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WILL BUILD A NEW LINE

MacKenzie and Mann to Parallel the Nanaimo Railway.

Members of Opposition Are Reported Ready to Secede.

(SPECIAL TO THE MINER.)

Victoria, March 24.—The opposition caucussed on the Redistribution bill this morning. It is understood it was considered fairly satisfactory although the representation was held to be too big.

Mayor Hayward has received a reply to a letter to Andrew Carnegie in which he offers to give $50,000 to a public library here provided the city provides $5,000 yearly for maintenance.

In the house this afternoon Hon. W. C. Wells said that fresh arrangements had been made with MacKenzie and Mann whereby they got an independent charter to build from Victoria instead of buying the E. and N., the contract to be ready, he said, for presentation to the house tomorrow.

Nearly all afternoon was spent in debating redistribution. The opposition admit the measure is generally fair although claiming that it gives undue representaton east of the Cascades, and attacking as a gerrymander the ridings of Alberni and Revelstoke. Hon. Jos. Martin pronounces it an admirable bill.

Victoria, March 24.—Very little opposition was shown in the legislature this afternoon to the redistribution bill which increased the membership in the local house to 42 members. But the opposition promised to introduce some amendments in committee. There is a report in well informed circles that several members of the opposition have decided to join the government forces in the house

It was announced in the legislature today that Mr. Waddell, the bridge engineer, of Kansas, who supplied the plans for the bridge across the Fraser river at New Westminster, was on his way to Victoria, to award the contract for the substructure. It is estimated that the whole bridge will cost $750,000.

It is stated that in view of the fact that the American shareholders in the E. and N. railway will not agree to sell the road without the big land grant which is owned by the company. MacKenzie and Mann, who were negotiating for the purchase of the road to form the island section of the Canada Northern, have decided to build an independent line between Victoria and Nanaimo. They will, however, take over the charter for the railway from the Northern terminus of the E. and N. railway to the north end of the island The contract between the provincial government and the firm for the building of the Canada Northern through British Columbia has been about settled. As soon as it is ratified MacKenzie and Mann will commence building from the coast to connect with the line coming west, which is now built to Prince Albert. It is also expected that the government will shortly make an announcement in connection with the construction of the Victoria, Vancouver and Eastern railway which is to run from the coast to the Boundary district of British Columbia and ultimately to Rossland.

CONTINENTAL MINE.

Now Shows Three Feet of Solid Ore and 28 Feet of Concentrating.

Capt. W. Roberts, who has been at the Continental mine, Idaho, as superintendent, returned on Saturday night to spend a few days at home awaiting further instructions from the head office of the compay owning the mine, a general meeting of which was being held yesterday.

It was on the report of Mr. Roberts that his friends in Duluth invested in the property and the development done under his superintendency demonstrates the accuracy of his estimate of its value. The Continental is, he says, now the biggest silver-lead mine that he has seen outside of Leadville, Colo.

When he took charge there had been an incline shaft following the vein sunk for 45 feet. At the depth of 25 feet the stringers of ore which composed the surface showing, united into a more compact vein. This hac been followed to the depth of 45 feet and then the shaft was made a vertical one and had been continued 34 feet further. Mr. Roberts' first work was to drive a tunnel to catch this ore at cepth, which he did. After driving the tunnel 198 feet he came into 14 feet of concentrating ore, then the tunnel passed through three feet of solid shipping ore and continuing there was 14 feet of concentrating ore on the other side, making in all a vein of 31 feet.

An uprise following the vein was then started and after being carried 103 feet came through to the incline above thus showing a proven vein of solid ore three feet in width and 128 feet in depth, besides a body of concentrating ore 28 feet wide and of the same depth. The tunnel was continued for exploratory purposes 25 feet further making a total of 256 feet in all.

The second work undertaken was to catch the vein on the Blue Joe claim which adjoins the Continental and belongs to the company. It was down a ravine 3,000 feet distant that the tunnel was commenced, and after being run for 200 feet it encountered the vein at a depth of 750 feet where it is of practically the same size and of the same quality as above, the three feet of solid ore continuing. This ore carried a value of $60 to the ton and already six car loads has been shipped and 200 tons more is on the dump.

The company is now considerng the advisability of building an aerial tramway for four miles and from that to the Kootenay river, a distance of 14 miles, an electric railway, for which water power can be procured to generate the electricity, and the erection of a concentrator. Mr. Roberts expects that these steps will be decided in the affirmative. With the excellent price obtained for lead in the United States the ore yields good profits and with the immense bodies in the mine the property is now demonstrated to be one of first magnitude.

TO RAISE THE ISLANDER.

Sirtuss Hope of Seattle is Going to Make the Attempt.

Victoria, March 24.—Capt. J. G. Cox, British Columbia's agent for Lloyds, London, has closed a contract with Sirtuss Hope, of Seattle, for the raising of the steamer Islander and the bringing of her to Victoria or some other Canadian port.

The Islander, it will be remembered, was lost at the entrance to Lynn canal, on the night of August 15 of last year.

Whether any of her boilers exploded is problematical. Treasure that has been variously estimated at from $150,000 to $275,000 went down with the steamer and so far no attempt has been made to recover any of it. Where the steamer sank there is a depth of water of upwards of 40 fathoms. According to the agreement with Capt. Cox, Sirtuss Hope agrees to start work within 60 days, and is to receive 75 per cent of the value of the hull when raised and will also have a claim for salvage and get the gold. The Islander lies at a depth of water where divers using the diving gear cannot work.

The steamer has a registered tonnage of 486 tons. Her original cost was upwards of $200,000, so that as she lies with treasure and all on board she represents a loss of nearly half a million. Since the vessel sank very little wreckage of a substantial character has come to the surface.

SMELTER FOR SANDON.

J. M. Harris, president and general manager of the Recc Mining Co., is in the city from Sandon. He reports that Sandon is much pleased over the prospect of the erection of a Vulcan smelter by Mr. Ryan and associates, as it will enable the miners to market ore of a low grade, which hitherto they were compelled to leave on the dumps. The concentrator which the Payne is building is about completed and should soon be ready for operation. The electric drills which were installed in the Payne several months since are giving good satisfaction. The Payne, he says, is developing in first class shape and the general outlook in the Slocan is promising.

METAL QUOTATIONS.

London, March 24.—Lead £11 7s, 6d.
New York, March 24.—Close—Bar silver 53 7-8 c; Mexican dollars 48 1-4. Copper dull, Lead quiet.

LEADERS IN CONFERENCE

Boer Leaders Expected to Submit Proposals for Peace.

Dewet, Botha and Schalkburger Allowed to Hold Council.

London, March 25.—The Daily Chronicle this morning asserts that an armistice has been arranged pending the duration of Schalkburger mission to General Dewet and that offensive operations against Dewet and Botha will be suspended, also that these two generals have agreed honorably to observe the armistice and to refrain from operations until the return of the envoys to the Boer lines.

It is believed, continues the Daily Chronicle, that the envoys, after acquainting Botha with the result of their mission, will again confer with Lord Kitchener although no second conference with Lord Kitchener has been arranged.

In a despatch from Pretoria made public tonight, Lord Kitchener gives the usual weekly report of captures but does not mention the Schalkburger incident.

EMISSARIES WERE SENT.

Boer European Committee Said to Have Advised Settlement.

Amsterdam, March 24.—It is believed in Boer circles here that the move of acting President Schalkburger is the result of a communication from the Boer representatives in Europe. A former member of the Transvaal government said tonight: After the exchange of the Dutch-English notes, a conference was called for February. This conference was attended by Mr. Kruger, Dr. Leyds and the delegates, and it was decided to send six emissaries to South Africa by different routes, with despatches for Steyn and Schalkburger, giving them a detailed account of the situation. One of these agents ought to have arrived about this time. Documents lately received from Schalkburger indicated that peace terms had been recently discussed by the leaders in South Africa but the leaders declared they could not accept anything less than the terms demanded at Middleburg, by General Botha, on February 28, 1901, and especially the point of complete amnesty for rebels, because the greater part of the commands actually in arms are composed of Cape insurgents.

The fact that the Boers in the field are inclined to compromise their demands for absolute independence, continued the speaker, seems to be indicated by the plan Schalkburger has outlined for the government of industrial centres. This consists of a British board of administration to proportionate Boer representation.

ACTION FOR DAMAGES.

Suit Arising From the Merger of the Telephone Companies.

Georgina L. Davey, of Victoria, who owns $20,000 shares of paid up stock in the Columbia Telephone and Telegraph Co., which has been merged in the Vernon and Nelson Telephone Company, has commeced action against the Royal Bank of Canada, The Columbia Telephone and Telegraph company, the Vernon and Nelson Telephone company, G. C. Hoge, Nelson, H. C. Hannington, Grand Forks; H. G. S. Heisterman and R. K. Houlgate, of Vancouver; G. A. Bould and G. R. McKay. The names are those of the directors of the Columbia Telephone and Telegraph company. The compainant alleges that the Royal Bank of Canada, which hold a large claim against the company and the directors of the said company wrongfully conspired with the Vernon and Nelson company to acquire the assets of the Columbia Telephone and Telegraph company, to destroy its exchanges, dismantle the poles and plant and thus render the stock valueless. She further alleges that she has wrongfully been refused inspection of the minutes of the company and the registration of her shares.

CITY ASKED TO PAY LOSS

R. H. Williams Claims $500 for Horses Which Were Drowned.

Chief Recommends Extensive Additions to Fire Department.

At the meeting of the city council last evening only four members were present, the fortnightly meeting having been evidently too hard to remember. Those present were Ald. Irving, Selous, Drew and Morrison. After waiting half an hour for the other members of the council to put in an appearance, Ald. Selous was appointed to the chair.

After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting the tenders for the supply of drugs for the city were read. Three had been received but after reading a few of the prices quoted it was decided that it would be better to refer the matter to the medical health officer to report on, which was accordingly done on the motion of Ald. Irving and Morrison.

E. A. Crease and Fred Irvine then appeared before the council on behalf of the public library to ask for the usual city grant. Ald. Morrison asked if it was contemplated joining the library with the Y.M.C.A.

Mr. Crease said that at a meeting of the library it had been decided that this should not be done, the library to be kept as a separate institution. During the year 3,849 volumes had been issued and 23,005 visitors had been to the reading room.

Ald. Irving thought it would be a good idea to have the council represented on the board. The mayor was an ex-officio member, but he thought it would be a good idea to have a couple of aldermen also on the board.

This the delegates stated would be agreeable to the board.

Ald. Morrison moved, seconded by Ald. Irving, that $250 be paid to the library board forthwith, and $250 six months later, being the amount of the grant last year.

The report of the finance committee was read recommending the payment of the usual accounts, and also making a number of recommendations. The recommedations were taken clause by clause. The first was that $500 be paid to the Nelson Boat club towards holding the regatta in July. Ald. Morrison suggested that the names of Ald. Selous and A. H. Buchanan be added, as those to whom the money would be paid to represent the city in the matter, this was done and the clause passed. Clause 2. That tenders be called for the burial of persons to be buried at the expense of the city. Clause 3. That a temporary bylaw for levying a road tax be prepared. Clause 4. That the license of the Nelson Opera House be reduced to $100. The report was then received and adopted.

The following communications were read: From W. S. Gore, deputy commissioner of lands and works, stating that he had received the letter of the city coucil asking for the setting of an early date to hear the claim of the city for the piece of land beside Kootenay river for a power station, and stating that as soon as the stress of legislative business would permit that he would set a date.

From J. Munroe, stating that he would be unable to accept the position of city foreman. Filed.

From F. W. Swannell announcing that Aldermen Drew and Scanlan had been unanimously elected members of the hospital board. Filed.

From H. Johnson and J. Green, applying for the position of caretaker to the new city hall. Filed.

From the property owners on Hendryx street, in the locality affected, asking for a side walk on the west side of Hendryx street between Mill and Latimer streets. Referred to board of works. From the residents on the west end of Victoria street, asking for electric light service. This had already been attended to but petition was referred to the board of works.

From the property owners on Willow street, asking that the roadway to be graded between Water and Front streets. Referred to board of works

From R. H. Williams giving an account of the accident whereby a team of horses belonging to the Nelson Transfer company fell off the city wharf and were killed, and a cab considerably injured and other property damaged, and asking $500, the accident having been caused through there not being any railing along the side of the wharf. Mr. Williams who was present said that this was the seventh team of horses to fall from that wharf in the past four years and that at any time loss of human life might occur. The wharf should be either put in proper shape or else teams should not be allowed on it. He suggested that posts four and one-half feet high, of iron, with chains connecting them would meet the difficulty.

The matter of the claim was referred to the city solicitor to determine the city's liability and the question of putting a chain around the wharf was referred to the board of works.

The report of the chief of the fire department for the year 1901 was read. It was a voluminous document setting forth among other things a number of arguments as to why a paid fire department should be maintained in the city in preference to the part volunteer or call system now in use here. It called attention to the style of buildings in the city and the necessity of good appliances. In the past serious fires had only been averted by proper treatment. People should always send in alarms even for trivial fires and not try to extinguish them without appliances, as by this means most fires get great headway. He recommened: That the paid force be increased to eight men. That an electric fire alarm system be put in, a four inch stand pipe be placed in each of the schools from cellar to ceiling; erection of a firehall in the business quarters and another station in the upper part of the city. That a team of horses be purchased to be used with the hook and ladder truck

The report was referred to the fire, water and light committee.

Ald. Irving introduced a bylaw for authorizing the raising of a temporary loan for current expenses, which was read the first and second times. The council then adjourned until March 31.

SUING COUNT BONI.

A French Creditor Wants Immediate Judgment For $375,000.

Albany, N.Y., March 24.—A motion was made today before the Court of Appeals to place on the calendar and advance the appeal in the case of Anton J. Dittmade, against Boni, Count de Catellane, Anna Gould, Countess de Costellane, defendants, and George J. Gould, Edwin Gould, Howard Gould and Helen Gould, as trustees under the last will and testament of Jay Gould. The applicant was represented by former Attorney-General S. W. Rosendale, representing the firm of Guggenheimer, Untermeyer and Marhall, and the repondents by Loreno Semple.

The plaintiff has sued Count and Countess de Castellane for $375,000 being a creditor who did not enter into the litigation in the United States Supreme court under which it was decided that claims aggregating nearly $2,000,000 and due to 107 creditors should be paid on pro rata basis in order that the surplus income left the countess by her father might be preserved and the securing of references by any other creditor prevented. The plaintiff began an action individually in the State courts to secure the entire amount of his claim at once.

ASSISTED CZOLGOSZ.

Burglar Confessed Tying Handkerchief on Murderer's Hand.

Baraboo, Wis., March 24.—Jacob Steinman, who was taken to Waupum on Saturday under arrest on a charge of burglary, told Sheriff Stackhouse that he was an anarchist, was present at the lodge meeting when Czolgosz was selected to assasinate President McKinley, and tied the handkerchief over the hand of Czolgosz just before the murder. He further stated that a well known woman was one of the principal instigators of the crime.

MUSICIAN REPORTED DROWNED.

Detroit, March 24.—Word was received here today that J. H. Hahn, director of the Detroit Conservatory of Music, and a musician widely known throughout the country, was drowned this morning at Ingleside, County Home, at Cary lake, near Constantine.

MORE MEN FOR THE WAR

Negotiations on for Another Contingent.—Hughes' Offer.

Pays Regular Dividend.—Athlete Jim Quirk Murdered.

Toronto, March 24.—An Evening Globe Ottawa special says: Messages have been passing between the British and Canadian authorities with reference to sending another detachment to South Africa on the same terms as the Second Mounted rifles. It is considered quite likely that another regiment will go to the front even though rumors approaching peace may be well founded.

The Evening Telegram's Ottawa special says: Lieut.-Col. Hughes has repeated his offer to recruit 2,500 Canadians for service in South Africa, and to take command of them if he will be made not responsible to any British officer except Lord Kitchener and Gen. French.

John Baker, a farmer, residing on the western road is in a dying condition. While driving home on Saturday evening a man jumped out of the bush, climbed into the wagon and knocked him senseless with a blow on the head. Robbery was the supposed object.

The Ontario Rifle association which controlled the admission to the exhibition grounds when the Prince of Wales reviewed the troops, made a profit of $5,360.

JAMES QUIRK MURDERED.

The Famous Athlete Found Dead in His Hotel Yard at Brantford.

Brantford, March 24.—The body of James Quirk, the well known athlete and proprietor of the Commercial hotel, was found at midnight last night in the hotel stables at the foot a ladder leading to a loft. The appearance of the body suggested that Quirk had been attacked by some person and hit on the head several times with a blunt instrument. The gate leading to the street was found unbolted. The police are investigating. Quirk was sitting in his office about midnight when it is supposed he heard a noise among some game chickens he had left in the loft of the stable. He went out to see what was the matter when he was assailed by the concealed murderer. Eddie Kennedy, the bell boy, heard a loud cry and then moaning in the stable. He went downstairs and calling assistance Quirk was discovered.

DOMINION STEEL DIVIDEND.

Preference Shareholders Get Their Money on April 7.

Montreal, March 24.—The directors of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., besides declaring 3 1-2 per cent. half-yearly dividend upon preference stock payable on April 7 to the stockholders, of record on March 27, fixed May 1 as the date of a meeting of shareholders to ratify the proposed $10,000,000 increase in capital, providing the Lieut.-Governor of Nova Scotia has given assent to the legislation passed by that date.

SEALERS DO POORLY.

Newfoundland Season Expected to Be as Bad as 1893.

St. Johns, Nfld., March 24.—The gloomy outlook of the seal fisheries is confirmed by fuller reports. The scattered condition of the ice floes and the soft and foggy weather operate against the efforts of the sealers to secure good catches. It is feared that the present season will be like that of 1893, when only 128,000 seals were taken. This number amounts to about one-third of the usual catch.

The colonial treasurer will present the budget to the legislature tomorrow.

A FAST GO.

Philadelphia, March 24.—"Tim" Callahan, of this city, had slightly the better of the six-round go with "Joe" Bernstein, of New York, at the Washington Sporting club tonight. They put up a fast bout.

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COPPER SITUATION.

The Amalgamated Copper Co. it seems, has not yet absorbed all of the smaller concerns that it desires to, and is still endeavoring to keep down the price of copper until it can accomplish its ends. It is still negotiating for some large copper interests in Montana and when these deals have been closed it will probably throw itself on the side of those who are trying to maintain the price of copper, and that metal should then advance from between 12 and 13 cents to 14 or perhaps a cent over that figure. It is not believed that the metal can be long maintained the old price of 17 cents, unless there is a marked cut in the production. Some of the larger producers have lessened their output considerably, and if this is kept up the surplus stocks should soon be consumed. With copper at 14 cents there would be a fair margin of profit for the copper-gold mines of this province and they could pay dividends. It is hoped, therefore, that the Amalgamated company may soon be able to close its negotitions so that copper may rise and increased profits come to our mines.

The cicrular of James Lewis and Sons, of Liverpool, of March 3rd has the following to say of the situation:

No definite agreement appears to have been arranged between the leading European and American Copper Mining companies, as a result of the recent visit to New York of directors of one of the former. The present position we understand to be that the chief American producers have expressed a willigness to co-operate with other large producers to obviate an excess of production over consumption, as soon as it suits them to do so. Meanwhile it is stated that the Calumet company have voluntarily reduced their output ten per cent.; that the United Verde mine of Arizona (whose production in 1900 was 20,000 tons of 2,000 lbs.) have reduced to the extent of one-third; and that other leading companies of Arizona are ready, as far as possible, to assist to maintain values at a reasonable level by a limitation of their output. Negotiations are said to be pending for the acquisition by the Amalgamated Copper company of additional important mines in Montana. That the company most largely interested in the production of copper should permanently throw difficulties in the way of enhancing the value of this metal would be a strange anomaly.

Consumption in England continues exceptionally large, the deliveries to consumers during the past two months being 29.491 tons, against 18,125 tons for the same period last year. Germany has lately bought very freely, and the consumption of that country this year promises to considerably exceed that of last, though for the month of January it appears small in consequence of the small receipts of American copper, the chief part of the increased shipments from the United States having come to England. Sales in the United States for January are reported to be quite equal to those of a year ago, while contracts made in February are 25 per cent. greater than in February, 1901. A large portion of the surplus stock held in the United States at the end of 1901 has already been transferred to Europe, causing an increase in the English and French public stocks since the 1st of January of 3,247 tons. Shipments for the past month are advised as 13,882 tons making 28,903 tons since the 1st of January, against 18,456 tons for the first two months of last year.

TO PROTECT GAME, ETC.

A meeting of the Fish and Game Protective association will be held this evening upstairs in the Bank of Montreal, for the purpose of adopting bylaws and electing officers for the current year. The objects of the society, as the name indicates, are to protect the fish and game of the Kootenays from indiscriminate destruction, and to assist the officers of the law in prosecuting those who hunt and fish during the prohibited season, besides it will endeavor to have the bounties raised so that wolves and coyotes which prey on deer and elk, etc., may be destroyed. The country abounds in game, but if pot and pelt hunters are allowed to destroy in season and out of season, it would soon be decimated. Protect the game by assisting in every legitimate way the officers of the law and there will be excellent sport for the hunter and fishermen for many years to come. There are many residents of Nelson who are in full accord with the objects of the society and they should make it their business to attend the meeting this evening and so lend their influence to a good movement which everyone conversant with the situation knows will have a beneficial effect. If tourists are to be encouraged to come here the game must be protected by all possible safeguards.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

King Edward purposes signalizing his coronation by giving a dinner to half a million of the very poor of London. The undertaking is a large one and 28 of the metropolitan mayors have been invited to assist in carrying it out. Five years ago on the occasion of the Queen's jubilee, the present Queen, who was then Princess of Wales, was instrumental in carrying to a successful issue the giving of dinners to 310,000 persons. Sir Thomas Lipton headed the subscription list at that time with £25,000. The dinner on that occasion was given in 56 districts. King Edward's idea is that the poor shall feel that they participate in the festivities incident to the coronation as well as the rich.

The Mining and Engineering Journal has the following to say of the iron deposits near Kitchener: The Kitchener ore, so far as developed, is a high grade bessemer ore so situated that it can be smelted on the spot or transported without very great cost or difficulty to furnaces in the coast region of British Columbia, or to the vicinity of the coal mines and coke ovens of the Crow's Nest Pass country. One of the latter alternatives seems the more probable, if the analogy of all modern practice is to hold good; since it is the almost universal custom at present to carry the ore to the fuel rather than the fuel the ore. The important point is that when the time comes to build up an iron industry to supply the Pacific coast and the export trade to the east—which may not be far distant—the raw material will not be lacking and it seems reasonably certain that it will be among the best of its kind.

One of the greatest legal battes ever fought for trades unions is now being waged in Great Britain. Some time since the House of Lords decided that labor organizations are financially responsible for the acts of officers and members. The Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants has been sued for $122,130 damages, which are said to have been inflicted on the company as result of the Taff Vale railway strike of last year. The suit of the Centre Star and the War Eagle Mining companies against the Western Federation of Miners, the Rossland Miners' union, Carpenters' union and other unions and members of unions for damages and to enjoin the unions and their members from certain acts, which was begun some time since was founded on the decision of the House of Lords that unions could be sued. The outcome of these suits will be watched with deep interest.

The Tourist association inaugurated in Nelson is a move in the right direction, says the Ymir Mirror. Tourists, as a rule, are people in search of pleasure, and are preared to pay for the luxury. They are ever looking for something new and attractive, and all that is needed to make the Kootenays popular with this class of people is that its attractions be made known. To accomplish this end requires considerable tact. It is also essential to success that petty jealousies be buried, and that no particular district shall have the boom. However, when once we get the tourist patronage, we can easily cater to it. We have in the Kootenays the grandest scenery in the world—a region of magnificent distances, possessing that particular charm that the man who has sported with the rod or gun in other well-known quarters, has his experience put to a new test in the Kootenays. Instead of landing a two-pound trout, as he has been accustomed to in other waters, he will here have his piscatorial skill taxed in manipulating a five-pounder. Had Walton, in his day, known of the Kootenays, he would have immortalized its waters. Does the rifleman want a shot? We have here game galore—great and small. Does the tourist want change of scenery? British Columbia—and more especially the Kootenays—provides it. All this country wants to make it a tourist rendezvous is that its attractions be made known. Every hotel in the province should have its walls decorated with views of the vicinity in which it lives, thrives and has its being and an effort should be made to have an illustrated magazine published, say once a month, and liberally circulated. We wish the Tourist Association every success, and will willingly give it all the aid in our power.

A MODEL BARBER SHOP.

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Estate of A. B. Gray, Deceased.

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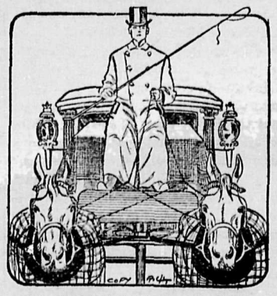

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Dated this 27th day of February, 1902.

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MINING NEWS.

Samples of ore brought down during the week from the Union Jack are more than up to expectations, and a decided improvement on anything yet encountered at the mine, says the Ymir Mirror. No.1 ledge runs about 20 degrees north of east and west, and is crossed by No. 2 ledge nearly at right angles. No. 2 tunnel is in about 160 feet, and inside of another 100 feet they expect to tap No. 1 ledge. Work is being vigorously pushed on the property, under the direction of Supt. Cameron.

The third annual meeting of the Simcoe Mining Co., operating the Sophie, in the Big Horn group, was held in the offices of the company in Ymir, on Tuesday last. The retiring officers were re-elected: S. DesBrisay, president and treasurer; J. Trombold' Boston, vice-president; R. McRoberts, secretary. The following will constitute the board of directors, S. DesBrisay, J. Trombold, R. McRoberts, J. H. Spencer, W. W. Beer, W. Edgar, and T. C. Woods. It was decided to resume operations as soon as the season opens. The main tunnel is in about 330 feet, with two shafts of 40 and 25 feet, respectively, and considerable cross-cutting.

William Kidder, a flouring mill manager of Terre Haute, Ind., and A. W. Wright, mining promoter, were guests at the Phair yesterday. They are representatives of the Portland Mining Co., which owns four claims in the Aspen Grove camp in the Similkameen division. About a year and a half since Mr. Wright acquired control of four claims in the camp. They are high grade claims, and the ore carries small values in gold and silver, but runs about 10 per cent in copper. Mr. Wright proceeded at once to Terre Haute, where he succeeded in interesting William Kidder and others and a company known as the Portland Mining Co. was formed with a capital stock of $1,500,000. The work of development was begun some time since. The company sent an agent out last year and he returned with a satisfactory account of the richness and extent of the veins on the property. Now Mr. Kidder has come to British Columbia and will examine the mines of Rossland and Phoenix and the smelters of Grand Forks and Greenwood in order to determine what will be the best method of mining and reducing the ores of the Portland Mining Co. Messrs. Kidder and Wright left for Rossland yesterday.

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FIGHT ENDED A DRAW.

In the fight between Jim Burrows and Coolgradie Smith at Fernie, Monday, March 17, it was decided by Referee Tuttie, a draw, both men being on their feet at the end of the 20th round. The contest was the best ever witnessed in East Kotenay. It is said to have been strictly on the square and both men went in to win. Burrows was in much the better condition at the end and held his own well throughout the fight.

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GAZETTE NOTICES.

The following notices appear in last issue of the British Columbia Gazette:

Fred A. Starkey, F. W. Swannell and Jacob Dover to be members of the board of directors of the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

John Cochrane, Victoria; H. H. Watson, Vancouver, and F. C. Stearman, Nanaimo, to be members of the board of examiners under the Pharmacy act.

Examinations for efficiency in the practice of assaying will be held at Nelsonon April 21 and following days The fee for examination will be $10.

The Giant Mining company, of England, with a capital stock of £150,000 in £1 shares, is registered as an extra-provincial company. A. H. MacNeill and A. S. Deacon, of Rossland are the attorneys within the province.

The Hardie Cinnabar Mines, limited, of England, with a capital stock of £50,000 in £1 shares, has been registered as an extra-provincial company. The provincial office is in Kamloops, and S. C. Burton is attorney for the company.

James E. Orr, of Slocan, retail merchant, has assigned to John Bull, for the benefit of his creditors. The meeting of creditors is to be held on March 26.

J. L. White and J. A. Anderson, trading as J. L. White and Co., druggists, Slocan City, have dissolved partnership.

The raffle for the piano, which was to have been held on the 25th of March, is postponed till 20th April.

FERNIE MINERS UNION.

Enthusiastic Meetings Which Added Many to the Membership.

James Wilks returned last night from a trip to Fernie where he had gone at the invitation of the Fernie Miner's union to address a meeting on the objects of trades unionism and its benefits to working men. The meeting was held in Joyce's hall on Saturday night and was so largely attended that many had to stand. Much enthusiasm was evinced and the meeting was a hearty one throughout. John Hescott, president of the Fernie Miners' union presided. Rev. Mr. Hallford, pastor of the Baptist church, also spoke expressing himself in accord with the objects of the meeting.

The primary object of the meeting was to revive interest in the miners' union and in this it fulfilled its object completely as at the conclusion 117 candidates were initiated. It was found that Joyce's hall was too small to accommodate all the miners and the owners of Princess hall kindly placed it at their disposal for meetings on Sunday afternoon and evening when the initiation ceremonies were continued. At the three meetings there was a total of 257 candidates joined or were reinstated, bringing the total membership up to the vicinity of 400. The members of the union are much gratified at the result of the meetings and passed a vote of thanks to Mr. Wilks for his visit. They have become very enthusiastic in their organization and intend to make it the banner one of the district. Steps will be taken at the next meeting to elect the quota of delegates to the convention to be held in Kamloops.

Action has been entered by Henry Kennedy, of Fernie, against Robert Kennedy, of Morrissey, for $5,000 damages for the alienation of the affections of the wife of the said Henry Kennedy, for persuading her to leave his home and harboring her. The case will come up for trial in Nelson, in May.

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Good Friday—10 a.m., morning prayer, Litany and sermon; 7.30 p.m., evening prayer, Story of Cross, sermon.

Easter Even (Saturday)—4 p.m., baptismal service; 5 p.m., evening prayer and address.

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VICTORIA REGISTRY

In the Matter of the "Winding Up Act" and Amending Acts and in the Matter of the "Tribune Association, Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that by an order of the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, made herein on the 14th day of March, 1902, it was ordered that Friday, the 4th day of April, 1902, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon, and the office of the District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Nelson, be appointed as the time and place, for the meeting of the creditors and contributories of the said company for the purpose of the receiving proposals by the said District Registrar for the appointment of a proper person to be the official liquidator of the company and that the said District Registrar do forthwith report the result of such meeting to the court at Victoria and that Friday, the 11th day of April, 1902, at the hour of 10.30 in the forenoon and the court house, Bastion Square, Victoria, before the Judge in Chambers, be appointed the time and place for the consideration of the report of the result of such meeting and for such appointment and order to be made thereon as may be deemed expedient, and it was ordered that notice of the said meeting be advertised seven consecutive times in "The Miner," a daily newspaper published in Nelson, and twice in the British Columbia Gazette.

Dated the 17th day of March, 1902.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
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Solicitors for John Houston, the petitioner herein.

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THE CITY

A. B. Buckworth, J. P., of Ymir, is in the city on a business visit.

John A. Benson, pioneer hotel man of Salmo, is in the city on a business trip.

Thomas Langton, of Langton and Hall, booksellers of Torounto, was at the Phair yesterday.

His Honor Judge Forin left last night for Vancouver to spend the Easter holidays.

The petition regarding the postoffice addition with 350 signatures was forwarded to Ottawa on Saturday.

The tug Hercules brought in the first barge of limestone this spring yesterday for the Hall Mines smelter.

At the police court yesterday two drunks who had been celebrating the day previous were each fined $5 and costs.

Mrs. Douglas Fraser, of Victoria, arrived on Sunday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Pettit, of Ward street.

W. A. Jowett, secretary of the Tourist association, went to Rossland last night on business connected with the association.

A. W. Johnston, manager for Greenshields and Co., dry goods merchants of Vancouver, was at the Hume on Sunday, and left yesterday.

George Bell and Co. have been incorporated as the Bell Trading company to do business in Nelson. G. W. Taylor is one of those largely interested in the new firm.

Mrs. Robert Rupert who was taken to the hospital last week suffering from croup is rapidly recovering. The disease was spasmodic croup not membraneous as previously mentioned.

Information was yesterday laid against John McIntyre, of Hall Siding, by R. A. Ibbotson, asking that he bound over to keep the peace. The case comes up tomorrow for trial.

The first robins of the spring had been heard around town this week, although several residents in the upper part of the city claim to have seen them in their vicinity a week ago.

All kinds of express work, coal and wood.—West Transfer Co. Telephone 33.

Through the item in Sunday's Miner regarding Michael Killoen's whereabouts information was secured that will lead to his relatives being put in communication with him again.

A box flume has been constructed to carry Cottonwood creek past the bridge while the work is going on below, and yesterday the stream was turned into the new channel to permit the workmen getting at the bed.

We have just received out new spring stock of Wall Paper, F. J. Bradley and Co.

Kerr and Co. announce their millinery opening for today at their millinery parlors on Ward street. No special invitations are issued but everyone is welcome to inspect the latest they offer from Paris and London.

Captain Duncan and wife, John A. Turner, S. S. Fowler and Mr. Fraser and wife, visited the Ymir mine on Sunday and inspected the new strike at the end of the long tunnel. They were much pleased with what they saw.

Call up 33 if you want furniture or pianos moved.--West Transfer Co.

At the record office yesterday Mrs. Grutchfield recorded the location of the Storm King mineral claim about two miles from Erie and Charles Ward recorded the Rutland, on Tamarac mountain. Certificates of work were issued to Walter Hughes et al, on the Pilot Fractional and John W. Johnson on the Five Corners fractional. A certificate of improvements was issued to Catherine Seed et al, and William Seed on the Warfare mineral claim. Otto Johnson transferred a one-quarter interest separately in each of the Central and the Central fractional claims to O. Johnson and Rodolph Leganet, consideration in each case nominal. J. H. Wallace recorded an assessment on the Lochabar, Lillie and Ella mineral claims.

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid at Mrs. Lay's residence at 3 o'clock on Wednesday to make arrangements for the dance and concert to take place on April 9th.

A resumption of work on the post office building took place yesterday when men were put at excavating for the one story addition at the back of the building. Operations will be carried on without interruption from this time forward.

All the newest books in our lending library —Morley and Laing.

J. C. Crome, manager of the Winnipeg branch of the Toronto Type Foundry Co., came in on Sunday night on his way to Halcyon Hot Springs, where he will rest and recruit his health, which has been run down of late. He left last night for the springs.

Before placing your order for wall paper it will pay you to see our new designs, F. J. Bradley and Co.

Mrs. Blaney yesterday received a handsome photo from Van Wyck's Rust, South Africa, of the company of South African constabulary in which her son is a member. Ex-chief Thompson is also a member of the group. Besides the photo Trooper Blaney had also enclosed a fan and several native bracelets.

The Hospital Aid met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Lay yesterday afternoon to wind up accounts for the recent ping pong tournament. It was found that the committee had a balance for the hospital of $122.50. The ladies desire to extend their thanks to those who donated prizes and to the committee who worked so hard to make the affair a success.

The new shingle mill of J. A. Sayward, at Pilot Bay, started up last week. Its capacity is five carloads of shingles a week. It is the intention of the company to put up another mill there at a very early date that will turn out two carloads of shingles a day to cater to the export trade. The firm have large timber limits of cedar in the Lardo and intend to handle shingles on a large scale

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The results of the election for the British Columbia Medical council were received yesterday, the new council being composed as follows: C. J. Fagan, O. M. Jones and J. C. Davie, Victoria; W. J. McGuigan, Vancouver; R. E. Walker, New Westminster; P. Procter, Kamloops, and R. E. McKechnie, Nanaimo. There were 32 candidates, the seven with the highest vote being appointed. Of the candidates from Kootenay Dr. E. C. Arthur, of Nelson, stood ninth.

Coronation Ties—The Wallace-Miller Co.

A runaway occurred yesterday afternoon on Baker street of one of Lawrence Hardware company's teams, which resulted in the wagon being partially smashed. The team ran from in front of the store to the corner of Ward where they turned south, the wagon colliding with the telegraph pole and upsetting. The team then broke loose, but one horse was caught at the entrance to the lane back of the Canada Drug and Book company's premises, while the other one started to go up the stairs at the side but was stopped before it got very far.

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A meeting of the Fish and Game Protective association will be held upstairs in the Bank of Montreal this evening at 8.30. The object of the meeting is to adopt bylaws upon which a committee has been at work, and to elect officers for the current year. It is known that there are many in Nelson who thoroughly concur with the objects of the association and it is hoped that all that can possibly manage will be present this evening to support the association and assist in getting it into working order. The meeting is at 8.30 sharp.

There was a narrow escape from a fatal accident at the city wharf on Sunday night, and as it was, a team of horses was drowned. A cab, with team, driven by C. Hendricks, had just taken aboard two ladies arriving on the steamer Moyie and as the driver was going from the door of the cab to the seat another team moved up startling Hendricks' team, which then commenced to back. He jumped to their heads and stopped one before it got to the edge of the wharf but the other fell over. Bystanders caught hold of the carriage and by main strength prevented it from going over and the passengers were taken out. The traces of the harness were broken by the weight of the horse which for a time had been held suspended head downward over the wharf. They were so frightened or benumbed that they made no effort to save themselves when they fell to the water though it was not deep. There was no boat at hand and nothing could be done until it was too late. One of the ladies who was ill, suffered a severe shock, but had recovered sufficiently yesterday morning to leave for her destination, Spokane.

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A son was born yesterday to the wife of A. Lapointe, of Vernon street

Mrs. Enfield's millinery opening begins today and will be continued Wednesday and Thursday.

The wedding took place last evening at the residence of A. Embree, of Robert J Chambers and Maybelle Embree, the Rev Dr. Wright performing the ceremony.

W. F. Teetzel was on the street yesterday for the fisrt time since his illness which has kept him from his place of business for two months, one of which was spent at the hospital.

R. L. Patterson, manager in Canada for Miller and Richards, type founders, came in last evening on a business trip for his company. Mr. Patterson is one of the pioneers in the printers' supply trade of Canada and is known personally by every printer from one end of Canada to the other.

Three beautiful cariboo heads mounted arrive yesterday from the taxidermist's at Vernon, for people in Nelson. One was for J. Fred Hume, of the Hume hotel. The animal had been shot by Mr. Hume near Bayonne last fall; the second was for Geo. H. Neelands, one he shot near Crawford bay, and the third for A. M. Johnson, of an animal shot by a friend of his near the Bayonne mine. They were all excellent specimens, being what sportsmen call perfect heads.

An action has been entered by Annie Winter, of Cody, B.C., and her husband, against the Kaslo and Slocan railway company for $10,000 for injuries claimed to have been received by Mrs. Winter under the following circumstances: That while she was in a passenger coach on the Cody branch, that the engine was detached from the train to be used for temporary employment, and that neither the conductor nor brakeman set the brakes on the car, but went away and left the car on the brink of a steep grade, and that the car ran away and was broken to pieces, the said Mrs. Winter being severely injured.

A calico ball will be held at the Queens hotel on the evening of March 31, Easter Monday, under the auspices of the Ladies' Progressive Whist Club.

A meeting of the Nelson Quoit club was held last evening and the following officers were elected for the coming season: President, W. W. Beer; vice-president, Geo. Nunn; secretary-treasurer, E. G Smyth; committee, J. H. Wallace, W. J. Watchorn and Fred J. Bradley. The introductory match between the president and vice-president's team will take place on Friday at 1.45 at the quoit grounds, at the foot of Kootenay street. All members are requested to be present as players will be chosen and play will commence promptly on time. Those desiring to become members are requested to hand in their names to any of the officers at once. The club had a very successful season last year and expects to be equally successful this year.

About 3.30 on Sunday morning as Constable Hardy was passing Josephine street on Front he heard a peculiar tinkle and looking up the street saw a man turn the corner of Lake street. The hurried way the man was walking attracted the constable's attention and he walked up towards the corner, in time to see the other hide something under the sidewalk and then go into one of the houses nearby. The constable investigated and found ten bottles of beer under the sidewalk. He then followed the man who had hidden them into the house and asked him where he got them. The man, who had five more bottles on his person, was unable to give any satisfactory account and was therefore taken to the lockup. It was finally found that he, W. Scranton, with a boy named Howell, had taken the beer from where it had been stored by Turner Beeton and Co., under a store on Josephine street, the door having been left open while some repairs were going on. The case came up for trial yesterday and both pleaded guilty. The police magistrate reserved judgment until today.

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