.

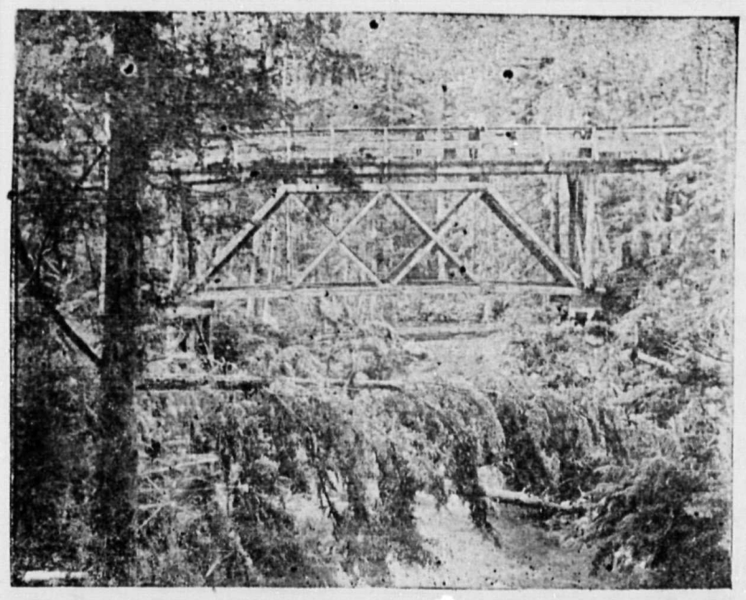
A quiet wedding was celebrated at the St. John's House Vancouver, on March 17th, by the Rev. Robt. Laird The contracting parties were Dr. R. R. Robinson, of Consecan, Ont., but now practising at Trout Lake, and Eva Paton, daughter of Theo. Paton, of Essex Villa, Wardell road, Petersham, Sydney, New South Wales The bridegroom is a South African veteran. The bride arrived at Vancouver the same day from Sydney by the mail steamer Aroangi. The happy couple took the train same day for their home in Trout Lake, arriving here on Monday night. They will reside temporarily at the villa of O. B. N. Wilkie until the necessary alterations have been made at the hospital for their residence there. The REVIEW extends congratulations to the newly-wedded couple, which are shared by everyone in Trout Lake, where Dr. Robinson is deservedly popular, and trust they will long remain with us and flourish.

The Mohican syndicate are driving away at the long tunnel, and are making good headway. The objective point will not be reached until June. The ground through which the tunnel is being driven is highly mineralized, and a good ore shute is likely to be opened up at any time.

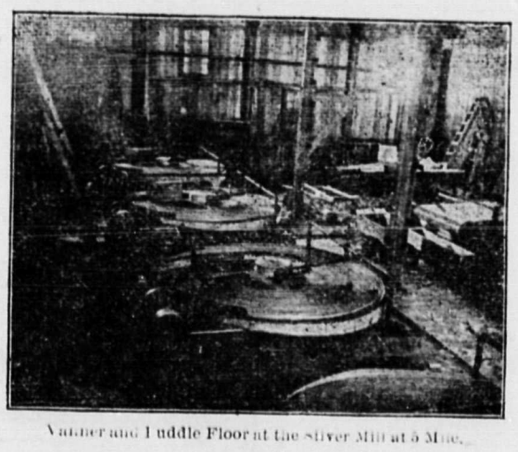
The leading men in connection with the placer operations being conducted by the Spokane Falls Placer Mining Co are expected in early in April.

At the Lucky Tom 16 men are employed. Ore is being taken out steadily, and by the time navigation is opened several cars will be ready for the smelter. Work on the lower level is impeded owing to the flow of surface water.

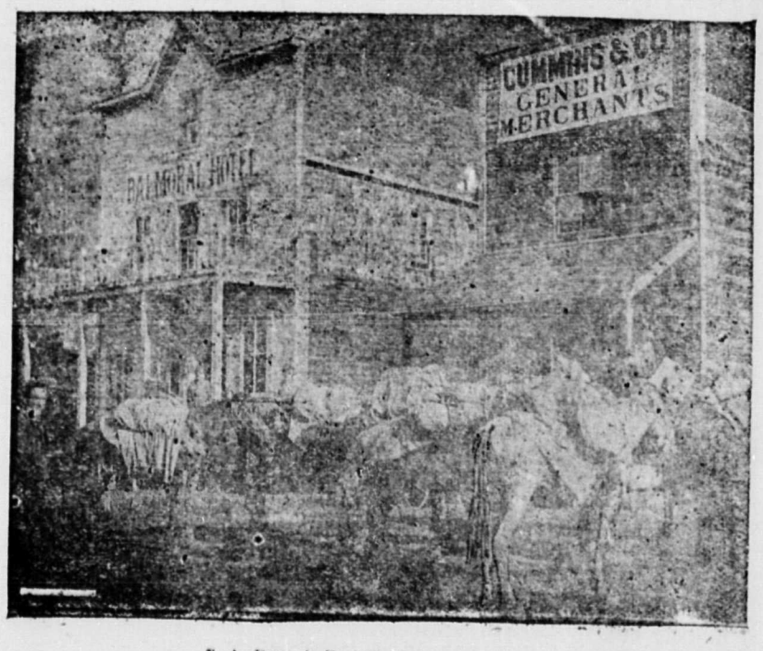
At the Triune a crew of men are working on the ore and another crew pushing the lower tunnel. Asa Hillman has the contract for building a bridge across Gainer creek, over which the proposed wagon road will connect with the tram terminal.



Trestle Bridge crossing Lardeau River at the North and South Fork Junction.



Vanner and Puddle Floor at the Silver Mill at 5 Mile.



S. A. Daney's Pack-Train Provisioning.

The soft condition of the weather the past week has given the snow a severe twisting, and Mother Earth is once more in evidence.

One of the cayeuses around town knows a good thing when he sees it. Whilst delivering an order at a residence this week, Jack Scott left Masterson and Griffiths rig for a few minutes. On his return he found a cayeuse putting the finishing touches to 3 lb. of butter which it had "lifted" from the rig.

Alex. McLean is sacking some of the richest ore ever mined in the district at the Horseshoe. A good-sized shipment is sacked awaiting the opening of navigation.

Work has been resumed on the Silver Plate in Haskin's Basin. This property is controlled by A. W. Edge and S. Daney, and the work done has shown up some nice ore. The force will be increased as the season opens up.

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HOLD-UP, OR WHAT ?

Mr. Morse, vice-president and general manager of the G.T.P. Railway, accompanied by his followers, left Victoria last Friday for the East. Their departure was without ostentation, and, it may be added, without regret, at least on the part of the Government. Before leaving, Mr. Morse made a definite statement, once to the press and once to the Board of Trade, to the effect that a proposition had been made by his company to the Provincial Government, but had not been accepted; and that, therefore, failing the desired provincial inducements to commence construction work at this end, simultaneously with other points, the company would adhere to their original plan and build the line from the east westward.

Negotiations in this direction being now broken off, it is worth while taking a glance, a pitying glance, at the muddle the Liberal party has got itself into over the matter. Prior to and during the recent General Election, the people of British Columbia were solemnly assured by persons in high places that construction would commence in British Columbia simultaneously with other points in the provinces and territories lying east of us. The Hon. Mr. Prefontaine told us so — in fact, took the trouble to come all the way over the Rockies to say it. The Hon. Senator Templeman told us so. True, there was no word of any such arrangement in the contract, but the matter was definitely assured anyway. And the people believed Messrs. Prefontaine and Templeman—they being very honorable gentlemen in high places—and sent seven solid Liberals to Ottawa.

But the elections having been won, things began to look very different. It became apparent that the G.T.P. was not, and never had been, entertaining the least idea of starting construction work at this end, unless it was very well paid for it. No one can blame the Grand Trunk—but what about the honorable gentlemen in high places who had pledged their words? They were as dumb as oysters, but Senator Templeman's organ in Victoria undertook to drag a red herring across the trail.

And the herring was accordingly dragged. It took the form of a deep and deadly plot—which, according to Senator Templeman's said organ, the Victoria Times—had been entered into between the McBride government and the G.T.P., whereby Mr. McBride and his colleagues were to acquire vague but enormous wealth by handing over a vast expanse of territory to the Grand Trunk people, who in return for such complacency were to commence construction right away. Or maybe not, but they would get the land anyway.

In the matter of object and detail, the plot seemed to the judicial eye to be somewhat lacking in finish; but it suited the Liberals admirably, in that it cloaked the falsehood and folly of their leaders, and they raised a terrible outcry against the Provincial government for its intended sacrifice of the people's heritage.

Then Mr. Morse arrived. Then, also nothing happened. And the weeks went on and still nothing happened. It began to be whispered that Mr. Morse was scared of the Provincial government. The lion wouldn't roar; the rascally conservatives refused to be rascals. Now Mr. Morse has gone home with empty hands, the G.T.P. will—as Mr. Morse puts it—arrive in British Columbia on schedule time in 1911, and the bewildered public is beginning to sit up and ask the Liberal party what it all means, anyway.

Had Mr. Morse's proposition to the government been of a business-like character, such as could have been fairly entertained by faithful representatives of the people, a satisfactory arrangement might have been entered into. But the nature of his proposition was so altogether out of proportion, that no self-respecting government could consider it.

It is not yet known what explanations Senator Templeman will offer to the people of British Columbia.

Some organized effort should be made at once to secure the proper facilities for fighting fire. We have a water system with head enough to do good work. The hydrants are on the ground waiting to be put in, but outside of a couple of small private lines there is not a foot of hose in the town with which we can take advantage of the water system. So far we have been lucky, but we do not know the minute the occasion will arise when the cost of the proper appliances will appear like a white chip compared to the loss that might be sustained for the want of them. This is a matter for the newly-organized Trades Committee to take up and push to a finish.

The early opening of spring will allow of a large amount of work in the hills at least a month earlier than for some years past. This year promises to be one of the best known. The amount of work laid out by the different companies has surpassed all previous records, and will undoubtedly result in the doubling of our mineral output. The old cry of the pessimist that "the ore doesn't go down" is proved in every case to be utterly without foundation. The Silver Cup, Nettie L., Triune, Lucky Boy, and others are all finding an improvement in the values, and ore bodies with more continuity as depth is gained.

As these conditions become known on the outside, capital will be more easily influenced, in fact will become anxious to get in and take a place on the ground floor in one of the richest mineral districts on the continent.

A live trades committee will be worth a lot of money to the Lardeau and the people of this town. If you are not a member of the board you should be. The time to join is now. There will be a lot doing here during the next two years, and the time to drill is the summer.

The Review has one desire and one hope, and that is the advancement of the Lardeau.

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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. fo23

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To Z. Gordon Goldberg and to L. Goldberg or to any person or persons to whom they may have transferred their interests.

Take Notice, I the undersigned co-owner with you in the Little Robert and Little Robert No. 2 mineral claims situated at the extreme head of the north fork of Lardeau 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 year 1903 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 7th day of October, '04.

J. C. KIRKPATRICK,
Oc.7'04 Co-owner.

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.

NOTICETO 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-west 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.

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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Take Notice that I shall hold a Court of Revision and Appeal, under the Assessment Act, 1903, for the Revelstoke Assessment District, on Monday the twenty eighth day of November, 1904, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the court house, Revelstoke. Dated at Revelstoke, this 1st day of November, 1904.

CHAS. M. FIELD,
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal, Revelstoke Assessment District of West Kootenay.

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Ferguson Items.

Trout season opens to-morrow.

Will Waller paid an important business trip to Trout Lake on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Cummins has fully recovered from an attack of la grippe. In company with Miss Short a cutter drive to the Lake was indulged in on Tuesday.

The silver-mill at 5-Mile is a beehive of industry again. A large number of men are actively employed producing bullion from the low grade base ores of the Nettie L. mine. Fred Allen is acting as shift-boss.

The undeveloped mineral resources of this district will alone give remunerative employment to thousands and provide ample fortunes for hundreds of people.

There is a man in town who is so gratified at having lost property returned to him that he forgets to thank the restorer. We returned a pocket-book to its owner this week after receiving an abusive and ungrammatical epistle. Such is life!

On St. Patrick's night a very enjoyable dance was held in the Opera House. There was a good company present from both towns, and all voted it a success. Cassy Edwards made an efficient floor-manager.

Surveyor Wilkie is out on the Nettie L. hill finding the line for the long tunnel.

With the prices of the metals going up and freight and treatment charges going down, the outlook is the brightest ever known in the history of mining.

J. Houlahan came down from the Triune Thursday, and will take a holiday visiting friends at Rossland and Nelson before resuming work.

The magistrates sat in the court-house on Monday to hear the charge of assault and battery preferred by a diminutive specimen of misjudged manhood against a big burly ruffiian with a mit like a leg of mutton. The prosecutor called a bunch of witnesses to prove what a nice little fellow he was, and to show that his ponderous adversary had pounded him into jelly. The witnesses were emphatic about the jelly part of the business, but the 250-pounder was just as positive that he playfully smote him on the neck, which was undoubtedly in the rubber category, as no marks of violence were visible on his person after an official microscopic research had been made. The magistrates, however, after diagnosing the extent of the injuries and analysing the evidence, thought an assault had been committed, and demanded $5 and costs from he of the big mit, with the option of 15 days in the Hotel du Kirk. The revenue has increased by said figures, and the lion and lamb now fraternize.

Messrs. Bernard, Drew and Rogers, who put in some time placering on Lardeau creek last summer with fairly good results, returned this week.

LAKE LOCALETS.

Methodist Church services Sunday morning and evening conducted by the pastor. The evening song service will be conducted in honor of Fanny Crosby, the noted writer of hymns, March 24th being the 85th anniversary of her birth.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold a parlor social at the residence of Mr. W. R. Hollenbeck on Friday evening, the 31st instant. The ladies extend a cordial invitation to all. If the REVIEW may be allowed to give a bit of advice we would say "Go."

Syvert Olson returned this week from Norway, where he has been visiting for the past six months.

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S. DANEY,
Co owner

24.3'05.