THE PROSPECTOR

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BROKEN HILL MINES.

"Lying on the main contact between the coast granite and the interior sedimentaries, the Broken Hill mining property presents features of unusual interest to the mining expert, and I am of the opinion that the contact lead on which the Broken Hill seems to have the crucial location will, with proper development and management, develop into one of the greatest producers in the province."

Seen at the Connaught hotel Mr. F. J. Crossland, M. E., made the above statement to the Sun, and added that while the property had been looked upon as a copper prospect, it would, in his estimation, develop into a gold mine. He based this assertion on the striking similarity between the Broken Hill ore and that produced by the Nickle Plate mine, the best gold mine in British Columbia at the present time.

The Broken Hill group lies west of Lillooet, and is owned by Mr. J. Hunt. Mr. Crossland's visit to the property was to verify the reports made by three eminent mining engineers, Messrs. Dunn, Thomas and Guernsey. The last examination checked the three others in every particular. Mr. Crossland found the ore body to average over 90 feet in width, and with values in gold, silver and copper, which in comparison with the ore treated at a profit by the Granby and B. C. Copper companies, leave no doubt as to the ultimate successful operation of this property.

BEFORE THE BEAK.

On Saturday Mike Gorman was convicted on the charge of supplying intoxicants to Indians, and was sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

An Indian named Aeneas was fined $5 for being drunk.

Poor old Long Nine admitted she had a drop too much. She paid her $5 line a man.

Major Williams was taxed $10 for having too boisterous a spree.

Susan Thom pleaded guilty to a bad attack of jim-jams, and paid $10 for the affliction.

On Monday it was found that a gentleman with a silvery name had forfeited his bail.

Another white man paid $5 for the privilege of being drunk.

An Indian named Michael was fined $25 for having whisky in his possession.

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LOCAL AFFAIRS

W. J. Abercrombie is on a visit to the coast.

Mrs. (Dr.) Christie and her father have returned to town.

Constable MacLeod made a visit to Kamloops this week with a cargo of undesirables.

Mr. Justice Murphy will be the presiding judge at the coming Clinton assizes.

E. J. Hooper has succeeded F. J. Macdonald as manager of the Fountain ranch, other interests causing Mr. Macdonald to resign.

Dr. Christie started for the North Fork, Wednesday, having mining interests there which he is about to develop.

Capt. Cox, of the passenger boat Britannia, returned home this week after a short business trip to the coast.

The town of Hope is on the eve of a business boom, and already a number of Lytton's residents are there to help it along.

Mr. J. W. Kummer, of the Coronation, passed through Lillooet, Wednesday, on his way to the coast. He was loaded.

Mr. Ferris, of the mountain ranch, is back in town after having spent the summer with the government survey on the islands west of Prince Rupert.

Al Palmer, mixologist at the Victoria Hotel, returned from Seattle this week, where he is said to have been attending services.

The Ashcroft people have collected a substantial sum for their fall races, which will take place on the 20th inst. Some good prizes will be offered.

Considerable freight stealing has been going on at Lytton, and the police of that town have succeeded in capturing some of the culprits.

Preliminary work has been started on the construction of a sawmill at the Long Portage, the product of which will be used by the railroad company.

J. Swanson, of the Anderson lake sawmill, has an extensive contract for cutting cribbing timber for J. B. Wall, along the P. G. E. line of construction.

J. T. Mellott has a contract for supplying the P. G. E. railway with 15000 linear feet of 65 foot piles. They will be used in construction of the Fraser river bridge just below this town.

Mr. J. Keary arrived from Cadwallader Creek a few days ago, where he had been engaged in assessment work on several mineral claims. He reports everything prosperous in that district.

W. H. Burton, of the Fountain ranch, was in town the other day and reports fine crops in his district. Railroad construction being at their doors, farmers have a ready market for their produce.

A. F. Loring, of Lytton, who has had seven horses missing from his ranch since last June, found them in the mountains between the half-way house and the Thompson. They had evidently been driven there, and practically fenced in, as timber had been fallen across the only points of egress.

Now that the evenings are getting chilly, the poolrooms of the town are doing a better business. These resorts are a credit to the little town. They are all well conducted, and a pleasant evening can be spent in any of them.

Dominion officer Daunt was in town Wednesday. Since being appointed to the staff of the Indian Agency Mr. Daunt has made it extremely lively for the gentlemen engaged in supplying liquor to Indians. He is the right man for that job.

Workmen are scarce in Lillooet, so much so that a couple of prisoners have had to be employed to finish a little job in town. This is a good move; it also enables the prisoner to have a dollar or two when his time expires, and not having to be thrust on the public, as is too often the case, without a cent in his jeans.

Some railroad men along the P.G.E. line of construction, some 30 miles this side of Newport, claim to have discovered a second Shushanna. To back up their statements they are exhibiting a small box full of quartz and gold which is said to have been picked up from the spot where they intend to locate for the winter.

Capt. W. M. J. Martin and Lieut. H. P. Pilcher arrived in town Wednesday, on a big game hunting expedition. They are accompanied by Mrs. Pilcher, who has decided to take a hand in the sport. Frank Gott, the old reliable, is in charge of the party, which is a pretty good guarantee of a successful trip. They left for the North Fork of Bridge river yesterday afternoon.

Lillooet's contribution to the Clinton jury system is composed as follows: D. McDonald, grand juror; C. D. Wray, Alex. McLeod, J. G. Y. Burkholder, W. Duguid, J. Dunlop, W. MacIntyre, Moses Foster, V. Keeley, and F. Macdonald, petit jurors. This fall the criminal docket is light, there being but four criminal cases to be tried.

Merton Smith, of Vancouver, returned from the Bridge river country last Tuesday. Usually a man visiting the upper Bridge is supposed to be on mining business. Mr. Smith says that he knows little about rock, but claims to know considerable about agriculture, and states that there is land in the Bridge river valley fully equal to the famous Fraser delta. The whole valley is a silt deposit, is the verdict of Mr. Smith.

The telephone line between this town and Lytton, was completed at 6 o'clock last evening. Some time this morning there will be a 'phone box installed, when we shall, for the first time, hear a voice from Lytton. Mr. S. A. Macfarlane has certainly earned the gratitude of both towns for the prompt manner in which he secured the necessary funds and the energetic system in which he applied them to the work of construction. The line is admitted by all who have seen it, to be a substantial piece of work.

The mining town of Nome, in the Behring Straits, has been almost obliterated by a storm.

Water Notice

For a Licence to Divert and Use Water

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT John McLellan Mackinnon, of 413 Granville street, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to divert and use two cubic feet per second of water from an unnamed creek, a stream flowing in a Westerly direction through District Lot 2969, Group I, Lillooet District. The water will be diverted from the said unnamed creek at a point on the said District Lot near the East boundary thereof. One cubic foot per second of the water will be used for irrigation purposes on District Lot No. 2969, Group I, Lillooet District, and one cubic foot per second will be used for irrigation purposes on District Lot No. 2970, Group I, Lillooet District.

This notice was posted in conspicuous places in the neighborhood of the point of diversion and on the ground on which the water is proposed to be used, on the 7th day of October, 1913.

This application will be filed at the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton, B, C.

JOHN MCLELLAN MACKINNON,
Oct. 10. Applicant.

Water Notice

For a Licence to Divert and Use Water

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT John McLellan Mackinnon, of 413 Granville street, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to divert and use one cubic foot per second of water from an unnamed creek, a stream flowing in a Southerly direction through District Lots 2971 and 2972, Group I, Lillooet District. The water will be diverted from the said unnamed creek at a point in District Lot 2971, where the said creek leaves Fish lake, and carried in ditches and flumes. The water will be used for irrigation purposes on District Lots Nos. 2971 and 2972, Group I, Lillooet District.

This notice was posted in conspicuous places in the neighborhood of the point of diversion, and on the ground on which the water is proposed to be used, on the 8th day of October, 1913.

This application will be filed at the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton, B. C.

JOHN MCLELLAN MACKINNON,
Oct. 10. Applicant.

Water Notice.

For a Licence to Divert and Use Water

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT John McLellan Mackinnon, of 413 Granville street, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to divert and use one cubic foot per second of water from Fountain creek, a stream flowing in a Northwesterly direction and emptying into Fraser river near Lot 1160, Group I, Lillooet District. The water will be diverted from the said Fountain creek at a point about three miles from the Southeast corner of Indian Reserve No. I. The water will be used for irrigation purposes on District Lot 1583, Group I, Lillooet District.

This notice was posted in conspicuous places in the neighborhood of the point of diversion, and on the ground on which the water is proposed to be used, on the 9th day of October, 1913.

This application will be filed at the office of the Water Recorder at Clinton, B. C.

JOHN MCLELLAN MACKINNON,
Oct. 10. Applicant.

Water Notice

FOR A LICENCE TO TAKE AND USE WATER

NOTICE is hereby given that James O'Neill, of Lillooet, farmer, will apply for a licence to take and use one cubic foot of water out of Rusty or Red creek, which flows in a westerly direction through on North line of Indian Reserve No. 4, and empties into Fountain creek near North-west corner of Indian Reserve No. 4. The water will be diverted at about 40 chains East of P. R. 2097, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as Lot 2097.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 23rd day of September, 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.

JAMES O'NEILL,
Sept. 25. Applicant.

THE PROSPECTOR.

Published to promote the Welfare of the Lillooet District.

R. A. HUME, Manager.

ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY.

OCTOBER 10, 1913.

Mr. F. C. Campbell, government agent at Clinton, has been appointed government agent at New Westminster. It sometimes happens that when men leave our little burg for the Royal City, it is for their sins. In Mr. Campbell's case it is a good promotion, and well does he deserve it. Before coming to the Lillooet district he was in the government employ in the Boundary country, acting there as gold commissioner and mining recorder, and left there with the respect of all who knew him. Mr. Campbell's admirable business capacity and urbanity to all who have had the pleasure of doing business with him will always be remembered by the people of Lillooet district. We understand that Mr. Lunn, of the 150-Mile House, has been appointed to act as government agent at Clinton.

The old Cariboo trail in the vicinity of the upper Lillooet lake, once the scene of picturesque activities in the sixties, is to be opened up again. The brush is to be cut out and the bridges rebuilt. A crew has gone to open up the trail all the way from the foot of the lake to the Pacific Great Eastern railway right-of-way. The purpose of again opening up this trail is to assist in the work of fire-fighting in the forests adjacent to the railway right-of-way. It will be made wide enough to permit of the fire-fighters riding on horseback to the danger zone. This precaution is made necessary by the building of the line and the added risk of a forest fire originating in a spark from a locomotive. The trail will be the last work to be commenced by the forest fire protection service this year. The old Cariboo trail fell into disuse when the wagon-road was built through the Yale canyon, and the Indians preferring to navigate the lake in their canoes to using the trail in the timber, it is now covered with a forest growth of almost fifty years.

The policy of making the forest protection service a permanent body, which is being introduced by Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, is one that should receive general approval. One of British Columbia's greatest assets is her forest wealth. It is an asset, however, which carelessness and lack of attention to fire prevention would soon dissipate. That this fact is thoroughly realized by Mr. Ross is shown by his record as minister of lands. During the last few years he has introduced modern methods and ideas into the administration of the province's forest wealth. The chief danger to standing timber is that of fire. In past years British Columbia has lost millions upon millions from forest fires. To the elimination of this waste Mr. Ross has devoted his best energies. He has undertaken the building up of an efficient fire protection service. To make this a success, however, permanency is necessary. To secure this has not been found altogether easy, the difficulty being to find winter employment. Mr. Ross, however, now proposes to get over the difficulty by giving the men engaged in forest protection service in summer a chance to continue their work for the department during the winter in the building of trails and telephone lines for the purpose of increasing the effectiveness of the staff during the season of danger. The idea appears eminently practical. If in this way Mr. Ross is able to give permanence to the forest protection service he will have accomplished something distinctly in the interests of British Columbia.—Ex.

THE MAN WHO LAUGHS.

The man whose ha! ha! reaches from one end of the street to the other may be the same fellow who scolded his wife and spanked the baby before he got his breakfast, but his laughter is only the cradle of thorns under the pot. The man who spends his laughter through his life—before a late breakfast; when he misses the train, when his wife goes visiting and he has to eat a cold supper; the man who can laugh when he finds a button off his shirt, when the furnace goes out at night and the twins come down with the measles at the same time—he's the fellow that is needed. He never tells his neighbor to have faith; somehow he puts faith into him. He delivers no homilies; somehow the sight of his face, the sound of his happy voice and the light of his daily blessed life, carry conviction that words have no power to give. The blues flee before him as the fog before the wind. He comes into his own home like a flood of sunshine over a meadow of blooming buttercups, and his wife and children bloom like June roses. His home is redolent with sympathy and love. The neighborhood is better for his life, and somebody will learn from him that laughter is better than tears. The world needs this man. Why are there so few of them? Can he be evolved? Why is he not in every house, turning rain into sunshine and winter into summer all the year around until life is a perpetual season of joy?—Ledge.

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Water Notice.

FOR A LICENCE TO TAKE AND USE WATER.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Green Owen, of Lillooet, farmer, will apply for a licence to take and use one cubic foot of water out of Fountain Creek, which flows in a Northwesterly direction through Lots 3448 and Indian Reserve No. 1, and empties into Fraser River near Indian Reserve No. 1. The water will be diverted at about 20 chains South of Lot 3450, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as Lot 3450.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 3rd day of Sept., 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.

CHAS. GREEN OWEN,
Applicant.
By SAMUEL GIBBS, Agent.

Sept. 17.

Water Notice

FOR A LICENCE TO TAKE AND USE WATER.

Notice is hereby given that Norman MacIntosh, of Seaton Lake, farmer, will apply for a license to take and use one cubic foot of water out of an unnamed spring, which flows in a northerly direction through P. R. 1993 and sinks into the ground near the northern boundary of P. R. 1993. The water will be diverted at about ten chains above the place of dissapearance and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as P. R. 1993.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 9th day of September, 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.

NORMAN MACINTOSH,
Applicant.
SAMUEL GIBBS, Notary,
Agent.

Date Sept. 12, 1913.

Water Notice.

FOR A LICENCE TO STORE OR PEN BACK WATER.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jonathan Lindsay, of 516 Pender street, west, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to store or pen back 4 cubic feet per second of water from Eldorado creek, a stream flowing in a southwesterly direction and emptying into Gunn creek about five miles from its mouth. The water will be stored in a reservoir of sufficient capacity to change course of creek, built or to be built at Reclaim Mining Lease, and will be used for placer mining purposes, or under a notice of application for a licence to take and use water, posted herewith, on the land described as Faith, Hope, Charity, and Reclaim Mining Leases.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 22nd day of August, 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.

JONATHAN LINDSAY,
Sept. 25 Applicant.

THE CARIBOO MAIL CONTRACT.

The Cariboo mail contract is now in the hands of a newly-formed company called the Imperial Express, the change taking place a few days ago. For a great many years the British Columbia Express Co. have held this contract, and given every satisfaction as far as delivery of mails is concerned; they have the most extensively equipped stage lines in the west, and are said to have over 600 horses on their main and branch lines. Being so well established in the business, it is a surprise to many that they have allowed the mail contract to fall into other hands.

The new company, to be known as the Imperial Express, will have headquarters at Ashcroft. The members of the company are all British Columbians, and are men thoroughly familiar with the nature of the work before them. Their contract will extend over two years. Besides the mail, a general express and passenger business will be inaugurated. Sub-contracts have been let for delivery of mail to Quesnel Forks, Dog Creek, Clinton, Lillooet, and other side lines.

In the meantime the B. C. Express Co. will not be idle. They will continue on in the passenger and express business, and with a corporation like the Imperial Express as competitors, some keen rivalry may be witnessed from now on.

PLATINUM AND ITS USES.

Owing to the very small amount of placer mining done on the creeks flowing into Bridge river, very little platinum is seen here, nowadays, although in the olden times specimens of platinum were frequently brought to Lillooet, taken from the sluice boxes in the course of the cleanup.

Platinum is a soft, white, lustrous metal; the commercial variety is somewhat hardened by containing a small percentage of iridium. It is very heavy, malleable, ductile and tenacious, and only melts at a very high temperature. It is easily welded at a red heat and is particularly valuable in having a co-efficient of expansion approximately equal to that of glass, thus allowing platinum wires to be sealed into glass vessels without the latter cracking on cooling, and thus, though a comparatively inferior conductor of electricity, it permits the manufacture of innumerable pieces of apparatus, including incandescent lamps, in which such a joint is essential. It does not oxidize in air at any temperature. Platinum, particularly when in the spongy form prepared by heating some of its compounds, has a remarkable property in bringing about the union of oxygen and hydrogen; thus, a jet of hydrogen is ignited if a bit of platinum sponge is held in it—a principle made use of in Dobereiner's lamps, and in self-lighting gas burners.

Platinum is found in Russia, also in California and Oregon. About 200 ounces were marketed in 1904 from the gold placer mines of these two States. It is worth about $19 per ounce in crude form.

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A BAD SHAKING UP.

J. M. Walker, of Ohio, who has lately been on some mining business in the vicinity of Alexander creek, had a narrow escape from serious injury last week. Coming down Mission mountain in a light rig driven by an Indian, something went wrong with the harness, causing the horses to bolt. Mr. Indian promptly jumped, leaving Walker in full charge. This he did not like, and seeing no chance of stopping the runaways, concluded to follow the driver's example. In this he was not so successful, as he was thrown against the steep embankment and rebounded back under the wagon, being dragged over a hundred feet, when fortunately the wagon pole struck something, stopping the horses and giving the old gentleman a chance to get clear. He found that a couple of broken ribs, a bruise on his back that looks like a mule kick, and several smaller bumps, was all the damage done to himself. He is somewhat of a philosopher, however, and thinks he is a lucky man to escape so lightly.

As meats increase in price the composition of hash becomes a greater mystery than ever.

Water Notice.

FOR A LICENCE TO TAKE AND USE WATER.

NOTICE is hereby given that The Lillooet Light and Power Company, of Lillooet, will apply for a licence to take and use one cubic foot per second of water out of Cayoosh creek, which flows in an Easterly direction through Lots 1575, 325, 450, and P. R. 1773, 1570, and Indian Reserve Lillooet No. 1, and empties into Fraser River near Cayoosh Indian Reserve No. 1. The water will be diverted at Cayoosh creek falls and will be used for municipal purposes on the land described as the Lillooet Townsite and adjoining subdivisions.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 24th day of September, 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.

THE LILLOOET LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, Ltd.,
Applicant.
By ARTHUR NOEL, Agent.

Water Notice

FOR A LICENCE TO TAKE AND USE WATER.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Manuel Castellain, of Riske creek, Chilcoten, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use one hundred inches of water out of Cargile Spring creek, which flows in an easterly direction through Crown land and empties into Chilcoten river near its junction with the Fraser. The water will be diverted at a point close to head, and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as unsurveyed (pre-emption applied for).

This notice was posted on the ground on the 22nd day of August, 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.

C. M. CASTELLAIN,
Applicant.

James T. Farmer.

CONTRACTOR & BUILDER

LILLOOET, B. C.

Sale of Crown-Granted Mineral Claims for Unpaid and Delinquent Taxes in the Lillooet Assessment and Collecting District, Province of British Columbia.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ON MONDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1913, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Lillooet, I shall offer for sale, by Public Auction, the Mineral Claims in the list hereinafter set out, of the persons in said list hereinafter set out, of which Crown Grants have been issued, for taxes remaining unpaid and delinquent by said persons on the 30th day of June, 1913, and for costs and expenses of said sale, if the total amount due is not sooner paid.

LIST ABOVE MENTIONED:

ASSESSED OWNERS	NAME OF CLAIM	LOT NO.	TAX	COSTS	TOTAL
Excelsior Gold Mining Company, Limited.....	Excelsior.....	387, G.1	$10 50	$2 00	$12 50
Bonanza Gold Mining Company, Limited.....	McB. Smith Location.....	123, "	5 25	2 00	7 25
" "	Hiram Gould Location.....	124, "	5 25	2 00	7 25
" "	Ward Location.....	125, "	5 25	2 00	7 25
" "	Harvey Location.....	126, "	5 25	2 00	7 25
" "	Bell Location.....	127, "	5 25	2 00	7 25
" "	Drake Location.....	128, "	5 25	2 00	7 25
Alfred Poole, J. H. Purdy, Joseph B. Smith....	Rosemont.....	364, "	13 00	2 00	15 00
Alfred Poole, J. H. Purdy, Joseph B. Smith....	White Rose.....	669 A "	8 00	2 00	10 00

Dated at Lillooet, this 7th day of October, 1913.

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