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$655 IN EIGHT DAYS

With the Arrastra at the Lorne Claims on Cadwallader.

Wm. Young one of the owners of the Lorne group of claims on Cadwallader creek, arrived in town the first of the week from the claims, bringing with him some of the amalgam of the last cleanup with the arrastra.

From eight days run about $655 was taken out of the arrastra. The material put through was mostly decomposed quartz taken from the ledge recently uncovered. Since returning a couple of weeks ago the men have been putting in work driving and stripping the ledge at a different point and were successful in uncovering a rich body of ore, and it was from this that the cleanup was made. It is the intention to sink on this ledge and open it up to such an extent that the owners will know what the have.

At present five men are at work with Gib Ward in charge. The Lorne is proving all right and from the last two cleanups, with this primitive mode of mining, goes to show that the owners have a good thing, and with modern machinery would prove it one of the best properties in the district.

Mr. Young left again for the claims Thursday morning and J. R. Williams, who also has an interest will leave the first of the week.

The arrastra is running again in good shape putting through rich rock and in the course of a few week another good cleanup will be made.

The Lytton Mail Service.

The following is the petition to be forwarded to the postmaster-general.

Whereas the wagon road between Lytton and Lillooet, B. C., is completed and open to traffic, thus rendering communication between these points easier and quicker.

And whereas the residents along the said wagon road under the present postal arrangements experience great inconvenience in regard to the receiving and despatching of mail.

And whereas the establishing of a direct mail service along the wagon road would relieve the said residents and would materially benefit the residents of Lytton and Lillooet and promote and foster the commercial interests of both towns, and be of great service to the mining industry and those engaged in mining at Lytton, Lillooet and points between.

We the undersigned residents of Lytton, Lillooet and along the said wagon road, respectfully ask that arrangements be made at as early a date as possible for the direct mail service along this route.

Clinton Races.

A large and representative meeting of well known turfmen was held at the town hall Clinton, recently for the purpose of forming a racing association and electing officers and committee and deciding on a date on which to hold, what promises to be one of the most successful horse racing meets ever held in the upper country.

Dr. Sahson was elected to the chair and the business of electing officers was rapidly proceeded with.

Hewitt Bostock, M. P., and Mr. F. W. Foster were elected patrons. J. D. Prentice, M. P. P., president; T. J. Derby, vice-president. Directors: Robert Borland, Isaac Ogden, Jos. E. Place, J. S. Bell, Fred H. Nelson, G. M. Mitchell and Fred Foster. Committee: J. E. N. Smith, M. R. Eagleson, W. J. Kelly, H S. Doxat and J. B. Uren. Secretary-treasurer, Geo. Sanson.

Over $200 was subscribed at the meeting and the president has since kindly consented to subscribe at least another century, so the success of the meeting is assured. The committee expect to be able to offer from five to seven hundred dollars in purses and expect a good class of horses to be present. The races will be run under American association rules.

The dates fixed are 5th and 6th of October and a grand ball will be held at the town hall both evenings. The cooperation of residents of Lillooet and Cariboo is cordially requested. Programs will be issued in due time. It is the intention to have a brass band in attendance to enliven the proceedings.

The Lytton Road.

The extra appropriation for the Lillooet-Lytton wagon road will be used up in a couple of weeks time. Although we understand the road will be pushed to completion. The trail across the slide is gradually widening out and permits more men to be at work. Considering the difficulties to be encountered this work is going rapidly ahead and the way things look at present traffic will go over in at least a months time. Through stages will then be run from Lytton to Lillooet three times a week. The distance by the road between the two towns will not be over 42 miles, making Lillooet about 20 miles close to the railroad.

Pavilion.

R. & W. Cumming have added to their flour mill a plant for the manufacture of Graham flour and can now supply that article to customers in ten pound bags. W. Cumming of Lillooet will always have a supply on hand and the Lillooet people who wish to have it will call there.

Prorogation Next Week.

Ottawa July 28.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier announced in the house today that prorogation will take place next week. He said that the senate reform resolutions will be dropped.

Sir Charles said he would do what he could to assist in closing and did not see why prorogation should not take place next week.

At least, Vancouver today must have a population of 35,000, and is by long odds the largest city in British Columbia. This year's assessment will be over $18,000,000, and the rate of taxation is only 16 mills to the dollar.—Town Topics.

Col. Rives is still doing good work on Cayoosh creek preparing the ground for his mill and building roads and trails. It is expected shortly to have a visit from the principals of the syndicate which the colonel represents and then more definite information will be available for publication.

LOCAL NEWS.

Donald Fraser will be down from Cadwallader in a few days.

Frank Riley is back from Tyauchton where he has been for a couple of weeks.

J. Henry came down from Cadwallader Thursday afternoon after an absence of several months.

Hon. C. F. Cornwall, county court judge will probably arrive tomorrow to hold court on Monday.

The campers on Cayoosh creek with fish, berries, mosquitos, ants, etc., seem to be enjoying life immensely.

Quite a number of the boys have come down from Bridge river of late. A few months away from town will make anyones feet itch.

"Joe" Russel arrived in town Thursday evening from the Ben'Or mines where he is employed. He will spend a couple of weeks visiting town.

There is some talk of getting up a dance for this evening to entertain the baseball team from Ashcroft. Probably further arrangements will be made later.

Owing to the Indians who play in the band not being able to get together the baseball boys were unable to have a brass band in attendance at tomorrows match.

Arrangements are still going on at Ashcroft for the annual fall fair to be held there near the end of September. This years exhibition will be run on more up-to-date style than heretofore.

The tickets for the baseball dinner at the Pioneer hotel tomorrow evening can be obtained from the secretary. All those wishing to attend should see about getting their tickets at once as there will be a limited number.

The report on the Brett group of claims is expected in a few days and then it will be known what will be done with the property. Some of the owners were up this week keeping things in shape for starting to work.

The Salvation Army at present stationed at Kamloops will bombard Ashcroft next week with a view of rescuing the sinners of that burg. There is lots of good material to work on and if they succeed in saving any souls they will indeed be grand victories.

A couple of sportsmen were up as far as Roaring creek on Anderson lake this week, and while in that neighborhood discovered a porcupine and both wasted a box of cartridges trying to shoot it. Failing to do any damage with lead they cut the tree down and killed the poor beast with a club. Both ports are crack shots and can tell stories by the dozen of knocking heads off of grouse and other animals at one thousand yards distance. On further investigation and enquiring about the rifle they used it was learned that the gun shot one foot to the left.

Arthur F. Noel expects to leave for the Bend'Or mines next week.

Evening service will be held in the Church of England on Sunday 6th by the Rev. R. Small.

E. O. Delong will leave the first of the week to make further arrangements in putting in the ferry at Sucker Creek. He will be absent about ten days.

A. H. Martley while coming in from Ashcroft with a load of freight the first of the week, got one of the wheels of the wagon in a rut on the road near the 11-mile, damaging the wheel somewhat and delaying him a day and a half coming to town to have the wheel repaired.

The Cariboo road is being flooded with Chinese freighters, seventeen outfits being on the road at present. Considerable kicking is being done as they are gradually spoiling the white men who are in that line of business. Something should be done in the matter as it is working a great hardship on the people along the road. Boycott the devils.

Canada Stands Firm.

No undue national sacrifices, even if the consequence be a resort to the arbitratment of arms, is United Canada's answering endorsement of the official utterances on the Alaskan boundary question delivered in the house of Commons last Saturday.

Premier Laurier's declaration that a settlement can be reached with the United States only by arbitration or war has called attention to the gravity of the situation in a striking manner. Party lines have been obliterated, factional strife has been thrust to one side for the time being, and the united country stands behing the Liberal Government in its expressed determination not to yield an atom of what are deemed just national rights, unless equivalent concession are made by the United States.

The speech delivered by the premier and the promise of support given to the government by Sir Charles Tupper, leader of the Conservative Opposition, were absorbing topics of discussion in politics circles throughout the Dominion. No discordant note is sounded in the chorus of approval that has arisen. The boundry dispute is now accepted as a national question upon which patriots can have only one opinion, and it is upon this line that the issue will be made.

The tender of the Conservative support has been accepted by the Government in the spirit in which it was made. It is tantamount to a declaration for coalition government on all matters pertaining to a rigid maintenance of what Canada deems her inalienable rights of the northwest boundary line. From now on, it is predicted, no step regarding it will be taken by Premier Laurier without consultation with Sir Charles Tupper though this will not be necessary to insure Conservative support.

One point making for peace must not be overlooked though. The very gravity of the situation, as officially proclaimed, is likely to operate toward removing the present tension. The seeming danger has brought clearly before the public the necessity of at once arriving at a settlement of the boundrry dispute.

BASEBALL MATCH.

Between Lillooet and Ashcroft Teams Saturday Afternoon.

The baseball match arranged between the Ashcroft team and Lillooet will be played tomorrow afternoon in Lillooet. Every arrangement has been made for the visitors who will arrive this afternoon by special B. X. stage. The grounds have been put in shape and the Lillooet boys intend to give the Ashcroft team as hard a game as possible.

The following are the Lillooet players and their positions:

O. T. Diamond (captain) pitcher; J. Sanson, catcher; R. J. Atkin, first base; T. Walters, second base; W. H. Miller, third base; A. Phair, left field; W. G. Duguid, center field; T. Spelman, right field; T. A. Brett, short stop; A. A. Brett, spare man.

The umpire will be chosen from the Ashcroft visitors.

In the evening after the match a dinner will be given the visiting team at the Pioneer hotel, which will no doubt be a first class affair with the host, Mr. W. F. Allen in charge.

From reports we learn that quite a number of people from Ashcroft will be in attendance to visit the town and watch the match. Everyone will be made welcome by the Lillooet team and it hoped that the visitors will return to their home well pleased with their outing and their visit to the town of Lillooet.

Dominion Lands.

The Dominion government gives notice that the provision in sections 14 and 15 of the regulations for the disposal of Dominion lands within the railway belt of British Columbia, established by order in council of September 17 1889, for the reservation to the crown of the timber on lands, homestead in said belt, shall be, and is, rescinded, and all persons who have received homestead entry for lands within the railway belt prior to date, are entitled to the timber on their homesteads free of dues. This provision shall not apply to any timber heretofore granted, or in respect of which any license or permit to cut has been issued to any other person or corporation, nor shall it apply to timber for which dues have either been paid or on dues to the crown.

Pasto's Neck Saved.

Felici Pasto at Nelson, B. C. was sentenced to be hanged on August 10th next for the murder of Ryan, who had a number of aliases. His case has been reported upon by the department of justice and the cabinet has decided to commute Pasto's sentence to imprisonment for life in the New Westminster, B. C. Asylum.

Word was brought to town this week that over $1,500 had been taken out in three pans of dirt at the Ward claim in the Horsefly.

John Collum at Sucker creek has now his hotel running and accommodating travelers with eatables and liquids. The ferry at this place will be put in shortly and the inconvenience of fording Bridge river will be at end.

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LILLOOET, B. C. FRIDAY. AUGUST 4, 1899.

A petition was circulated this week which will be forwarded to the postmaster general, asking that a mail service be established from Lytton to Lillooet. The petition was largely signed by residents of both towns and everyone along the route to be traveled. With a mail service established from Lytton, Lillooet should be able to receive mail three or four times a week. It will be a matter of much importance to the people of Lillooet and those living along the road. Heretofore people along the road had to go to Lytton for their mail, lately the stage driver has accommodated them in delivering the mail at their doors. The postmaster general should rearrange the mail service into this section as soon as the road is completed, and also to make satisfactory arrangements to supply the people in the vicinity of Pavilion. The member for this district should be asked to use his influence in the matter.

The government caucus held at Victoria last week resulted in the Hon. Jos. Martin sending in his resignation as attorney general, but still holding his seat in the legislature. Joseph was much disappointed on finding that he had no followers in the government ranks, and he will wreak vengeance on them all. Eighteen members of the government attended the caucus and the whole affair was conducted in a quiet manner. Premier Semlin had the unanimous support of all and when Joseph tumbled to the fact, he handed in his resignation. Several names have been mentioned for the portfolio vacant, but as yet nothing definite has been done in the selection. From the looks of the government at present it is not likely that there will be a general election.

A gentleman who is thoroughly well posted on the situation, in the Slocan, says that there is altogether too much politics mixed up with the mining situation there; that the mine managers to a man supported the late Turner government, and are now doing their utmost to bring about the downfall of the Semlin government. The Turner Government was the mere tool of the Dunsmuirs, and the mine managers in the Slocan want a government that will do their bidding. The Dunsmuirs paid the election expenses of the Davie-Turner crowd for years, and, in return, escaped taxation. The mine managers in the Slocan, being mostly aliens, are willing to do likewise to escape taxation.—Nelson Tribune,

The "Westminister Gazette" divides public opinion on the subject of the Church of England into three parties, viz.: 1. Lord Hugh Cecil and the High Church party: "We will maintain to the end both our free and our established positions." That is the, church shall continue to derive its revenues from the state but shall not be governed by it. 2. Sir William Harcourt: "A church established but disciplined, under the authority of Parliament and the Crown, which in the last resort, is superior to ecclesiastics." 3. The Liberationists, and probably the majority of the Liberals: A "church free, but disestablished with the same liberty in regard to doctrine and practice as the Nonconformist churches."

Speaking at Beaverton, in 1877, Hon. Edward Blake said: "The Senate is worse than useless, for it may, at times be very harmful. It is no good just so long as the machine is under the control, and doing the bidding of, those who have the majority in the popular Chamber; but the moment the people's voice shall reverse the majority, and give a majority with those opinions the majority of the Senate do not sympathize, it is no longer only unless. it may be very dangerous, because it may become a determined obstruction to the exercise of the peoples will."

Chinese Tax Will be Increased.

G, R. Maxwell, the member for Burrard in the house of commons, has returned to Vancouver from Ottawa. He says that the Chinese restriction amendment bill is now in progress, and he felt sure that the tax would be increased to $250, but he could give no encouragement or promise of any Japanese restrictive measures.

A Conundrum.

Cotton.—Why is the British Columbia Legislature like Heaven, Semlin?

Semlin (after reflection).—Really, Cotton, you must excuse me but you know my mental infirmities. I give it up. Why is it?

Cotton,—Oh, its easy! Did you say why? Because it is the happy hunting ground of scalped Ottawa's. See.

Semlin. (pursing his eyebrows and staring fixedly at the photos of Tupper and Martin).—No-o oh! ah! ah! yes! ha! ha! ha!—Town Topics.

The prizes for the district exhibits in the New Westminster Exhibition are to be divided into six prizes this year instead of three as last year. This means that interior towns exhibiting at that fair will be sure to take prizes enough to pay the expense of sending an exhibit. They will be divided as follows; 1st prize, $200; 2nd, $150; 3rd, $100; 4th, $75; 5th, $50; 6th, $25. A special feature of inland town exhibits will be made this year. Prize lists will be sent out in the course of the next two weeks. The exhibition is to be held on October 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th. Special arrangements are being made with the C. P. R. for passenger rates and exhibits.

An Arkansas editor, reading that a young lady kneads bread with her gloves on, says: "We need bread with our boots on; we need bread with our coats on; and if our subscribers in arrears don't pay up soon we shall need bread without anything on."

The Pacific Cable Goes.

In the house of commons last Monday Hon. Mr. Mulock moved the house into committee on the resolution regarding Pacific cable. He said that Canada proposed to pay five-eighteenths, Britain five-eighteenths, and the Australian colonies eight-eighteenths. Canada would have two representatives on the board, Britain three and the Australian colonies three. He spoke of the work being of national interest.

Sir Charles Tupper congratulated Hon Mr. Mulock on the lucid and clear way in which he had put his resolution. He also congratulated the Government for being able to induce Great Britain to aid in the enterprise.

Hewitt Bostock pointed out the great benefit the project would be to British Columbia. That Province was deeply interested in the scheme and he congratulated the Government and Postmaster General for their efforts in connection with the enterprise.

Col. Prior also congratulated the Government.

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The Caucus.

The expected happened at the caucus of the government supporters at Victoria last week and although those in attendance refuse to give out any information it was generally understood that the decision was reached by the members of the party to support Premier Semlin and drop Attorney-General Martin with as little noise as possible. It is not thought that there will be any general rearrangement of the portfolios. A new man will have to be taken in as attorney-general. The caucus lasted till midnight and it did not take an expert mind reader, however, to find tnat as a result of the caucus Premier Semlin is a happier looking man than he has been for weeks.

A Trifle Hot.

New York, July 28.—The Paris correspondent of the Herald says: Paul De Cassagnac, in his rage over the long life of the Republic, tears England and the United States to tatters, this morning. He says these nations, that helped Germany have done their utmost to make the conference at The Hague a failure. Germany, he says, had, at any rate, the courage of her ideas, and was frank in declaring disarmament impossible. Then he goes on: "But the odious role, the infamous role, of the Peace Conference has been played by England and the United States; two people who formerly dared to say their alliance was enforced by important interests of civilization. It is now proved, on the contrary, that they are partners through their gluttonous habits of barbarity and savageness. Thanks to the shameful and ignominious opposition of England and the United States, all are free to invent the most destructive weapons. England and the United States audiciously assumed the responsibility of war, have put themselves beyond the pale of civilization. They are filthy nations, that place advantages, and their selfish interests, before all commandent of civilization and before all duties humanity."

Raised the British Flag.

Stamford, Conn., July 20.—A summer resident named Edward Brown was fined $50 and costs yesterday. He was charged with a breach of the peace, the trouble arising out of a row precipitated by the raising of a British flag on the fourth of July. The niece of Robert Fosdick, a resident of the town, undertook to raise British colors when everybody was celebrating American Independence day. The flag was promptly torn down from the Fosdick dwelling. The young woman unable to buy or borrow unother, made one herself and hoisted it over the house.

Mayor Tupper asked Fosdick to remove it, which he refvsed to do. Later Selectmen Holly and Edward Brown paid a visit to Foskick, meeting him at the gate in front of his house, returning from a drive. Fosdick claims that both men appeared to have been drinking. a any rate, he says they began abusing him for unfurling the British flag on the fourth of July, and hot words ensued. Finally, to frighten them as he claims, Fosdick threatened to horsewhip the two men, whereupon Mr. Brown drew a revolver and Fosdick had him arrested.

British Columbia Bonds.

The prosperity of the province of British Columbia and the wonderful development of its resources quite accounts for the confidence shown in the future of the country by the purchasers of the latest issue of bonds The successful flotation in London of $1,700,000 at an advance of one per cent. over any previous loan may well be made the subject of general congratulations, and is in keeping with the growth of belief in this dominion now observable in the mother-land.—Montreal Chronicle.

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"No," said the assistant editor, "Eve ate one, and Adam ate one, too; that's two."

Then the subeditor passed along a slip of paper on which was written, "Eve 81 and Adam 81, making 162."

But the poet, who is man of imagination, capped this with, "Eve 81 and Adam 812—893."

Then the publisher tried his hand and his contribution was, "Eve 8,142 see how it tasted, and, Adam 812, equals 8,954."

The poet who dislikes being surpassed as much as he hates barbers, came up to the scratch again with "Eve 8,142 see how it tasted and Adam 81,242 keep her company—89,384."

Then the humorist, who had been listening, quietly handed in his contribution, "Eve 8,142 see how it tasted, and Adam 8,124,210-der a husband was he to see her eat alone. This equals 8,132,352."

"But he had another object," said the poet. "Eve 8,142 satisfy her curiosity, and Adam 8,124,240-fy Eve in her position. That makes 8,132,382."—Philadelphia Record.

John D. Rockefeller has incidentally foreclosed a mortgage, in the course of his far western trip, which brings him into ownership of practically the whole town of Everett, Wash. Its 3,000 or more people become his tenants, and yet the sum of the mortgage was only $1,500,000, which does not begin to equal reputed income for a single year.

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LOCAL NEWS.

C. O'Halloran of Pavilion has resigned the appointment of justice of the peace.

Wm. Gamble left Tuesday morning for Bridge river taking the mail with him.

County court will be held on Monday when several cases of local interest will be settled.

T. A. Brett has been up McGillivray creek the past week looking after imineral claims.

Geo. B. Powell representing Montreal tailors was in town for a couple of days this week on business.

Wm. Young and M. Malloy came down from Bridge river arriving in town late Monday evening.

A. McDonald arrived in town Wedday from a tour of the district and left again Thursday on another round.

Dr. Sanson arrived in town last Sunday from Clinton and will remain several days on professional business.

Chas. Burns and other parties left for the Blackwater section this week where they will prospect and restake some copper claims.

Mrs. McKivor, Mrs. Durban, Mrs. Hodge and families returned Tuesday evening from camping out on Cayoosh creek having enjoyed themselves.

Dr. Sanson and D. Fraser went to The Portage by the steamer Minnehaha Tuesday morning on a fishing expedition and secured a big catch from John Bull

Rev R. B. Laidley Methodist minister and family of Ashcroft spent a few days in town last week. Mr. Laidley holding service in the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Fishermen have been very lucky the past week hooking the speckled beauties in Cayoosh creek. From the mouth of the stream as far as fishermen go there is no trouble in getting fish.

Rev. W. W. Hardie Presbyterian minister held service in the Methodist church Sunday morning. The Rev. Hardie has just returned from a trip to the coast where he had been visiting relatives.

The baseball tomorrow will no doubt be interesting. The Lillooet boys have had very little practise, but it is their own fault. A good time it is hoped will be given to the visiting team whether they win or loose.

Rev. J. E. Gardner will return this week from Clinton where he has been visiting his family and preparing to move them to Lillooet. Mrs. Gardner will remain at Pavilion farm for a few days visiting Mrs. Carson.

Lance Knowles the owner of the ranch at Pemberton Portage arrived in town the first of the week having come in to have some machinery fixed in connection with his mowing machine. He will return the first of the week to finish his crops.

Matt Stewart, of Stewart & Crozier, was offered two pair of spectacles to settle a livery bill this week. The Hebrew had no money. "So help me Moses." but he dug up when he had to and had all kinds of money left.—Journal. The Hebrew referred to was in Lillooet last week.

Joe Dickey was in from the Keathley ranch for a couple days this week.

J. R. Williams will leave for Bridge River the first of the week to be absent a few weeks.

A B.X. special stage arrived in town Wednesday afternoon with a commercial traveler.

Quite a crowd will be in town tomorrow to witness the baseball match between Ashcroft and Lillooet.

The weather the past few days has been quite warm and the thermometer averages 90 in the shade.

J. M. Yorston is now at Savonas and is working the ranch near that place owned by Mrs. A. Lachore.

Jos. Letalien drove to Ashcroft this week to get a load of freight for himself expecting to return by Saturday.

In this issue will be found a notice from A. H. J. Martley in reference to parties receiving freight by his teams.

Mr. J. Letalien and family have moved into their house in the west end of town and expect shortly to have it finished.

Geo. Hurley is building an addition to the stable occupied by him preparing for business when the Lillooet-Lytton road is completed.

Miss Minnie Carson who has been visiting friends at Clinton for the past few weeks returned to her home at the Pavilion Farm last week.

Thos. Spillman who has been employed on the Lytton road has been in town the past week and will play on the baseball team tomorrow afternoon.

Several Vancouver magnates are expected in town next week to visit mining properties in which they are interestrd in the Bridge River district.

A number of the men of town turned out the first of the week and cleared the grounds for the baseball team and still the boys would not get in and practice the game.

The roadmen are still at work on Bridge River trail and will do as much as possible to put it in decent shape. They will do repairs from Jack's Landing to Sucker Creek.

If the Lillooet boys can not play baseball they will surely be able to do the right thing with the visitors. As to the capacity of both teams The Prospector has had a little experience.

R. & W. Cumming proprietors of the Pavilion Mills are now selling graham flour in ten pound sacks. They have recently added to their plant the necessary machinery for this work and being a home production should be patronised.

The accident which happened at the Miocene Gravel Co's mine at Horsefly some days ago, and in which J. Hagen lost his life, was the result of a misunderstanding on that gentleman's part. Some huge water suction pipes were being lowered and screwed together and Mr. Hagen while using a pipe wrench gave a pipe a turn the wrong way, causing the pipes to separate and fall some 200 feet, carrying him with them to his death. The men who are injured are getting along nicely.

R. Peele is on a fishing expedition at Kelly's lake and reports are that he is making a record.

The Lorne cleanup was all right. Let owners of other properties get in and develop and they will undoubtedly show their claims up to better advantage.

The Kamloops Sentinel correspondent says: Wm. Elmore, a teamster had a serious runaway about 18 miles out of Ashcroft, while going around a small bluff. The team becamed frightened ran away and the wagons went over the bluff, breaking them badly and doing considerable damage to the load of freight. Some of the horses were hurt. Mr. Elmore escaped with a bad shaking up, but will loose considerable by the result of the accident.

After you get angry and stop your paper, just poke your finger into water, pull it out and look at the hole; then you will know how sadly you are missed. A man who thinks a paper cannot thrive without his support ought to get off and stay a while. When he comes back half his friends will not know that he has gone and half will not care, while the world at large kept no account of his movement. You will find things you cannot endorse in every paper. The Book of Books is often very plain and hits some hard raps; but if you were to get mad and burn your Bible, the hundreds of presses would still go on printing it. So when you stop your paper and call the editoa names, the paper will still be published; and what is more, you will read it on the sly.—Ex.

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