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OPINION OF EXPERT.

BELIEVES THE LARDEAU IS THE RICHEST MINERAL DISTRICT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

WILL ERECT A MILL.

At Tenderfoot Creek to Treat the Ores of the Lardeau Valley Mines, Limited.

The above company, a Spokane concern, of which Colonel W. N. Brayton is president, owns 11 claims on Tenderfoot creek, a mile from the C.P.R. line, and some six miles west of Poplar.

John Mackenzie of Spokane, one of the directors in describing the property to the Nelson News says:

"Our 11 claims are all crown granted. There are two main veins, known as the John L and Liza veins. In the No. 2 level we are working in the John L in 11 feet of concentrating ore. It averages about \$11 a ton unconcentrated. In No 1 level we have three feet of solid high grade ore which will average over \$50 a ton, and five feet of concentrating ore.

"We have made an excellent showing for the work done and money expended. Though we have only expended on the property a little over \$12,000, we have 100,000 tons of ore available, which will net the company \$5.25 per ton, and every foot of work now being done is in ore, which is getting better all the time as depth is attained. By the time the present contract for work is completed, which will be May 1, we will have about 300,000 tons of good ore available for treatment. The proposition is a very economical one from all points of view; in fact it is an ideal mining proposition; the veins are exceptionally large, and there is abundance of water power and timber.

"We propose to erect a mill and concentrating works at the mouth of Tenderfoot creek to treat our ores, in conjunction with the ores of the Handy mine, one mile and a half up the railroad track. I consider the Lardeau to be the most promising field for the mining investor. It had 12 mines ready waiting to ship when the C.P.R. branch was built up Lardeau valley. High grade ore and big veins with great depths are the characteristics of the Lardeau country, which I believe will shortly be recognized as the richest mineral district in British Columbia." The annual general meeting of the company was held recently in Spokane.

Looks Good to Us.

There is a well-founded rumor abroad that the plant at 5-Mile was only intended as an experiment, but that now its success is assured, a plant commensurate with the needs of the district will be erected during the coming summer.

Will the hungry party who lifted the bunch of chickens from Andy Craig's back-yard kindly return the feathers?

There is some talk of a match being ratified between young Geo. Haner of Trout Lake and a Swede lad residing at Ferguson, the event to take place at the Bonspiel on the 14th.

Rawhiding from the Lucky Boy is proceeding merrily.

Ferguson Items.

Mrs. Patton and family left town on Monday for Toronto, where they will in future reside.

Billy Cliffe, came in from Sandon on Friday, and will cast in his lot with the forces at 5-Mile. Since his arrival he has proved himself no mean exponent as a puck pursuer, and he figured most conspicuously in both the recent hockey matches.

J. Thorn is contemplating a trip to see the old folk in England. He left 5-Mile on Sunday.

A small congregation attended Divine service conducted by Rev. Sharp on Sunday evening. Next Sunday the Choral Society will render an attractive programme. A good attendance is anticipated.

J. Parisian piloted a sleighing party on Sunday from the Lake to 5-Mile.

The jail is now completed, but constable Kirkpatrick is not in a particularly good shape for running anybody in, as he has had to lay up with an attack of rheumatism. Evil doers, your hours are numbered, he's progressing favorably. Old Socks, too, anticipates a busy season, and his abilities as a tripehound may yet be proved.

There was a good-sized crowd at the Skating Rink on the 22nd to witness the hockey game between the Balmoral and Lardeau hotels. Punctual to time Doc Newcombe marshalled the teams to see that nothing more murderous than the needed sticks were in evidence, and at once tootled the siren for the battle. Both teams played desperately hard for strings of ver-dants, and some exceedingly funny capers were cut by one or two of the embryonic stars. A scrum in which four or five players concluded in a mix-up was a luxury, and an unrehearsed flip-flap was downright excitement. Still, at times there were some dashes which bore a resemblance to hockey. In these flights it generally resolved itself into Ern Crawford making for the goal with the whole bag-o'-tricks chasing him. At half-time he had beaten the Lardeau goalie five times. The second moiety was marred by an accident to Jack Cameron, he having the misfortune to be struck on the mouth with the puck at close quarters. However, Jack wears a heavy mustache, so the three stitches inserted won't make him regret the game and the loss of some mad magenta. Off again, and Ern Crawford made tracks with a "just watch me" expression with pronounced success three times more. Balmoral 8, Lardeau nil! Rotten! But a change was about to be wrought, as Billy Cliffe, a recent arrival from Sandon from whom great things were expected in matters hockey changed his position by joining the forwards. After apologising to Mister stage-driver for being on the earth, Billy Cliffe went through the whole opposition like a dose of—ask anybody how many seconds it took to get those four goals. The game was called, Balmoral 8, Lardeau 4. Teams—Lardeau: Basil Smith, W. Cliffe, W. Skinner, Asa Hillman, Sid Baskett, J. Cameron, T. Thompson. Balmoral: Alec. Cummings, Ern Crawford, S. Slinger, Geo. Weir, Frank Barber, Ed. Ward, J. Marat.

Levi's cigar drummer was trying his luck in town this week. Gordy Nellis was in from Camborne on Tuesday. G. R. Northey, editor of the Camborne Miner has been appointed a Justice of the Peace.

IT'S UP TO YOU.

This is the opportunity of your lifetime, Mr. Miner. We are to be visited by the American Institute of Mining Engineers. The following interesting communication was received this week:

Revelstoke, Jan. 20, 1905. Secretary, Board of Trade, Trout Lake, B.C.

Dear Sir,—Kindly bring under the notice of the Board the fact that the American Institute of Mining Engineers will visit this Province about June, and having been requested by the Committee to undertake the arrangement of the trips for visiting members in this section, I have to ask your co-operation and support in dealing with the matter such a way as will ensure the members of the Institute having a pleasant time while here, as well as being afforded opportunities of seeing something of the mineral resources of the district. It appears to me it would be well to get together a good collection of the ores of the district; to organize a steamboat excursion to Big Bend; to arrange a trip to Fish Creek, Trout Lake, Ferguson and Poplar. The visit of the members of the Institute cannot fail to have an important effect on directing the attention of capital to the mineral resources of the Province, and it appears to me the opportunity is one, that we, in this part of the Province, should make the most of.—Yours truly,

E. A. HAGGEN.

The correspondent hits the mark when he says that the visit of these gentlemen should "have an important effect on the directing the attention of capital." Now, the REVIEW makes a suggestion and an offer which we hope will be taken with a whole-heartedness by mine and property owners. We all cannot have the members of the Institute visit our individual properties, but we can have them cover the best part of the ground. We would suggest that every property-owner bring in samples of his rock and a description of the leads, topography, etc., and have them on exhibit in town. We have lots of room in the REVIEW office, and will make arrangements to have all samples and descriptions shown to the best advantage. Now, take this matter up, and let the people on the outside see that we have what we claim: THE RICHEST AND MOST DIVERSIFIED MINERAL DISTRICT IN THE PROVINCE.

PRESENTATION.

The regular communication of Tuscan Lodge was held on Thursday the 19th instant. This was the first meeting since the newly-elected officers were installed, and was the occasion of the brethren showing their appreciation of the services of Past-Master Geo. N. Taylor by presenting him with a silver tea and coffee service (with tray), suitably engraved. Brother Taylor was mainly instrumental in having a lodge installed at this point, and since the inception, a year ago last March, has held the position of Master. The better halves of the brethren were invited to attend the festivities after the regular business of the lodge. Those attending from the outside were Mr. and Mrs. George Lux, of Beaton, Messrs. Bullard and Coleman, of Camborne, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carter, Dr. W. E. and Mrs. Newcombe, J. Q. and Mrs. McKinnon, J. C. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and A. F. and Mrs. Rankine, of Ferguson. The banquetting room was tastefully decorated, and the appetites of the guests were agreeably tickled. Bro. H. McPherson in making the presentation made mention of the high regard and esteem in which Bro. Taylor was held, and expressed the opinion of all when he stated that it was only through the exertions of P.M. Taylor that Tuscan Lodge No. 39 had not only an existence, but was looked on all over the Jurisdiction as one of its best equipped and drilled lodges.

The Horseshoe Shipping.

The Horseshoe lessees have made their initial shipment of ore. It is expected that the shipment will run over \$150.00 per ton. The Horseshoe is one of our promising properties, and has sent at different times shipments of good value to smelters. It is owned by Andy Craig and Ed. Hillman, and adjoins the famous Lucky Boy property. The present lessees have undertaken a systematic plan of development, and we look to see the property turning out a success.

Cut this out. Wear it in your Hat.

Trout Lake Bonspiel
February 14th.

Tell Everybody. 'Spiel the Bonspiel.

Sleigh Trip to Ferguson.

A large party of Trout Lakers went up to Ferguson last Saturday night to pay a visit to the Skating rink. A 4-horse team was handled by Herb. Christy to draw the merry crowd, who greatly enjoyed the sleighing. Other parties made the trip in cutters, and on the arrival of the whole bevy, a very jolly time was spent. The ice was in first-class shape, and manager Shannon did the honors to the satisfaction of all. Before leaving for home, the party were invited to the residence of Mrs. J. Q. McKinnon, where light refreshments were provided. Notwithstanding we are Conservatives and high tariff advocates, we must acknowledge that Reciprocity is the right principle if participated in by all parties. The big crowd down to our carnival on Tuesday bore out this argument to the letter.

150 lb. Ore Sample.

Bert Fowler has brought in from the Mammoth group one of the finest samples of ore ever seen in town. It weighs about 150 lbs., and was taken from the Empire claim of the above group. An assay gave values of 2,000 ozs. in silver and 65 per cent lead. The sample is on exhibit in the REVIEW window, and is attracting a deal of attention. The claim is owned jointly by the Californian syndicate, Sid Graham and Bert Fowler.

The Grand Forks News-Gazette and the Evening Sun are still at daggers drawn. A reuke from the latter recently for betraying editorial dignity by cutting ice was thought a master-stroke, but the News-Gazette while not denying the allegation, retaliates in a recent issue by calling the editor of the Sun a full-blooded Siwash. Gentlemen, gentlemen, cut it out.

Lake Localets.

Tuesday was a gala day in the annals of Trout Lake. All Ferguson, their sisters, brothers and cousins, were here in holiday attire. They went home happy and contented over their winnings at hockey, and the denizens of Trout Lake are also happy and appreciate the good-will shown by the attendance of so many from their sister town.

We regret to announce the departure this week of J. B. Henderson and family for Grand Forks. When the Canadian Timber and Sawmills Co. were first organized, Mr. Henderson was appointed general manager, and held that position until the company got into financial difficulties last fall. As friends and citizens Mr. Henderson and his family have been all that could be desired, and their absence will be missed both in church and social circles. Miss Eva will, however, remain as post-mistress here, and Miss Isabel will retain her position as teacher at Ferguson. The REVIEW wishes the family all prosperity wherever they may go.

Host McLennan of the Windsor is expected home the beginning of next week.

Fred Elliott, Bob Benson, Alec. Crawford, and A. W. Edge, left Monday for Nelson to take part in the Bonspiel. We trust the boys will make a good record for Trout Lake and bring back some kind of a trophy with them. As an incentive to do or die, the first three gentlemen took their wives along. The fourth would if he could.

Late McLellan and Fred Mills are down from the Horse Shoe putting in a few days' holidays.

A sociable evening was spent Monday at the Oddfellows' Hall, the occasion being a farewell party to the Misses Henderson. A large number were present, who all expressed their regret at the departure of the family referred to.

E. L. Kinman is taking out his logging plant this week. This is no indication that the logging business of this part is played out, but only that the present company and Mr. Kinman cannot agree. E. L. has taken a big contract on the Arrow Lakes, which we trust will be a profitable one.

O. B. N. Wilkie and family left Thursday for the coast, where they will spend the new few months.

We regret to learn that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Madden is seriously ill. We trust that the illness will only be temporary, and that the little one may be spared to grow as big as his father "Bob."

A lady applicant for a school in a neighbouring school district was asked the question: "What is your position upon whipping children?" and her reply was—"My usual position is on a chair with the child held firmly across my knees, face downward."—She didn't get the job.

J. C. Hanson, was in from Poplar yesterday. He returned this morning.

The curling team visiting Nelson were doomed to disappointment, for on arrival there they heard of its postponement by reason of the unfavorable change in the climate. A telegram was received here to that effect after the departure of the party. It was too bad that they should miss the fun here.

Mrs. Kennedy has removed to Mr. Hunt's residence.

A SPLENDID GAME.

It was a happy thought on the part of the local enthusiasts to arrange a hockey match between the twin cities of Ferguson and Trout Lake in the afternoon prior to the evening Carnival. The big crowd witnessed the fastest hockey game ever played in town. From start to finish the game must be characterized as swift and gentlemanly, and Ferguson won for the simple reason that they put a better team on the ice than their opponents.

The match was arranged as the season's curtain-raiser, and with the object of selecting the most skilful exponents to do battle for the district throughout the season. We know now that we can make it as hot as mustard for any junior team in the interior; but this is en passant. To the game.

Ferguson defended the goal at the entrance end, and on the puck being started Trout Lake immediately attacked. Some smart passing by the Lake forwards gave Woods an opening, but he was checked at a critical moment by E. Crawford. Keeping up the pressure the Lake team could do everything but score, the puck being cleared by the Ferguson defence almost miraculously, only to be brought into action for a further fusillade. The game was exceedingly fast, and the players were showing the effects of it. It appeared at this juncture that Ferguson men were wearing the best, for they took up the attack in spirited fashion. Schulze in the Lake goal was literally bombarded with shots, and at length a yell from the Ferguson rooters heralded the fall of the Lake goal. The latter now made a supreme effort to equalize, and a smart run down by Henderson on the right was rendered futile by Ern Crawford, who was a team in himself. Half-time arrived with Ferguson ace in hole and the Lake pressing.

Immediately on resuming, Barber lost a fine opening, and Boulbee securing sent in a shot which failed, and Jack and Will Crawford were a minute later making the Ferguson team rustle hard to keep the puck out. Woods and W. Crawford were responsible for some clever work, but were pulled up in the nick of time by Slinger. A breakaway by Porteous and Cliffe found the home custodian prepared, and three shots were saved in as many seconds. Doc Robinson took a pot shot at the Ferguson stronghold which the goalie punted out. Perhaps the smartest piece of individual play throughout the game was here witnessed, as Ern Crawford took the puck through the opposition with remarkable agility, and beat Schulze at the mouth of the goal. Ferguson 2, Lake 0. In spite of the reverses Trout Lake continued to play in a determined manner, but their luck was not in, and the Puckroll Centre through the instrumentality of E. Crawford scored twice more before the game was called, leaving them victorious by 4-0.

Teams: Trout Lake—O. Woods, F. Schulze, E. K. Boulbee, Dr. Robinson, J. Crawford, J. Henderson, W. Crawford.

Ferguson—E. Crawford, J. Marat, S. Slinger, E. C. Benson, F. Barber, H. Porteous, W. Cliffe.

Referee: Dr. W. E. Newcombe; timekeepers, Messrs. Craig and Atherton.

Average Price of Metals.

	1904	1903
Silver, cents per oz.	57.25	53.57
Lead, per 100.	4.375	4.237
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NOW FOR THE BONSPIEL.

The success of the Carnival and hockey match on Tuesday last ought to be an incentive to the people of Trout Lake and Ferguson to put forth their best endeavours to make the sports arranged for on the 14th of February an unqualified success. There is no doubt but that a team can be picked from the players who took part in Tuesday's game that will hold their own with any team in the Kootenays.

It remains with the people who will benefit largely to contribute to the expenses necessary to the getting in of outside curlers and hockeyists. It costs money, and it is only through judicious advertising and careful attention to details that success can be attained.

Roseland, Nelson, Revelstoke and other towns have always received a large measure of support from this part of the country, and we feel assured that it is only the opportunity that is wanting for them to return it in full measure.

THE DUNCAN RIVER AGAIN.

We notice in the estimates of the Dominion House the annual appropriation of \$2,600.00 for improvements on the Duncan River. Attention has been called repeatedly to the utter uselessness of the expenditure of this money, and we think if the liberal press would use their influence with the Government to curtail matters along this line it would pay a great deal better than always harping on the two per cent. tax imposed by the Provincial legislature.

We copy an extract from the Nelson Tribune showing the methods that are being adopted by the Kaslo liberals, and feel assured that if all would stop this petty bickering and get in and work for the interests of British Columbia, that the outside world would have more confidence in our resources and the interests of the Province would be advanced materially.

"According to advices from Kaslo, the official head of post-master 'Sam' Green is to be lopped off to satisfy the political opponents of his brother, who is chief commissioner of lands and works in the Joly-McBride government. 'Sam' Green has been post-master at Ainsworth and Kaslo for 14 years, and the public at both places have been well served. Mr. Green has not been an offensive partisan, no more so than the post-master at Nelson, or Roseland, or Revelstoke. But 'Bob' Green has rubbed it in on the political liberals of Kaslo, and not being able to get even with Bob, they are getting even with Sam. Politics is a game, not always played fairly, and it seems that the game as played in Kaslo is one of the unfair ones. If S. H. Green is dismissed as postmaster at Kaslo, he at least will go out of office with the good-will of every old-timer in Kootenay."

The lessee of the rink must have been born under a lucky star, as scarcely had the skaters left the ice when down came the rain and the ice softened up with the change of weather. He would have been a heavy loser had the carnival been fixed for the following day.

It generally happens that at a gala or carnival where excitement has run high, someone fancies they're "it." He cropped up towards the close of the festivities at the rink on Tuesday night, and while his voluminous thorax gave utterance to the adjectives and expletives which emanated from a alcoholic sponge (and consequently was luxury in his bibulous condition), it was extremely nauseous to everybody else. The REVIEW hopes that the "It" of this article will be promptly shown the door

on a future occasion. A pair of handcuffs and a gag might then be appropriately introduced.

Additional Lake Locals.

Alec Biggar and Frank Landrian came in yesterday from the Silver Plate. Cross-cutting has been the nature of the work since they took over the property. They have now got into the lead, and are well satisfied with the good showing.

E. E. Chipman, gold commissioner Kaslo riding was in Ferguson yesterday on a visit of inspection to the recently erected jail. We wonder if E.E.C. encountered a toothless snag.

D. Champagne, 5-Mile, was in town on Saturday.

Lost we forget.

February 14th.

Is the date.

Of the Trout Lake Bonspiel.

Squire Thompson was in from Beaton this morning. He says there is an opening down there for some strong men to haul snow from here to make decent sleighing.

Lewy Guere is resting.

So is the big Swede.

No skating to-night.

Ferguson Ice Carnival On Tuesday.

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DEFAULT SUMMONS.

IN the County Court of Kootenay, holden at Trout Lake, between Robert Madden and Louis Levesque, doing business as Madden & Levesque, of Trout Lake, B.C., hereinafter plaintiffs, and Walter B. Curtis, of Trout Lake, B.C., hereinafter defendant.

TAKE NOTICE, that unless within eight days after the personal service of this summons on you, you return to the Registrar of this Court at Trout Lake, the requisite note below, dated and signed by yourself (or your solicitor), and stating briefly your grounds of defence to the action, you will not afterwards be allowed to make any defence to the claim which the plaintiff makes on you, as per margin, the particulars of which are hereunto annexed; but the plaintiff may, without giving any proof in support of such claim, herein proceed to final judgment and execution. If you return such dispute note to the Registrar within the time specified, the Registrar will send you, by post, notice of the day upon which the action will be tried.

Claim, \$83.75; Fee for plaint and service, \$3.00; Costs, solicitors, etc., \$10.00; Total amount of debt and costs, \$96.75; Costs of garnishee, \$3.10; Total including garnishee, \$99.85. Dated this 19th day of September, 1904 F. C. CAMPBELL, Registrar of the Court.

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NOTICE TO CO-OWNERS.

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 Lardero 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 undersigned under section 4 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act of 1900. Dated at Trout Lake this 7th day of October, '04.
J. C. KIRKPATRICK,
Co-owner.

Revelstoke Assessment Dist.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all assessed taxes and income tax, assessed and levied under the "Assessment Act, 1903," for the Revelstoke Assessment District, are due and payable for the year 1905, at my office, situate at the Court House, Revelstoke. This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes.
Dated at Revelstoke, B. C., this 3rd day of January, 1905.
FRED FRASER,
Assessor and Collector, Revelstoke Assessment District.

NOTICE.

The ordinary annual general meeting of the Old Gold Quartz and Placer Mining Company, Ltd. (Incl.), will be held at the office of the Company, Trout Lake, B.C., on Friday, 3rd day of February, 1905, at 8 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Books will be closed for transfers from Jan. 28th, 1905, until after the meeting.
M. F. CHESTNUT,
Secy. Treasurer.
Dated at Trout Lake, B.C., 5th January, 1905.

NOTICE.

The ordinary annual general meeting of The Primrose Gold Mining Company, Ltd. (Incl.), will be held at the office of the Company, Trout Lake, B.C., on Friday, February 3rd, 1905, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting. Books will be closed for transfers from Jan. 28th, 1905, until after the meeting.
J. M. MILLER,
Secy. Treasurer.
Dated at Trout Lake, B.C., 5th day of January, 1905.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS.

To PHILIP KING and J. W. SMITH or to whomsoever 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 of 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 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 CO-OWNER.

To John A. Mara, J. J. Foley, Geo. T. Newman and Wm. S. Newman 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 Gold Bug mineral claim situated on the south fork of Lardero creek near Division of West Kootenay district and Province of British Columbia have done the required work on the above-mentioned mineral claims for the year '04 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 together with the cost of this advertisement your interest in the said mineral claims will become the property of the undersigned under section 4 of the mineral act amendment act of '00. Dated at Trout Lake this 30th day of November, 1904.
Jas. W. LIVINGSTON
Dec. 2, '04 Co-owner.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Broken Hill mineral claim, situate in Trout Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay district.

Where located:—On Rapid Creek, adjoining the Coronation.
Take Notice that I, O. B. N. Wilkie, acting as agent for Cutler T. Porter, free miner's certificate No. 183331, 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 24th day of November, A.D. 1904.
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Take notice that I, Alfred J. Curle, acting as agent for W. N. Brayton, free miner's certificate No. B 77346, 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 29th day of October, A. D., 1904.
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Carnival Was Big Success.

The Carnival held at the Skating Rink on Tuesday last must go down to history as one of Trout Lake's most brilliant functions. A thaw had set in during the day, but the ice in the rink was not materially affected, and a big crowd assembled to participate in the brilliant scene.

Hats off to the promoter! So say all of the bright throng who glided over the smooth ice while enchanting music supplied by the local orchestra fell on the ear. And what an air of mystery pervaded the hall! Graceful courtiers pirouetted with meek and lowly nuns, while a warlike Sioux peacefully gyrated with a gentle shepherdess. There were to be seen a galaxy of clowns, pierrots and punchinellos, ladies in garb of cavaliers, gentlemen attired as Bohemian girls, and children flitting hither and thither as elf, cupids and will-o'-wispes. There were a good muster of sight-seers, and it was generally conceded that the judges had a very hard task to award the prizes.

However, Mrs. A. E. Jowett and Ed. Ward were singularly successful in this, and in making their awards hit the popular fancy. The first prize in the ladies' series was captured by Miss Effie Batho, who looked charming as a Spanish dancer. The second prize for the funniest costume was won by Mrs. Cal. Garrison, whose make-up and grotesque capers as a negro washer-woman were exceedingly smart. Bert Fowler as an Indian chief was a fine creation, and the first prize was well merited. The prize for the funniest costume was won by the Wild Man from Borneo, as portrayed by Johnny Kennedy, a most original and ludicrous impersonation.

A word of praise must be bestowed to the band for the part they contributed to the evening's enjoyment. Ere departing, one and all voted the carnival a huge success.

An Opportunity.

The developments on the Trout Lake slope of Silver Cup mountain during the past season warrants us in saying that the time is not far distant when there will be a reduction plant or smelter works established on the shores of Trout Lake. The bonding of the No. 3 and the I.X.L., which are both tantamount to sales to Eastern parties, the amount of ore on the Cromwell, Lucky Jim, Winslow, the Mrs. Jowett properties, and numerous others, ought to be inducement enough in itself to capital to take initiatory steps towards the handling of the ores. In fact, there ought to be enough local money to establish a plant of sufficient size to handle a good tonnage.

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