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Sampling Ore.

The average specimen of rock as brought in by the prospector to be assayed, seldom fairly represents the actual value of the ore found. This fools both himself and the prospective purchaser. The main reason for this is that the sample is too small, and even this is often reduced by the assayer not bucking down the whole sample, but quartering it in too large pieces. To get a proper sample the miner should get 50 lbs. or more of ore right across the vein or ledge; break this with a hammer into pieces one inch square on an iron plate, quarter with a shovel, taking two opposite quarters and reduce these with the hammer again to one-half inch, quartering these and taking opposite quarters until he has about 5 lbs. to take to the assayer, who should reduce this to one-quarter in the crusher, quarter and grind on the bucking board to 10 mesh, quarter and reduce to 60 mesh, until one-half is left to sample for the crucible.—Ex.

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PROVINCIAL POLITICS

The recent rapid changes in the Provincial Legislature have led to the long-desired party line position.

The committee chosen from both sides of the House have agreed upon the estimates, as prepared, with some additions, and these were passed by the House last Wednesday, without little discussion.

Mr. McBride expects to announce his Cabinet shortly.

LOCAL NEWS.

Dissolution of the Provincial Parliament is expected today.

Mrs. R.H. Brett, of Bride river is spending a few days in town.

Constable Carter left town today for Kamloops with prisoner Seroy, who will stand his trial for incendiarism and other charges.

The sad news of the accidental drowning of Rev. Mr. Foote, of Kelowna, reached town this week. Mr. Foote was Presbyterian pastor at Clinton until quite recently.

A Wonderful Athlete.

Some time ago we expressed astonishment at the performance of Prebendary Webb-Peploe, who in this month's Quiver, is said to have jumped from a sick-bed, won his event in the university sports, and then returned to bed, and "remained on his back for the next twelve months," A letter from Mr. Webb-Peploe assures us that this is in the main accurate, but an under-statement. He did it twice, and won the high jump and diving and swimming in the intervals of a three years' reclining—not exactly in bed, but on a sofa. "Where I went the spinal couch went," writes Mr. Webb-Peploe. And to the spinal couch came even the Cambridge examiners to pass him through his examinations to his degree. It was a notable triumph of mind over matter, and we are glad to get confirmation of these extraordinary exploits from their doer.—London Chronicle.

Kipling's Fond of Pie.

Rudyard Kipling, it appears, is fond of apple pie baked on the American system. To gratify his taste a glass rolling pin specially used in the manufacture of these pies has just been forwarded to the novelist from Wanamaker's. The glass rolling pin has among other advantages the merit of always being sweet and clean, and of being hollow so that it can be filled with ice to cool the pie crust. When Mrs. Kipling, who is an American, was in that country last summer, she greatly admired this contrivance, and knowing that her husband and children were fond of American pies, decided to get them the next best thing by having her pies made with an American rolling pin.

INDIVIDUALITY.

Making of Handmade Goods Will Cultivate It in Canadians.

In Canada, above all other countries, we have great need to encourage individuality, for our system of public education, however excellent, takes but little count of the individual, and from a certain standpoint we are educating on a system which tends to destroy anything like strong individuality. In fact, if you take the spirit which prevails in our smaller towns and villages you will find a positive resentment against the man or woman who dares to strike out in any line of his own. Go into our large stores and you will find one huge table covered with the same form of hat, reproduced a thousand times. Pass into the mantle department, and on great trees hang coats and jackets of the exact cut and make and color; and all this is influencing our people and their view of individuality and its right to assert itself in any line in life. With all our boasted freedom, as compared to the past, we fall into line like mild-eyed sheep and follow the mass. In the old days we might have been led by individuals; to-day it is the unthinking crowd that takes the lead. How many people think or care what has been the origin or inspiration of any fashion we follow so blindly? Surely there is nothing so deadening, so calculated to still the best that is in the human soul, as indifference. Can the Society for Arts and Crafts stir up the public to take an intelligent interest in the thought and virtue which are expressed in the handmade article, they will bring closer to the mass of purchasers in the Dominion the problems which face the men and women who design and execute the work they propose to encourage. Those great factories hide so much from us that is beautiful and worthy in human lives and the struggles of the workers to beautify their own lives by contact with beautiful things. Can we but encourage work which will not separate men and women from their homes and their children, can we but raise the taste of the richer classes in the Dominion so that they will take into consideration all that a good handmade article represents and be willing to pay for that ideal quality of human individuality, as well as for the time and labor expended on its construction, we shall have much to thank the Society of Arts and Crafts in Canada for. — Lally Bernard, in The Globe.

British Wine Drinking.

The consumption of claret in Great Britain, which grew pretty steadily after the French commercial treaty negotiated by Mr. Cobden in 1861, would seem to have received a check. The importation of still wines from France has fallen off by 307,000 gallons. The sales of Burgundy, Sauterne and Chablis have not materially varied, and the deficit is entirely attributable to the comparative neglect of claret. In spite of war in the first five months of 1902 and high taxation, there was an increase in the consumption of champagne of nearly 20,000 gallons. The decline of claret has naturally been followed by an increase in the drinking of port. The importation of this wine has increased by 33,000 gallons, and if Dr. Johnson's dictum be true that claret is the drink for boys and port wine for men, we ought, I suppose, says a London correspondent, to rejoice at the change. All good patriots will be glad to learn that the importation of German wines has fallen off, and they will be equally delighted to hear that there has been a growth in the consumption of Australian wines of over 256,000 gallons.

SELECTED NEWS.

Domestic and Foreign.

Hon. Mr. Stratton is to resign his portfolio.

Bush and forest fires surround Montreal.

Germany will not extend her tariff campaign beyond Canada.

The rapidly-rising Fraser is being closely watched in the lower country.

Mr. Cornelius Booth, the well-known British Columbian, is dead.

Mr. Jos. Martin has resigned the leadership of the Provincial Liberal Party.

Colonial Secretary Chamberlain is supported by Premier Balfour in his preferential trade policy.

Several Canadians have been honored with the Imperial Service Order. Among them is Col. Wolfenden, of Victoria.

Later news concerning the Ames failure in Toronto is more reassuring. Senator Cox gives hopeful report.

President Roosevelt has invited the English parliamentarians who will visit Canada shortly, to extend their visit to the United States.

Captain Sir Henry Hulse, who was press censor during the late South African war, has been shot in his house at Johannesburg.

R. L. Borden, the opposition leader, has moved a resolution in the Ottawa House in favor of effective protection to the iron and steel industries in Canada.

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Lillooet to the Front

Lillooet is proving itself worthy of the confidence of its friends. There have always been a number of persons whose faith in the resources of this district has been unshaken by temporary set-backs and recent developments tend to increase the number of the faithful.

Lillooet is undoubtedly one of the most attractive points on the golden Fraser for parties interested in placer mining. The extremely low water this Spring enabled pessimists to test the Fraser gravels and the results of rocker operations substantiated the repeated claims that fortunes lie untouched 'neath the Fraser's low-water mark. It is not in accord with the spirit of the Anglo-Saxon to allow such wealth to lie untouched. Despite obstacles, a day will come when some plan to win the wealth hidden in the river will prove successful. Fortune will then favor the brave.

In conversation with Mr. Hamilton, whose firm are now building a dredge for the Iowa-Lillooet Gold Company's property at Lillooet, we learn that the plant will be ready for work by October 15 and will be the most up-to-date dredge in the Province. Mr. Hamilton will remain in Lillooet this summer and personally superintend the construction of the dredge.

And the outlook for the Anderson Lake properties was never more encouraging than at present. The Boston syndicate made a further payment on this property last Monday and arranged for immediate operations at the mines. We are pleased to hear that the Brett Bros. who were the original owners of the property, have been appointed to superintend the work this summer. We believe that under their management results will be satisfactory to all concerned.

The work at the salmon hatchery is progressing. There are 15 men employed at this new industry and as the season advances more workers will be needed.

Such evidences of renewed activity in business in this section cannot be ignored. Lillooet is destined to win a first place for business and pleasure among the towns in this Upper Country.

The Labor Market

The call for suitable men to carry on Canadian industries is loud and long. Three months ago a Provincial Premier was waited upon by a representative delegation of farmers who said that, at least 3000 men were needed to help them with their crops. The directors of Iron industries in the same province are asking for 5000 suitable men. It seems that men are not so scarce as are workers.

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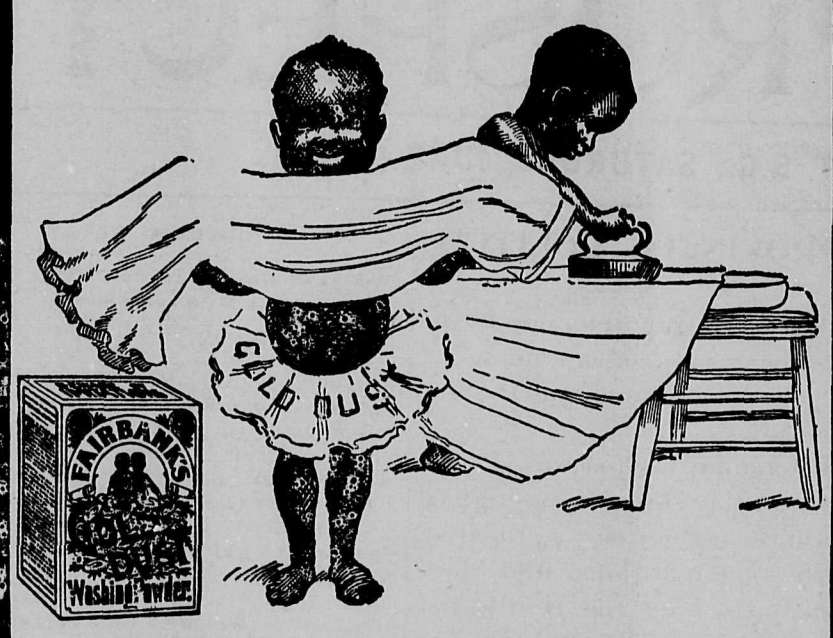

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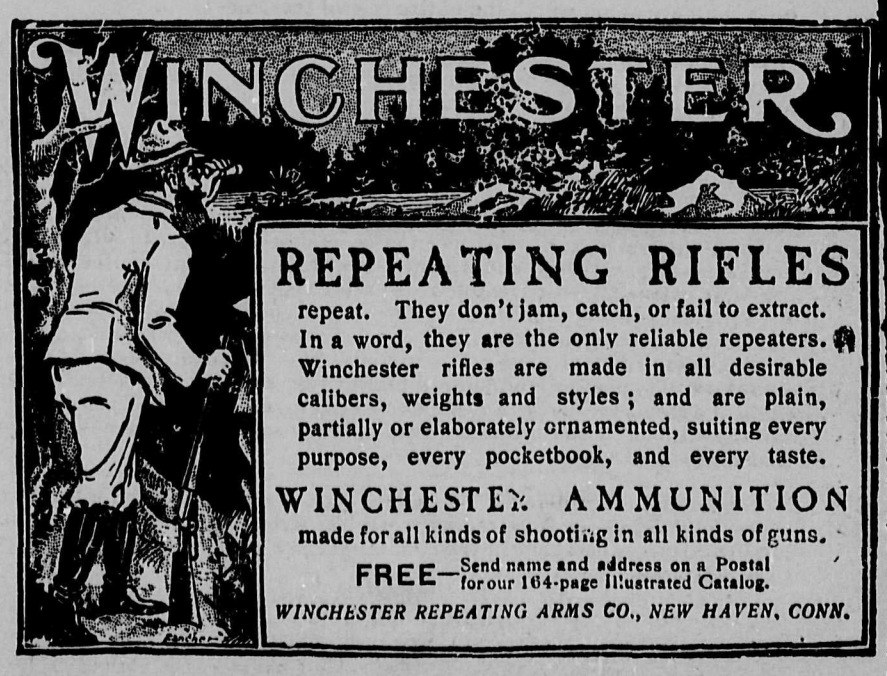

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RIDE OF THE VILLAGE.

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Irs. Silvester Dean Leveen was polish- her brass knocker. Her long, thin ds rubbed and rubbed till the little ite curls on her forehead danced like et children. Yet the labor had no per- tible effect. The metal shone like ht, but so it did when she began to an it. It had shone like that yesterday d the day before, and, indeed, every for 60 years. There was a smooth le all around the knocker where her icate hands had worn into the hard, ck wood of the door. Nevertheless the d lady rubbed away just as she had ne every morning since the spring of 33, when she was brought, a bride, to the house. She was the pride of eenwich village then, and she meant be still.

On this particular frosty morning Mrs. veen tarried longer than usual at her sk. After the lion's head was satisfac rly even to her sharp eyes, she worked n. But it was evident in the glances e shot across Bank street that her at- ention was not given wholly to the work f her hands. Neither was it diverted to er customary inspection of the neigh- or's knockers. Theirs glistened like hers, nd, besides, every time she looked up er eyes turned to but one door, that of he house in front of which stood two turdy horses and a truck.

Pretty soon the door opened and a oung man in a carter's blouse came out. e saw the old lady across the street, hough he pretended not to. He busied himself ostentatiously about the horses' eads for a moment and then turned ack to the truck. Mrs. Leveen had seen im. She bent herself earnestly to the nocker and in a few strokes finished it ff. Then she faced towards the street nd fixed the truckman with her eyes till e had to look up

"Good morning, Aunt Martha," he aid, as he doffed his cap.

"Good morning, Percy," she answered leasantly, as he approached her, cap in and. "Come in a moment. I wish to peak with you."

The interview he had dreaded for veeks was upon him now. He knew from he first it was inevitable, but day after lay he had put it off, omitting his usual alls on his aunt, and avoiding her sight nd summons. Now that she had caught him he was glad. As he followed the old lady into her prim, comfortable sitting- room he made a pitiful figure of humil- ity, but in the meekness of his soul there was the cheerfulness of finality.

"Sit down, Percy," she said, in the sweet-toned voice he loved.

He took the chair she indicated, and she seated herself in her old rocker.

"Percy, dear," she began, "is this true that I hear; you mean to marry this girl?"

"Yes, Aunt Martha. I was going to tell you, but knowing as you were agin it—knowing that you would not like to have me do so—I was afraid to come to you about it."

He stuck his cap between his knees.

"I am sorry, Percy, you felt that way. It is my intention always to be kind and sympathetic. You should have been quite sure I would have heard your story through with understanding. Now, tell me everything. She is the daughter, I am told, of a German in Hudson street."

"That's right, aunt. Her father has the biggest corner grocery over there, and he has made his pile—I mean has made money since he's been there."

"How long has he been here?"

"Going on 25 years. He's almost an old Ninth-warder now. He's some in politics, and his family is right in it."

"Percy! I never knew them."

"I know, but you wouldn't. It ain't my fault. I wanted to have them all over to mother's so as you could be introduced to them."

The old lady looked as though she would answer this, but she did not. She was silent for a moment before she proceeded.

"So her father is a grocer?"

"Yes; like Mr. Jamison, who you like well enough."

"Mr. Jamison is a gentleman, my dear. The misfortunes of his family can never alter that. The Jamisons are of the oldest Greenwich families on both sides. He is a grocer by necessity. This person of whom we are speaking is one by choice."

"Well, Aunt Martha, it's as good as being a truckman, and better."

Mrs. Leveen winced.

"You might have been a judge, like your father, or a senator, like your grandfather. I wanted you to enter political life."

"Politics is pretty low down these days," Percy remarked. "It ain't what it was. Besides, I tried to get an office from Mike McNamara, but he said I wouldn't do in any where the pay was as much as the trucking pays. And I guess that's about so."

The last sentence was cheerfully spoken. Mrs. Leveen looked at her nephew's rudy cheeks and sighed.

"I do wish, Percy," she said, gently, "that you could have found some one in Greenwich. That part of Hudson street where these people live is way beyond the outskirts of the old village, out where the hog fields were till the immigrants began to settle around us."

"But what's the difference, Aunt Martha? It's all one now. There ain't no Greenwich any more. It's all just New York city, so what's the use of pretending?"

The impatience in the young man's tone amazed this aunt almost as much as the sentiment he uttered. Never before had he failed to show her respect. On the contrary, the humbleness of his demeanor had been a grievance to her; it did not become one of her blood to manifest the same awe before her that an ordinary Ninth-warder did.

The old lady straightened in her chair, the lines about her mouth stiffened and her eyes glistened like her knocker as she answered:—

"Percy Dean! You forget to whom you are speaking. You forget yourself, sir, and your good breeding is evidently suffering from the associations you permit yourself."

Percy was frightened. The last time he had been rebuked in this temper by his aunt was when he was a boy. He meant no offense.

"I beg your pardon, Aunt Martha," he murmured.

Mrs. Leveen took her knitting from the table and worked busily at it till she was quite calm. She looked up after every few thrusts of her needle, indignantly at first, then coldly, and finally the habitual expression of kindness returned to her face.

"I dare say you are in a hurry to go to town, Percy, and I shall not detain you much longer. You may tell me something about this young—this girl. How old is she?"

"She is going on 19, Aunt Martha."

"Is she cultivated, educated? Come, Percy, tell me all about her."

"She went through the grammar school, I think, but she had to work after that? So she can't play the piano or sing, but she is a nice girl and can tend the house and cook, now that her mother is dead."

"That's right; she ought to be able to manage her husband's household. But tell me more about her. Is her voice soft, are her manners gentle, is she modest? Describe her to me, my dear. Is she pretty?"

Percy was encouraged by the few words of approval he had won.

"Aunt, she's a beau', that's—"

"What do you say, a wha?'

"I mean she's a beauty. She's got blue eyes and blond hair and the nicest, biggest, reddest cheeks. She ain't what you would call quiet; she's more lively-like. You ought to hear her laugh when we're down on the docks nights with the rest of the crowd. I'll bet you could hear her across the river in Hoboken. And jolly? If she gets a mug as is too fresh she can jolly him along to beat the band. But she's on the level, too. She does the square thing by her old man every clip. The housework has to be done before she's in for the game. And she slaves for her little sisters and brothers—just slaves for them, and yet she does it as willing. But then she's good to everybody; always ready to help out with work when neighbors are behind or sick or have company, and she sticks up for horses and cats and all like that. You wouldn't believe she was that way, though, to see her at a ball or dancing on excursion boats up the river. She's a good looker and a good dresser, and when she's out in full rig—well, say, she's a sight. The other fellows don't do nothing when we're out—"

Percy stopped short. Mrs. Leveen had risen suddenly, and she stood erect before him, tall and white and proud.

"Why, Aunt Martha!" he exclaimed.

"That's enough, Percy. Thank you. I see I have been wrong, all wrong, in this matter from the first. You shall have your own way, for it is right. I consent."

"Oh, Aunt Martha!" he cried, springing up and seizing her hand to kiss. "I am so glad. But I knew you would after hearing about her. And say, aunt, you ought to see her once. You couldn't help but like her and admire her. Everybody in the ward does. Why, do you know what they call her the men down at the Grapevine? The way you looked then made me think of it. They call her the Pride of Greenwich Village."—N. Y. Post.

Talking About Canada.

"When I first came to the Senate," said Senator Cullom to those lunching at the same table in the Senate restaurant the other day, "I had great ideas about a greater United States. My eyes were not turned southward, where everybody seems to be looking nowadays, but northward; I was just as sure as sure that before this time we should have gobbled up Canada. I did not think that we were going up there, and make a conquest of the country, but I could not see any chance of its getting away from us. Why, when I was elected the second time, and went out to Illinois to make my bow to the Legislature, my little speech was filled with the annexation of Canada. Since that time, I have watched Canada slipping farther and farther away from us, until now it takes a brave man even to suggest that some day the Stars and Stripes may float beyond our northern boundary. I have often wondered if any of the members of that Legislature remember my speech. If they do, they must think that I am a mighty bad prophet."

"Yes," said Senator Burrows, who had listened as befitted a man so much Mr. Cullom's junior, "you could not pry Canada away from Great Britain now with a jimmy."—Chicago News.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Harry Brett was down from Bridge River this week.

T. Cole, Pavilion, spent a few days in town this week.

Moses Foster, of the 15-Mile House was in town last Wednesday.

C. Shepherd was down from the North Fork placers this week.

Mrs. Curry and granddaughter from Vancouver are visitors of Mr. Bryson at The Grange.

Dr. Reynolds, of the Vancouver Ledger, was in town last Monday.

F. Richardson, representing the Ames Holden Shoe Company, was in town last Monday.

Mrs. Harthorne and her brother left town last Wednesday to join Mr. Harthorne at the Coast.

O. Abercrombie, who has been spending the winter at outside points, returned to Lillooet last Monday for a brief visit.

T. and A. Brett arrived from the Coast last Monday and left town on Wednesday for the Anderson Lake mines.

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Messrs Langworthy and Bickford, of Victoria, left town for an extended hunting trip up in the headwaters of the Cayoosh Creek. Frank Gott is acting as guide.

The representative of the Hamilton Manufacturing Company is in town and the road leading to the proposed dredge site is being laid out.

Mrs. Cumming Senr. left on the B.X. stage last Tuesday for Pavilion Mills, where she will join Mrs. Robt. Cumming in a visit to the Coast.

Mr. W.W. Brown had the misfortune, last Monday, of being injured by his horse, which stumbled and rolled over him, while on the North Fork trail. Mr. Brown, fortunately, is not injured seriously.

The authorities have commenced a much needed street cleaning on the side street between the Telegraph office and the Methodist Church.

Inspector Gordon is expected at Pavilion Mountain school today and will conduct examinations for those pupils who are seeking entrance into the High School. Mr. Gordon will be in Lillooet next Thursday.

The edition of 3,500 of Bulletin No. 7. on the Mining Resources of British Columbia, issued by the Provincial Bureau of Information about six weeks ago, is exhausted, and the demand for copies is so great that the government has decided to print a second edition of 5,000

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NOTICE is hereby given that at the next Licensing Court holden at Lillooet, B.C. I intend to apply in my name for a transfer of the License of the Pioneer Hotel.

Thomas Pearson Reed.

Lillooet, May 27. 1903.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have applied to the Board of License Commissioners for the West Lillooet District for renewal of their hotel licenses, under the provisions of the "Liquor License Act, 1900" and that the said applications will be considered by the Board at the Court House, Lillooet, B.C., at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the 15th day of June, 1903.

Mark R. Eagleson, of the Victoria Hotel, Lillooet, B.C., for the renewal of his hotel liquor license.

Duncan Fraser and John Miller, of the Excelsior Hotel, Lillooet, for the renewal of their hotel liquor license.

Thomas P. Reed, of the Pioneer Hotel, Lillooet, B.C., for the transfer of the hotel liquor license now standing in the name of William F. Allen, deceased.

Arthur S. Carter,
Chief License Inspector,
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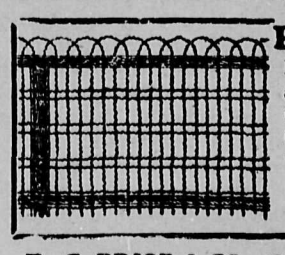

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