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A MILLION DOLLARS

BANK OF MONTREAL'S PROFIT FOR THE HALF YEAR.

Excellent Showing For the Last Fiscal Term.—Canada's Banking System Appreciated by Neighboring Country.

The statement of Canada's premier banking institution, for the half-year ending April 30th, was published last week, and the result is most satisfactory. The profits for the half-year amount to $982,858 after providing for all bad and doubtful debts and for management expenses. Among banking institutions in Canada, the Bank of Montreal stands almost alone in that its current loans do not exceed its deposits, at the present time. It will be noticed from the balance sheet given below that there is an ample margin, and this policy of the directors, which has been strictly adhered to, when many of their competitors were loaning money ahead of their deposits, has been one reason why, even in a time of stringency, the Bank of Montreal has gone on its own quiet and business-like way, when some of its speculative contemporaries have gone to the wall. Commenting on the Canadian banking system the New York Journal of Commerce aptly exemplifies the policy of the Bank of Montreal:

"Canadian bankers and financial writers have a right to congratulate themselves upon the superiority of their banking system, which is more nearly perfect than any other system in the world and puts to shame the clumsy and disordered national system of the United States.

"It affords in what is here sometimes derisively spoken of as 'assets currency' a perfectly safe and elastic form of note circulation, which expands and contracts with the demands of business; and through the branch banks it furnishes the means not only of distributing and collecting this currency readily, but of placing the capital and credit of the main institution where they can be used to the best advantage.

"The superiority of the system over ours is constantly exhibited, and if a time of strain and stress should come it will be demonstrated in a striking fashion that ought to teach us a lesson.

"Canada is justly proud and confident in her banks. and our loose-jointed and cumbersome system is a cause of continual dissatisfaction and is likely to be one of humiliation when put to the test."

That the above laudatory remarks are not exaggerated is evident from the semi-annual balance sheet of the Bank of Montreal, Canada's oldest banking institution, some particulars of which are appended:

The profits for the half-year amount to $982,858.14, which with the balance of $159,831.84 carried forward from the previous balance sheet, leaves an amount available for dividends of $1,142,689.98. The two quarterly dividends absorb $720,000 leaving a balance carried forward of $422,689.98. The notes of the bank in circulation amount to $10,751,307. Deposits not bearing interest amount to $33,253,427.49, and of deposits bearing interest to $97,927,703.71. Balances due other banks amount to $166,872.34. These liabilities with the capital stock of $14,400,000 and the reserve fund of $11,000,000, unclaimed dividends of $2,500.51, the quarterly dividend due in June and the balance brought forward make the total liabilities $167,984,501.03. The largest item on the other side of the balance sheet is that of current loans and discounts amounting to $104,522,334.74; but as will be noted the amount on deposit leaves a very safe margin for this.

The bank is to be congratulated on its excellent showing for the half-year, while its shareholders will be more than satisfied with a directorate and management who have so well conducted the finances of the institution as to show increased profits, while still pursuing a safe and conservative policy.

Ready For Business.

With a subscribed capital of $100,000, The Vancouver-Prince Rupert Meat Co. on Saturday took over the Vancouver, Westminster and Cloverdale meat business of P. J. Russell, and propose establishing markets throughout the province where openings can be had. The company will also build a mammoth cold storage plant at Vancouver, for which orders for machinery have been placed.

The provisional board of directors is composed of Hon. C. A. Semlin, Ashcroft; Thomas Ellis, Victoria, managing director of B. C. Cattle Co.; David H. Hays, Vancouver, secretary B. C. Tie and Timber Co.; T. S. Baxter, barrister; Patrick Donnelly, director of Securities Corporation of British Columbia, and P. J. Russell, late manager for Frye, Bruhn & Co. in North Washington, who will become the general manager of the new corporation. Besides the directors mentioned, capital was secured from several wealthy and influential cattle raisers of the interior and Alberta, including Joseph Guichon and Joseph Collett, of Quilchena; H. S. Cleasby, of Coutlee; Geo. N. Barclay, of Ashcroft; S. Armour, of Kamloops; Mrs. Jane C. Pooley and Peter Marquart, of Nicola Valley, and Hugh Macdonald, of Calgary.

Sharples Tubular Cream Separator.

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Be sure and see a Sharples Tubular Cream Separator now on exhibition at the Stage Office, Nicola.

Address all communications to Dr. C. W. Cross, agent, Ashcroft, B. C.

Menzies—Jardine.

The wedding of J. A. Menzies, of Lower Nicola, and Miss Jardine, late of Scotland, was solemnized at New Westminster on Saturday, May 18th, by the Rev. J. S. Henderson.

The newly married couple will reside at Lower Nicola, where Mr. Menzies is proprietor of the Nicola Portable Sawmill.

Mrs. A. E. Howse and daughter left on Wednesday's train for Hamilton, Ont., where they will visit with relatives.

A DAY OF SPORT

VICTORIA DAY CELEBRATED IN ROYAL STYLE.

Fine Weather and a Large Crowd Make An Excellent Day of Sport Athletic Events and Horse Racing, Gymkhana.

Victoria day celebration in Nicola was a grand success and from the start to finish of the program everything went off well. From early morn people from all parts of the valley poured into town and the local train was packed, Nicola probably having the largest crowd ever in attendance at any celebration in the valley.

During the morning the athletic events were held on Winny's townsite adjoining the tennis grounds, and every event was well contested.

After lunch the race track was the scene of attraction and shortly after one o'clock the races were commenced. All were keenly contested and great interest taken in each event.

Thanks are due the different committees for the able manner in which every detail of the celebration was conducted.

This evening a dance will be held in Pooley's hall.

Below is given the events and successful contestents in the athletic events. The full results of the horse races and gymkhana events will be published in the Herald's next issue.

ATHLETIC SPORTS.

50 yds. race; boys 15 years and under. 1st, A. Smith; 2nd, W. Johnston; 3rd, T. Clark.

50 yds. race; girls 15 yrs. and under; 1 T. Marquart, 2 M. Marquart, 3 B. Munro.

Boys 3-legged race; 1 T. Clark and O. Murray, 2 E. Munro and A. Smith, 3 E. Munro and A. Smith.

Boys race, extra; 1 T. Clark, 2 O. Murray, 3 E. Munro.

Girls race extra; 1 Lina Blackwell, 2 Lena Earnshaw; 3 Dorothy Carrington.

Egg and spoon race; 1 Miss Earnshaw, 2 Flo. Hunter.

Putting the shot. 1 J. Alexander, 2 A Irwin.

100 yard race, Indian. 1 J Alexander, Jonh Moon.

Klootchmen race. 1 Lizzie, 2 Agnes.

Potato race. 1 A. Irwin, 2 J. Moon.

220 yds. race; men; 1 J. Alendar, 2 J. Moon.

Standing long jump. 1 J. Alexander, J. Forsyth.

100 yards. A. Irwin, 2 J. Alexander.

3-Legged race. 1 McGruthers and Ridgway, 2 Toy and Angus.

1-4 Mile race. 1 R. H. Winny, 2 G. Murray.

New Coal Regulations.

The Governor-in-Council has approved of the new regulations concerning the leasing of coal lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, Yukon, Northwest Territories and the railway belt of British Columbia. They provide that coal areas may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 in advance; that no application shall be for more than 2,560 acres; that priority of legal possession shall ensure title; that operations must be begun within twelve months; that a royalty of five cents per ton shall be paid, and that actual settlers shall be allowed to buy coal for their own use at a price not to exceed $1.75 per ton at the pit's mouth.

Strikes at 'Frisco.

The carmen's strike in San Francisco is growing serious. On Wednesday of last week a fight took place which raged for an hour, eight men being shot; several will die. The telephone operators and the ironworkers have followed the lead of the carmen, and the city is terribly handicapped by the attitude of these and other unions which threaten to strike.

Flour Advancing.

A Winnipeg dispatch says flour again advanced 20 cents a barrel on Friday, making an advance of 60 cents in two weeks. The millers claim it should be 75 cents in proportion to the rise in the grain markets.

LOCAL NEWS.

Ed. Tingley came in from Otter Valley yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Potter returned today from a visit to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Marpole, of Dot, were visitors to Nicola today,

The 8th annual gymkhana and race meeting of the Kamloops polo club will be held at Kamloops on June 5.

H. H. Price, of Aspen Grove, returned this week from an extended visit to the coast, and is spending a few days visiting in Nicela.

W. H. Edmonds, H. Brocklehurst, J. Brown and Bradshaw Brown were among the Victoria Day visitors in Nicola from Kamloops.

T. O. Townley rnd son, accompanied by John Meyer arrived in Nicola this week. Mr. Meyer will remain in Nicola and will act as townsite agent for Merritt and Nicola, besides doing a general insurance and brokerage business.

R. A. Lambert, who is operating at Granite Creek on a placer proposition, came in on today's stage and leaves tonight for Vancouver. He reports work as going on satisfactorily and will return again in a short time.

Andrew McGorran and S. Collins, of Kaslo, accompanied by J. Shivel, of Merritt, were in Nicola this week. Messrs. McGorran and Collins are practical sawmill men and are interested in timber limits in the Coldwater section. They intend to open up business in the valley.

W. H. Armstrong, vice-president and manager of the Nicola Valley Coal and Coke Co.'s property at Middlesboro' collieries, this week. A spur from the C. P. R. track will be built into the mine at once and preparations are being made to have larger shipments than at present.

Duncan Macphail was in Nicola this week from his ranch in the Otter valley. He will return shortly on his way to Portland, Ore., with his brother Donald, who will have special medical treatment at one of the sanitariums of that city. Donald during the past winter suffered with lagrippe and pneumonia, which afterwards developed into rheumatics.

NEW C.P.R. SERVICE

FROM VANCOUVER TO MONTREAL IN 85 HOURS.

Change of Timetable Takes Effect on June 1st.—On Nicola Branch the Train Comes Up One Day Returning the Next.

A number of changes will be made in the running time of the C. P. R. trains when the summer timetable comes into effect on June 1st. It was expected that a tri-weekly fast mail service would be included in the changes, but it is now understood that this will not become operative till July.

In the meantime two regular daily transcontinental trains will run on the following schedule: Transcontinental No. 97 from Montreal will arrive in Vancouver daily at 10.50 a.m., and eastbound No. 96 will leave for Montreal at 5 p.m. daily.

Transcontinental No. 1 will arrive from Montreal daily at 7.50 p. m. and eastbound No. 2 will depart for Montat 7.30 a.m. daily.

On the Nicola branch also material changes will be made. Heretofore on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays the trains have left Spences Bridge for Nicola and returned the same day, On and after June 1st departures from Spences Bridge for Nicola will be on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, but they will not return from Nicola the same day. Departures from Nicola will be on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Close connections at Spences Bridge will be made by the Nicola trains with transcontinentals Nos. 1 and 2.

Until the regular tri-weekly fast service is put in operation the Overseas Mail will be continued. The tri-weekly service will cover the distance between Vancouver and Montreal in 85 hours, and will arrive at 6.30 a. m. on Tuesdays, Thursdavs and Saturdays, and leave at 4.40 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. It is quite likely that the new fast service will be known as the Imperial Limited for this year. It will replace the Overseas Mail and is timed to fit in as nearly as possible with the arrival and departure of the Empress steamers.

Nicola Farmers' Institute.

Much confusion has been caused heretofore on account of the local farmers' institute being misnamed the Lillooet Farmers' Institute, but this has now been rectified by a recent order-in-council, which defines a new district to be called the Nicola Institute District, and to include all that portion comprised within the boundaries of the Nicola Mining Division.

The regular spring meetings of the Nicola Farmers' Institute will be held as follows:

Monday, May 27, Lower Nicola.
Tuesday, May 28, Coutlee.
Wednesday, May 29, Nicola.

The meetings will be conducted by W. S. Fraser, of Bradford, Ont., and Dr. Tolmie, of Victoria.

The following are the subjects: Noxious Weeds, Seed Selection, Clover, Sheep, Hogs, Cultivation of Soil and Uuder Drainage. Stock judging classes.

Miners' Certificates.

Holders of free miners' certificates should bear in mind that these expire on May 31st. Although this has been the law for some years, there are always a few absent-minded holders of certificates who neglect renewal, at the subsequent cost of trouble and money to themselves.

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NICOLA, B. C., MAY 24, 1907.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Thousands of city people are now counting the hours when they can leave for some lake or river for an outing, where they can fight mosquitoes and bugs for a few days, and perhaps get drowned. It is a great thing and many of our ancestors lived and died not knowing what a vacation or an outing meant.

The progress of cities is measured by the public spirit of their inhabitants. Men whose only interest is in the success of their indivibusiness may make money for themselves, but they cannot build successful cities any more than a pile of stones can fnrnish sustenance for growing plants.

The Fernie Free Prees puts the matter very convincingly when it says: "The distribution of provincial tax notices this year has had a tendency to make friends for the McBride administration. The substantial reduction in the personal property tax is one argument that can bear no trace of sophistry."

It is not the site of the town but its character that makes it a desirable place to live. A live, prosperous town is a desirable one to llve in. and a town may prosper and yet be small. Every citizen in a town should be interested in its prosperity. One of the best ways to help a town is to speak well of it. It is true patriotism to stand by your own town, and interests that affect the town should affect every citizen in it.

With this issue of The Nicola Herald it enters on its third year During the past two years many changes have been made in Nicola valley, and the future will see many more. The Herald has at all times done its best in the interests of the district and will continue to keep the advantages before the general public. Subscriptions are now due and the management would request all to send in their remittances at an early date.

The celebration committee are to be congratulated on the successful manner in which the Victoria Day celebration was conducted. A well arranged program with substantial purses succeeded in bringing a large number of people to Nicola. For one not having experience in assisting in the work of arranging sports some fault might be found, but when one considers the many details any error can well be overlooked. The committees should have the thanks of all citizens, as today's celebration was the best in the history of Nicola.

TO AMERICAN SUBSCRIBERS.

On account of the increase in second-class postage rates between Canada and the United States, on and after this date the subscription price of The Nicola Herald to subscribers resident in the United States will be $2.50 per annum. This includes new and renewed subscriptions, and is merely the additional postage that must be paid for American delivery.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate in Yale district in the province of British Columbia:

7. Commencing at the s E corner of no. 6. timber application J. E. Bate, J. P. Cunningham and J. McQuillan,
thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains along the east line of timber limit no. 8612 to point of commencement.

8. Commencing at the s E corner of no. 7 thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains to point of commencement.

9. Commencing at the s w corner of no. 8 thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains to point of commencement.

14. Commencing at the s w corner of no. 13, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains to point of commencement.

15. Commencing at the N W corner of no. 14, thence s 80 chains, thencew 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains to point of commencement.

24. commencing at the SE corner of no. 23, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains to point of commencement.

25. commencing at the N E corner of no. 24, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains to point of commencement.

45. *Commencing at the S E corner of no. 44,* thence S 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains to point of commencement.

75. Commencing at the n e corner of no 74, thence e 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence n 80 chains to point of commencement.

76 Commencing at the s w corner of no 75, thence e 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence n 80 chains to point of commencemeut.

77 Commencing at the s w corner of no 76, thence e 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence n 80 chains to point of commencement.

83 Commencing at the s e corner of no 3, thence e 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence n 80 chains to point of commencement.

J. E. BATE,
J. P. CUNNINGHAM,
J. MACQUILLAN.

Nicola, B. C., May 21st, 1907.

NOTICE.

Thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following lands on the west side of the Coldwater river in Yale district:

No. 1. Commencing at the n w corner of Lot 746, running 80 chains s, thence 80 chains w, thence 80 chains n, thence 80 chains e to point of commencement.

2. Commencing at the s w corner of no. 1, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains to point of commencement.

3. Commencing at the s w corner of no. 2, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains to point of commencement.

4. Commencing at the N W corner of no 3, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains to point of commencement.

5. Commencing at the N E corner, of no, 4, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains to point of commencement.

6. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 5, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains to point of commencement.

7. Commencing at the N W corner of no. 6, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains to point of commencement.

8 Commencing at the N E corner of no. 7, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains to point of commencement.

9. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 8 thence E 40 chains, thence s 160 chains, thence w 40 chains, thence N 160 chains to point of commencement.

10. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 9, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains to point of commencement.

11. Commencing at the N W corner of no. 10 thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains to point of commencement.

J. E. BATE,
J. P. CUNNINGHAM.
J. McQUILLAN.

Dated May 15th, 1907.

NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following lands on the east side of the Coldwater river in Yale district:

No. 1. Commencing at the s E corner of Lot 331, running 80 chains N, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains to point of commencement.

2. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 1, thence N 40 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence n 40 chains to point of commencement.

3. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 2, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains to point of commencement.

4. Commencing at the s E corner of no. 3, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains to point of commencement.

5. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 3, thence w 40 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 40 chains to point of commencement.

6. Commencing at the N E corner of no. 3, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains to point of commencement.

7. Commencing at the s E corner of no. 6, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains, thence w 80 chains to point of commencement.

8. *Commencing at the N E corner of no. 7,* thence w 160 chains, thence N 40 chains, thence E 160 chains, thence s 40 chains to point of commencement.

9. commencing at the N E corner of no. 8, thence w 80 chains, thence N 80 chains, thence E 80 chains, thence s 80 chains to point of commencement.

J. E. BATE,
J. P. CUNNINGHAM,
J. McQUILLAN.

Dated May 15th, 1907.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase 640 acres of mounpasture land.

Commencing at a post marked M. K.'s N. W. corner, placed at S. W. corner of Sec. 3, Tp. 91, Kamloops Div.; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

Mary King, Locator.
Dell King, Agent.

Dated Coutlee, B. C., May 16th, 1907.

NOTICE.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of Lot 1606, Kamloops Division of Yale District, thence S. along W. boundry of Lot 160a to S. W. corner of Lot 160a, thence W. along N. boundary of Lot 1605 40 chains, thence N. to S.W. corner of Lot 1606, thence easterly along S. boundary of Lot 1606 to point of commencement, containing 152 acres more or less.

W. G. Morrison, Locator.
C. L. Flick, Agent.

Dated May 21st, 1907.

NOTICE

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for a license to prospect for coal on the following lands: Starting at a post placed on Sec. 4, Township 91, and running east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement

Dated 18th of May, 1907.

Jos. Graham, Locator.

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S. J. CASTLEMAN

General Agent for the Company

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Black Prince Mineral Claim, situate in the Nicola Mining Division of Yale District. Where located—Aspen Grove.

Take notice that I, Isaac Eastwood, Free Miner's Certificate No. B93427, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1907.

ISAAC EASTWOOD.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase 160 acres of mountain pasture land, situated in Kamloops division of Yale district: Commencing at the S E corner of A. Anderson's preemption claim thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

ANDREW ANDERSON.

March 26th 1907.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase 80 acres of pasture land situated on Pike's Mountain, Yale District, commencing at a post placed on the southern line of G. N. Perkins' preemption, thence 40 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 20 chains north to point of commencement.

April 10, 1907. HARVEY E. HALL

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Copper Age Mineral Claim, situated in the Nicola Mining Division of Yale District. Where located—Aspen Grove.

Take notice that we, Isaac Eastwood, Free Miner's Certificate No. B93427, and Price Ellison, Free Miner's Certificate No. B22790, intend sixty days from date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 1907.

ISAAC EASTWOOD.
PRICE ELLISON.

M. L. GRIMMETT, LL. B.

BARRISTER, SOLICITOR,
NOTARY PUBLIC, ETC.
Solicitor for the Bank of Montreal.

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Vernon Fractional Mineral Claim, situate in the Nicola Mining Division of Yale District. Where located—Aspen Grove.

Take notice that I, Isaac Eastwood, agent for David H. Smith, Free Miner's Certificate No. B93428, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1907.

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FRIDAYS—Nicola (morning); Coutlee (noon); Lower Nicola (evening).

SATURDAYS—Lower Nicola.

SEASON—MAY 1st TO JULY 1st

TERMS—$20 for the season, with privilege of return. All fees payable at end of season.

R. WINNY, Secretary.

LOCAL NOTES

Capt. Flick, of Lower Nicola. was in Nicola this week.

T. F. Vicary, of Lower Nicola, was a visitor to town on Monday.

A. R. Carrington returned Wednesday from the Methodist conference at Vernon.

S. Tingley, of Ashcroft, was in the valley this week looking over his interests.

Saturday (tomorrow), the 25th, has been proclaimed a public holiday by the lieutenant-governor.

I. Eastwood, of the B. C. Beef Market, Merritt, was in Nicola on a business trip on Monday.

Dr. Ker was a visitor to Nicola for a few days this week. He will make his headquarters at Coutlee.

Men have been engaged this week putting in telephone poles and stringing the wire to the C. P. R. station.

T. McEwen, of Ashcroft, and A. Johnston, of Vancouver, were in Nicola this week looking over the Valley.

H. Thorpe, soda water manufacturer of Vancouver, returned to the coast on Monday after a short visit at Quilchena.

F. Lambert commenced the erection of a residential cottage on his lots on Main street this week. It will be a two-storey, 24x30.

Wm. Voght, of Merritt, was a visitor to Nicola on Monday. He will place his portion of the townsite on the market in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jackson, of the Triangle ranch, and Mrs. H. H Matthews, of Lakeview ranch, Nicola, left on Wednesday's train for the coast.

On Sunday next Rev. Jas. Thompson will conduct service at Coutlee at 3 p. m., and at St. John the Baptist church, Nicola, at 7.30 p.m.

J. W. Collis, formerly a resident of Coutlee, and still interested in mining properties on Ten-mile, was in Nicola this week representing a machinery firm.

Stanley Kirby, of Quilchena, and W. Hawkins, of the Coldspring ranch, passed through town Monday on their way to Kirby's estate in the Voght valley section.

The burning of a kiln of lime on the property of P. Marquart was completed this week, under the supervision of Geo. Irvine. The indications are that it will turn out in A1 shape.

A marriage has been arranged between G. B. Bright, C. E., and Miss Mabel Hardiman, daughter of T. R. Hardiman, of Canford, B.C., and niece of the late high sheriff of the County of Southampton, England, Charles Hart-Hardiman.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase the following described land, being and situate in Kamloops Division of Yale District and known as Lot 161, adjoining Lots 133, 132, 1604 and 1605, containing an area of 140 acres more or less.

William Corkle, Locator.
C. L. Flick, Agent.
Dated May 21st, 1907.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the hon. chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase 320 acres of pasture land in Kamloops division of Yale district situated as follows:

Commencing at a stake at the southwest corner of Robert Clark's pre-emption record No. 263, running thence uorth 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1907.

ROBERT L. CLARK.

A.O.F.

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NOTICE.

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held in the Court House, Nicola, B. C., on

Tuesday, 4th June, 1907

at 10 a. m. GEO. MURRAY, C. C. Registrar.

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J. D. LAUDER.

Dated April 18th, 1907.

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