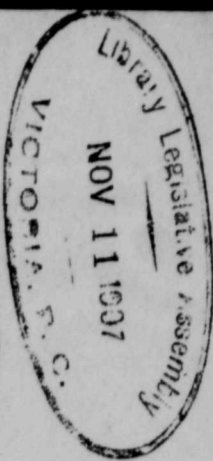


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## AT MIDDLESBORO'

### NEW SEAM BELOW RAT HOLE TO BE OPENED.

Shipment of Five Hundred Tons Before End of Year.—Bunkers at No. Two Seam are About Completed.

Mining operations at Middlesboro' Collieries are making rapid headway: at present 120 tons a day being shipped of the highest quality of coal. This is being taken from the Jewel and Rat Hole seams, there being a large quantity of coal from both seams ready for immediate shipment. Before the end of the year the management confidently expect to be shipping over 500 tons a day, an expectation which to anyone familiar with the extensive development operations which are being carried on, will seem a low and conservative estimate.

Further development has shown other seams of coal and one of easy access near the Rat Hole seam is being opened up and by the beginning of the year will be into good shipping coal.

The bunkers to be used for the coal from the No. 2 seam are about completed and are now in use. The coal from this seam is of the highest quality.

The scene at Middlesboro' is a busy one, and the many new buildings in course of erection go to show that there will be a good sized settlement there in the near future. Houses and cottages for the employees are already erected and more of these are at present under construction. The large new boarding house is now almost completed and other buildings for the use of the workmen are being erected. A large warehouse along side the railroad track has just been completed and will be used for storage purposes.

The difference between Middlesboro' twelve months ago and today would hardly be credited and the company are to be congratulated on the far-sighted and business like manner in which they have gone about the development of this property and the securing of first class men to manage the affair.

The outlook for the mines is good, and what the shipment may be twelve months from now would be hard to say, but everything points to the tonnage being a heavy one and of a high class quality of coal.

#### To Probe Further.

An order in council will be issued at Ottawa extending Mackenzie King's commission so as to permit of extension of his enquiry into the whole subject of Japanese immigration into Canada.

#### Asiatic League Meeting.

A meeting of the Merritt Asiatic League will be held at Merritt on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

## PEACOCK GROUP.

The contract on the Peacock group of mineral claims on Claperton creek, owned by Thomas Hunter, was finished last week. The drift from the bottom of the shaft was continued for a further distance of twenty feet and indications are that with a little more work will open up a fine body of ore. The result is considered very satisfactory by the owner and he contemplates letting a further contract. With further work it would go far towards proving upon a property which has every indications of being a valuable proposition.

#### Church of England Parishes.

A meeting of the members of the Church of England was held on Sunday afternoon. It was decided to make two parishes of the district, Nicola and Merritt, the dividing line being that dividing townships 91 from 93. The officers for the Nicola parish are: Vicar's warden and treasurer, A. W. Strickland; people's warden and secretary, H. H. Matthews; sidemen, E. Hann, J. P. Meyer, W. Neal, W. Potter, R. H. Winny and R. S. Smith.

A meeting of the Merritt parish will be held on Sunday afternoon after the service at Merritt.

#### Evangelistic Services.

Asa Gordon, K. C., and Mrs. Gordon, Evangelists from Ottawa, will commence a series of Union Evangelistic services in the Lower Nicola Church on Friday, Nov. 8th.

Mrs. Gordon, by her sweet voice and her spiritual talks combined with an attractive personal appearance, has become a very successful Christian worker.

Mr. Gordon is an effective speaker. His practice in the legal profession enables him to present his theme in clear and convincing arguments. It will be a treat for the residents of the valley to hear them.

#### Church Services.

Church of England services Sunday next, Nov. 10th, evening service at St. John's, Nicola, 7:30 p. m. Afternoon service at Merritt (Willowdale) at 2:30 p. m., to be followed by a meeting of church members.

Rev. D. K. Allan will preach at the Middlesboro' Collieries on Sunday at 7 p. m.

Methodist Church services next Sunday at Nicola 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. At Lower Nicola Asa Gordon, K. C., and Mrs. Gordon commence a series of union evangelistic services tonight which will be continued over Sunday.

#### Merritt.

The town of Merritt is going ahead rapidly, every day new houses are commenced, and every available piece of lumber from local mills is secured and more buildings would be erected if lumber was more plentiful. Quite a number of lots have been disposed off to both local and outside parties. The bridge across the Coldwater river will probably be built this winter to connect with Middlesboro.

M. L. Grimmett, Geo. Hygh, Wm. McIntyre and J. R. A. Richards returned from Kamloops today after attending the licensing appeal.

E. Mace has his building under construction at Merritt and will open up first class shaving parlors. Mr. Mace has had twenty years experience and guarantees satisfaction.

## OF LOCAL IMPORT

### MERRITT LICENCES HAVE TO BE RE-CONSIDERED.

Death of W. H. Ladner Well Known Old Timer.—Sanitarium at Tranquille Ready For Business. Dr. Irving in Charge.

The appeal against the decision of the Kamloops licence commissioners came up before Judge Spinks at Kamloops yesterday. The appeal was brought by Joseph R. A. Richards on account of licenses being granted to George Hygh of Hotel Merritt and Wm. McIntyre of the Coldwater hotel at Merritt. Richards had applied for a second licence in the licence radius, which was not granted.

At the meeting of the licensing board on the 11th October, attention was drawn to the defective petitions and three applicants and solicitors agreed to let petitions to go in as they were the commissioners accepting same. The appeal was brought up on the petitions being defective, the judge granting same. The licences for the two hotels at Merritt are therefore cancelled and the whole proceedings of application will have to be gone over again and will come up again at a meeting on 27th November.

#### Death of a Pioneer.

The death is announced of one of the best known of British Columbia pioneers, W. H. Ladner who passed away this week at his home at Ladners. The deceased had reached the ripe old age of 82 and had lived in British Columbia nearly all his life. The deceased for a number of years engaged in mining and packing in the Cariboo district and also spent some time in Nicola Valley. He later on settled near the mouth of the Fraser river and acquired a large estate. He leaves a widow and two daughters to mourn his loss.

#### Provincial Sanitarium.

Within two weeks it is probable that the Provincial Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Tranquille will open for the reception of a limited number of patients. At least such was the statement made at the last meeting of the directorate held in Victoria. The question of building a hospital for the treatment of consumptives in an advanced stage was left in the hands of a committee to report upon. Dr. Irvine of Victoria, who was formerly connected with the sanitarium at Gravenhurst, Ont., was chosen medical superintendent for the first six months and Miss McLaren, formerly of the Kamloops Hospital staff, was chosen as matron. Allan Dodd was offered the position of assistant secretary. An experienced man who has already been placed in charge of the farming operations, reported it to be in a flourishing condition.

#### WATCHES COME AND GO

But the watch that always stays, always leads, always improves, always outwears and always outsells all others is the Waltham watch. To secure that kind of a watch at a low price drop me a line or call on me at Nicola and examine my high grade goods; and before doing so, remember that Xmas is coming and my beautiful calendars will be ready for distribution.

Respectfully yours,  
J. B. HADDAD.

A. B. Lawson of Pakenham, Ont., is visiting in Nicola and is the guest of his niece Mrs. G. L. Hilliard.

## NICOLA COAL MINES.

P. Bockmier, manager of the Nicola Coal Mines Ltd., whose property is on Lindley creek, has been in the valley for the past two weeks. He reports the completion of the contract for a fifty foot extension to the tunnel which is being run in to tap the seam and has let another contract for fifty feet more. W. S. Angstead is in charge of the work which he will continue all winter. A shaft above the tunnel on the surface showing has been sunk about ten feet and Mr. Bockmier states that they have a five foot seam of good coal and with the tunnel extended farther the body will be tapped.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

J. E. Bate of Aspen Grove left on yesterday's train for Kamloops on a business trip.

Mrs. Kirby, Mrs. Mickle and Miss Lettice of Quilchena were visitors to Nicola this week.

Miss C. Woodward returned to Lower Nicola yesterday after a short visit in Nicola with relatives.

Bruce R. Warden, superintending engineer at Middlesboro' Collieries, and Mrs. Warden are in Nicola today.

Barclay Bonthron of Vancouver was in Nicola this week and also was in the Tulameen section looking over mining interests.

F. C. Kennedy and H. G. Lawes are two new members of G. B. Armstrong's staff at his general merchandise establishment at Merritt.

The Young People's Guild had a very enjoyable session at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Roberts at Lakeview ranch on Wednesday evening.

#### November Westward Ho.

Westward Ho! for November is now at the bookstores. The magazine shows a splendid growth and warrants the publishers in believing that there is a field in western Canada that will support a standard sized 10 cent magazine. Nearly one hundred pages of excellent reading with many good illustrations mark the growth of the publication. That its value is appreciated for its excellent series of articles along the lines of "Community Advertising" is shown by the way Freeman Harding handles his story of Kamloops under the title of "Where Irrigation is King." There are several splendid short stories, all western in character and style, Billee Glynn deals with the great fishing industry in an instructive manner. L. C. S. Hallam's "Memoirs of an Aristocrat" is an exceedingly humorous story of adventure of the same character as the celebrated Gerard stories which ran so successfully in the Strand Magazine. The editor writes this month in his "Men I Have Known" department on Rudyard Kipling, whose acquaintance he has enjoyed for many years. In addition to a life-like portrait of the distinguished Imperialist there is a reproduction of a very remarkable and artist conception of Mr. Kipling as he appears to the Oriental mind. This portrait was originally done in silk by a Chinese artist and the reproduction retains all the delicacy of the original.

## NICOLA HAS COAL

### WORK DONE ON SHOWING DISCOVERED BY W. MUNRO.

R. A. Lambert Uncovers Face of Seam Good Quality of Coal.—Two Miles From Nicola and in Good Position.

The outcrops of coal directly south of Nicola, and about two miles distant led some time to quite a large area in the vicinity being staked for coal lands. Prospecting work was done, but nothing really promising was located until lately.

As is well known there are indications on Hamilton creek, and some years ago drilling operations were commenced with a view of proving the property. Owing however to a wash on the creek work was suspended and has never been restarted. A prospecting trip over this area led Wm. Munro to an entirely new showing, and this R. A. Lambert has been working on during the past two weeks. About half a mile from the Gilmore fence towards Hamilton creek, and about two miles from Nicola Mr. Munro discovered an outcrop on the hill, and Mr. Lambert has opened up the face of this showing and has uncovered a depth of seam of over seven feet dipping into the hill.

The coal is similar to that taken out of Coal Gully at the commencement of development operations there, and there is evidently a large body, which will be easily mined, and close to transportation. Mr. Lambert left for the coast this week, and will meet the directors of the Nicola Coal Co., who are owners of the property and who it is expected will at once start active development on the uncovered seam. The importance to Nicola if further work proves the existence of a large body of coal, can hardly be realized by even the most optimistic, while the quality of the coal judging from the samples seen will make this property a strong competitor to other coal properties.

#### Murdered By Horse Thief.

Robert Williams, a rancher living near Little Fort about 65 miles north of Kamloops was shot and killed on Tuesday by William Stout. Five Indians witnessed the tragedy and saw Stout escape. Stout had stolen two horses but word had been sent by an Indian instructing Williams to prevent Stout crossing the river at his landing. Williams refused Stout permission to cross on the ferry and Stout with a single shot from his revolver put a bullet through Williams' heart. Stout ferried himself across the river and escaped with three horses. Chief Constable Fernie is in pursuit with a posse.

Lost—in Pooley's Hall, on Sept. 27th, a music book and a buckle of a ladies' belt. There was also left in the hall a dinner plate and a napkin. If articles are found or the plate wanted call at the Nicola Herald office.



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## Conservative Convention.

The big convention to be held in Vancouver on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 22 and 23, promises to be an epoch-making event in the history of Conservatism in British Columbia.

The committee having the matter in hand are sparing no effort to make it a success, and the railways have offered every encouragement in the way of reduced rates to delegates coming from the various constituencies throughout the province.

The purpose of the convention is mainly to create a provincial organization and thus place the outlying districts in close touch with the central body.

The need for such an association is being felt more and more, and the policy outlined for the convention will be a broad and comprehensive one in every respect. All Conservative members, either provincial or federal, will be members of the convention ex-officio, while each local constituency will send ten delegates. This makes a possible attendance of 420.

It is almost a certainty that Premier Roblin of Manitoba and Hon. F. W. G. Haultain of Regina, will be present and with local speakers will address the convention. It is proposed to make the event an educator in the way of familiarizing local Conservatives with questions of a federal character.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has agreed to give first-class single fares good for return trip to delegates traveling over the railway or local steamship lines. To those coming by steamship from Prince Rupert, Skeena and Atlin, or other places where meals and berth will be necessary, a fare of one and a third will be granted. The delegates will purchase tickets one way only and must obtain a receipt for same. Then they will receive a certificate from the secretary of the convention entitling them to return free, excepting where the fare and a third holds good, in the event of which they will pay only one-third in returning.

The committee in charge of the arrangements consists of Premier McBride and the presidents of the Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo Conservative associations. This committee is preparing strong resolutions and a constitution to present to the convention.

## NOTICE.

Take notice that the Nicola Valley Lumber Company Limited, of Canford, in the County of Yale in the Province of British Columbia, intend, after sixty (60) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, pursuant to the "Rivers and Streams Act," and amending acts, to submit a proposal to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to clear and remove obstructions from the Nicola River and Spious Creek, a tributary of Nicola River, County of Yale, British Columbia, for the purpose of making the said river and creek fit for rafting, and driving thereon logs, timber, lumber, rafts and crafts; such proposal to contain the terms and conditions upon which the said The Nicola Valley Lumber Company Limited is willing to undertake the same.

The land and waters to be affected by the said works are as follows: Nicola River and Spious Creek; Lot 138, Group 1, Kamloops Division, Yale District; Section 1, Township 14, Range 23 West, Sixth Meridian, owned by Joseph Cleashy; land owned by C. L. Flick, number of lot unknown; Dominion Crown lands; Provincial Crown lands.

Dated this 30th day of October, 1907.

THE NICOLA VALLEY LUMBER COMPANY LIMITED,

By its Solicitor,

M. L. GRIMMETT,  
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## NOTICE

Yale Land District. District of Yale.

Take notice that Claude D. Broadbent of Victoria, B.C., gentleman intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of lot 570, T.P. 94, Kamloops Division, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

CLAUDE D. BROADBENT,  
By his agent

Harold H. Matthews.

Dated Nicola B.C., Sept. 9, 1907.

## NOTICE.

To whom it may concern: that I, John Clapperton, farmer and stockraiser, Nicola, and I, M. P. Stewart, mail contractor, Nicola, have this day sold and delivered to R. H. Winney, farmer and stockraiser, Nicola, all the cattle owned by us, and branded thus: <I> diamond bar on left hip, and that with the cattle we have sold and transferred said diamond brand.

JOHN CLAPPERTON,  
M. P. STEWART.

Witness: M. L. GRIMMETT.

Dated at Nicola, 4th October, 1907.

## NOTICE

Take notice that John Trainor, timber dealer of Coutlee, B. C., intends to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special timber license over the following described lands situate in valley known as Railroad Pass, Yale Division, Yale District:

Commencing at a post on north side of said valley (about 50 yards north of the surveyed line of the V. V. & E. railway and about 200 yards east of the western boundary line of the pre-emption known as Wm. Brook's pre-emption and about one mile west of Brook's cabin) marked north-east corner, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

JOHN TRAINOR.

Dated September 23d, 1907.

## NOTICE.

Take notice that Alexander Stephen, timber dealer of Coutlee, B. C., intends to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special timber license over the following described lands situate in valley known as Railroad Pass, Yale Division, Yale District:

Commencing at a post planted next north-west corner of timber limit staked by John Trainor on north side of said valley, marked north-east corner, thence running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

ALEXANDER STEPHEN.

Dated September 23d, 1907.

## NOTICE.

Take notice that John Trainor, timber dealer of Coutlee, B. C., intends to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special timber license over the following described lands situate in valley known as Railroad Pass, Yale Division, Yale District:

Commencing at a post planted next north-west corner of timber limit staked by A. Stephen on north side of said valley, marked northeast corner, thence running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

JOHN TRAINOR.

Dated September 24th, 1907.

## NOTICE.

Take notice that we the undersigned intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for license to cut and carry away timber on the following described lands situate in valley known as Railroad Pass, Yale Division, Yale District.

Commencing at a post on north side of said valley marked south-west corner, thence running north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to place of commencement.

JOHN TRAINOR,

ALEXANDER STEPHEN.

Dated September 24th, 1907.

## NOTICE.

Take notice that I, Alexander Stephen, timber dealer of Coutlee, B. C., intend to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands situated in valley known as Railroad Pass, Yale Division, Yale District:

Commencing at a post planted near the north-west corner of J. Trainor's timber limit No. 2, on north side of said valley, marked north-east corner, thence running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. STEPHEN.

Dated September 24th, 1907.



## YALE ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the Court House, Ashcroft, I shall hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name or names on the Register of Voters for the Yale Electoral District.

H. P. CHRISTIE,  
Registrar of Voters.

Ashcroft, B.C., 4th September, 1907.

## NOTICE

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal on the following land. Commencing at a post at the N.E. corner of H. J. Earnshaw's coal location, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

H. M. STRAMBERG, Locator.

Stanley Kirby, Agent.

Dated September 14, 1907.

## AMENDED LOCATION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that thirty days after date the BRITISH COLUMBIA AMALGAMATED COAL COMPANY, a corporation duly registered under and pursuant to the laws of the Province of British Columbia, intends to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following land:

Commencing at a point which is on the west boundary of the Lower Nicola Marmette Indian Reserve No. 1, and due east of the north-east corner of lot 739, Group 1, Kamloops Division of Yale District, Province of British Columbia, a stake being planted at said point and marked British Columbia Amalgamated Coal Company's south-east corner; running thence from said stake north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres. The said land being in Kamloops Division of Yale District, Province of British Columbia.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AMALGAMATED COAL COMPANY.

By Alfred A. Aya, Agent,  
Fenton Building, Portland, Oregon.  
Dated October 3d, 1907.

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Nicola, B. C.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Nicola.

Take notice that Archibald Jackson, of town of Merritt, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted north-west corner. Said post is at or near cor. of Secs. 28, 29, 32 and 33, Tp. 95, Kamloops Division of Yale District, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

ARCHIBALD JACKSON.

Dated 22d Oct., 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Nicola.

Take notice that Francis William Jackson, of Quilchena, occupation ranch manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted north-east corner. Said post is at or near cor. of Secs. 28, 29, 32 and 33, Tp. 95, Kamloops Division of Yale District, thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

FRANCIS WILLIAM JACKSON.

Per A. Jackson, Agent.  
Dated 22d Oct., 1907.

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## LAND ACT.

Nicola Land District—District of Yale, Kamloops Division.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, John Alexander Menzies, of Lower Nicola, occupation mill man, intend to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of lot 1589, marked J. A. Menzies' north-east corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ALEXANDER MENZIES.  
Dated October 28, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Nicola Land District—District of Yale, Kamloops Division.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, John Alexander Menzies, of Lower Nicola, occupation mill man, intend to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile west and 40 chains south of south-west corner of lot 1589, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ALEXANDER MENZIES.  
Dated October 28, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that I, Thomas Heslop, of Nicola, occupation butcher, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of lot 1636, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 480 acres more or less.

THOMAS HESLOP.  
JAS. POOLEY, Agent.  
Dated October 26, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that I, Thomas Matthews, of Nicola, occupation contractor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 10 chains south of the south-east corner of lot 1587, thence north 80 chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

THOMAS MATTHEWS.  
JAMES POOLEY, Agent.  
Dated October 26, 1907.

## MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

## NOTICE.

Medal Fraction Mineral Claim, situate in the Nicola Mining Division of Yale district, where located: At Aspen Grove. Take notice that I, J. E. Bate, free miner's certificate No. B10432, intends 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 1st day of November, 1907.  
J. E. BATE.

## MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

## NOTICE.

Stand Bye Mineral Claim, situate in the Nicola Mining Division of Yale District, where located: At Aspen Grove.

Take notice that I, J. E. Bate, Free Miner's Certificate No. B10432, acting as agent for S. J. Bate, free miner's certificate No. B10433, 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 1st day of November, 1907.  
J. E. BATE.

## MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

## NOTICE.

Big Horn Mineral Claim, situate in the Nicola Mining Division of Yale district, where located: At Aspen Grove.

Take notice that I, J. E. Bate, free miner's certificate No. B10432, 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 1st day of November, 1907.  
J. E. BATE.

## NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described area:

Commencing at a post placed at N E corner of lot 181, township 91, Kamloops Division, thence west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to initial post.

G. L. MURRAY.  
J. F. MURRAY, Agent.  
Nicola, 7th October, 1907.

## NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described area:

Commencing at a post placed at N E corner of lot 181, township 91, Kamloops Division, thence north 80 chains, east 60 chains, south 80 chains, west 60 chains to initial post, comprising 480 acres more or less.

F. CHIPMAN.  
J. F. MURRAY, Agent.  
Nicola, October 7, 1907.



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## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of mountain pasture land, commencing at the S.W. corner of lot 1214; thence W. 40 chains, thence S. 40, thence E. 40, thence N. 40 chains to initial post. Said land is in Kamloops Division.

G. L. MURRAY.

May 2nd, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Nicola Land District. District of Yale.

Take notice that I, R. A. Fraser, of Nicola, B. C., occupation publisher, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:— Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of lot 196. T.P. 94, Kamloops Division of Yale District, thence north 10 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 10 chains to lake shore, thence westerly along lake shore to point of commencement, and containing 60 acres, more or less.

RICHARD A. FRASER.  
Dated 23rd September, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take Notice that Jas. McMahon of Enderby, B. C., occupation mill man, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles north of F. Garcia's north boundary line and about one and three-fourths miles west of Nicola wagon road, and marked Jas. McMahon's N E C, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JAMES McMAHON.  
Dated Sept. 11, 1907.

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## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that James McMahon, of Enderby, B. C., occupation mill man, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one mile north of McCulloch's school and about three-fourths of a mile west of Nicola wagon road, and marked Jas. McMahon's S E C, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JAMES McMAHON.  
Dated Sept 11, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that James McMahon of Enderby, B. C., occupation mill man, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles north of F. Garcia's north boundary line, and about one and three-fourths miles west of Nicola wagon road, and marked James McMahon's S E C, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres or less.

JAMES McMAHON.  
Dated Sept. 11, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that James McMahon of Enderby, B. C., occupation mill man, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one-fourth mile west of the S W corner of lot 907, and marked Jas. McMahon's S E C, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JAMES McMAHON.  
Dated Sept. 12, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that J. A. Mohr of Enderby, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one-fourth mile west of Nicola wagon road and about 55 rods north of Stanfield's house, and marked J. A. Mohr's N. E. C., thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ARCHIBALD MOHR.  
Dated Sept. 10, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that J. A. Mohr of Enderby, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one mile and a quarter north of Stanfield's house and west of Nicola wagon road, and marked J. A. Mohr's N. E. C., thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ARCHIBALD MOHR.  
Dated Sept. 10, 1907.

## LAND ACT.

Kamloops Land District—District of Yale.

Take notice that J. A. Mohr of Enderby, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two and one-fourth miles north of Stanfield's house and west of Nicola wagon road, and marked J. A. Mohr's N. E. C., thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN ARCHIBALD MOHR.  
Dated Sept. 10, 1907.

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LOCAL NOTES

D. McInnes of Merritt was in Nicola yesterday.

B. P. Little of the Diamond Vale Co., was in Nicola Monday.

Miss Laura Carrington left on Saturday's train for Victoria.

Joseph Guichon left on Saturday for the coast with two cars beef cattle.

Wm. Voght and I. Eastwood of the B. C. Beef Market, Merritt, were in Nicola on Monday.

A meeting of the Merritt Asiatic League will be held at Merritt on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Lauder have taken up their residence in the Ridley cottage, Tamerton ranch.

Hugh Hunter, government agent at Princeton, returned from Vancouver on Friday on his way home.

W. J. Henderson, proprietor of the Otter Flat hotel has returned from Vancouver after a several days visit.

H. Goodisson of Coutlee who has recently returned from a trip to Ireland and England, was in Nicola on Saturday.

The Nicola Athletic Associations club rooms are being fitted up in first class shape and in a few days will be ready for the club members.

A. R. Carrington's general store building at Middlesboro' is being constructed rapidly and in a short time will be ready for the stock of up-to-date goods.

C. F. Law and W. Godfrey of Vancouver were visiting at the Bear creek mines last and spent a few days at the Middlesboro' Collieries this week before returning to the coast.

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RIC. A. FRASER, President.  
G. M. BRASH, Secretary.



NOTICE.

The sitting of the County Court of Yale has been postponed until  
**Friday, November 18, 1907,**  
At two p. m., in the Court House, Nicola, B. C.

GEO. MURRAY,  
C. C. Registrar.

NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to prospect for coal on the following described land, commencing at a post placed at the N. W. corner of Lot 1305, township 93, Kamloops division Yale district, thence east 80 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains to initial post, 160 acres more or less.

J. H. DAWSON,  
W. Munro, Agent.  
Nicola, Oct. 31, 1907.



\$500 REWARD \$500

THE GOVERNMENT of the PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA hereby offers a REWARD of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons who have obliterated any brand or brands on horses, at, or near, Douglas Lake, in the County of Yale, in the said Province.

By order F. S. HUSSEY.  
Superintendent, Provincial Police.  
Provincial Police Department,  
Victoria, B. C.  
October 10th, 1907.

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The Douglas Lake Cattle Co., of the Province of British Columbia, hereby offers a reward of Fifteen Hundred Dollars for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons who have obliterated any brand or brands on their horses at or near Douglas Lake, in the County of Yale, in the said province.

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NOTICE.

The following applications under the "Liquor Licence Act, 1900," have been received by me:

Name of Applicant	Description of Licence applied for	Place
Geo. Hygh	Retail, New.....	Hotel Merritt, Merritt.
William McIntyre	Retail, New.....	Coldwater Hotel, Merritt.
J. R. A. Richards	Retail, New.....	Hotel Montebello, Merritt.

A meeting of the Board of Licence Commissioners will be held at the Court House, Kamloops, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 27th of November, 1907, to consider the above applications.

Kamloops, B. C., 7th November, 1907.  
W. L. FERNIE,  
Chief Licence Inspector.

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