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THE GOLDEN CACHE CLEANUP STOLEN.

The excitement in town last Sunday afternoon ran high for a little while. The cause being of Mr. Kaye hurriedly riding into town, and after close consultation with the authorities for a short time left again for the Golden Cache mine with Constable Burns and Mr. C. Phair, government agent. Before long it was known that the amalgam from the stamp mill had disappeared and that the robbery had taken place between 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and Sunday morning. The amalgam was in an ordinary amalgam safe in the mill and was locked with two ordinary padlocks. There was thirty-three pounds in the safe when last seen by Superintendent Rives which was valued at $2,000, and on Sunday morning it was discovered that the safe had been tapped and all of the amalgam taken. The padlocks were both broken off and after removing the swag one of the locks was put back in position. When Colonel Rives, the superintendent, left the mine for town last Friday afternoon everything was all right and taking advantage of his absence broke the locks and secured the swag.

Constable Burns after investigation arrested and brought to town Wednesday evening, a man named Mason who has been employed around the mill for some time past. Detective R. B. Lister of New Westminster is working on the case with Constable Burns, and before long it is probable that something will brough to light. The amalgam stolen was no doubt hid some where near the mill and close search has been made in the mill and around the premises, but without success.

The plates had not been cleaned up and it is estimated that a few thousand dollars will be cleaned up from these. The amalgam stolen had been taken from the plates from time to time, and rolled into balls and placed in the safe. The managers did not anticipate a very large cleanup for this run of the mill, and it was figured that it would be about the same as the last one in the neighborhood of $5,000.

This cleanup of the Golden Cache was being anxiously watched for all over the province, and it was hoped that it would be satisfactory and to give the outside world more confidence. The company have spent $50,000 in equipping the mine and mill with all the modern machinery which shows that they have the utmost confidence in the mine. The Golden Cache is not a high grade property and with the low cost of working the mine it will most likely redeem itself and satisfy those interested.

A large number of men have been laid off lately and the mill will be closed down and it is not likely that it will be started up again before the spring. The machine drills will be kept at work and the whole work centered on the new tunnel about 240 feet below the present workings. It is the intention to work at this point and do work in such a manner that it will greatly reduce the cost of developing and will have a large quantity of ore ready for the mill when she starts up again. By the present intentions everything will be in good shape to run at a very reduced cost to the company. About ten men will be kept at work during the winter.

The preliminary hearing for Mason was to have been held this afternoon but up to the time of going to press nothing had been done. The evidence against him is very vague.

Stole A Horse.

A little difference of opinion prevailed this week on the ownership of a cayuse. It seems that Charley Arrowhead appropriated a horse and saddle the property of Lame Johnny and on coming to town disposed of them to Ho Sang for the sum of $15. Shortly after the owner of the horse appeared on the scene and demanded the horse which was refused him. At the instigation of his legal advisor he went and took the horse. Ho Song had Charley arrested for stealing

The case came up this morning before C. Phair, stipendiary magistrate who sent the accused up for trial.

The Prohibition Question.

EDITOR PROSPECTOR,—We are on the eve of a very important election and it is our duty to carefully look before we leap. To begin with it is our duty to remember that laws are for the greatest good of the greatest number. Granting everything that can be said as to the bad effects of liquor itself, every logician will admit that if it can be proved that in a single instance or class of instances the effect of liquor is satutary, that it cures as well as kills (as for example, in a case of partial drowning or rattlesnake bite,) then to prevent its sale is not only illogical but oppressive. Like most admirable servants, liquor is apt to be a bad master if allowed the upper hand or permitted to get into politics. But there are many persons, not habitual drunkards themselves, who actually believe that malarious and impure water is a circulator of disease, but can be disharmed and rendered safe by the dilution with whisky.

The boards of health of cities in their printed directions to the public for prevention of cholera, advise that the water given to infants and very young children in the heated season be diluted with a few drops of whisky. It requires a strong stomach and a tranquil nervous system to absorb ice water, and dyspeptics and excitable persons are not always deserving of death at the hands of the state. Prohibition in theory is beautiful. Many states have tried it and have found that men cannot be controlled as to their personal appetites and passions from without. Self-control can alone be relied on in such cases. All human beings of both sexes feel the need of and at times indulge in stimulants of some kind when they can get them—whisky, wine, beer, tea, coffee, tobacco, absinthe, choral, opium, quinine, &c., &c. Nearly all these are harmless used in moderation. Most of them are beneficial under certain conditions. None are absolute curses except when abused. Let us deal with men as they are and try to restrain them in the abuse of alcoholic drinks—not attempt the impossible by endeavoring to prevent their using liquors at all.

J. S. BELL.

Jack and Dave Arthur are working up Cayoosh Creek doing assessment work on some claims for Vancouver parties.

McGILLIVRAY CREEK DEAL.

The group of claims on McGillivray creek owned by the Brett Brothers and John Marshall were bonded last Friday evening to Mr. R. B. Skinner of Vancouver. The bond runs for eighteen months and the amount is $50,000, no cash payment is made, but Mr. Skinner makes a deposit in the bank for the work to be done on the property. A hundred foot tunnel will be started at once and when finished a payment will be made and work continued. The Bretts will do the work on the property and are making the necessary arrangements for working this winter.

This group of claims with the little work already done has one of the finest showings in the country. Every person who has seen it claims it is true a fissu e vein and the ledge lying beautiful along the group of claims. The water power is sufficient for all the machinery necessary to run a large mine. The property can be reached from Lillooet in one day and it will be an easy matter to take in machinery as it will be a water rout all the way. The claims are two miles up McGillivray Creek from Anderson Lake and at present a fairly good trail leads right past the claims. There is an excellent mill site and everything tends to assist the owner in having a bonanza in their group. Around the group quite a number of claims have been staked all of which have good indications. Prospectors have been looking around McGillivray Creek for some tine trying to find the big ledge which the Bretts discouvered and for years quite a bit of money has been taken out placer mining. McGillivray Creek is all right and will have a good mine working shorily.

BRIDGE RIVER.

The inhabitants of Bridge river were startled the other day by the appearance of our worthy citizen L. Jones making his way to Sucker creek to act as chef of the culinary department at the Sucker Creek Hotel.

J. J. Patterson, D. McLeod and C. M. Glenn have been up Tyauchton on a deer hunt.

Messrs. Patterson, McLeod and McDonald are turning the course of South Fork near the canyon and expect to make a good cleanup this fall. Considerable gold was taken out a short distance further up the river a few years ago by D. McLeod and Williams.

M. P. Stewart and W. French have been up Tyauchton to open up some property in which Mr. Stewart is interested with some Ashcroft parties. The work done on the ledges shows up fine, and report says the ledge is well defined and 30 feet wide and can be traced for three miles. The ledge contains gold and silver.

Quite a number of prospectors are leaving here for the North Fork Bridge River to engage in placer mining in order to make a grub stake for next season on Tyauchton creek.

Reports from the South Fork are very encouraging. F. Rickward and his partner have struk a rich piece of ground and are working it for all they are worth. They have already taken out some very fine specimens of gold.

Aron White is doing some assessment work on claims located last year on Tyauchton creek.

If the governments wants revenue it would be advisable to construct a wagon road into the Bridge River district.

The water wheel at the Lone is about in shape and it was expected that they would start the arrastra about the end of this week.

The arrastra at the Pioneer is working first-rate and the clean-up will be in a few days before the end of the month-

LILLOOET MINING DISTRICT.

List of claims, transfers and assessment work recorded in the Lillooet mining district from the 15th to 22nd of September.

RECORDS.

Windsor—R. T. Banner, North Fork Bridge r.
Union—C. Noel, North Fork Bridge river
Deer Trail—J. H. Shafer, N. F. Bridge river.
Jewel—T. Racette, N. F. Bridge river.
Big Horn—A. Sweeney, N. F. Bridge river.
Forest City—G. Doherty, McGillivray creek.
Gold Bug—J. P. Simpson, McGillivray creek.
Ruth—A. L. Clements, Tyauchton.
Lake View—M. P. Stewart, Tyauchton.
Annie May—C. B. Deans, Tyauchton.

ASSESSMENTS

Poodle Dog—J. A. Murray, Cadwallader.
Little Prince—W. J. Glencross, Cadwallader.
Etta—M. P. Stewart, Cadwallader.

TRANSFERS.

Brett Bros. to John Marshall, one-quarter interest in the Brett group of claims, situated on McGillivray creek.

Sudden Death of Violet Hodge.

The death of the youngest child, Violet, of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hodge took place last Saturday morning. The child was quite well heretofore and was gay and playful as ever the evening before, about eleven o'clock taking ill with convulsions and remained very sick till next morning about nine o'clock when death gave relief to the little ones sufferings. Little Violet was a general favorite with all who knew her and was the pride of the household, the news of her very sudden death being a great shock to the friends of the family. She was just over 2 years old. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the family residence, quite a number following the remains to their resting place. During the short sickness the family received every care from the kind folks of Lillooet who did everything to relieve the pain and console the sorrowing parents.

Mrs Charles Haddock left fot Ashcroft this morning with Arthur Haddock, after a few months visit with her mother. Mrs Glencross.

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RIC. A. FRASER, - - PUBLISHER.

LILLOOET, B. C. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1898.

The post office department has not seen fit to alleviate the inconvenience of the people in the Bridge river district by giving them a mail service. Several promises have been made in response to the petitions forwarded. To appreciate being without mail it would be necessary to live in a district similar to Bridge river and only receive mail when any charitable person is inclined to burden themselves with extra weight. Business of importance is often delayed several weeks and if anything very important is on it necessitates making a special trip. Many are the anxious enquiries as regards the mail for Bridge River, and all the information possible to give is that it has been promised and will be granted shortly. This is great satisfaction and gives considerable relief. It is only justice that the people of this section should receive some consideration from the postal authorities. Things have come to such a state that the people have made arrangements to get mail in once in awhile, and a party left the first of the week loaded with mail matter. A small charge will be made and if there is enough funds in sight that will pay for the trouble, regular trips will be made, probably three times a month. The prospectors and miners receiving mail will pay any reasonable charge for the mail brought in, being only glad to receive news. It is hoped that as the government has failed to do anything, some satisfactory arrangement can be brought about with the people directly interested and some person to carry the mail.

The burial ground for Lillooet is in a very delapitated state and is a disgrace to the people to allow it to remain in its present condition. Some effort should be made to put it in better condition as soon as possible as few would like to look upon and wish it as their final resting place. The Chinese graveyard occupies quite a piece of ground and is fenced in taking in part of the cemetery ground. The government when interviewed some time ago in regards to this matter, offered a piece of ground at the present site, and a local surveyor offered to survey the plot free. A meeting was held but no action was taken and the matter was let drop. If this is taken up in the right shape every person in town would willingly donate towards it and with a few dollars judiciously spent the ground could be put in decent shape. Let this question be taken up again and see if some arrangements can not be made.

The wagon road to Bridge River should

thing. Something must be done shortly to get the rich mineral claims in the Bridge River at work. The way to do it is to build a wagon road and give some opportunity to ship machinery. With a road through this section it would not be necessary to expect things to be quiet this winter.

We find in the Methodist Young People's Paper Onward the following eminently true expression about the Canadian press. We agree with Onward in saying that the press of Canada, taken for all in all, is as high-toned as that of any country in the world. Our readers will have no difficulty in recognizing the Montreal Witness as the paper specially referred to.

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Robert. Lombart, the government roadman, has recently repaired a few of the bridges along the Lillooet road from Pavilion. The road at Blue Lake has been repaired and there is no danger anticipated of slides.

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How to Strike It.

Prospectors and others always need to remember that, in opening up a new camp, absolute honesty in regard to values is essential. A well-defined lead may not have values at the surface and yet be a good property, while all possible effort at deception will wot make a mine out of a barren lead; and such effort being certain to detection, results in a serious setback to a district which may have real merit. A case is in mind where a clumsy effort to deceive resulted in a withdrawal of all proffers or notice from intending investors when a straight statement of fact an honest showing would have secured what most prospectors want—a good price for an undeveloped claim. It is not well to bank too much on the possible ignorance of the man sent to examine the property, but vastly safer and fairer to give him credit for a little knowledge; and purely as a matter of business policy, more satisfactory all round not to attempt any cheap little tricks that are sure to be found out and are as sure to hurt the whole district. One such transaction often gives a deserving locality a set back that will take years of genuine merit and proved value to overcome.—Mining and Scientific Press.

Will Settle the Alien Labor Matter.

The nearest approach to a positive agreement has been reached in the matter of the alien labor laws. The United States commissioners are said to be ready to consent that United States alien laws shall not operate on the Canadian frontier, providing Canada passes and enforces laws including identically the same classes of immigration as the United States do. This Canada may do.

Want a Duty on Raw Lead.

At the Liberal-Conservative convention held at Vancouver, it was moved by W. A. McDonald, second by D. B. Bogle, and carried, "that the smelting and refining of our silver lead ore is a industry which should be fostered and encouraged by placing a duty on the raw product of lead imported into Canada."

Royal Commission Issued.

A royal commission has been issued to A. E. Beck, barrister of Vancouver, to enquire into the management of the Kamloops jail as affecting Warden Vickers and jailor Norfilk. Mr. Beck will leave on Friday and the commission will sit on Tuesday.

The case of piper Findlater, who had his legs shot off at Dargai Ridge, is a sad one. A Dundee girl is suing him for breach of promise and is sure to win, as Findlater hasn't a leg to stand on.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
(FORM F.)

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Pioneer Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Lillooet Mining Division of Lillooet district. Where located: On Cadwallader Creek.

Take notice that we, William F. Allen and Harry Atwood, free miner's certificate No. 95651 and 95704, 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 improvents.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of July, 1898.

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WESTMINSTER'S FIRE.

The New Westminster fire of last Saturday night was the most disastrous in the histroy of British Columbia. Over three hundred business houses and residences were burned and hundreds of people were left homeless and destitute.

An area of three-fourth of a mile along the water front and one half-mile back to Royal Avenue was obliterated—only two residences being left standing.

The loss is now definitely known to be over $3,500,000, with insurance covering about one-third of this amount. The twenty-five insurance company doing business in the city were hit hard, the London Assurance company being the heaviest loser, about $750,000.

At this writing the city is rapidly recovering from the shock of the fire and building operations have commenced on an immense scale. Many merchants have reopened for business in temporary wooden strucures.

On all sides there is a determination to show the world that New westminster is not "doomed." In a very few months Columbia street will present as handsome and substantial an appearance as it did previous to the fire fiend's work sunday morning.

Sister cities in British Columbia and cousins across the border have come to the aid of the stricken city in a very handsome manner. Cash subscriptions have been secured amounting to nearly $75,000 and many carloads of clothing and supplies have been donated by big-hearted sympathizers. In a few hours Kamloops raised over $1,000 for the sufferers and Rossland contributed $5,000.

Australia Empire.

Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 10.—At the Hotel Beaurivage here this afternoon, Her Magesty the Empress of Austria, was assassinated by an anarchist.

It appears that Her Magesty was walking from her hotel to the landing place of the steamer, a distance of about 100 yards, when the Italian Anarchist suddenly approached and stabbed her to the heart. The Empress fell, but got up again, and was carried to the steamer unconscious. The boat started but seeing the Empress had not recovered consciousness, the captain returned and the Empress was carried to the hotel, where she expired.

Immediately after the crime the assassain was arrested by those who hastened to the spot. The murder is named Luckeni. He was born in Paris Italian parentage, and has lately lived at Parma, Italy.

Good Drinking People.

The people of British Columbia are pretty good drinkers. They are not so numerous as the people of New Brunswick, but they drink as much in three days as their eastern brothers do in a week. During the first nineteen years since Confederation, for every thousand persons there were drunk in New Brunswick, 16,948 gallons of spirits; British Columbia, 25,897 gallons of spirits; New Brunswick, 1,539 gallons of wine; British Columbia, 11,932 gallons of wine; New Brunswick, 12,730 gallons of beer; British Columbia, 72,827 gallons of beer.

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Pavilion.

The Blue lake at this place is fast becoming a favorite resort of pleasure seekers and tourists from the coast cities. The whole canyon in fact, affords an ever changing scene of grandeur and magnificence, and fills the heart of the traveler with admiration and delight as travels along feasting his eyes upon the beauties around him. A pleasant picnic party made its way along the Blue lake on Saturday last from Pavilion mountain, consisting of the school children and some of the youth and beauty of this place (with the exception of ourselves, who, being of the unfortunate working class, could not spare the time.) The party drew up at the further extremity of the lake (anxious to get as far away from "us" as possible) and spread its sheets and pastries upon a green slope close by the shore, and far enough back so that the tide would not flow up and overtake them in the midst of their recreation. It was a beautiful day and even nature had arranged her plans to suit this bewitching little party of pleasure seekers. Several games were played which (not being there ourselves) we are unable to explain, but we have no doubt they were delfghtful judging from the expressions of several of the fair participants: "We had a fine time!" (emphasis on the "fine." "It was just too lovely for anything!" (said slowly and with great fouree and slight stress on "anything." "I never had such a lovely time in my life," (but this goes for nothing as it is a common expression and is used at the termination of every recreative excursion of this kind.) Taking everything into consideration, however, we have no doubt but that it was a grand success—if there had only been more men there. P.

Sued for Criminal Libel.

J. T. Robinson, managing editor of the Standard, Kamloops, has been summored to appear before Judge Tunstall to answer to a charge of criminal libel preferred against him by Rev. J. W. Thompson. The action is the outcome of an article copied in the Standard from an eastern paper in which it was alleged that Thompson was suspected of murdering his wife and step-son at Ipswick, Mass.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a sitting of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at the court house, Clinton, on Thursday 27th October, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. By order

4 F. SOUES,
Registrar of the County Court of Cariboo.

COUNTY COURT.

A sitting of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at the court house, Lillooet, B. C., on the 31st day of October, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon. By command

C. PHAIR,
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LOCAL ITEMS.

R. B. Skinner left for the coast last Saturday morning via Lytton road.

Arthur Noel has purchased the residence on Main Street of William Halymore's.

Mrs. Wm Cumming has been ill for the past week but is now able to be around again.

Richard Terry and J. C. Morrison returned to town last Saturday, having come in by way of Lytton.

T. J. Cole returned to his ranch on the Lillooet road near Pavilion Tuesday afternoon after a weeks visit in town.

H. M. Burwell arrived on Mondays stage from Vancouver and left for the Bend 'Or mine to survey the property.

Mr. H. Hodge wife and family with L. Saunders and wife left this morning for the coast where they will spend the winter.

Captain R. G Tatlow of Vancouver, arrived in town by Monday's stage and after a few days visit on business left for the coast via Lytton.

M. P. Stewart returned froma couple weeks up Tyauchton doing assessment work on some claims. He left for Ashcroft Tuesday afternoon.

Wm. Skene vice-president of the Golden Cache company arrived by special team Tuesday and has spent the time on business in connection with the company.

NOTICE—Is hereby given to the party or parties, who kicked in a door at a residence last Tuesday night, that if it occurs again they will receive the necessary punishment.

W. Durban who has been running the boarding house at the Bend'or mine returned to town last Saturday having disposed of his stock. He will spend the winter in Lillooet.

W. G. Manson and James Rowbottom (Jimmy Nemin Pawiton) leave today for the head waters of Cayoosh Creek where they go to hunt big game. They will both be loaded with stories to entertain the boys all winter.

Arthur Noel left for the coast last Tuesday morning and is expected back by tomorrow His hurried return is on account of his book-keeper suddenly departing without giving the necessary notice. As far as can be learned the accounts and cash are correct.

Rev. R. Hughes lecture on "London" Wednesday evening in the Methodist church drew a fairly good audience. Mr. Hughes entertained the audience for upwards of an hour on this interesting subject which was attentively listened to. Major P. Burnet did duties as a chairman in a satisfactory manner and after a vote of thanks to him and the singing of the national anthen the meeting dispersed.

J. Dunlop left for Bridge River Thursday on a business trip.

Mrs Yorston was able to be around for a few days this week but is now sick abed again.

Mrs T. P. Reed was ill for a few days this week, she will probably leave for the east shortly on a visit.

R. B. Lister provincial detective came up from New Westminster Wednesday and is working on the Golden Cache Case.

J. L. C Knowles left this week for his ranch at Penberton Portage. Mrs Knowles will remain in town for some time on a visit with friends.

Mr. Armstrong arrived in town last Friday evening from Seattle and has spent the past week in learning of the mineral resources of the district. He visited properties up Seaton Lake and is satisfied that this will be a good country.

Mr. Archer Martin, of Victoria is now Mr. Justice Martin, he having received the appointment to fill the vanancy on the Supreme Court beneh caused by the elevatlon of Mr. Justice McColl to the Chief Justiceship.

Owing to the cleanup at the Cache and other things disappearing in the vicinity we have made arrangements for a burgler proof safe to deposit the large amount of money secured from subscribers of late. Any subscriptions sent in will receive attention.

L. Lovegrove and T. Whitmore came down from Bridge River last Friday and Mr. Lovegrove left again next day with C. F. Law who has gone up to that part of the country to look at mineral claims. Messrs Lovegrove and Whitmore have been doing good work on the Why-Not which is showing up fine.

In a late issue we stated that Mr. W. J. Stockand was in charge of the Ida May mine on Cadwallader Creek which was on error as we are informed that Mr. J. C. Scott is in charge. He is well known in this district and for some time was superintendent for the Lillooet Bridge River & Cariboo Gold company at Horse Shoe Bend. We make this connection in justice to Mr. Scott.

The recent fire at New Westminster swept clean the stock of R. F. Anderson & Co. hardware merchants. and W. Tietjen, manufactures of the well-known brand of cigars, the Mainland and British Lion. Both firms have started business again and will be able to fill all orders for goods. Both houses do a good business in this district and there many customers will be pleased to hear that they have started up in business again.

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