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MORE P. G. E. GRADING.

D. A. Rankin will Commence 24-Mile Section at Once.

EASTWARD FROM CAYOOSH CREEK.

Two Steam Shovels and Many Men Will be Employed.

D. A. Rankin will commence a 24-mile section of P. G. E. grading from Lillooet eastward within the next few days. A start is now being made on the construction of camp buildings at the Fraser river bridge. These will include a large warehouse for supplies.

Two steam shovels will be in use on the work and are due to arrive shortly. Large gangs of men will be employed all summer. Owing to the fact that the final location of the line has not yet been decided, a full force of men will not be worked immediately.

At Lillooet the line will follow the route outlined by engineer Callahan some time ago. Starting from about the junction of Cayoosh creek with the Fraser, the line will cross the flat on the south side of the river, following that bank for a considerable distance. The grade will be a little steeper than the natural fall of the river.

Asked if he anticipated difficulty in obtaining men this summer, Mr. Rankin replied in the negative, qualifying his statement, however, with the opinion that in the event of the C.P.R. proceeding with its double-tracking scheme this year, the labor market may be restricted.

Regarding a repetition of I.W.W. disturbances, he said that he had little to fear, as the government had the situation well in hand and was determined to rigidly quell any trouble from that direction.

A Board of Trade Would Conduce to Introduction of Improvements.

Many undertakings of civic importance which require concerted action for their inauguration and completion, might be undertaken in Lillooet by an aggressive Board of Trade. Up to the present no means of concerted action in the prosecution of public affairs has been available. That this should continue would be regretable, and would be far from conducive to the permanent well-being of the town. Why not organize? To do so would cost nothing. It is difficult to see in what way any harm could possibly result, while, on the other hand, probable benefits are many and substantial.

MAY ERECT SMELTER OR CONCENTRATOR.

Probable Extension of Mining Industry.

Indications point to a strong probability of the establishment of a smelter or concentrator in Lillooet in the near future. To make this an accomplished fact, efforts are now being inaugurated. In company with Mr. J. Hunt, Mr. W. C. Thomas, a well-known metallurgist, made an inspection of a number of Bridge river claims last week. So pleased was the expert with the showings at the claims visited that he will endeavor to influence eastern capital to assist in development. If plans mature, an oil smelter will probably be installed at a cost of $20,000.

Mr. Thomas is one of the experts who made exhaustive tests of the Dominion Oil Smelting Co.'s plant at Van Anda. His report, together with a similar one by Mr. Thos. Kiddie, is contained in the 1911 annual report of the Provincial Minister of Mines. The result of these tests are summarized in the last paragraph of Mr. Thomas' report, which reads as follows:

"Twenty-five tons of material was smelted at the rate of 100 tons per twenty-four hours. Oil consumed, 380, allowing 100 gallons for warming up; 280 gallons was consumed in smelting, or 11.2 gallons per ton of ore, a cost for fuel of 33.6 cents per ton. This is a most gratifying showing, proving beyond a doubt the feasibility of the oil-furnace for smelting."

Mr. Kiddie, in his report, places the cost of smelting during the tests at 43.8 cents per ton, but goes on to state that with improved combustion the plant could be operated at a cost of 30-35 cents per ton. Saving of labor costs at the furnace, he estimated at 9 cents per ton of ore.

Speaking with The Prospector, Mr. Thomas emphasized the economy and practibility of the oil smelting system over that of coke. The latter fuel, said he, was unprofitable in most districts. Practically the only supply available at the present time is from the Dunsmuir colleries, and this is quickly snapped up. The Crofton smelter, he added, is using Australian coke, at a cost of $13 per ton at Victoria. Oil is always obtainable and is easily shipped.

Regarding the composition of Bridge river ore, Mr. Thomas stated it to be of such a character as could be cheaply concentrated, owing to its large body and the excess of iron in its composition which would take care of the silica in dry ore. Ore of this class could be made to pay at $4. He was especially impressed with the Hunt properties at Broken Hill, two miles up the Sebring creek. Here the ledge is 90 feet wide. On comparing this ore with that of the Christie claims, six miles distant, Mr. Thomas found it identical in character and apparent values, showing the lead to run for a considerable distance.

Fred Parsons Married.

Another happy benedict is receiving the congratulations of friends in Lillooet this week, Mr. Fred. Parsons, on Tuesday last, being married to Miss Lucy Smith, of Send, Woking, Eng. Miss Smith only arrived at Lytton, from the old country, on Monday, and was there entertained at the Mission. Rev. Archdeacon Pugh performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons have now taken up their residence at their ranch at Seton lake, and embark on their matrimonial craft with the good wishes of many friends.

Ore crushing at the Coronation mines is to commence June 1. C. W. Semmens has arrived from London, Eng., to take charge of the ten-stamp mill, which will be kept running all season. Under the supervision or Supt. C.L. Copp general operations at the mines will be prosecuted this season along more agressive lines than ever. A force of thirty men will be started right away, to be increased as soon as quarters are erected.

Road Superintendent Has Authority to Issue Fire Permits.

According to a recent decision of the provincial forest board, all road superintendents throughout the province are now invested with authority to issue, suspend and cancel fire permits. This action, it is thought, will be appreciated by settlers, as it will facilitate the securing of permits for the destruction of clearing slash wherever such work has to be done by fire.

The Board also re-enacted the regulation of May 20 last with respect to precautions necessary in the use of out-of-door fires for the comfort of travelers for the preparation of food, in other words, camp fires. It is therefore again prescribed that "any person who, during the period between May 1 and Oct. 1, sets out any camp for the purpose of preparing food or for obtaining necessary heat, under the provisions of section 40 of the Forests Act, shall clear away all inflammable material for a distance of three feet in every direction from the edge of fire."

PREPARE PETITION.

Will Ask for Better Mail Service to Bridge River

SYSTEM WORSE THAN ON YUKON.

Outposts of Country Better Served Than Important Mining Centre.

A petition is to be immediately circulated among the settlers of Bridge river again asking the postal authorities to operate a twice-a-month mail service. Dissatisfaction at present conditions is increasing to indignation among the men who are the sufferers from the present antiquated system.

"Why, they have a better system in the outlying districts of Alaska and the Yukon, where mail has to be hauled in by dog teams, than we have at Bridge river," said one prominent mining official.

Emphasis will also be placed on a request that the mail leave Lillooet on the first working day of each month, instead of the first Monday. It is pointed out that under the present management if the first Monday falls on the 6th or 7th, mail is late in arriving and difficulty is experienced in getting out monthly returns.

Strong representations will also be made to the local member in the Dominion House, Hon. Martin Burrell, in an endeavor to secure his active assistance in procuring the desired improved facilities. Promises of a better mail service have been made previously by the department. Upon this occasion only action will be accepted by the settlers concerned.

Building Operations.

Building operations are still proceeding merrily in Lillooet, and still more buildings would be in course of erection if lumber was available. Anderson's clothing store, Murcheson's pool room extension and the new rooming house are all nearing completion. The extensive additions to the Excelsior Hotel are also well under way, one unit consisting of a new bedroom wing, fine large dining room, kitchen and office being completed. An early start is to be made with the rebuilding of the rotunda and bar. When completed, this hotel will rank among the best of the interior hotels. Dr. Clarke is commencing construction of his new drug store, and other buildings are contemplated as soon as lumber can be secured.

Services Sunday.

Rev. E. W. Griffiths will hold Divine Services in St. Mary's Church next Sunday, 11th May. Early communion at 8 a. m; morning services at 11; evening services at 7.

THE PROSPECTOR.

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HERBERT BOOTHMAN,
Managing Editor.

MAY 9, 1913.

MINING DEVELOPMENT.

"Lillooet's success along the lines of mining development largely depends on the work done by the prospector. At the present time there is keen demand for low grade ore propositions, and there is plenty of money available to work them. Capitalists, however, will not pay for untried prospects. They prefer, every time, to pay a good price for claims upon which some work has been done, than to put in a much smaller sum on a hazard. As an alternative, they are also prepared to take over virgin properties, provided the owner is willing to allow time for development before a deal is finally closed. My advice to the prospector, if he has faith in the value of his property and desires to finance or dispose of it, is to open it up, to make a showing, so that purchasers can see just what they are asked to buy. If this course is followed you will find plenty of cash available for the development of the mining resources which you undoubtedly have in Lillooet."

Such is the advice of Mr. W. C. Thomas, one of the best-known practical authorities in North America, and formerly superintendent and manager of the Dominion Copper Company's smelter at Boundary Falls.

During a short visit to Lillooet, within the past few days, Mr. Thomas inspected several mining properties in the Bridge river district. These he expressed himself immensely pleased with, and there is every possibility that he will interest himself to secure their development by large eastern financial interests.

Coming from a man of such well-recognised authority, his advice regarding development should be worthy of consideration. That Lillooet has the ore is undisputable. All that now remains is that this virgin wealth of the mountain should be turned into the more negotiable wealth of the mart. With money available to secure this, every legitimate step should be taken to bring Lillooet to its proper destiny as one of the foremost mining camps of British Columbia.

Bridge River Mail.

Endorsement of The Prospector's comment on the inadequacy of the mail service to Bridge river has been received from settlers in that district. They are much disappointed at the continued delay on the part of the Dominion government in providing better means of communication with the outside world.

"One mail a month in such an important district is absurd," said Mr. A. W. Williams. "Not only are settlers subject to serious inconvenience, but the development of the mines of the district is being seriously interfered with. Two mails each month would relieve the situation and would be satisfactory. These should leave Lillooet on the first and fifteenth of each month. If the despatch is made later than the first, mail does not arrive until nearly the middle of the month. Pay rolls have to be got out and monthly reports prepared for submission to the coast. If these cannot be sent off early, long delays and considerable loss is experienced."

"It's the rottenest mail service in Canada, and should be improved," was Mr. Williams' heated summing up of the situation.

Express Rates.

Great as will be the advantage to fruit growers and other shippers from the 20 per cent. cut in express rates which has been ordered by the railway commission, the ranchers will not experience much benefit this year unless the new rates come into effect about a month earlier than July 15, the date mentioned in the judgment of the board. This is the opinion of fruit growers who point out that by the middle of July practically all the perishable fruits, with the exception of gooseberries, currant and blackberries, will have been shipped. Shippers of tomatoes and other vegetables of that nature will, however, to a large extent reap the benefit of the cut this year.

One advantage of the reduced rates will be, it is pointed out, that British Columbia ranchers will be given a greater margin for competition against ranchers in the United States, while the distance to which the less rapidly perishable produce can be shipped and sold at a profit will be considerably increased.—Nelson News.

The Biggest Dry Dock.

The Esquimalt dry-dock, which has now been formally announced by the government, will be greater in proportion than the greatest dry-docks in the world, the Liverpool dry dock being only 1,000 feet long, and the Trafalgar Dock at Southampton of equal length but a little wider. The Esquimalt dock is to measure 1,100 feet in length by 115 in width, and will rise 35 feet above the sills. Such a graving dock, capable of receiving the largest steamers afloat, either men-of-war or merchantmen, will be an inestimable advantage to the growth of the port, while on the other hand the construction of so tremendous a piece of work is a most eloquent testimonial to the importance of Victoria as a shipping centre.—Victoria Spokesman.

STOLEN FROM THIEVES.

"I had to kill my dog this morning," said the Boob.

"Was he mad?" asked the Cheerful Idiot.

"Well, he didn't seem any too well pleased," replied the Boob.

Schoolteacher.—"What farm papers does your father take?"

Son of Village Tightwad—First mortgages.

Young man (dining with his own sweetest)—"Oh, waiter, may we have a spoon here?"

Waiter—"No objection, sir, if you don't mind the other guests."

Do you think it is unlucky to postpone the wedding day?"

"It may be; but if you don't postpone it you will be married, so what are you to do?"

He—She has everything she needs to make her happy.

She—But it's the thing she does not need that a woman needs to make her happy.

"Then you weren't always a black sheep?"

"No mum. I started my career as a Wall street lamb."

WATER NOTICE.

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that J. H. O. Donaghey, of Lillooet, rancher, will apply for a licence to take and use one cubic foot per second, of water out of Eleven Mile creek, which flows in a westerly direction through P.R. 1662, and empties into Fraser river about one mile from point of diversion. The water will be diverted at about one mile from its entrance into Fraser river, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as P.R. 1662.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 29th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B, C.

J. H. O. DONAGHEY,
May 7, 1913. Applicant.

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Frederick H. Kinder, of Lillooet, rancher, will apply for a licence to take and use Twenty-five miners' inches per second, of water out of Enterprise creek, which flows in a northerly direction through Crown land and Gold Falls mining leases and empties into Cayoosh Creek, near Cayoosh Creek Falls. The water will be diverted at about 2700 feet from its entrance into Cayoosh creek, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as Lot 2686.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 29th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

F. H. KINDER,
May 7, 1913. Applicant.

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Passion Play to be Presented by B. C Indians this Summer.

As wonderful as any Passion Play of Oberammergau is the representation of the great tragedy given by British Columbia Indians, which is performed every year, and arrangements are well in hand for the 1913 performance near Vancouver.

Tribesmen from many coast sections of this rim of the British Empire are now actively rehearsing their parts, and this summer will be memorable on the Pacific coast for what will undoubtedly be the best of the extraordinary series of Passion Plays given by the aborigines of Canada's westernmost province. The production will take place at one of the little Roman Catholic missions that gleam, white and peaceful, at the foot of the spruce-clad mountains of the coast range. Priests who have spent their lives devotedly winning redskins from their old faiths, who have put down dog-eating and devil-dancing, are now busy with the preliminary preparations for what will be, sans doute, one of the most eventful celebrations on the American continent. Four years ago the writer saw the Passion tableaux presented in the little town of Chilliwack a few miles from Vancouver. There, near the banks of the mighty Fraser, pouring its yellowish stream into the Gulf of Georgia, was given a solemn, inspiring spectacle impossible to be seen in any other portion of America.

This Passion Play of the west is vastly different from that given at the quaint old European village of Oberammergau - Rhine—the Swiss performance only recurring once in a decade and being mainly of a deeply religious nature, like its Indian contemporary. "The tableaux, or plays, if you will have it so," remarked a priest, "are intended to be object lessons for the Indians, who look upon the production with greatest reverence. It is the quickest and most effectual way to educate them in the various episodes of our Redeemer's Passion. Our Indians are just like little children, and it is therefore, easier to train them by the eye and personal interest than by the printed book."

On the occasion aforementioned the red men took part in thirteen tableaux of the Passion of our Lord. It was at three o'clock in the afternoon of a sunny summer's day that the great festival commenced, the holy fathers having held special services in the reservation for five days previously, bringing the Indians up to the proper state of mind for the solemnity of the occasion. As the hour struck, the multitude of red men and women took their places in the long procession which was to pass around each group. There were old patriarchs and wrinkled klootches who saw the light before Queen Victoria ascended the throne; young squaws with papooses on their backs, their stolid husbands by their side; dashing young bucks and round-limbed, black-eyed maidens; and hundreds of neatly-dressed children.

Before the procession started, a priest addressed the Indians in chinook, the language of barter between whites and reds originated by the Hudson's Bay factors on the northern Pacific coast. Some of the interior Indians did not understand this jargon, and for their benefit the address was translated into "chilo."

To the sound of a weird chant the cortege began its march. An Indian called out to the spectators that the march was styled "The Way of the Cross," whither the procession led. Thomas Michael, a widely-known Indian of the Sechelt tribe, led the way bearing the heavy cross. Behind the uplifted emblem of christianity walked sisters in black and mission girls in light-colored frocks. Then followed the representatives of the thirty tribes, each with its chief at the head, in tribal order. The priests walked between the lines and encouraged the chanting, which was kept up continuously for a couple of hours or more. During all this time the Sechelt Indians and others composing the tableaux had to remain posed, while the great procession passed slowly from group to group. The performer stood as though carved in marble for a period which no white man could sustain. The first tableaux showed St. Peter, St. James and St. John asleep in the Garden of Gethsemane, with Jesus Christ praying among them. Next came the arrest of Jesus, with Judas and servants excellently portrayed by the Indians. Groups three, four and five depicted the judgment of Pilate, the scourging by his order and the crowning with thorns. "Ecce homo," Pontius Pilate, showing Jesus to the people, was next strikingly represented, and then the procession passed on to view Christ falling under the burden of the heavy cross, his meeting with the Virgin Mary, his condoling with the women and St. Veronica anointing his bleeding feet. Then came number two, stripping the clothes off Christ preparatory to his crucifixion, the crucifixion itself and finally the death of Jesus.

This last picture was taken part in by all the Indians figuring in the preceding tableaux. The figure on the cross was of course not human, but looked truly lifelike, and the death was portrayed with wonderful skill. The cross was hollowed and contained machinery to operate a vessel of red fluid, representing the blood of the victim flowing from out his wounds. Leading from this vessel were lead tubes, all controlled from the bottom. A string pulled at the foot of the cross caused the blood to appear first on the forehead and then on the hands and feet. Finally the Roman soldier plunged his sharp-pointed spear into the side and the blood gushed forth in a stream. The chief of the Sechelt Indians enacted the part of Christ; other leading parts were taken by head tribesmen, most of whom will be seen again at the forthcoming representation this summer, the venue of which has not yet been definitely decided upon. — Saturday Sunset.

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Water Notice

For a Licence to take and use Water.

NOTICE is hereby given that Clinton H. Brigman, of Lillooet, will apply for a licence to take and use 10 miners' inches of water out of a spring which flows in an easterly direction through Lots 292 and 3096 and empties ir to Fraser River near Lots 292 and 3096. The water will be diverted at source and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as Lot 3096.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 13th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton, B. C.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights. Parliament Building, Victoria, BC.

C. K. BRIGMAN,
Applicant.

By E. L. BOULTBEE, Agent.
April 15th, 1913.

Water Notice

For a Licence to take and use Water.

Notice is hereby given that C. J. Payne, of Clinton, Lillooet District, will apply for a licence to take and use 150 inches of water out of Kelly Lake Creek, which flows in a westerly direction through Cut-off Valley and empties into Fraser River, near Big Slide.

The water will be diverted at Valley Lake, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as Lots 270, 271, 272, 273, 274.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 26th day of Feb., 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

C. J. PAYNE,
Applicant.

April 15th, 1913.

Mineral Act, 1896,

Form F

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Success mineral claim situate in the Lillooet mining division of Lillooet district.

Where located; Cadwallader creek.

Take notice that we, LeRoy Ledgerwood and Albert Williams, Free Miner's Certificate No. 41618b and 41616b, 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 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 6th day of March, 1913. LeRoy Ledgerwood
Albert Williams

FOR SALE.

One team of grey horses—gelding and mare—weight about fourteen hundred pounds each—guaranteed true to pull, for immediate sale. Will take $350.

Apply to
F. C. JONES.
Half-way House, Lytton Road.

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Louis Santini of Lillooet, rancher, will apply for a licence to take and use two cubic feet per second, of water out of Fountain Creek, which flows in a North-westerly direction through Crown land and Fountain Indian Reserve No. 1, and empties into Fraser river near Fountain Indian Reserve No. 1. The water will be diverted at about three miles from Fraser river, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as P. R. 1763.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 18th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights. Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

LOUIS SANTINI,
Applicant.

May 1, 1913.

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that William Abercrombie Kettlys, of Lillooet, rancher, will apply for a licence to take and use one cubic foot per second, of water out of an unnamed spring which flows in a northerly direction through P. R. 1837, and sinks into ground on P. R. 1837. The water will be diverted at or close to P. R. 1837, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as P. R. 1837.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 28th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

WM. ABERCROMBIE KETTLYS,
May 1, 1913. Applicant.

WATER NOTICE.

For a Licence to Store or Pen Back Water.

NOTICE is hereby given that Louis Santini of Lillooet, rancher, will apply for a licence to store or pen back one hundred and sixty acre-feet of water from Fountain creek, a stream flowing in a North-westerly direction and emptying into Fraser river near Fountain Reserve No. 1. The water will be stored in a reservoir to be built at the point of diversion and will be used for irrigation purposes, under a notice of application for a licence to take and use water, posted herewith, on the land described as P. R. 1763.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 18th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

LOUIS SANTINI,
May 1, 1913. Applicant.

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WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Pacific Great Eastern Development Co., of Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 50 cubic feet per second, of water out of One Mile Creek, which flows in an Easterly direction through Lillooet District and empties into Lillooet river, near Lot 204, Lillooet District. The water will be diverted at near West boundary of Lot 203, Lillooet district, and will be used for municipal irrigation, industrial and power purposes on the land described as southerly portion of Pemberton Meadows.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 18th day of April, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton, B. C.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Pacific Great Eastern Development Co.

By W. S. DORAN, Agent.
May 1, 1913.

Cancellation of Reserve.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing upon Crown lands in the Cariboo and Cassiar Districts by reason of a notice, bearing date September 12, 1907, and published in the British Columbia Gazette on September 12, 1907, as well as the reserve existing upon Crown lands within the Land Recording Districts of Cariboo and Lillooet and the Kamloops Division of Yale Land Recording District by reason of a notice, bearing date April 3, 1911, and published in the British Columbia Gazette on April 6, 1911, is cancelled in so far as the same affect the acquisition of lands under the provisions of the "Coal and Petroleum Act."

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., April 14, 1913.

For prompt and efficient freight service see Charles McCaffery, Lilooet, B. C.

Mr. Caspar Phair Appointed Registrar of Vital Statistics.

Mr. Caspar Phair, gold commissioner, Lillooet, has been appointed a District Registrar of births, deaths and marriages for Lillooet Mining Division, under the "Vital Statistics Act" passed last session of the legislature. In the past, all births, deaths and marriages were registered at Clinton for Lillooet District.

Clergymen, doctors, nurses, undertakers and parents should become familiar with this Act, as every person required to report a birth, marriage or death to the District Registrar, is liable to a fine of twenty dollars, and, in default of payment, to imprisonment for thirty days, if he or she neglects to do so within the proper time.

Newspaper Life in Arizona.

[From the Kicker.]

Our genial host of the Excelsior hotel has had to shoot another guest for finding fault with the bill of fare, but he did it as gently as he could and only wounded him in the arm. The guest asked for broiled lobster and could not be induced to believe that summer bearsteak was just as good.

George Tompkins, who was called a liar in this column last week, dropped in yesterday to have a shot at us, but when he got ready his gun failed to go off. In our fatherly way in such cases we led him to the door and bade him come some other day. There is something lonely in the thought that a man is a liar and a failure at the same time.

Major Wharton of Utah writes us that he will come soon and put six bullets in our carcass. Come some day when we are not too busy, major. We like to give a man the worth of his money.

Have you anything to sell?

Do you desire to purchase?

If so—ADVERTISE!

For Sale or Wanted advertisements one dollar per month. Legal Notices $7.50 for required series of insertions.

Buskin---"I can't go on; I haven't any make-up."

Manager---"What are you playing tonight?"

Buskin---"The fool in-----"

Manager---"Go right on. Never mind the make-up."

James T. Farmer.

CONTRACTOR & BUILDER

PLANS and ESTIMATES

LILLOOET, B. C.

NOTICE.

I hereby announce that having purchased the business of Lok Fung, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by Lok Fung. (Signed) WO HING.

Headquarters for Mining Men

Free Bus Meets All Boats and Trains

Commercial Hotel

L. H. Clement, Prop

Guest Comfort is My Motto

Corner Hastings and Cambie Streets
Vancouver, B. C.

American and European Plan

Livery and Feed Stable

Horses and Rigs for Hire
Light and Heavy Draying
Express Delivery.

Emmet Darcy
Proprietor
Bus Meets all Regular Boats at SeatonLake

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GENERAL MERCHANT
Lillooet - B. C.

Outfitter for Prospectors, Trappers, Miners, Ranchers, Etc. Our goods are the best and prices are right

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B. C. LAND SURVEYOR
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Samuel Gibbs,
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Orders by Mail Attended to.
Fine Watch Repairing a Spcialty

GENTS' FURNISHINGS!

NEW SPRING GOODS

NOW ON DISPLAY.

FULL STOCK CARRIED IN ALL LINES.

Clothing, Boots, Underwear, Haberdashery.

Agents for **House of Hobberlin Tailoring Co.**

F. M. MURPHY.

JOHN DUNLOP,
Store near Seton Lake
General Merchant

Large Assortment of Goods Always on Hand

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Miner's Supplies

Outfitter for Camp or Trail

STEAMER BRITANNIA

REGULAR Trips up Seton Lake every Day.

Convenient for all passengers to Mission, Bridge River, Short Portage, Anderson Lake, McGillvray Creek and the Pemberton country.

Leaves, 8.00 a. m. Arrives at Mission, 10 a. m. Arrives Short Portage, 11 o'clock

Returning Leaves Short Portage, 12 p. m. Leaves Mission 12:45 p. m. Arrives, 3:00 p. m.

EXCELSIOR HOTEL

W. J. Abercrombie, Proprietor

A First-Class Table.

WINES, LIQUORS, AND THE BEST OF CIGARS

New Lillooet Townsite!

Very large lots at very small prices

If youwish to purchase land in the Pemberton Meadows, write us for our list of prices.

Merlin Grimm and Co.,

811 Rogers Building Vancouver, B. .

Sole Agents.

ELECTRICITY ASSURED.

Construction of Pole Line to Begin Next Week.

CONTRACTS SIGNED 425 LIGHTS.

Light to Switch on September First, is Now Anticipated.

Installation of an electric light plant for Lillooet is now practically assured. Actual construction is expected to commence next week.

To commence work on the job the Lillooet Light and Power Company required signatures to contracts for 300 lights. This requirement has been much more than met, over 424 lights having been already contracted for, with a considerable number of others promised as soon as the plant is in operation.

Two or three contracts for the supply of power for machinery have also been signed on in abeyance.

Mr. A. R. Eichler, construction engineer of the company, who has been in town during the past week for the purpose of promoting the undertaking, returned to Vancouver on Wednesday for the purpose of arranging final legal details and purchase of plant. He expects to be back in Lillooet on Tuesday, and to at once commence the work of constructing the pole line from Dickie creek to town. Assembling of the plant will be undertaken as soon as it can be secured and shipped in. It is expected that the light will be turned on about September 1 next.

Development Hampered by Existence of Old Shacks on Roadway.

Who is responsible for the continued existence of the old adobe shacks on the roadway in Chinatown? Development of that section of town is being seriously hampered by reason of the fact that these hovels are allowed to remain. Several buildings are projected in the immediate vicinity, but cannot be commenced until the old buildings are razed and the hollow in which they stand properly graded.

That this work should be immediately accomplished was recently promised by Mr. A. McDonald, M. L. A., who stated that he would give instructions to the road superintendent to go ahead with the work. They are not permanently inhabited. Why are they suffered to remain? Upon whom does the responsibility rest?

The various autos running between Lytton and Lillooet are busy these days, newcomers to the district and commercial men from the coast being frequent.

Mr. Graham, supt. of the local hatchery, has gone to the coast on a ten day trip.

Since last night's rain some of our local ranchers are looking more pleasant than usual.

High-Class Nursery to be Operated Here on Extensive Scale.

Fifteen thousand trees are on the way to Lillooet, consigned to the Lillooet Nurseries, Ltd. This company, in which local capital is interested, will operate here on an extensive scale. Four hundred acres of land have been acquired, situated seven miles down the river, close to Dr. Jones' ranch. Mr. A. V. Carty, formerly with the Fraser Valley Nurseries, and the Kamloops Nursery, will direct operations. In the initial consignment, which is expected to arrive today, hardy winter apples predominate. All other classes of fruit are also represented.

Hitherto many thousands of fruit trees have been shipped into Lillooet and district annually. With the growth of a local industry it is considered that this heavy importation can be changed to a substantial exportation as soon as the railway is in operation.

Already a large number of local orders have been placed with the firm. During a recent visit Mr. McCarty sold over $900 worth of trees in one day.

Around the Town.

G. Cunningham, of Kamloops, paid Lillooet a visit on Thursday.

Mr. Chas. Walker has left for a business trip to Victoria.

Mr. R. Buckholder was in town Tuesday, from his ranch at Bridge river.

Dandy line of pocket knives and scissors, together with other cutlery, just arrived at Phair's.

Mr. A. P. Hughes, manager of the Union Bank, has now recovered from his recent illness.

Mr. Gerald J. Garbett, of Vancouver, was a visitor on Thursday and registered at the Victoria.

Large new stock of paints, varnishes, stains, etc., for spring decorations, at Phair's departmental store.

The Pacific Great Eastern railway have taken up their options on the Dunlop and Marshal properties at Seaton lake.

H. J. Keary has accepted the clerical management of the Excelsior Hotel. Good man in the right place.

Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Dupras have returned from their wedding trip and have taken up their residence in town.

I. McEwen and Larry Keary have gone to the mountains in search of "bar." Better watch out, boys.

Special prizes are to be awarded at the Dupras shooting gallery on Saturday night, in connection with various competitions of skill.

Who can charge Lillooet with being slow, when we have a moving picture show, a boxing bout, a dance and an automobile excursion all scheduled for the same evening?

Some fine fishing is now available in local waters. Several splendid salmon and trout have been brought into town during the past few days.

NINE MURDER CHARGES.

Exceptionally Serious Docket for Coming Clinton Assizes.

DATE IS NOT YET DECIDED.

Twenty-Seven Criminal Charges in all Will be Heard.

Nine murder charges will be heard at the forthcoming assizes for the district, to be held at Clinton. This constitutes a record in British Columbia. Of the charges for which the penalty is capital punishment the most serious are those against Paul Spintlum and Moses Paul, alleged murderers of provincial constable Kindness, near Clinton. Spintlum will be confronted with three murder charges, these being connected with the death of Wm. White, Ah Wye, and Kindness. Moses Paul will also be arraigned.

Jealousy will bring James Antwine into the dock to answer to a charge of having fatally stabbed Miss Minnie Martin at a dance at Stine creek.

For the brutal outrage and murder of the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Inkster, of Ashcroft, a young Swede named Henry Jorgenson will be tried for his life.

From 150-Mile, "Red" McColville and Jack Watts will be brought to stand trial for the murder of an Indian.

According to present indications the criminal docket will comprise 27 cases. These will include robbery with violence, house-breaking, jail-breaking, horse-stealing, and many other serious crimes. Former provincial constables Mulligan and Bonner will answer to a charge of having robbed an Italian at Ashcroft.

The date of the opening, or the appointment of the presiding judge has not yet been announced. Owing to the fact that three weeks will be required to gather necessary Indian witnesses, the court cannot meet until June.

Fine summer stock of straw hats and light clothing now on show at Phair's departmental store.

Some Road-Work Queries.

While the opening of new roads out of town, notably the North Fork, is urgently needed, the local road gang now has its full force at work on the Pascelqua road, this side of Dr. Jones' ranch. This road is little used and is already in excellent condition, say prominent residents of Lillooet, who are indignant that the long-promised facilities for opening communication from town to Bridge river is being thus delayed. Promises that work should be started have been given by the provincial authorities, and local men are at a loss to understand why these are not being redeemed

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Henry Christoe Ferris of Lillooet, farmer, will apply for a licence to take and use six miners' inches per second of water out of an unnamed spring, which flows in a southerly direction through crown land and P. R. 1897, and disappearing into the ground about 100 yards south of point of diversion. The water will be diverted at the spring and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as P. R. 1897.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 1st day of May, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

HENRY C. FERRIS, Agent.

May 7, 1913,

All the Fun of the Fair.

SHOOTING GALLERY

—AND—

AMUSEMENT ARCADE!

Good Place to Spend an Evening

NAPOLEON DUPRAS.

THE FEMALE OF THE SPECIES.

When the ordinary druggist sees a man come in the store,
He calls his young assistant and sends him to the fore;
For men are mostly easy and he'll likely make the sale,
But the female of the species isn't easy like the male.

When a dainty little maiden rushes in and grabs a seat,
And coyly tells the soda man it's up to him to treat;
The soda man smiles sweetly and passes out his best,
And the female of the species gets outside it with a zest.

When the daughter of the landlord, a shy and blushing maid,
Calls on the druggist bachelor for the rent that's to be paid,
You can bet the foxy landlord is wise onto the game,
For the female of the species gets the rent for which she came.

When your clerk is hard at work and his best girl happens in,
You naturally take his place and do it with a grin;
For the clerk must not be bothered by anything like work,
While his female of the species is there to smile and smirk.

When a woman tells you flatly she won't take your liver pills,
And insists on taking something advertised to cure all ills;
You quickly give her what she wants, with most engaging smiles,
For that female of the species will come back and ask for Nyal's.

When your wife has set her mind on a fancy feathered hat,
It's as well to give it quickly, like a cheerful diplomat;
For money's easy when you sell the goods that stand the test,
And the female of the species knows that Nyal's are the best.

Nyal Goods are sold only at the PIONEER DRUG STORE.
Prompt attention to **Mail Orders.**
Lillooet, B. C. CLARKE & CO.