THE PAYSTREAK

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THE DAY WE CELEBRATE.

Work Being Pushed and Plans Extended for the Diamond Jubilee Day.

Preparations for the celebration on June 22 of the Diamond Jubilee are advancing rapidly. The committees are straining every nerve to make the day one to be remembered. and each additional day adds some new feature. The C. P. R. will make an excursion rate of $1.00 round trip from Slocan City, and proportional rates from intermediate points. The big boat will leave Slocan City in the morning, connecting with the regular train at Roseberry. Efforts are being made to secure the cavalry band from Spokane, one of the best organizations in the northwest.

An enthusiastic meeting of the committees was held last evening in the parlor of Black's hotel and reported progress. It was decided to have an oration and open air concert by the band. The music and advertising committees made encouraging reports. The programme committee will have the full programme ready for another meeting at the same place next Tuesday evening. Five hundred dollars has been set aside for a drilling match, baseball and horse races. The amusement committee have made the following list of prizes for the Caledonian sports:

	First Prize.	Second Prize.
Foot Race, 100 yards	$10	$5
Fat Man's Race	5	2
Greasy Pig	10 and pig	
Sack Race, 50 yards	5	2
Three Legged Race, 50 yards	5	2
Prospector's Race 50 lb. pack 50 yards	5 and flour	
Standing Broad Jump	5	2
Running Broad Jump	5	2
Standing Three Jumps	5	2
Putting Shot	10	5
Tug of War, Sandon vs. World	Keg of Beer	
Wheelbarrow Race	5	2
Lacrosse Match	Silk Flag	

Brevities.

New Denver is going to celebrate Dominion Day, July 1.

The Grand Central Hotel at New Denver is closed up awaiting the action of the auditors.

The Hotel Bartlett will be open for business in about a week, with G. A. McDonald proprietor.

New Denver proposes to raise $5,000 for the road to Three Forks. The government will add another $5,000.

The union prayer meetings at the school house Thursday evenings are largely attended. A good interest is being shown.

The wife of Dr. F. S. Roper, head inspector of contagious diseases in the veterinary line for the province, died in Victoria last week.

The school trustee election last Monday failed to elect. Two men showed up, but did not have the courage to vote their convictions.

Rev. A. M. Sanford of the Methodist church will hold services tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in Spencer's and at 7:30 p. m. in Crawford's hall.

Services of the Presbyterian church will be held in the school house at 11 a. m. and at Spencer's opera house at 7:30 p. m. Rev. T. Menzies, pastor.

The silver streets of Sandon is a literal fact, every load of Slocan Star tailings now being used for grading carrying a good quantity of that precious metal.

Two hotels, in course of construction at Slocan City, were blown down Tuesday. Hamelin & Lavelle, the owners of one, will rebuild, but Parry's house will not.

John E. Whiteston was fined $10 and costs last Monday for assault.

Johnstone & Haines are putting in a general stock of hardware, house furnishings, etc., opposite the White House hotel.

The business men of Sandon will tender a banquet to Hon. E. W. Eberts, attorney general for the Province, upon his visit here about the 20th inst.

The C. P. R. is running their passenger train from Nakusp to Sandon and return on Sunday. They have also changed the time for leaving Sandon to 2 p. m.

A. E. Suckling, in the Vancouver World, says that there is every probability that the Kaslo & Slocan railway will build into Silverton along Four Mile Creek.

Under Mayor Black and Street Superintendent Mike Bartlett Reco avenue is becoming the pride of Sandon. It is suggested that the name be changed to Galena boulevard.

The Wellington Hotel at Three Forks was opened by J. S. Reeder on Tuesday evening by a ball. A large number of Sandon people were in attendance and thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

It is rumored that Johnny Moore, of the Ivanhoe Hotel, was married in Spokane about three weeks ago, but his well known modesty has prevented him letting his friends knowing it.

Ladies, sigh no more. R. J. Broddy has opened an ice cream parlor, and is receiving the famous Hazlewood Dairy ice cream from Spokane. Also such confectionery as we give to our best girl from the best manufacturer in Canada.

Miss Gertrude Marrack, a noted singer of San Francisco, with a first class company will give a diversified entertainment in Sandon in about two weeks. Several Sandon people who are acquainted with the lady and her company speak of them with unbounded praise.

Chief Constable Hamilton takes pride in the fact that his daughter Estella Maud Hamilton, 20 years old, who is attending the University of Manitoba at Winnipeg, has carried off the highest honors and won the first prize for scholarship in the university examinations. The prize was $120.

Wm. K. David, author of "Short Rule Arithmetic and Accountant's Referee" and inventor of the perpetual calendar, is in Sandon, and last night explained to an outdoor audience some wonderful things in arithmetic, which seemed like magic, but which he says can be learned by anyone. Mr. David's home is at No. 820 Cambria street, Philadelphia.

Now that the Crows Nest Pass railroad has received a government subsidy, and is an assured fact, there is a feeling of satisfaction throughout Kootenay. Sandon people are all interested indirectly, and several individuals directly. Dan Mann, of Montreal, who has been awarded the contract with William McKenzie, for building the road, is a brother of Sandy Mann, of Sandon, and the latter will doubtless do considerable of the work.

Personals.

Arthur Nichols, from Burlington, N. S., has located here.

W. A. McLelland and John B. Wall are new arrivals from Aspen, Col.

Father Eummelin of Vancouver was here and said mass on Tuesday.

J. J. Rafferty of the Ruth mine has returned from two or three weeks in Spokane.

John A. Hubbard and his son Edwin, from Grant's Pass, Ore., have come to Sandon.

Mr. Parker, representing P. W. Ellis & Co., wholesale jewelers, Toronto, is in Sandon.

Frank Baird of Rossland spent two or three days in Sandon this week looking after mining interests.

A. C. Boland of Black Hills, S. D., is visiting in Sandon. He is so well pleased with the country that he thinks of locating here.

E. Wallace, mining engineer and general manager of the Ontario Gold Fields Mining and Development company, limited, is in Sandon.

P. Burns, the best advertised man in Kootenay, was here this week and left for Rossland. Mr. Burns has the contract for supplying the meats required in the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railroad.

SMELTER MEN IN SANDON.

They Talk Very Favorably of This District.

One of the best known men in the mining world is J. B. Grant of Denver, Col., president of the Grant smelter and ex-governor of the state, who is in Sandon with three other well known mining and smelting men, E. W. Nash of Omaha and Wm. Braden, E. B. Braden and E. J. Matthews, of Helena. Governor Grant is a pleasant, unassuming man of middle age and very conservative in what he says for publication. He has been interested in the Slocan country three years, having been connected with John A. Finch in the Enterprise and with Wm. Braden and E. J. Matthews in the Lucky Jim. He is also interested in the Humboldt. The gentlemen will be in Sandon several days.

Last evening the governor and party were in the parlors of the Goodenough talking on general matters. He declined to let the public into any of the secrets of smelting, but said that the Slocan country was interesting mining men in Colorado considerably. Especially are the wet, or lead, ores, in demand by smelters, and command fluxing prices, which is considerably more than that of dry ores. Silver is now quoted at about 60 cents, and he does not anticipate that it will go any lower, but will probably rise with the revival of business in the states. One reason of the decline of silver is the failure of crops and the famine in India, and the consequent stopping of the demand from that country. It is not likely that the United States government will do anything toward restoring the price of silver for some time at least.

Mr. Grant said there would be a number of concentrators built in this district this summer, but whether the Lucky Jim would build one he did not know. Eventually there will be smelters, but how soon will depend on circumstances. Mining is like any other business and is governed by business principles. Although only mines with high grade ore that could stand long distance shipment have been worked, there are probably a number of others here that would be worked when the charges were reduced. The party has been in Nelson and Kaslo and will go from here to Rossland.

A Pleasant Wedding.

E. R. Atherton, the genial and popular postmaster and general merchant of Sandon was married at Nelson, on Wednesday, June 9, to the beautiful and accomplished Miss Bessie Irvine. The bride has been one of the reigning belles of Nelson since her arrival last summer from St. John, N. B. She is is a sister to Fred Irvine, of the firm of Fred Irvine & Co., dry goods merchants of Nelson.

The happy couple immediately left for an extended honeymoon trip to the coast cities by way of Spokane. They will be at home to their friends in Sandon in about three weeks, when they will take up their residence in rooms above Mr. Atherton's store.

Mining Notes.

The Goodenough mine have their whole force working on a long tunnel to strike the lead at a good depth, and expect to reach it in 60 days.

Charles G. Griffith, Scott McDonald and others are working several men on the Freddie Lee putting in new timber and cleaning out the tunnels.

A six-inch vein of galena has been struck on the St. Keverne, adjoining the Payne group, in the crosscut at a depth of 118 feet. Sid Norman and J. D. Farrell are among the owners.

The Neoma, on Carpenter creek above Cody, has started development work with seven men. The property belongs to Hon. Montague, minister of education, Ottawa, Hon. Haggart, minister of marine and fisheries, and Dr. Carroll of Vancouver.

The Arlington, on Springer creek, made a strike of two and a half feet in the tunnel last week. The surface showing on this claim was the finest ever found in the Slocan, but pinched out on development. It is now hoped that a good body has been found.

The Reco is shipping four cars a week, running 400 ounces silver and 65 per cent. lead. The work done is only development and the mine will not be worked till the tram is built, for which survey is now being made. The tram will be arael, and will cross the Noble Five about midway.

The following order in council has been promulgated by the government at Victoria: It shall be lawful during the current season for the gold commissioners throughout the province to grant such applications for an extension of time in which to complete assessment work as, in their discretion, the circumstances of each case warrant.

Charged With Forgery at Kaslo.

On Wednesday John M. McPhee of Kaslo was arrested, charged with forgery. In the preliminary examination before Justices Chipman and Green it was brought out that on August 14 of last year McPhee and his partner, Alexander Cummings, had re-located a dead man's claim, the Yosemite, in the Eureka group on the Blue ridge, which was at the time in the hands of the official administrator, and for this reason Recorder Keen refused to place the re-location on record. Evidence was brought forward by the prosecution to show that McPhee, to be avenged on Recorder Keen, had circulated a petition praying the government to remove him, and to this petition he, McPhee, had forged signatures of several well known business men, among them Dan Bongard, J. C. Eaton, D. McPhail and others. After hearing the evidence brought forward the magistrates committed the prisoner for trial.

Considerable surprise was felt here at McPhee's arrest, as he has been in this district since '91 and has previously had a good character.

Robert Hamilton, western agent of the Hamilton Manufacturing company of Peterboro, known more generally through his successful connection with the Golden Cache company, is spending a few days in Kaslo.

The Mail Service.

Boats run daily on the Columbia river, yet the mail only comes down from Revelstoke three times a week. This makes many Kootenay people kick about the slow Canadian Government at Ottawa. This is wrong. They have no right to make a fuss. Men who come into a new country like this should be prepared to give the eastern Canadian Government a chance to wake up. It will wake up, probably in ten years, and then realise the injustice that has been done us in the far west. In the meantime, indignant and wrathy readers, do not kick at the postal authorities. Send your mail out via Spokane and do not believe anything you hear about Canada's western mail service being slower than the first coming of dividends from some of Rossland's wildcats.—Ledge.

THE RUTH MINE.

One of the Great Properties of the Slocan District.

The Ruth, although one of the oldest and best paying mines in the Sandon belt, is one of the least talked about. This is because the company is a close corporation and have no interest in advertising to the outside world what the mine is doing. A more gentlemanly set of men, however, than the operators of the mine, from the superintendent down could not be found in the whole dominion, and every opportunity was afforded a newspaper man to see and learn what the great property is doing and will do in the future. There are 91 men employed. including inside and outside workmen, and a trip through the mine found them working in pairs in every part, but all getting out ore that would make a bonanza king's heart glad.

The mine is developed by three tunnels, and another is now going in under contract, 150 feet below No. 3. Off of these tunnels, every few feet, are crosscuts, uprises, shafts and winzes, but no stoping has been done, till it seems impossible to go in any direction without finding mineral, the ledge appearing to have been twisted and turned in every conceivable manner. The work now going on is to find new bodies, and as soon as the management is satisfied that a good body has been found the men are put to work at some other point. Consequently great blocks of sparkling galena are waiting, untouched, until facilities are got for handling it. The main tunnel is 1000 feet long and mineral is seen above, below and on each side the full length. The breast of the tunnel is in a fine body, and the other tunnels show up the same way. To estimate the value in sight is out of the question, but that it is immense and will take years to mine is certain.

Thirty-five tons a day is being shipped, mostly high grade carbonates, as it is preferable to ship the carbonates instead of the galena. A sawmill is on the way here and will be put up at the middle tunnel. As soon as the lumber can be got out a tramway will be built and another bunk house put up to double the force of men. A concentrator will be built some time in the future and the concentrating ore is now being piled on the dump.

The mine was bought last summer, and most of the work has been beyond the point then reached and has proven it an immensely profitable investment to the owner, H. M. Foster of England. The work is being carried on under the superintendency of H. B. Alexander with Dan McDonald, mine foreman.

Local News.

When in Kaslo go to the Royal Cafe.

Tommy McCune, known as "Scotty," has been in a very precarious condition at the Ivanhoe hotel for three weeks.

John W. Switzer of the Kootenay hotel is building a cottage on Cody avenue in anticipation of the arrival of his wife and two children.

The first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Selkirk Mining and Milling company, limited liability, will be held at the office of the company at Sandon on the 24th inst., at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and transacting any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

The body of J. G. Gillis, the unfortunate miner who got caught in the Ibex snow slide last January, was recovered on Friday, June 4. The remains were brought to Whitewater and taken in charge by a brother of the deceased, who left with the body on Monday last for Port Arthur.

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IN CŒUR D'ALENES.

GEM, Idaho.—The British Exploration company purchased 51 per cent. of the stock of the Helena and Frisco silver mine here last January, since which time the mine has produced nothing. Instead, $225,000 has been spent in developments. It will now be operated on a far more extensive scale. It was the desire of the new owners to throw in sight ore enough to run the mill for five years, and to keep the work in that condition.

The work was commenced in January, since which time over 100 men have been employed, and the manager said last night that the mine would be ready to operate about July. It will then be developed down to the 800-foot level, the levels being 200 feet apart The mill has a capacity of 800 tons a day. A new hoist is being put in, capable of going 2,500 feet and hoisting 800 tons at that depth. The engine will be set in a station underground, 1,200 feet from the boilers at the end of the tunnel where the station is cut. The station proper for the engine is 35 feet high, 35 feet wide and 70 feet long, and is all timbered with Oregon fir, 16x18. The new machinery and the overhauling of the mill, the building of a large vanner room, the cutting of the big station for the hoist, the engine and the different levels will cost when ready to start, $525,000 The mine will then be run steadily at full capacity.

The Tiger-Poorman Consolidated Mining company made a strike in its mine at Burke last week that means millions for the Cœur d'Alenes, being no less than eight feet of shipping and six feet of concentrating ore on the 1,200-foot level. One question which capital always asks before investing in a mine is if the ledges in the district go down, and now the Cœur d'Alenes can say that the largest ore body in the district is found at the bottom of the deepest hole. Twelve hundred feet is pretty well down and the next deepest hole tells the same tale. The Standard tunnel cuts the lead 800 feet below the surface and the ore chute shows up here wider, longer and richer than in the upper works, 500 feet above.

The snow is now nearly off from Sunset Peak and preparations are being made for active work there. Hugh McFadden has leased the Colwyn for fourteen months and has contracted his ore to the North-western Sampling and Milling company. He has a short piece of road to build to connect with the Portland Mining company's road. He expects to complete it early next week and commence shipping immediately as there are several carloads on the dump and the mine is ready to commence stoping.

The Sunset Development company has a two years' lease on the Ula and Try me, two claims on the Sunset lead—claims owned by W. A. Clarke, the Butte millionaire, and considered the biggest thing in the Cœur d'Alenes. The Ula and Try Me both show ore on the surface and shipments are expected in about sixty days. There is nearly two miles of road to build to reach the property.

The Father Lode, the Switch Back and a fraction lying between have all passed into the control of the same parties and work will begin on them immediately. They show up some very fine chloride ore—something very rare in this district.

Senator Heitfelt has purchased a fourth interest in three claims at Mullan, lying between the Morning and Hunter, the other three-fourths being owned by local men. Work has begun on this property and will be pushed night and day until the lead is cut. The tunnel, when finished, will be about 1,000 feet long, 265 of which is already bored.

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THE English House of Lords has recently considered and given judgment, in a case that may affect Canadian companies more nearly than many of us are inclined to imagine. It concerned the issue of shares at a discount. The Railway Times Tables' Publishing Company became hard up for funds, and it issued shares to the stock-holders in the company at a discount, that plan having been followed apparently as an inducement to the stockholders to take them up. Then, it was a question as to the liability of the stockholders to pay them up in full. It has been previously held in the case of the Ooregum Gold Mining Company, that the holders of shares issued at a discount, were liable to be called upon to pay up in full, if necessary, for the purpose of discharging the debts of the company due to outside creditors, and the costs of liquidation; but the House of Lords has carried the matter a step further by deciding, by a majority of five to one, that the holders of discount shares must also be called upon to pay up in full, even after the debts and costs have been satisfied, so that the rights and obligations of the contributories inter se may be adjusted. The decision, of course, settles the question once for all, and though it is extremely hard upon shareholders who, as in the company in question, have risked their capital in the forlorn hope of rescuing an unsuccessful venture, and giving it a chance to retrieve its fortunes, the law being what it is, there is no alternative but to obey it.

BUSINESS both in Canada and the United States has, for a long time, been like a huge locomotive, standing with its driving rod on the centre. Political uncertainties have been the main cause of the lack of sufficient business steam to move the machinery. Now that this difficulty has disappeared, there should be an industrial revival on both sides of the line. This is a young and sturdy country and can stand a good deal, even a policy on the part of the United States of nonintercourse will not kill us nor drive us into annexation. We do not wish to injure the United States, but should they persist in their present trade policy towards Canada, it may prove to be a boomerang one and recoil on their own heads. Canada has more than one good card up her sleeve. The Reciprocity card may not be able to take the trick, but there are others. Preferential Tariff is now played, and our clever Yankee neighbors may wake up one fine day and find that it is but the lead for the Imperial Federation Customs Union card, that will compel them either to raise less bread stuffs or consume more in their own country of what they do raise, owing to inability to sell it in British markets.

TROUT LAKE CITY.

They are cutting the lead on the Fissure on the east end at a depth of about 200 feet. The tunnel is in about sixty feet and in good ore.

Men who have mined from Mexico to British Columbia say that the Silver Cup is a world beater, and it is doubtful if any mine on the continent can make any equal showing when grade and quantity are considered,

Gibbs and Williams have completed the assessment work on the St. Elmo. At the point where they cut the lead the ore body is 30 feet wide. All the St. Elmo needs to make it a great mine is more work.

Ben Ramey has made a great strike on Fish Creek, four claims all showing ore of good grade six to eight feet wide.

Gus Olson with eight men left yesterday to build two miles of trail up Canyon Creek to the claims located there last year. A contract for 150 feet of tunnel has been let on one of the claim. The ore is high grade galena.

Dan Kean and crew are repairing the road to Thomson's Landing, something that was needed, as there is an immense amount of freight coming in, more than the freighters can handle.

F. McCarty, of the Revelstoke Meat Market, was in town this week looking up a location and decided on Trout Lake as the most central distributing point, and he will build a large market, corals and slaughter house here.

Work on the sawmill is progressing rapidly. The foundation is in and the greater part of the machinery is on the ground. If nothing happens it will be running inside of ten days, and a long felt want will be filled.

S. Woods, N. Swinton, A. McKenzie, H. Stewart and H. McPherson are all clearing lots and preparing to build on Kellie street.

J. Hickman is erecting a commodious hotel on Vancouver street. It will be first-class in every respect.

Abrahamson Bros. will increase the capacity of their mammoth establishment.

H. King will build an addition to his store, 18x20, two stories. He will carry a complete stock of miners' supplies.

A steamboat is to be placed on Trout Lake this summer.

CARIBOO CREEK.

Messrs. Pryor & Bates left on Monday to do assessment work on their claims on Snow creek.

Messrs. Daly & McKinnon are doing assessment on the Monte Carlo.

Two shifts are at work on the properties of the Canyon Creek Mining and Development Co. and so far the results are very gratifying. Mr. Muirhead, manager, brought down average samples amounting to 100 lbs. of very rich looking ore to be shipped to Toronto for assay.

A wide lead has just been struck on the Honolulu, nearly all of it being shipping ore. Assays from $52 to $90 per ton in silver and gold.

Mr. Bennet, of the R. J. Bealey Co. Ltd., of Trail, passed through on a business trip to Mineral City. He is well pleased with the claims there and is of the opinion that this will be one of the best mining camps in the Province.

A large hotel will be opened at Mineral City shortly.

Many prospectors are now coming in from all quarters.

Many outsiders believe that it is necessary to bring supplies with them. Such is not the case as all provisions, tools, etc., can be purchased here at reasonable figures.—Revelstoke Mail.

Order in the Yukon, U. S.

The government will despatch a company of infantry to the Yukon gold mines. An officer with the rank of colonel, will be in command with extraordinary powers. Besides that, a United States commissioner will be appointed and stationed at Circle City. The secretary of the interior will appoint a surveyor to survey the mining claims and the secretary of the treasury will detail an officer of the internal revenue service.

Ebeu fugaces! Time is wandering past—
The fleeting hours but lead us to the tomb;
And Fate around us has a shadow cast
That warns the soul about its coming doom;
Points to the grave, where all must come at last;
And the cold earth must be our mortal home—
Thence my soul gazes o'er that boundless sea,
And feels it is home in immortality.

But what is immortality to me!
We know not from whence we came, nor where we go.
Yet an immortal world we all shall see:
The spirit in us ever tells us so,
My mother taught her child while at her knee,
Our memory bears the words that from her flow;
She taught me truth, and this reality,
Time is the dawn of life and immortality.

And time is but the dawn of life for you—
For me, and all men. Immortality
Is an eternal hope, that in us grew,
And, springing from the soul, makes it reality—
A joyous hope—a hope we keep in view;
A decent hope, teaching mortality.
Had we no life to live beyond the grave
Our hopes a mockery—some ruthless demon grave.

Gum-Arabic.

The Saturday Review says that when he was in Egypt Mark Twain hired two Arab guides to take him to the pyramids. He was familiar enough with Arabic, he thought, to understand and be understood with perfect ease. To his consternation he found that he could not comprehend a word that either of the guides uttered. At the Pyramids he met a friend, to whom he made known his dilemma. It was very mysterious, Twain thought. Why, the explanation is simple enough, said the friend. Please enlighten me, then, said Twain. Why, you should have hired younger men. These old fellows have lost their teeth, and of course, they don't speak Arabic. They speak gum-Arabic.

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ASSESSMENTS.

June 1

Tailholt—W H Ferguson
Snowbank—J D Reid
Mammoth No 5—Henry Covington
Grizzley—Frank Provost and H A McMillan
Hope Fraction—A Rush
Skukum—W G Bole
Victoria—Martin Isaacson
Bowling Green—Joseph Law
Shiloh—W L Callanan
Humboldt No 3—W H Hillyar
Hortentia—S T Walker et al
No 3—T Sherman
Freddie Lee Fraction—W S Gurnee

June 2

Hemlock—Chas Fass
Baltic—Herman Clever
Summit—E S Kinney
Silverton No 2 and Fishermaiden—A A Webb
New Comet—A Nault
Star—H C Freer

June 3

Bostock—A R Fingland
Queen Fraction—David Matheson
Marion—Florence L McInnes, Alexander Sproat et al

June 4

Bonnie Doon Fraction—Jno Stewart
Capitol—Geo M Davis
Beaver—A H Bremner

June 5

Onslow—Robt Cooper
Silver Bill—J A Smith et al
Mercury—J A Smith
Eureka No 2 and Mineral Hill—Bruce White
Shusuap—P S Byrne

June 7

Florence—Lott Willey
W & I, Three Guardsman and Clipper—N W Fessler
Quebec—A R Johnston
Okanagan Fraction—W I Hancock
Jennet C—J A Coldwell
Badger State—J R Cook et al
T G—Thos Johnson
Roulet e, Lucky Move, Rebound, Mountain Lilly H A Ross et al
Lost Tiger—T Lonergan
Rienzie—Chas W Callahan
Rabbit Paw—Star M & M Co.
Two Brothers—J V Purviance

June 8

Globe—Ernest De Lashmuth
Ethel Fraction—H P Ewin
Red Jacket—P Burns
Hudson Fractional—E Roy Slater
Richmond—Geo Gooderham
Sundown—T A Collins
Pilot—W R Winstead
Bonanza—C J Grant et al
Suwance—Albert Behne

LOCATIONS.

June 1

Black Horse—Seaton, J W Bryan
Henrietta—Nemo, D A McDonell and Joseph McDonald
Georgie—6 Mile, Joseph McDonald and Donald McLennan
High Water—10 Mile, F D Phillips

June 2

Low Fraction—Lemon, A R Bakluston
Scramble—Slocan, E W Ham
Lask Jack, Summit—Lemon, Benjamin Robertson
Argentine—Seaton, Gust Johnston
West Essa—Lemon, J F Reilly
Kid—same, H G Aitchison
Summerside Fractional—Cody, J C Platts

June 3

St Lawrence—Carpenter, John Foster
Ranger—Lemon, Jas Weir
Pontiac—Dayton, W R Clements
Gold Dust—Evans, W R Clements
Oxford—same
Gilt Edge and Brant—same, S B Clements
O K No 2 Fractional—O K, M J Meeker
Franklin—Carpenter, Jno Trewick
Toronto Boy—Wilson, H Mansfield and J T Vick
Harvey—same, G H Murhard
Lone Ledge—Slocan City, John P Driscoll
Queen of Sheba—Springer, same
White Rock—Wilson, R H Munroe
Dominion—Slocan lake, Thos Oliver
Drummond—same, Halbert Oliver
Halfway—12 Mile, R McCormick
Mountain View and North Mountain Boy—Lemon, Jno R Miller
Alena Hazel—Springer, F J Smith
Annie Fractional—Springer, Wm Caldwell
Inverness—Lemon, Jno R Miller
W J Bryan—Carpenter, Peter O'Reley
May Flower—10 Mile, J F Honeyford
North Star—between 4 Mile and 10 Mile, Michael Murphy
Alabama—Wilson, Ellen Nault
Tutl Fruitti—Carpenter, Jas A McDonald
Legal Tender—Evans, Duncan Lindsay, Thos Benton

June 4

Reindeer—Payne mt, Edward Evans and J R Cameron
Turk—Springer, J A Moran
Gertie—West Slocan lake, Harry Allen
Royal Arthur—Carpenter, J G Rollins
Mertia and Chickmun—same, Norman McMillan
Lakeshore—Six Mile, Harold P Christie
Mountain Top—adjoining North Star, Lewis Otte and Sam'l Keimel
Portland—Adj Oregon, same

June 5

Middlesex and Lake View—6 Mile, S S Cameron, Mike Madigan
Nellie Grant—Slocan, Chas Patrin
Sunshine—same, Jos Collett
Copper Mountain—head Slocan lake, R Gillette
Lake View and Good Thing, push it along—west Slocan lake, Al Wilds
Leader—same, Ralph Wilds
Cazuabozus Fractional—Four Mile, A H Bremner
Society Fraction—Springer, Neil McMillan
Cliff Extension—4 Mile, P Daly
Robin Fraction—same, M R W Rathborne
Silver Hill—Cody, Jno McNeil
Silver Tip—Carpenter, Jno Foster
Grizzley—same, Wm McNiven
Young American—Lemon, N Vucovitch
Mountain Nymph—Lemon, M Arnold
White Rose Nos 1, 2 and 3—N E Holmgren and Geo Hood, Slocan lake
Albert—6 Mile, Harry Davis and Wm Kerr
Goshen and Iron Mask—Lemon, M J McDonnell and Pat Nolan
Stina—same, Emil Gustofson
Youkon—same, F S Andrews
Homestake—same, Sidney Cooper
Canadian Boy—same, Sidney Cooper and E McFadden

June 7

Bunker Hill—10 Mile, W W Fessler
Freeport—4 Mile, Wm Valentine
Bolivia and Peru—same, H Clever
Timber Lake—same, Wm Valentine
Jeanie—Slocan lake, Thos M Rae
Lake View—Bosebery, Duncan D McDonald
Gladstone—Wilson, Wm Schulzke
Edith—adj California, D D McPherson
Carrie B—Silverton, Jas Gowan and H A Cousins
Echo Fraction—bet Echo and Lost Tiger, W C Dingman
Little Dick—Wilson, Joseph Strong and Albert Cane
Golden Nuggett—west Slocan lake, Duncan McPherson T R Kiernan and D O McKay
Lucky Boy—Nemo, same

TRANSFERS.

June 1

Robt I Kirkwood to John Tinling—The Early Bird, May 31, $500
Alex Harrison to The Los Vegas Mining Co—Interest in the Los Vegas, April 15
Same to The L H Mining Co—The L H, April 16
M M Perl to Los Vegas Mining Co—Interest in the Los Vegas, April 16, $1
Same to the L H Mining Co—Interest in the L H, April 16, $1
F S Andrews to Joseph Gibbs and John E White—To each ¼ Triumph, May 27, $1
Paul Nikolai to Richard Boettcher—½ Winter Resort, May 15, $200
Benj V Risdon to W A Van Tassel—The Forest Fire, April 30, $500
John A Finch to W H Robertson—½ Robertson, March 24, $1
Wm H Robertson to A H Bremner—½ Robertson, June 1, $2,500
W L Potter and John A Kinman to Chas Hoffman for others—Agreement to sell Alexandra and Dellig, May 28, $4,500

June 2

P M Hayes to C K Hammond—The Sapphire and Gem, Jan 11, $10,000

June 3

Hugh B Fletcher to W S Drewery—All interest in Gentle Annie, May 27, $50
Josiah Fletcher and Archie Fletcher to same—1/16 in Bessie, May 28, $75
Wm Ryan to same—1/16 Bessie, May 14, $50
Minnie Boettcher to same—¼ Gentle Annie, May 27, $50
Otto Tornfeldt to Wm R Will—¼ Odin, May 28, $1
Frank A Wells to Geo Petty—All interest in Hustler Fraction, May 20
L J Cross to Chas A Schooley—All interest in Bellview No 2, April 24, $1
D A Van Dorn to D A McDonell—½ Sarnia and ½ Mountain Chief No 3, June 3, $250
D O Lewis, Geo M SoRelle, Joseph Traficante to Frank Fletcher—Galena Mountain, March 11, $1000
J M M Benedum to Geo H Suckling—The Horseshoe, June 8, $1

June 4

J A Finch to D J Weir—¼ Robertson, March 24, $1
D J Weir to A H Bremner—¼ Robertson, June 4, $950

June 5

Joseph Dean to Thos Mayne Daly—All interest in R W T, Feb 27, $1,000
Joseph Franz to same—All interest in R W T, Feb 27, $1300
John McMillan and Richard W Thompson to same—Interest in R W T, Feb 17, $8300
H G Aitchison to Joseph Traficante—½ Kid, May 31, $[illegible]
J F Reilly to same—½ West Essa, May 31, $1
W J Elliott to the Slocan Gold and Silver Mining Co—¼ Madge, May 21, $1

June 7

H A Miller to R V Risdon and N W Fessler—½ Boomerang, Jan 15, '95, $1
W Findlay to A R Johnston—The Quebec, Feb 11, $1
H Clever to Wm Valentine—The Peru and Bolivia, June 7, $2

June 8

H A Miller to Joseph Franz—½ Boomerang, Jan 15, $1
W R Winstead to Thos Hooker—½ Pilot, May 13, $1

New Denver's Band.

The Semi-Annual meeting of the New Denver Band took place in their band room on Sunday, 30th May. The minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. A vote of thanks was tendered to the officers for their services during the past term, and by unanimous vote re-elected for another term.

A. E. Fauquier, Presideht; Joe Millward, Leader; Howard West, Sec.-Treasurer; Executive Committee: John Aylwin, W. P. Evans and Howard West.

A new uniform cap was ordered for Jubilee celebration also music pouches. The boys intend to stay by it, and all efforts will be made to win the championship of the Kootenay. They also intend to give a series of open air concerts during the season.

The Royal Five is the name of a claim recently staked by T. M. Rae and his partner. It is about three miles from New Denver, on the lake shore, and about 200 yards below the railroad track. The ledge is two feet wide and assays show $18 in gold and 167 ounces in silver.

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RAINY'S GOLD FIELDS.

TOWER, Minn.--Still the rush to the Rainy lake and Ontario gold fields continues and the management of the various steamers on this route are nightly besieged by gold seekers, imploring them to abandon their schedules and make extra trips and earlier starts. This morning's boats were loaded with passengers and freight is now a secondary consideration, as every available space on the steamers is taken by passengers and baggage. A party consisting of ex-Sheriff W. W. Butchart, E. Falconer, J. Campbell and P. McCoy, of Duluth, and E. Randolph, half owner of the Randolph prospect, were passengers this morning. Butchart is president of the A. D. Two Gold Mining company, on which development will be vigorously prosecuted during the summer. This property shows five large veins, all with visible gold free and assays run high. A stamp mill is in construction at Duluth which will be in operation next month. As soon as the party arrive twenty miners will be put to work. The owners have refused a cash offer of $40,000 for this property and are confident that they have a very valuable property. Messrs. Randolph and McCoy go to take personal supervison of their working properties. A noticeable feature of recent migration is the women and children who are accompanying their husbands to the numerous mining camps.

Considerable excitement prevails here over the alleged discovery of gold not far from this city. A Frenchman for the past year in the employ of the Tower logging railway, last evening came in from a prospecting tour bringing with him several large samples of quartz and quite a good-sized nugget. The gold is very prominent in the quartz, and he claims the find was made within a very few miles of Tower. C. C. Oppel and George Schummehl were fortunate enough to get control of the samples of ore and Mr. Schummell at once started for Duluth to nave an assay made. The finder has no means to properly develop with and it is more than probable that he will finally confide in and accept the financial assistance of Messrs. Oppel and Schummegl, and when the location becomes known there will be a rush for adjoining properties. Many evi. dences of gold have been previously found in his immediate vicinity, but never any showing so well.

Sam Heller, of the Heller Liquor company, of Duluth, came from the north last evening and reports the discovery by himself and others of mica on the shores of Lake Le Croix. It was noticed by out croppings on the bank. Work of minor developments was at once commenced and after two blasts were shot a fine deposit was disclosed. Mr. Heller says the deposit is of great extent and that specimens taken after blasting measured nearly a foot square, and while retaining its clearness the quality was a decided improvement over the outcroppings and that the deposit warrants extensive operations, which will be made.

THE POWER OF PERSUASION.

When the Sheriff went over from Golden Hill to Lucky Valley after Jim Sanders, who was wanted for shooting Dan Williams in a quarrel over a game of cards, he didn't even take a gun along. He found his man in a saloon and asked him to step up and have a drink. Jim complied, but kept a hand on his gun. When they had drunk they sat down, and the Sheriff told three or four funny stories. By and by the puzzled Jim broke out with :—

'See yere, Joe, did you come over after me?"

"Well, I thought you might want to jog along back with me," was the reply.

"Not much! I'll never be taken alive!"

"Then that settles it. Less hev another drink."

They drink again, and the official told a very funny story about a tenderfoot's experience in Golden City. Jim laughed as loudly as the others, but presently grew serious and said:

"Say, Joe, ye can't take me alive!"

"Wall, we won't worry about that, Jim," was the only reply. "Let's hev another nip and then a game of cards."

The game lasted until the Sheriff had lost about $20. Then he ordered drinks and sang a song. When the song was finished he said to Sanders:

"Jim heven't I made things pleasant fur you to day?"

"You hev, Joe, aud no mistake."

"Treated you like a gentleman, heven't I?"

"You certainly hev."

'That's my way of doin' things. Now I want you to treat me like a gentleman. Go back to Golden City with me."

"But I shot Dan Williams over thar'."

"Of course you did."

"And they want to hang me."

"Of course they do, but that's nuthin' to me. I didn't make the laws. I was sent out arter you, and I want to take you back. I could hev sneaked in and got the drop on ye, but I knowed 'twould hurt yer pride. Heven't I bin tender with ye, Jim?"

"You hev, Joe, but I don't want to be hung."

"I'pose not, but see how nice I've used ye. Would any other Sheriff hev done it?"

"No, I reckon not."

"Of course not. And if you are hung, won't I boss the job and make it as easy as possible? Just come right along to obleege me, Jim."

"Would it be a great favor to you?"

"It would, and it would show me that you was a gentleman, to boot. I'm a gentleman myself, and I kin appreciate a gentleman."

"Wall, Joe, said Jim, after a moment's thought, "I did say I wouldn't go, and I did think I didn't want to be hung, but to obleege you and to show these critters that I know what good manners is, I'll go along with ye.

And ten days later Mr. Sanders attended a necktie social, and was left behind when the others started for home.—Arizona Kicker.

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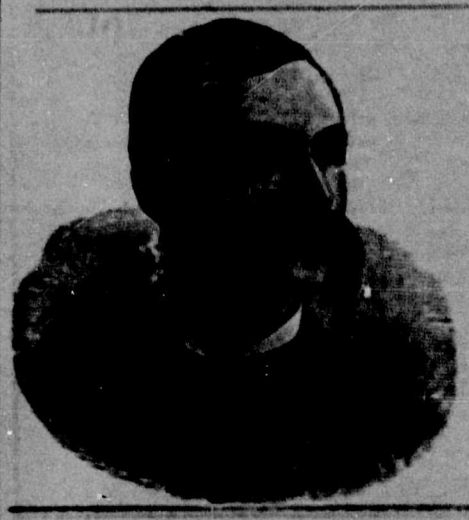

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Rev. Mr. Wilgus—To the temperance meeting. We are going to inaugurate a movement to save the young men of the country.

Young Miss Wilgus—Try and save a real nice one for me, will you, papa dear?

KASLO NEWS.

From our own Correspondent.

The Hotel Slocan is to be enlarged and extensively improved.

E. D. Fisher and Jno. Oakes, of St. Paul, Minn., are in Kaslo looking for investments.

E. W. Cummings, civil engineer, is occupying an office next to Trethaway & Burke's offices.

John Taynton, of Taynton & Millington, is having a cottage built on Fourth street below Avenue A. Murdock MacKenzie has the contract.

The Kaslo lacrosse team is getting in condition for the match at Rossland on the 22nd. Quite a number of Kaslo people will celebrate the jubilee at Rossland.

A party of C. P. R. surveyors, under D. O. Lewis, with provisions for two months, are working around the head of Kootenay lake and about the Lardo river.

J. J. Sehl, formerly of Nanaimo, has leased the new McGregor building, on Front street, and is putting in the largest stock of furniture, carpets and crockery in the Kootenay.

After many delays the machinery for the Kaslo steam laundry has arrived and is being placed in position by R. O. Dewy. In a couple of weeks the institution will be ready to do business and will establish agencies at Sandon, New Denver, Nakusp, etc.

A Fatal Accident Up South Fork.

John Pierce, a prospector who left here two weeks ago in company with two others, Wallace and Kelley, met with an accident on Saturday which cost him his life. Along with his partners he was camped on Sturgis creek, a branch of the South Fork of Kaslo creek, about seven miles above the Silver Bell, better known as the Sunda claims and with Wallace was working along the creek about a mile and a half from camp. In going up the creek Wallace and Pierce took opposite sides of the stream, as Wallace considered the side they had been traveling on too dangerous. Pierce, however, kept on his way, but in crossing a gully where a slide had run, slipped and fell to the bottom. Wallace was not where he could see him at the time of his fall, but on coming around a turn saw him lying at the foot of the slide, and hurrying to his assistance found him unconscious with his head very badly cut. After rendering what aid he could Wallace left for their camp to get the help of Kelley and some others who were prospecting in the same neighborhood, but returning in about two hours and a half found that the injured man was not there. It was clearly evident that Pierce had regained consciousness and had moved away from the spot where last seen. As his efforts must have been necessarily feeble it was thought to find him in the immediate vicinity, but though the search instituted lasted three days it revealed nothing of his whereabouts. His partners feel certain, however, that he could not have traveled far from the place where he fell, and on Wednesday Wallace came down to Kaslo to report to the authorities here, Kelley and others continuing the search.

John Pierce is well known around New Denver and Three Forks. He was a native of Wales and previous to his coming to Kootenay spent five years on the coast. Last summer he prospected on Lemon and Springer creeks and worked in the enterprise last winter. Though of an amiable disposition he was very quiet and reserved, but was greatly admired by the few friends he had made in this district.

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Commencing Monday, 10th May 1897, Steamer Ainsworth will leave Kaslo, B. C., every Monday and Thursday at 9:00 a. m. for Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, connecting with the Great Northern Railway on Tuesdays and Fridays, both to and from Spokane and Eastern and Western Points.

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Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between C. E. Lyons, Clyde E. Coon & R. J. Broddy known as the Sandon Dray and Ice Company, is by mutual consent this day dissolved, R. J. Broddy having sold his interest. The business will be carried on by Lyons & Coon who will pay all debts and collect all monies due the firm.

C. E. LYONS.
C. E. COON.
R. J. BRODDY.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1897.
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Certificate of Improvements.

Cordelia No. 2 Mineral Claim

Situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Located five miles from Three Forks, up north fork of Carpenter creek, on right bank.

Take notice that The Dry Belt Mining and Milling Co., Free Miner's Certificate No. 74,638, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant for 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 27th day of April, 1897.

S. B. HENDEE,
Sec'y The Dry Belt Mining and Milling Co., Limited Liability.

May 1st, 1897.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, the undersigned will apply to the Stipendiary Magistrate for the district of West Kootenay, for a license to sell liquors by retail at their hotel, situate on Lot 4, Block 2, Sandon First Addition, Sandon, B. C.

Dated at Sandon, B. C., this 15th day of May, A. D., 1897.

M. C. WILLIAMS.
PETER ANNANCE.

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, the undersigned will apply to the Stipendiary Magistrate, for the District of West Kootenay, for a license to sell liquor by retail at his hotel, situate on lot 6, sub-division 809, West Kootenay.

Dated at Sandon, B.C., this 29th day of May, 1897.

WILLIAM DOLAN.

Subscribe for the Paystreak.

MINING NOTES.

F. P. O'Neill and James C. Cunningham of Spokane were in Sandon and paid a visit to the Ruth, of which Mr. O'Neill was one of the locators. The gentlemen are interested in the Pinacle, near the Alpha.

The Payne mine commenced shipping last Monday, and will be from now on a steady shipper of three cars a day. The survey for the tramway is completed and the company are considering what system to use.

The work recently done on the Annie, on McGuigan creek, and owned by W. D. Thompson and Dr. Gomm, shows that property much improved. The ledge is broadened out and galena has been encountered in small quantities.

The Highland at Ainsworth, on which extensive work has been done, have just discovered that in blocking out the ore in the lead they have been throwing rock over the dump that carries at least $7 in gold and has assayed as high as $64.

Dr. Gomm, P. Perew and R. Waite left last Monday for the Lillooet district on a prospecting tour. They will be gone between two and three months, and expect to explore much of the country north of Lillooet. They are bound to fetch back something if it is nothing more than a siwash.

The Cumberland group of five claims, either on the Idaho ledge or one parallel to the Idaho, and the Yakima group of four claims, in the next basin east of the Alamo, and owned by the Sunshine Mining company, have been sold. Both groups were owned by Detroit, Mich., people.

D. C. Clark, one of the locators of the Ruth, is here and will open up the Ophir on Eureka hill at once. The Ophir is supposed to be on the Ruth lead. He will also do assessment on the Dominion, above the Slocan Star, and survey the Dorothy on Tributary creek for a crown grant. Mr. Clark, with A. A. Utley, have formed the Salmon River Lumber company, at Salmo, B. C.

James F. Leahy of Findlay, Ohio, representing a syndicate of capitalists of Ohio, and D. A. Van Dorn of New Denver, arrived in Sandon on Tuesday and immediately proceeded to Cody to push development work on the Bolander and Shoshone claims. Mr. Leahy says the Bolander is looking very good, and will probably be a shipper before long.

Local News.

W. Smalley, from Collingwood, Ont., has started a barber shop at Cody, next to the Noble Five hotel.

Bob Hammond, Ed Spahr and Scott Donnelly, on a wager last Monday loaded 19 packs of giant powder in 16 minutes. This beats the record.

There is talk of a horse race on the 22d between Fleecy Buck and Fletcher's Jimmy. The backers of Jimmy are very anxious to have the race take place.

The Sandon dairy is now furnishing with milk and cream Three Forks, Cody and Nakusp, as well as Sandon. Mr. Tattrie, the proprietor, has moved the dairy further up and on the other side of the creek, and has a much better location. He is now selling milk at 40 cents a gallon.

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