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LIFE ON CARIBOO CREEK.

Or the Ups and Downs of the Yellow Metal Hunters.

Hugh Madden, received the license for his Burton City hotel on Tuesday.

Senator Lougheed, of Alberta is interested in a placer mine on the creek.

Arnold and Evton, have found cube galena, some distance up Cariboo creek.

Another ledge of gold-bearing rock has been discovered on Mineral creek.

T. R. Saunders, has located a mineral claim, at the head waters of Cariboo creek, about 30 miles from the Columbia river.

Raspberries are very plentiful on Cariboo creek, and the boys will not suffer from scurvy while they last.

Ten pack animals are now kept busy carrying supplies from Burton City to the diggings. The maximum price for packing is three cents per pound.

The lay-over expired yesterday, and all claims not properly represented are liable to be jumped.

Quite a number of men are whipsawing the lumber they require. It costs about $60 a thousand feet cut in this way.

J. McKiernan has sold his interest in the Goat Canyon Co., to T. Abriel

The Golddust Co., will soon be in shape for sluicing,

The Stayner Co., are down nine feet, and will turn on the water this week.

The Bridge Co., commenced washing dirt last week.

At the Discovery the wing dam has been finished, and the sluice boxes will be in position by next Saturday.

Bob Lane and Tom Skeels, are making sluice boxes on their claims.

The Calgary Co., will wash dirt this week.

The Nakusp Mining Co., has the water turned on 700 feet, and will have the boxes ready next Monday.

Several men will be put to work by the Lady Sampson Co., this week.

Anderson & Wright have two men working on their claims.

Several companies have done work more or less extensive on their properties, and their worth ought to be known by September 1st.

The Rising Sun Co., has a head dam finished, and will see bed-rock in a few days.

The Goat Canyon Co., has their wing dam nearly finished, and are getting the sluices ready.

Work is being done on the creek, here and there for a distance of 11 miles. The water is still high and very cold, so that life is none too hot for the men working in it.

The Waneta Co., has been sluicing for some time and have secured some coarse gold from the cement gravel. It is reported that they are averaging $7 a day to the man. Not long ago they offered a half interest in six of their claims for $100, but suddenly raised the price to $1400. This company do not want to be bothered by visitors, and prefer to surround their operations with an air of mystery.

The trail is cut 11 miles from Trout creek It is in fair condition, but could be improved by sideling and grading from Goat canyon to the Discovery. This would make it much safer for animals. For several days miners have had considerable difficulty in getting through the smoke and fallen timber from Goat Canyon to the Columbia river.

Bears are plentiful along the creek. The other night, one, large and healthy, poked his nose into Joe Darraug's tent and woke up Joe's dog Bob. Bob is a very knowing cuss, and instead of chewing up the bear, he woke up his master. Joe reached for his rifle, but found it unloaded, and bruin slid away in the darkness. It is little incidents like these that make life interesting on the creek.

The following placer claims, on Cariboo creek, have been recorded since August 1st.—

Alberta—

F. Dick
J. S. Freeze
J. Walker
T Beveridge
J. R. Costigan
A. McBride
J. Cossar
S. S. Fowler
J. M. Freeze
E. H. Fishburn
B. J. Freeze
G. Beveridge
J. A. Lougheed

Little Fred—

F. Fauquier
J. E. Brouse
A. E. Fauquier.

Eureka—

J. Glover
G. B. Old
R. McDougall
T. Gladwin.

Nelson—

G. R. Robson

A TERRIBLE FALL.

James Colwell Drops Forty Feet From a Railroad Bridge.

James Colwell, who is 37 years of age, while working on a railroad bridge near Roseberry, last Saturday fell to the ground, a distance of forty feet. He was brought to Nakusp, on the construction train, late Saturday evening, and taken to the Madden House. Upon examination it was found that he had fallen on his left side, fracturing his arm in two places and breaking his thigh bone. In addition to these severe injuries, several ribs were broken and internal damage sustained. Considerable difficulty was found in setting his leg owing to the fracture being a muscular one making the limb five inches shorter than the other. Dr Brouse, has the man in charge, and expects that his patient will be around in a few weeks, provided the internal trouble is not too severe. Colwell is unfortunate, having spent some time in the hospital last winter.

A Rich Assay.

In the latter part of July, George Hardie located a claim, and called it the Golden Eagle. It is situated on the west side of Cariboo creek, and not far from Mineral creek. It was the first mineral claim located on the creek, and is crossed by the Government trail. The ledge on this claim is about eight feet wide, and carries a small vein of gold quartz An assay on it gave, $481 in free milling gold, and 6 ozs. in silver. Nelson Demers, B. C. Rodd and others had often noticed the ledge, but did not think it worth recording. Such are the fortunes of prospecting.

LOCAL ASSAYS.

When the railroad is completed to Three Forks, lumber will be sold at that point for $11 a thousand feet.

J. B. Wilson, is opening a store in a tent at Three Forks.

Big Sandy McDonald, while chopping a tree, not far from Three Forks, last Friday met with an accident. The tree some way struck, and threw him down the side of the mountain, causing an injury to his chest. He had to come to Nakusp for surgical treatment.

Mr. McQuarrie, a contractor from New Westminter, is in town.

W. C. Sampson, is in Nelson, attending the County Court.

Valuable to Travelers.

Anybody can measure, approximately, the breadth of a river without a surveyor's compass or any mechanical means whatever. The man who desires to make the experiment should place himself at the edge of the stream, then stand perfectly upright, face the opposite bank, and lower the brim of his hat until it just cuts the opposite bank. Then let him put both his hands under his chin to steady his head and turn slowly round until the hat brim touches some point on the level ground behind him. Mark the spot where the hat brim cuts the ground, pace off the distance and it will be found about the breadth of the river.

Story of a Parrot.

In one New York family three children were afflicted with whooping cough. They coughed and coughed and coughed, and the family parrot took it into his head to imitate them. When any one of the children coughed he would accompany it with a coughing paroxysm so natural that it was impossible to tell whether it was one of the children or the parrot that was coughing. The bird seemed to enjoy having the whooping cough, and after a while he clamored for medicine whenever he saw that it was being administered to the children.

Egyptology.

In her interesting book entitled "Pharaoh, Fellahs and Explorers," Miss Amelia B. Edwards, who is an Egyptologist of the front rank, gives an entertaining account of ancient Egyptian notions of immortality. Man, emerging from barbarism, is like an intelligent child, full of curiosity about himself. He is puzzled by the mystery of his own existence, and according to his limited experience he seeks to account for that mystery. Now, the ancient inhabitants of the Nile Valley accounted for themselves in a very elaborate and philosophical fashion. They conceived of man as a composite being, consisting of at least six parts, viz., a body, a soul, an intelligence, a shadow, a name and an other element called in Egyptian Ka. The co-operation of these six parts as one harmonious whole constituted the living man. But they were dissociated by death, and could be reunited only after a long probation. When so reunited it was forever. Meanwhile, being dead, the body lay inert in the tomb, the soul performed its pious pilgrimage through a dream-haunted valley of shades; the intelligence, freed from mortal incumbrance, wandered through space; the shadow and the name awaited the return of the soul when its pilgrimage should be accomplished, and the Ka dwelt with the mummy in the sepulcher.

Miss Edwards considers this Ka to be the life principle in man. Being vital it requires nourishment, and hence it was a matter of daily prayer among the Egyptians that the Kas of their dear departed might be provided with a series of good square meals. Being divine the Ka was immortal. And around this the disjecta membra should by and by reunite.

Miss Edwards suggests that this Egyptian word Ka is none other than the Hebrew word khai, meaning "life." "It may be," she says, "that the Greeks borrowed their 'vital spark,' as they borrowed so much else, from the Egyptians. At any rate, the Hebrews (who carried away out of Egypt even more intellectual spoils than spoils of silver, gold and raiment) were indebted to their taskmasters for their doctrines of the khai, or life. They, in fact, borrowed not only the idea, but the very word."

A Gilt-Edged Risk.

Life Insurance President (in astonishment)—What made the sun ever made you take a risk on this man's life? Why, he swears he has been a confirmed invalid for five years!

Superintendent—One of the best of risks, sir. Confirmed invalids never die of anything but old age.

The largest peach orchard in the world is that of the Ohio Fruit Land company, situated near Fort Valley, Ga. The orchard at present contains 150,000 trees, and is being enlarged every year.

PEOPLE OVER THE SEAS.

M. Waddington, French ambassador to London, gets a salary stated at $60,000 a year.

On state occasions the shah of Persia smokes a pipe set with diamonds, rubies and emeralds, said to be worth nearly four hundred thousand dollars.

Riaz Pasha, the new Egyptian prime minister, is credited by certain English writers with being as ardent a hater of Great Britain as his predecessor, but a more skillful dissembler.

The London Optician says that great men are usually blue-eyed, and instances Shakespeare, Socrates, Locke, Bacon, Milton, Goethe, Franklin, Napoleon, Bismarck, Gladstone, Huxley, Virchow and Renan.

Mr. Henry Sell, of Fleet street, London, who has had exceptional opportunities for collecting early copies of newspapers for the past twenty years, is to present an exhibition of old newspapers at the world's fair.

SMILES.

The bottom of a strawberry box is a very small affair, but it always gets very near to the top.

"I wonder if it's true that every man has his price?" "No; for just think how many of them give themselves away."

"I don't see why you are so suspicious of the man." "Because he took his own umbrella when there was a much better one beside it."

Looking over Music.—"Do you know, 'I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls,' it is—" He—"Ah, well, I suppose it was because you ate something for dinner that didn't agree with you."

Aunt Hettie (viewing de Milo)—"Look here, Fannie, don't you want to take this down town with us?" Fannie—"What for, auntie?" "Well, it's been a standin' here for a whole month without any arms, and it don't look very tidy to me."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

NEWS OF THE ORIENT.

Every Chinese village has a theatre.

A Chinese bank note 500 years old is preserved in a Chinese museum.

A disease peculiar to Japan is called the kake. It is believed to result from eating too much rice.

There is a lake near the Japanese town of Nara in which no person is permitted to bathe, because once, many years ago, a Japanese emperor bathed there and the waters have since been held sacred.

Japan imports about 175,000 pounds of butter yearly, of which about 70,000 pounds are from the United States, and 50,000 pounds from France. A large quantity of fresh butter is manufactured there, and it is preferred to that imported in tins, which is used almost entirely for cooking purposes.

WIT AND WISDOM.

Every reform that comes and stays begins in the heart.

No matter who he is, the man who never gives is a slave.

There is more power in gentleness than there is in dynamite.

Nothing will do more to put wrinkles in your face than worrying about things you can't help.

Crowded With Population.

The Manderaggio, which is one of the quarters of Valetta, the capital of the island of Malta, is one of the most crowded spots on earth. In Valetta itself the proportion is 75,000 to the square mile, but in the Manderaggio 2,[illegible] people dwell on a surface two acres and a half in extent, and this gives no less than 636,000 to the square mile, or 1,017.6 to the acre. In the most crowded town in Britain, Liverpool, the proportion is only 118.4 to the acre.

When Handel's "Messiah" was first given to Dublin on April 13, 1742, the desire of the people to hear it was so great that the ladies of rank in the city agreed for that particular occasion to go without hoops so that an additional number of people could be admitted.

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INTERESTING NOTES.

Sand on the coast of Coney Island is said to be getting very scarce.

Glory Hallelujah Jones is the imposing name of a Mississippi colored person.

A Guatemalan mother gives her consent to her daughter's marriage by belaboring the young lady with a heavy stick.

Buffalo has an "agency of direction," a sort of philanthropic intelligence office which makes no charge for its services.

It is said more trees were blown down throughout southern Oregon during the late storms than during all other storms in the history of the state.

The term "tabby cat" is derived from Attabi, a famous street in Bagdad, inhabited by the manufacturers of silken stuff called attabi or taffety. This stuff is woven with waved markings of watered silk resembling a "tabby" cat's coat.

The highest priced town on the line of a railroad in North America is said to be Calgary, the center of the Alberta ranching country. Beer is sold there at twenty-five cents a glass, and the barkeeper bottles up what is left after he has turned out a glass ful.

MAKERS OF MUSIC.

A symphony composed by Prince Henry, of Reuss, has just been produced at the famous Gewandhaus concerts in Leipsic, and thus another member is added to the ranks of royal composers.

A niece of Mozart, Frau Josepha Lang, died at Vienna a short time ago, at the age of 73, almost in poverty. During her latter years she was practically supported by admirers of the great composer.

Prof. Frederick Nicholls Crouch, the venerable composer of "Kathleen Mavourneen," and "Dermott Asthore," leads the orchestra during the singing of his song "Mavourneen," and, despite his eighty five years, is in excellent health.

TAX NOTES.

The Russian government will shortly impose a special duty upon foreign goods conveyed from one Russian port to another in foreign vessels.

Great Britain derives a revenue of $1,200,000 yearly from the sale of revenue stamps that must be put upon all packages of patent medicines.

A law has been passed in the British colony of Victoria imposing a five per cent. duty on the income derived from property in the colony by persons not resident in the colony.

It is proposed in France to impose a tax of ten centimes for 1,000 francs upon time bargains on the Bourse. This tax is expected to yield 12,000,000 francs, which would help to cover the deficit resulting from the reform of the liquor tax.

MUTTON CHOPS.

It is well to enlarge the flock, but don't do it by keeping old ewes.

Don't use racks that allow dust and hay seeds to sift down into the woolly backs or necks feeding at them.

Nothing pays better than good fences in sheep keeping, unless it be a dog proof fold for night protection.

Timothy hay, though highest in market, is poorest for sheep. Give them clover if you would see them prosper and make you do the same.—Farm Journal.

SAGE SAYINGS.

Nobody can become rich by never giving away anything.

The best workers are those who have learned best how to rest.

The man who never praises his wife deserves to have a poor one.

Not many tears are shed when the man dies who has lived only for himself.

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16 30	Depart NELSON Arrive	20 45
‡16 50	Kootenay Crossing	20 25‡
‡17 35	Slocan Crossing	19 40‡
18 15	Arrive ROBSON Depart	19 00

Trains from Nelson will wait arrival of boat from Bonner's Ferry and Lake Points on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

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THURSDAY, AUG. 16, 1894.

HINT TO DENVER.

While the New Denver people are in the business, would it not be as well to complete the work by organizing a stock company to build as an adjunct to the Comique, a first-class gambling hell. It would not take a very large amount of money to get a complete outfit, and engage a gang of well-dressed tinhorns and boosters to conduct the concern. They conld watch for the hard-working miner and steer him against the game, The miner would then be sure to spend his money in New Denver, and build up the town. We think the miners would appreciate this kind of a dive in preference to the Comique. They could have more fun for their money, and fewer headaches and other ailments that follow in the wake of a night or two at the mining camp Comique.

We hope the business men of New Denver will take the above remarks into serious consideration. They are so anxious to build up their town by the hard earnings of the brave and generous miner, that they should not overlook anything that will have a tendency to corrupt his morals, and cause him to loosen up all his cash. We hope the New Denverites will have a red roaring camp. They are so anxious for it, and the boodle of the lonesome miner They are so desirous of entertaining him, that they should leave no rock unturned to furnish him nothing elevating in the way of recreation. Denver must be built up some way. The miner may eventually die in the ditch, broke, unhonored and unsung, but New Denver must be a town, no matter how.

It has been rumored during the past week that Kellie would resign his seat in the Local House, in order to give Vernon a chance to get there, and that another election would be held in the north riding, in which Schou would oppose Vernon. It was also said that Kellie was to be rewarded by being appointed gold commissioner at Revelstoke. The rumor came from the Opposition party, and as Kellie has been in the Big Bend for some time, we are unable to learn anything about the truth of the report.

While their is scarcely room for one paper in New Denver, another one is to be issued in a few days. The new venture will be edited by that intellectual giant, D. B. Bogle, and owned by the same parties who ran the despised and unfortunate Kaslo Times The new sheet will no doubt be a losing speculation, as it is scarcely reasonable to suppose that New Denver people will put up with what Kaslo discarded. Besides, no Slocan town likes to have its affairs dictated from Nelson, especially when the proprietors of the dictation paper own real estate, which they would like to unload with the aid of their sheet. There is no room, or need for a real estate boom in New Denver. The Government property in the front of the town is sufficient for all practicable purposes for years to come and those who invest there money outside of it will only be tying it up to enrich a band of speculators.

In addition, a journal has been published there through all the hard times, and it would be a cowardly act now, to desert it for a rag that is owned by a gang of would-be rulers of all creation.

R. B. Kerr's name has been spoken of as a candidate, some day, for honors in the Federal parliament. As an orator he is no doubt fitted for a position of that kind, but the party he orated for so sturdily in the recent campaign do not want a Scotchman to represent them, and he would have no show in South Kootenay. In that riding the Opposition must have Canadians in office, even if they are dumb, in preference to a gifted man from across the sea, whose silver-tongued utterances are accentuated in a tone common to the land of porridge and heather.

The Revelstoke Mail, like a jealous child makes an outcry because a coast paper accidentally did not give it credit for a short article. The Mail forgets that all papers are, more or less guily of literary piracy, and the ones that do the most stealing, are generally the first to squeal.

The Mail has frequently done the same thing with this paper, and no sound came from us. But, for cool, unblushing embezzlement of news items the Kamloops Sentinel deserves notice. In a recent issue of that paper we counted 19 items taken from this journal, and not one of them credited. We admire an editor who does that. It shows that he is generous and is above petty larceny. We would like to help him as much as possible, and if he will pay the express charge we will send him our forms every week, and save him the expense of putting our matter in type.

Possibly, the Sentinel man may be short of cap. L's, and not able to spell the name of this paper properly. If he is, he will please excuse the above remarks, as it is an L of a hard thing to be out of such a prominent letter as is used in commencing the name of Nakusp's first and only newspaper.

NOTICE!

NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner Lands and Works for authority to take and convey and divert one hundred inches of water from creek, located on J. Robinson's pre-emption. To divert water in a southerly direction through a ditch to cross J. Robinson's pre-emption, the same ditch to cross a portion of J. Cooper's pre-emption, ditch to end on applicant's pre-emption. Water to be used for irrigating purposes.

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Mining Notes.

A quarter interest in the Alice, on 12 Mile creek, Kaslo, has been sold to a Duluth man for $500.

The buildings at the Washington, Egypt, and several other Slocan properties have been burned by the forest fires.

More eastern capital is to be employed in gold mining at Waneta.

The Tribune reports a rich strike about 20 miles south-east of Nelson, near the Salmon. Three claims were located by Messrs. McGuigar, Brennan, McDonald and Hennessy. The ore on the surface is free milling, and carries $10 in gold, The vein is a contact, 30 feet wide, with dolomite for the hanging wall and granite for the foot wall. Several prospectors are now on their way to the scene of the new strike.

It is reported that a concentrator will be built at the Silver King. The new machinery at this mine is being placed in position.

LOCAL ASSAYS.

H. C. Coursier, of Revelstoke was in town on Monday.

Miss Sadie Genelle, formerly of Kamloops is now a resident of this town.

Dr. Sanson, of Clinton, B. C., was married last week in Petrolia, Ont., to Miss Jennie McDonald.

Geo. Thomas, V. S., is visiting his brother, U. S. Thomas.

The County Court, will be in session, at Nelson, on Saturday.

Frank Bourne, spent several days in Revelstoke this week.

Ald. McCraney, of Vancouver, has been arrested for embezzlement.

Ridsdale is an authority upon the porcupine question.

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TIME TABLE NO. 3.
To take effect on Saturday, May 19th, 1894.

Trains West.	Station.	Trains East.
16 30	Depart NELSON Arrive	20 45
‡16 50	Kootenay Crossing	20 25‡
‡17 35	Slocan Crossing	19 40‡
18 15	Arrive ROBSON Depart	19 00

Trains from Nelson will wait arrival of boat from Bonner's Ferry and Lake Points on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

‡ Flag Stations.

☞ Above Trains will run Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

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Commencing May 2nd passengers for Trail Creek, Nakusp, New Denver, Revelstoke, and all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave Spokane on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m., connecting at Northport with steamer (same day) at 1 p.m.

Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

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The town already contains Six Hotels, Several Dwelling Houses, Stores, Sawmill, with a capacity of 30,000 feet per diem, a substantial Wharf, Warehouses, Blacksmith Shop and many other buildings.

Saved by a Miss.

"I was lieutenant-colonel of a Kentucky cavalry regiment," continued Colonel John C. Underwood, of Kentucky, "Our command was in East Tennessee, and one bright moonlight night I concluded to ride away from camp and take a look about the vicinity. I rode several miles, and, coming to a farm house, hitched my horse and knocked at the door. A young woman, the most beautiful I had ever seen, it seemed to me, appeared after awhile, and invited me in. She and her aged mother were the only occupants of the house, the man of the family being in the Confederate army. We chatted pleasantly for a few minutes, when my fair hostess suddenly said: 'Colonel, you ran a great risk in leaving your horse in such an exposed position; the Yankee pickets are all about us. I will go and put him in the barn.'

"She left the room, and after a few minutes returned, when we resumed our conversation. Suddenly she started up and listened. 'Colonel, you must go now,' she exclaimed. 'I hear the sound of horses' hoofs; the Federals are coming!' Rushing out of doors, she led my horse to the back of the house, and I, following her, jumped on his back. The most natural thing for me to have done would have been to set spurs to him and get away as soon as possible. But I could not. I was young and impressionable, and the situation was entrancing. The moon shed a silver light upon the earth, a gentle breeze was stirring, and the rustle of the leaves in the grand old trees was like music to my soul. And amid these enchanting surroundings, a beautiful face with tearful eyes looked "set" like on ice-balls.'

A "Cape Codder" tells how he cured a setting hen. "I made," he says, "half a dozen snowballs and soaked them in water. In the morning they were solid ice. I shaped them as near like an egg as possible and then placed them under the setting hen. She smiled. I stood by and watched her. She cuddled the ice eggs under her and chuckled softly to them. In about ten minutes she appeared to get uneasy. She arose and scratched the darlings together and shook herself; then, evidently satisfied, settled down again. Soon she got up once more, this time with evident concern; something was wrong surely; perhaps the weather was getting cold. She felt wet and chilly, but with great perseverance, she sat down again, and again got up, this time for good. She walked out of the box and then turned and looked in, but she had had enough."

A Wonderful Old Lady.

Next to Cato, who learned Greek at eighty, Mrs. Olive Thorne Miller, the writer on birds, is probably the most remarkable example of what can be acquired after school-days proper are past. She was beyond middle age before she could distinguish one bird from another. She had a friend, an enthusiastic ornithologist, however, and in her endeavor to be a sympathetic companion to the bird-lover Mrs. Miller's own interest was aroused. To-day she is an accepted authorityon all things ornithological.

A Wife's Money in England.

One English judge has held that if a woman spends her own money in supplying necessaries to her household, it is not to be regarded as money advanced to her husband, in the absence of a definite engagement to repay it on his part. Another holds that if husband and wife invest money made by them in joint business in their joint names, the husband alone can use the income as he pleases.

What He Had Done.

Salvation Army Lisper—My dear thir what have you done to be thaved?

Johnson (feeling of his chin)—Used a safety razor. Why, do I look wounded?

Patti's Method.

Mme. Patti chooses her servants for Craig-y-Nos with reference to their vocal powers rather than to their domestic capabilities. Her castle is always crowded with guests and operatic performances in the little theatre are frequent, when it is necessary for her to recruit her troupe from the servants' hall.

A MODERN VALENTINE.

I've written it, love with a stiff steel pen;
For the geese, I understand,
Are so learned, now, that their quills, I trow,
Must supply their own demand.

I've secured it, love, by the aid of glue,
Instead of a strand of hair,
Which I cannot obtain, for I see, with pain,
I have really none to spare,

I send it to you by the postman, love;
For Cupid, I grieve to hear,
Is afraid of the cold, and has grown so old
That he doesn't go out this year.

But the message is ever the same, my love,
While the stars their course fulfil
Though to me and to you it may seem quite new,
'Tis the old, old story still.

—Caroline W. Latimer, in Harper's Bazar.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

America is worth $47,475,000,000.

It is said that there are more herring eaten than any other kind of fish.

Eighty-six, or nearly one quarter, of the 355 towns of Massachusetts contain no resident physician.

The whole number of males in the United States is 32,067,880 and the whole number of females 30,554,380.

The number of languages spoken by mankind at the present is estimated at 3,000. The Bible has been translated into 200 only, but these 200 are spoken by about two-thirds of the whole population of the globe.

The Tramp's Device.

Tramps who honor the town of Birmingham, Ala., with their presence have a new scheme for securing money. They put caustic on their arms, thus making a sore which presents a terrible appearance; then the injured member is bandaged up and the tramp goes on a begging tour. It is said that a death has already occurred from this barbarous scheme.

A Discriminating Disease.

Prof. Tonsill.—Do you know that practice at singing will ward off consumption?

John Smith.—I did not know it: but sun you can't blame the disease, you know.

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W. A. Jowett, of Nelson, went to Revelstoke on Monday.

W. J. Goepel, returned to Nelson, on Saturday.

The Lytton brought in a large quantity of hay on Monday.

The plant of the Kaslo Times has been moved to New Denver, and will be used in printing the Slocan Times, with D. B. Bogle in the editorial chair, and Will Hanks, business manager.

The Nakusp Public School opened on Monday, with a fair attendance. Miss E. B. Caldwell will have charge of the school during the present term.

The Grand Hotel property at Nelson, was sold by auction last week to R. E. Lemon.

It took the Lytton all day Sunday to tow scow, laden with the boiler and engine of the Columbia from Sayward to Robson.

Miss Delmage, formerly of Kaslo, is teaching school at Nelson.

Thos. McLeod, a well-known prospector, died in Spokane a few days ago.

Wages are not as high at the Silver King mine on Toad mountain, as they are in the Slocan. Miners on that property receive $3,00, and laborers $2,50 a day.

Last week, some pigs, belonging to butcher Williamson cost him $25 by breaking into Hesketh's garden, and interfering with the natural growth of carrots, and other vegetables.

Miss E. B Caldwell returned from her vacation at Enderby, on Friday.

S. S. Fowler, Golden's mining engineer, returned from the Slocan on Saturday.

J D. Macdonald and D. A. Mcdougald have a valuable property in the Glengarry, a claim in the Lardeau. The latest gives 242 ozs. in silver and 60 per cent lead. Five tons of ore will be packed out as soon as possible. Lardeau Jack is now on the ground, and does not expect to leave until winter.

Mrs. Leola Leon, has charge of the railroad hospital tent at Summit City. Mrs. Leon, has had many years experience as a nurse, having served in that capacity on the Union side, during the American rebellion.

J. T. Nault reports business good at Roseberry. He also has two claims that look very promising, upon which considerable work will be done this fall.

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Last Monday the gathering of some of the more prominent miner's union men at Finch & Campbell's office was the first indication to the general public that some sort of a deal was under way having for its object the starting up of the mines. Later in the day it became whispered on the streets that a compromise had been affected by which the Gem, Frisco, and Standard mines were to commence operations at once, provided that the railroads commenced and continued in service. The principal features of the agreement, as far as can be learned, are that the union shall in no way interfere with the management of the mine, which shall be free to hire and discharge whomsoever it pleases, and the executive committee of the miners' union agrees also, that they will preserve peace and harmony as far as lies in their power. There is no change whatever in wages. Under this agreement the mines are already resuming work as fast as matters can be got in shape for work. Some men were put on Monday night at the Gem, and the number is being gradually increased. The Poorman, which had nothing to do with the agreement cited above, has resumed work this week. The Tiger continues on one shift as usual. To the uninitiated it would now appear that there should be several months of prosperity, and possibly more.—Cœur d' Alene Miner.

H. R. Hammond, was summoned to Seattle on Saturday by a telegram announcing that his son Harry was only expected to live a short time. T. Abriel has charge of the news depot, during his absence.

J. C. Stills, has charge of the culinary department of the hotel at Hot Springs.

Application for Liquor License.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend applying to the Gold Commissioner for a retail license to sell beer, wine, spirits, and other intoxicating liquors and beverages near the mouth of Goat creek, on Cariboo creek, West Kootenay District.

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