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## RAILROAD NEWS

Already seven miles of track have been laid and the gravel train is closely following the tracklayers.

Contractor McMartin reports work on the other end of the line as being pushed forward rapidly.

The steamer Kootenay and Lytton are making daily trips from Revelstoke with iron.

Track laying on the Revelstoke branch started Monday and everything points now to the early completion of this road to the 14 mile point which will give us winter communication with the outside world.

President D. McGillivray left for Vancouver Monday.

Supt. Daly and Chief Engineer Osler are out on an inspecting tour of the line.

The first car load of freight left here Tuesday over the line bound for O'Lear'y's camp, and three car loads of freight left Wednesday mooning for Mann's camp.

Mr. Willis Armstrong engineer, Hub Glenn fireman and Dave Lyttle watchman deserve great credit for the way 408 is looking. Willis shows his old time experience on the main line in the way he handles the throttle, Hub's stoking qualities also make themselves apparent and the way the drivers relvolves shows the pains of Lyttle Dave's use of the oil can.

Mann Bros. contractors moved their outfit to New Denver Monday. They have a contract for two miles of the road from Three Forks.

McLean Bros., have a contract for grading nine miles of the N. & S. on Slocan lake. Wm. McLean the senior member has already built five miles of the road. He has been in the business for a long time and thoroughly understands his work.

### The Nakusp.

The steam tug Nakusp imported from Seattle by Peter Geneile for towing logs to their mill, is about ready for business. She is a trim little craft being 38 feet in length, 8 feet beam. She is well fitted with one of Chas. P. Willards 30 h. p. high prersure engines that will turn her 36 inch four blade screw at 200 revolutions to the minute. She ought to be a flyer.

Jake Serson is wearing a very pleasant smile these days. A daughter is the latest addition to his family at Kamloops.

### The Great Slocan Boulder.

The enormous boulder of solid high grade galena which was located last year in the Slocan by Jack Cockle, otherwise known as Black Jack, and sold by him to W. D. Middaugh for $2000 cash is to be broken up and shipped. This boulder is calculated to contain 125 tons of ore, and at one time when it was thought that wind could move anything in the Slocan, there was a scheme on foot to ship it en bloc to the World's Fair. Now the outside world will have to be content with photograps of this extraordinay phenemenon, for it will shortly be mined and shipped to the San Faansisco smelter. Arrangements have been made to make a special shipment of it alone. A special train will transfer it to Vancouver from Revelstoke. At every stage of the proceedings it will be photographed and the photos used to advertise the country.—Tribune.

### Big Bend.

J. W. Haskins and W. Miller arrived down from Big Bend last Friday. Mr. Haskins brought some rich samples of quartz from the Crown Point claim on Gold Stream, between French and McCulloch creeks. One of the pieces of rock would assay thousands of dollars to the ton, and all showed considerable free gold. Mr. Haskins located the Crown Point in 1885, and three tunnels have been driven on the property. He intends taking the specimens to Vancouver and will endeavor to form a company to work the claim which, he says, is very valuable. If he succeeds a ten-stamp mill will be erected and the quartz crushed on the spot If there is much of the same kind kind of rock Mr. Haskins brought down, there can be no doubt of the venture being a successful one. —Revelstoke Star.

As T. A. Garland has decided to close out his Nakusp branch by Nov. 12, goods will be sold at gaeatly reduced prices. D. K. Book, manager.

Mr. R. T. Lowery, editor and financier of the Ledge, left for Kaslo overland last Thursday. He intended taking his time on the road, so as to get in Kaslo Sunday that he might not be bothered with the noise Kaslo's brass band makes.

Mr. F. W. Jordan and wife returned this morning from Fire Valley after a weeks successful hunting

Harry Shearan, of New Denver was in town last week.

E. H. Grinrod with a gang of men commenced repairing the telegraph line this week.

Mr. W. Murray who was confined to his bed with a slight attack of mountain fever is now convalescent.

Dan McLennan's pleasant face shone forth on Slocan avenue on Wednesday. Dan reports business good in New Denver.

Mr. Rasdall and his dog Texas left for New Denver Tuesday morning where they will reside for the winter.

Dr. Metherell physician on the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway passed through here Saturday on his way to Vancouver.

Dan Dunn and his lambs are now working on Pine avenue. One can always here the familiar word 'Fire' a mile away as only Dan can shout.

Capt. Troup, manager of the C. & K. S. N. Co., is now doing duty as captain of the steamer Columbia. Captain Gore is laid up with a severe attack rheumatism.

Capitalist Finch of New York is negotiating with Messrs. Reed and Robinson for their group of mines on Four Mile Creek. The price asked is $40,000.

The deal for the Grady group of mines in the Slocan country was consumated Monday. The lucky buyers are the McNaught's of Seattle and the purchase price was $70,000.

We are obliged to the bachelors on Slocan avenue for the sample of cranberry jelly left at this office. The boys are peparing for a hot time this winter in Trout Lake Valley.

D. J. Munn and Alex. Ewen have been in Kaslo springing the same old railroad gag. These gentlewen have proved themselves better caterers to the fish eating public than figuring as railway builders.

Messrs, Rashdall & Maconnel went out on a shooting expedition Saturday and returned with 19 beautiful grouse. The Bon Ton restaurant purchashed them and was kept busy for a few hours feeding the elite of Nakusp.

We understand that the Government is about to appoint a justice of the peace in this town. Let us hope that they will exercise particular care in their selection, as this important office should be filled by a thoroughly honorably and intelligent citizen, we speak from experience having sojourned in Kaslo for awhile.

A good shoemaker can find plenty of work here.

### Killed For His Faith.

News has been received by the Presbyterian board of foreign missions from Oroomiah, Persia, that an Amenian christian had been brutally murdered by a native mob. The victims name is Agah Jon, an Armenian by birth. He was a prosperous merehant in the city of Oroomiah and a prominent member of the Presbyterian church in that place having been converted to christianity some time ago by the missionaries of the board at that station. According to the accounts, Agah John acted as the agent of a Mohammedan woman who wished to purchase a piece of property. She called at the shop of her agent on the day in question and he reported that he had not as yet been able to make the purchase of the lands she desired to obtain. Much angered by the delay in carrying out her wishes the woman went to some of the most influential among the natives and told them that Agah Jon had grossly insulted her. These people quickly spread the rumor abroad, and in a short time a howling mob gathered in front of the unfortunate merchant's store. The crowd broke down the doors and dragged the poor man out into the street and carried him to the mosque. There they offered him his life and a large sum of money if he would renounce Christianity. He refused to comply with their demands, and after torturing him they dragged him to the top of the mosque and threw him bodily to the ground. As he lay prostrate and scarcely breathing, a heavy stone was dropped upon him from a great height, which crushed all the life out of him and broke every bone in his body. Not satisfied with their accomplishments the mob savagely attacked the corpse with knives and daggers. A wife and children survive him.

### Matrimonially Inclined.

Niagara Falls, Sept. 30.—An advertisement to the effect that a refined, cultivated young lady, living unhappily with her guardian a good housekeeper wishes to correspond with an honorable agriculturist, who is matrimonially inclined. Address Box 6, Niagra Falls. Gullable farmers replied to the fond heiress, and at her written request sent $100 to enable her to come to them from her cruel guardian. The name given was Miss Myrian A. Reed. Chief Young arrested a bearded man giving the name of W. C. Woodward, New York, who was conducting the correspondence in the name of Miss Reed.

The last mail from Madagascar reports that Geo. S. Muller, the explorer sent out by the French government on a scientific mission, had been murdered.

### NAKUSP SHOULD HAVE

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A summer hotel.

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A photograph gallery.

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More flower gardens.

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Several smelters in operation.

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No water in its whiskey.

The "bills of quantities" are being printed for the use of all contractors who are going to tender on the new government buildings. This will be one of the largest contracts ever awarded in the province. Of the $600,000 voted $70,000 has been spent already.


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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1893.


## Chinese Exclusion.

The Chinese Exclusion Act, better known as the Geary Act, is about to be superceded by the McGreary Act. Mr. McGeary is a representative from Kentucky, and he is chairman of the committee on Foreign Relations. The chief feature of the new bill is that it extends the time for registration six months after its passage. The new law, it is contended, will give the Chinese in the United States time to register. The supporters of the Geary law ask, very naturally, what guarantee is there that this new law will be better observed by the Chinese than the one now on the statute book? It may be that the Chinese, depending on their government to protect them, will not observe the new law any better than they did the old one.

It is pretty certain that the Geary law, which is now generally discredited throughout the union, has a history which has not yet been made public. The United States government evidently must have been deterred by something besides the fear of offending those who regard it as iniquitious and unworthy a Christian nation, from putting it in force The course pursued by the Cleveland administration with respect to the Geary law is, to say the least, unusual, and, one which it would not have ventured to pursue if the law had been a popular one. The secret will no doubt, leak out before long. It is not known with any degree of certainty what is the precise attitude which the government of China has assumed with respect to the Geary law.—Colonist.


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Arrives at Northport, Tuesdays and Fridays, 10 a. m.

GOING NORTH.

Leaves Northport, Tuesdays and Fridays, 1. p. m.
Arriving at Robson, Tuesdays and Fridays 7 p. m.
Arriving at Revelstoke, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 4 p. m.

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" " Thursdays 3 p. m. Arriving at Kaslo 7 p. m
" " Saturdays 9 a. m. Arriving at Kaslo 1 p. m.

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Leaves Kaslo Mondays 9 a. m. Arriving at Nelson 1 p. m.
" " Tuesdays 9 a. m. Arriving at Nelson 1 p. m.
" " Thursdays 9 a. m. Arriving at Nelson 1 p. m.
" " Fridays 9 a. m. Arriving at Nelson 1 p. m.
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With the completion of the Nakusp & Slocan Railroad, Thousands of tons of ore will be brought to Nakusp from the rich mines of the Slocan, and loaded on the steamer for Revelstoke.

Gold and Silver Ledges have been discovered within three miles of Nakusp.

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.

## GENERAL NEWS.

The Hudsons' Bay Co. have let the contract for a wholesale warehouse in Vancouver. The building is to be 100x70 feet, three stories and basement, stone foundation and brick superstructure. Mr. Geo. Browne is the architect.

A new material is proposed as a substitute for leather. It is called "flexus fibra," and is derived from flax, suitably prepared and oiled. It has the same appearance as leather, is particulary supple and takes a polish equally well with the best kinds of calf.

A hailstorm visited Pawtucket recently, and one woman picked up a large hailstone and allowed it to melt in her hand. She thought something was inside the little piece of frozen rain, but was surprised to find when all had melted a little toad or frog in her hand.

At Victoria a verdict of manslaughter was brought in in the case of Wilson, charged with the murder of his shipmate Jones, on the ship Rathdown, while the vessel was being moored at Sidney. A feature of the case was the throwing out of the ante-mortem deposition of the victim on the ground that it had been taken on Sunday.

Executive commissioner of the World's Fair C. V. Calhoun has telegraphed as follows all over the continent: "Warn farmers whe have returned from the fair with samples of grain for seed to burn them immediately. A dangerous pest permeates the whole exhibit in the Department of Agriculture." If any British Columbians have samples of the above they will be doing the community a service by obeying the injunction.

Theodore Bezant, a Spokane bartender, while under the influence of liquor, took a carriage ride with his wife last week. On reaching the middle of the Monro street bridge he stopped and tried to coax his wife to jump over the railing into the falls. She said she was not fool enough for that and wasn't afraid of him. Mrs. Bezant was having the best of the argument when Officer Shannon and Herdon arrived and arrested her husband. He paid $10.00 and costs.

A convict named Bennet, one of the Dalton gang recently sentenced at Toronto to a fifteen years' term in the penitentiry for bank robbery, was caught on Friday attempting to dig his way out of his cell at Kingston. He had been working at the hole for some time, and carried out the dirt in the morning in his pockets. It would have taken the convicts six months to make a passage big enough to escape through. Bennett is now in the dark cell.

Daniel Jones, the Frederick county wife-beater, received 39 lashes on his bare back in the jail here last Saturday night. The unusual time for the punishment was chosen at Jone's request, as he wished no one present. Every blow of the rawhide brought blood and the culprit fainted at the twenty-fourth. Physieians were in attendance and said that the sentence could be carried out, and the fifteen additional blows were administered. Jones, who is rich and connected with many prominent families, has been released from jail and is now receiving medieal attendance. With one exception this is the first time the whipping post has been used in Maryland since 1807.

R. B. Kerr, of New Denver on behalf of himself and Cornelius Gething Angus McInnes, James Delaney, W. C. Archer and William Tomlinson, gives notice in the Gazette that at the next session of the Legislature the incorporatien of a telephone company will be sought, the company to be known as the Slocan Telephone Company, and their lines to be erected and operated between New Denver and Silverton, and between New Denver and the Three Forks of Corpenter creek, together with local systems in the several towns mentioned. The company also ask for power to extend their proposed lines to Sandon creek and to any point on Slocan lake, or within ten miles of any of the places mentioned.


# LELAND HOUSE

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## LIFE IN NAKUSP.

J. A. Mara, M. P. spent Sunday in town.

Alex. Struthers has returned to Nakusp to cash time checks.

Mr. Robert Kelly representing Oppenheimer Bros Vancouver, was in town this week.

Messrs. J. Maconnell and Pete Annance, left this morning for a two weeks deer hunt at Fire Valley.

Hugh McDonald, of the Columbia House took a trip up the road last Friday.

Mr. Charles Lindmark, of C. B. Hume & Co,, Revelstoke spent a few days in town this week.

Nakusp is soon to have another store, two Vancouver gentlemen having decided to open up.

A dance will be held in the Leland hotel this evening, and an enjoyable time may be expected.

Sneak-thieves are becoming a common occurrence, and the first caught, may the Lord help him.

Miss McKinnon who has been employed in the Leland Hotel, leaves for Vancouver Saturday, where she will reside for the winter.

A meeting will be held in Thos. Abriel's office Friday evening at 9 o'clock, to consider the advisability of organizing a Quadrille Club.

Corning & McDonald have been fixing up their bar-room for the past week, and when finished will be one of the neatest bars in the Kootenay country.

Mr. A. Cummings has taken charge of the Columbia House dining room. He is an old hand and understands his business, and will no doubt have his share of the trade.

Work has commenced on the gaol on Pine street, J. T. Nault having the contract. It is to be built of logs and to contain three cells, and an office for the use of the constable.

W. Hunter of the Slocan Mercantile Co., Silverton gave us a call on his way to Nelson. He was much surprised at the improvement and growth of our town.

Cummings & Co., are preparing for the winter, having just finished tar-papering and boarding the outside of their store.

The steamer Columbia laid over here Saturday night and transfered her freight and passengers to the steamer Lytton. On Monday morning she went to the head of the lake and met the Lytton and returned here, then proceeded on to Robson.

Miss Emma Johnson had William Devlin summoned before Justice Mohun for raising a disturbance and doing grievious bodily harm to her canary. The prosecutrix failed to appear Wednesday morning and the defendant was dismissed.

## Mr. Fisher on the Slocan Output.

Mr. Fisher of the Freddie Lee is on his way to Tacoma to manange a gold property for a Tacoma syndicate. He will not be back it West Kootenay till next summer at least. The Freddie Lee has been leased to the well known Coeur d'Alene miner John Fitzwilliam, and the company for the time has ceased to operate it. "When I get to Tacoma," said Mr. Fisher, "I will have something to say to the papers about this country that will attract the interest of mining men. The fault with a majority of the people who write up a mining country is that they know nothing about mining, and what they have to say disgusts instead of attract mining men. 'Here is another country,' they say, 'boomers are trying to engineer a rush into.' I have had occasion lately," continued Mr. Fisher "to make a practical estimate for a practical man of the number of men actually at work in the Slocan, and of the probable outputs of the mines with their present openings and without any further development work being done. I found, as nearly as I could estimate it, that there were 140 men at work, and that the output of the mines wouln not be less than 900 tons a month from now till the 7rst of July next. That is at the present price of silver. Of course if silver improves or if improvements in transportation become available the output will be very much larger. No, I cannot say anything about the individual mines on which my calculations are based, as I do not care to talk about other people's property in that way."—Tribune.

The Nakusp & Slocan Railway will bring this ore to Nakusp.

A meeting was held in the new club rooms in the Kaslo block of the Mystic Circle Club last night when officers were elected, a call of 25 per cent, on the subscribed stock was called to provide funds for the boys to purchase a supply of liquid refreshments. It is earnestly hoped that all members will respond quickly to the call, as the climate is now getting rather cold for Nault's spring water.


# West's Hotel

BEAR LAKE B. C.

Everything new about the house except the whisky and landlord
Everybody gets a hearty welcome and plenty to eat.

GORMAN WEST, - - Proprietor.


## APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

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MARK AREHART.

Watson, B. C., October 1893


# Central Hotel

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| Porterhouse Steak, family | 1.00 | Two Eggs, Fried, Boiled or Poached | 25 |
| Porterhouse Steak, small | 50 | Plain Omelette | 25 |
| Sirloin Steak | 35 | Rum " | 50 |
| Plain Steak | 25 | Cheese " | 45 |
| Hamburg Steak | 35 | Ham " | 45 |
| Veal Cutlets, plain | 35 | Mushroom Omelette | 25 |
| Veal Cutlets breaded | 40 | Liver and Bacon | 35 |
| Pork Chop | 35 | Corn Beef Hash | 35 |
| Pork Sausage | 35 | Cod Fish and Cream | 35 |
| Cod Fish Balls | 35 | | |

FRESH OYSTERS.

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| One dozen Raw or Stewed | 75 | One dozen Fried | 1.00 |
| Half dozen " " | 50 | Half dozen Fried | 75 |

SPRING CHICKEN.

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| Whole Roast | 1.25 |
| Half Roast | 75 |

Potatoes, Rolls and Coffee or Tea, with any of the above orders.

SIDE ORDERS.

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| Eggs | 15 | Milk Toast | 15 |
| Fried Onions | 10 | Brown Gravy | 10 |
| Dry Toast | 10 | Cream | 10 |

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| Soup and Bread and Butter | 15 | Salad | 10 |
| Sardines and Coffee | 35 | Cold Meat and Coffee | 25 |
| Mush and Milk | 15 | Doughnuts and Coffee | 15 |
| Hot Rolls and Coffee | 15 | Pie and Coffee | 15 |
| Hot Cakes and Coffee | 15 | German Pancakes | 25 |

SAUCES.

Apples, Strawberry, Raspberry, and etc. 10c.

Bottled Beer to order, 50c. quart.