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SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Against Fairview Corporation Brought by John Love.

An action growing out of the big fire at Fairview last October was tried before the Supreme Court on March 2nd, according to late Coast papers.

The plaintiff in the case was Mr. John Love, a merchant in the town of Fairview, who was injured in the fire. The defendants were the New Fairview Corporation, Limited, owners of the hotel and townsite of Fairview.

The plaintiff claimed $5000 damages on the ground that the hotel, which was owned by the defendants, had not the fire escapes and appurtenances required by the act governing such buildings, nor, he alleges, were fire escapes in the different rooms, nor notices posted therein, giving instructions to the inmates where the outside fire escapes were located, or how to use the ones that should have been kept in the rooms. Under the provincial act governing such cases all buildings of more than two stories are required to have iron stairways on the outside of the buildings, made with railings and with a platform at each landing capable of holding seven persons at one time. These requirements were not, according to the plaintiff, complied with in the Fairview Hotel.

The defendants on the other hand denied that there were no fire escapes. They said that the hotel building was properly built, and that there were fire escapes properly located. They also said that plaintiff had been a resident of the hotel for a long period, and was thoroughly conversant with the situation of the escape. He went down a corridor on the morning of the fire and was out of danger. He afterwards went back to his room to recover certain private effects. He incurred this danger voluntarily. After going to his room he again waited to help a young woman out of the building, and by this time the flames had so spread that his escape down stairs was cut off. He then jumped to the ground and was hurt.

WEATHER REPORT.

Princeton meteorological readings for week ending Mar 11, 1903:

		Maximum Thermometer	Minimum Thermometer
Thursday,	Mar.	5— 33	-9
Friday,	"	6— 43	13
Saturday,	"	7— 40	17
Sunday,	"	8— 38	16
Monday,	"	9— 34	13
Tuesday,	"	10— 38	27
Wednesday,	"	11— 19	8
		Mean 35	12.14

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Brief News Notes of Princeton and Vicinity.

Angus Stewart returned from Nicola Lake on Saturday's stage, and left Tuesday for Fairview.

J. E. Bate, manager of the Portland mine in Aspen Grove camp, returned last week from attending the mining convention at Victoria. He brought three miners with him from the Coast to work in the Portland.

The snow is said to be over four feet deep on top of Copper Mountain.

E. F. Voigt is on the sick list, the prevailing cold having confined him to the house. On account of the great depth of snow, work has been compelled to stop in Voigt Camp for a short time.

E. J. Dunsmoor left Tuesday for a short stay in Hedley City.

H. W. Hardy and M. Foy have been working for some time on the Alice claim on Copper Mountain, and report striking some good ore.

GRANBY SMELTER ERECTING LARGEST AIR-PLANT IN CANADA.

Last week Chas. S. Sangster, mechanical expert for the Canadian Rand Drill Company of Sherbrooke, Que., completed the task of assembling the parts of the largest air compressor in the Dominion of Canada, which will be placed in use at the Granby mines in a short time. The compressor will be driven by electricity in two parts, with two motors, each of 700 horsepower capacity. These motors, which have been ordered for many months, were shipped from the makers, the Westinghouse Electrical Company of Pittsburg, Pa., this week, and in another month should arrive and be placed in position.

For some time past the drill capacity of the Granby mines has been quite hard pressed, especially since the average day's shipments of ore have been 1500 tons, and the putting into use of the new compressor will be of material assistance in getting out the requisite amount of ore, as well as providing the needed power for development—something that Superintendent Williams never loses sight of.

As is well known, the new compressor plant will have a capacity that will allow of the mines here shipping ore at the rate of 5000 tons every twenty-four hours, and it is the intention to increase the smelter capacity till it reaches this figure.—Phoenix Pioneer.

MINING ACCIDENT.

Larsen and Jones Injured at Nickel Plate.

G. G. Powell, an employee of the Nickel Plate mining company at Hedley, made a quick trip to Princeton on Tuesday last for Dr. Whillans, to attend two miners named Larsen and Jones, who had been injured in a powder explosion at the mine.

It appears that owing to the road between Penticton and the Nickel Plate being blocked with snow, the company ran short of powder, and the men attempted to use an old explosive compound containing a very high percentage of glycerine, which had been condemned some time before.

While tamping some of this in a crevice the accident occurred. Luckily the ground was soft, or the consequences might have been more serious. As it was Larsen escaped with a few cuts and bruises, while Jones had one eye injured and received some bad cuts on the face. One arm was also cut badly, but no bones broken. Unless inflammation sets in it is not expected that Jones will lose the use of the injured eye.

WANT GOVERNMENT TO BUILD WESTWARD.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—A large deputation of single-taxers and laborers waited up on the Toronto members of the Dominion Parliament yesterday afternoon in the office of Mr. E. B. Osler, M. P., to get their opinion regarding the building of the transcontinental railway. The deputation strongly opposed the building of the road by the Grand Trunk or any other company or private capitalist, but recommended strongly that the government undertake the task of building the line by issuing bonds for the required money, and that a strip of land, 12 or 15 miles wide, at both sides of the road, be reserved for farm lands, to be sold to settlers, the increased value of such land contributing towards the payment of interest upon the bonds.

Mr. Brock, M. P., in reply to the deputation said that he was strongly opposed to the policy of bonusing railways at this stage of Canada's development, and that it would not be a just principle to subsidize the new line as the C. P. R. had been subsidized.

The members promised to give the suggestions of the deputation their careful consideration.

Paul McAlpin left on Sunday last for his home in Minnesota, going out via Penticton. T. J. McAlpin accompanied him as far as Hedley.

MINING CONVENTION

Held in Victoria Was Largely Attended.

The convention of the Provincial Mining Association called for Feb. 25th, at Victoria, passed off very successfully according to reports received, the attendance being large and very representative of all the interests concerned.

Two of the most important resolutions passed were in favor of crown granting placer claims, and abolishing the two per cent. tax.

A concilation committee was appointed to try and effect a settlement of the Fernie strike, and the government through Premier Prior, voluntarily offered to pay the expenses of a delegation to Fernie, in order that the conditions there might be fully investigated, and an amicable solution of the difficulty arranged between the miners and the coal company.

Resolutions were also passed asking the government to throw Indian reserves open to prospectors, and urging it to resist the claims of the C. P. R. to valuable coal and petroleum lands in East Kootenay, and of other companies to those of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Considerable opposition to crown granting of placer claims came from Cariboo miners, and Jos. Hunter, M. P. P., who was a delegate from that section, announced that he would strongly oppose the passage of such legislation in the house.

John Keen of Kaslo, was elected president for the forthcoming year, J. B. Hobson vice-president, Hon. D. W. Higgins second vice-president, and A. L. Belyea, K. C., secretary,

The executive was made up of representative men from the different classes in attendance, Nicola Lake being honored by the selection of one of its delegates, Mr. A. E. Howse.

A CONVENIENCE.

A checking account with a bank is a great convenience, not only to business men, but to others as well. More people would keep such accounts if they knew just how to go about it. We gladly assist those who need help in getting started. Deposits received by mail.—Bank of Hamilton, Kamloops.

Chas. Burch and family returned Monday from the Nickel Plate mine.

Quite a number of Princetonians have been suffering from severe attacks of la grippe during the past week. Among the number were Geo. Aldous, P. Johnson, Ben Baker, Vic. Ryder and Angus McLeod.

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CROW'S NEST STRIKE.

The Boundary papers are still greatly agitated over the coal miners' strike at the mines of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. in East Kootenay, and seem almost unanimous in placing the blame for the trouble on the shoulders of the company's manager, J. H. Tonkin, a Pennsylvania man, who is said to be the choice of Jas. J. Hill for the position he occupies.

As the strike threatens to tie up all the Boundary smelters and mines, it is only natural the people of that district should be greatly interested in the settlement of the dispute, so that the production of coal may be resumed, and as a preliminary to an adjustment, it is necessary that the public should decide whether the company or its men is in the right. When the force of public opinion is properly and strongly directed in a particular direction, neither unions or coal companies can withstand it for any considerable length of time. The public is the great arbiter of industrial disputes at present, though a slow one on account of the time it takes to properly digest and decide on the points at issue.

Manager Tonkin appears to have acted in a very autocratic manner in refusing to confer with his men regarding their grievances, and his actions throughout have not been in the interests of harmony. One of his first acts was to lengthen the hours under ground, a change which he was only successful in inaugurating, by promising a return to the old system if the new one proved unsatisfactory after a few months' trial.

At the expiration of the time decided on, a vote of the miners was taken to see whether the new system should remain in force or a return be made to the old one.

Two ballot boxes were placed in the polling booth with an official of the company present, and the men in favor of the old system required to place their ballots in a certain box, while those in favor of the new system placed theirs in the other one.

Naturally a great many of the men refused to vote, and the non-voters were claimed by Manager Tonkin as favorable to the new system.

The refusal of the company to allow the union a lot on which to erect a hall is also severely criticised, as also is its attempt to reduce wages by lowering the rate at Morrisey to 40 cents a ton, while the men at Michel and Fernie were receiving 50 and 55 cents per ton.

If the Crow's Nest Coal Co. was a poor struggling concern whose dividends were a doubtful quantity, some excuse might be offered for it; but when the manner in which its valuable assets were acquired at the people's expense is considered, and the certain nature of its profits, it is little wonder that its continued quarreling with its employees should make the Province of British Columbia regret its action in parting with the Crow's Nest Pass coal fields.

A continuation of such industrial wars in the future will almost certainly lead to the devising of means whereby the province can recover what it should never have parted with, thus putting an end to strife of this kind for all time.

CORRUPTION CHARGED.

The following item from the Vancouver Province of Feb. 28th, seems rather amusing, after the way the government forces conducted the late campaign in this riding:

"The government people declare that impersonation and other offences, such as are alleged took place in North Victoria, were duplicated in West Yale."

We cannot of course speak for the opposition workers in other parts of the riding, but one thing is certain, there were no surplus funds in the hands of opposition workers at this end of the riding for any such purpose, nor do we believe in any other part of the constituency.

On the contrary the government followers spent money lavishly wherever they thought a vote could be influenced, though with little effect, to the credit of the Similkameen electors be it said.

SPRING.

The spring poet is abroad in the land
and sends the STAR the following execrable verses for publication. We couldn't think what we had done to deserve this and meditated some deep schemes for revenge, but finally decided to forgive this time, providing the offense was never repeated.

The leaves refuse to bud upon the trees
While Winter's chilly breath is in the air:
O hurry Spring and break his heavy bonds,
And drive him northward to his icy lair.
With smiling face chase Winter's storms away,
And let the rivers all run glad and free,
Bring from the south our friends the happy birds
And bid them call from every shrub and tree.
Too long the dreary snow has covered o'er
Your pleasant handiwork of former times,
So hasten Spring and quickly raise the siege
For I am running awful short of rhymes. —ZIT.

CHURCH NOTICE.

Mar. 1. Princeton—Service 11 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.
" Granite Creek—Service 7:30 p.m.
Mar. 8. Nickel Plate mine—Service 2:30 p. m.; Healey City 7 p. m.
" 15. Princeton—Service 11 a. m. S. 10 a. m.
" Granite Creek—Service 7:30 p.m.
" 22. Princeton—Service 7:30 p. m.; S. School 3:30 p.m.
" 29. Princeton—Service 11 a. m. S. School 10 a. m.; Granite Creek 3:30 p.m.

NOTICE.

A sitting of the County Court will be held at Princeton on Thursday, April 23, 1903.

By Order,
HUGH HUNTER,
Registrar County Court.

Princeton, Feb. 28th, 1903.

NOTICE.

THIRTY days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal on the following described lands:—

Situate in the Yale District, in the Province of British Columbia, about four miles southeast of Princeton, on the east bank of the Similkameen River, commencing at initial post,

And running 80 chains east, along the south side of C. O. French's claim, 80 chains south, 80 chains west, 80 chains north, to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

C. B. MURRAY.
M. K. FRENCH, Agent

Located this 5th day of March, 1903. m-28

Notice of Forfeiture.

To John Lamont and James Jacobs, or to whomsoever they may have transferred their interests in the "Alice" mineral claim, situate on Wolf Creek, adjoining the "Copper King" mineral claim on the east side, District of Similkameen.

You and each of you are hereby notified that we have expended $102.50 in labour and improvements upon the above mentioned mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within ninety days from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your por proportions of the above mentioned sum, which is now due, together with all costs of advertising, your interests in said claim will become the property of the undersigned, under Section 4 of an Act entitled "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act, 1900."

Dated at Princeton, B. C, this 24th day of Jan. 1903.

MICHAEL FOY.
JNO. PATTERSON.
VICTOR RYDER.

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NOTICE.

Covington, Portland, Vicksburg and Quebec Mineral Claims, situate in the Similkameen Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—Aspen Grove.

Take notice that I, J. E. Bate, Free Miner's Certificate No. B46851, agent for The Portland Mining Company, Free Miner's Certificate No. B63355, 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 claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1903.

a-25 J. E. BATE, Agent.

Notice of Forfeiture.

To James Matthews, or to whomsoever he may have transferred his interst in the "Wet Day" mineral claim, situate on One Mile Creek, one mile from Burn's ranch, Similkameen District.

You are hereby notified that we have expended $100.50 in labour and improvements upon the above mentioned mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within ninety days from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your p.oportion of the above mentioned sum which is now due, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in the said claim will become the property of the undersigned under Section 4 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend the Mineral Act, 1900."

Dated at Princeton, B. C., this 7th day of February, 1903.

my-2 MICHAEL FOY.
JNO. PATTERSON.

NOTICE.

Rearguard and Warrior Fractional Mineral Claims, situate in Olalla camp, Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District.

Take notice that I, W. C. McDougall, Free Miner's Certificate No. B40072, as agent for W. J. Brewer, Free Miner's Certificate No. B40076, intend, sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1902.

m-7 W. C. McDOUGALL.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain a line of standard or any other gage of railway to be operated by steam, electricity, or any other motive power, from a point at or near Princeton, in the District of Yale, Province of British Columbia, and thence by the most feasible route to a point on Nicola Lake at or near Quilchina, and thence by the most feasible route to a point on the Fraser River at or near the City of Kamloops, with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain branch lines and all necessary roads, bridges, ways, ferries and other works, and to build, own and maintain wharves and docks in connection therewith, and with power to build, equip, operate and maintain steam and other vessels and boats and operate the same on any navigable waters within the Province; and with power to build, equip, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches, and to generate electricity for the supply of light, heat and power; and with power to acquire and expropriate lands for the purposes of the Company, and to acquire lands, bonuses, privileges, or other aids from any government, municipality, corporation, or other persons or bodies, and to levy and collect tolls from all parties using and on all freight passing over any of such railways, tramways, ferries, wharves and vessels built by the Company, and to make traffic or other arrangements with railway, steamboat, or other Companies, and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights or privileges.

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The Disposition of Alluvial Gold.

Mr. Wm. S. Welton, M. E., writing interestingly to the London, Eng., Mining Journal, has the following to say on alluvial deposits of gold :

"I have had under my observation auriferous gravel deposits in South America, California and Spain for the last thirty years. On my first acquaintance with auriferous gravels I was led to follow them up with a view to discover the reefs from which they were then supposed to have been derived, but I failed to find any indications of these, and I have never yet been able to ascertain that others have been more successful than myself in this direction. It was suggested that gravels might have travelled a great distance from the reefs, taking into consideration the rounded form of the quartz pebbles forming them, but this theory has been less persisted in latterly, as it has been seen the gold could not have resisted the amount of attrition necessary to reduce the fragments of quartz to their present form ; and those who have studied the subject appear to be now agreed that, as Mr. Lake observes, the gold has been derived from the decomposition of gold solutions resulting in the percipitation of this in a metallic state and its concentration around some suitable nuclus.

"According to my observation, the gravels were deposited by water at a time when trees and vegetation existed, as remains of trees, roots and leaves are to be found in the 'deep leads' and 'benches' of gravel which have been preserved by a covering of lava. The gold solutions, from whatever source they may have been derived apparently appear after the deposition of the gravels, as, in certain deposits, the forms of leaves have been replaced by gold. In one deposit worked by me, the whole of the gold was obtained in the form of leaves.

"It has been noted that the larger the pebbles forming the gravel, the larger and more round will be the grains of gold found in it, and it is very possible that, originally, the gravels contained much vegetable matter ground up into fine particles, according to the size of the pebbles, and that a considerable portion of these particles have been replaeed by gold, as the finer grains of gold are distributed all through the gravel in layers of much greater richness than the portion of sand and gravel between them, and the grains of gold are mostly found in thin scales of corrugated appearance.

"The above observations only apply to 'deep leads' and high 'benches' of gravel of older formation than the present river bars and deposits, which appear to have been formed by the breaking down of the older gravel beds. In these the greater portion of gold will generally be found upon and in bedrock, especially when this is schist, and the grains of gold will be in all sizes, from very coarse to very minute particles."

Too Effective.

The German proprietor of a sawmill in a Minnesota town used for fuel the refuse from the lumber. The fuel cost nothing, but it took four men to provide it, because the machinery was old fashioned.

An agent for mill machinery persuaded the German to put in new equipment which would reduce the amount of fuel one-half. It looked like a good proposition, says the Duluth News Tribune, and the agent, sure of success, called on the German after the machinery had been installed, expecting to be congratulated. But the German gave him a gloomy stare.

"What's the matter? Doesn't the machinery do all I claimed for it?" asked the agent."

"Ya, but I overlooks sometings."

"What was that?"

"Vell, it dakes only dwo men to handle de fuel, but it dakes de udder dwo men to haul avay vat ve didn't use und a team pesides."

There is nothing noble in being superior to some other man ; the true nobility is in being superior to your former self.—Hindoo saying.

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Profits in Low Grade Ore.

The advances along metallurgical lines, in smelting and in mill practice within the past two or three years, have made marketable a grade of ore so low as to give commercial value to hundreds of mines having large bodies of deposits heretofore considered worthless. The attractive feature of this lies in the fact that the heaviest dividend producers in the entire country are the large bodies of low grade ore. The all absorbing question of profitable treatment has to be met and answered at the very threshold of the enterprise; and this is what up-to-date methods of reduction have done. It is now no longer a question as to whether $5 ore can be profitably treated; but —how much have you? With $100,000 cash capital and a corps of competent men in charge of the mine, and the business affairs, it is not a wild prediction to state that the money can be made to earn dividends of 25 to 50 per cent. a year. —Western Mining World.

Who is the Worst?

An English journal recently wondered whether the pronunciation of some of the ignorant classes or of some of the cultivated classes is the worst.

For instance, the groom says: "'Arry, 'old me 'oss."

But the curate says: "He that hath yaws to yaw, let him yaw."

And the doctor's wife says: "Jawge, please go to Awthah and awdah the hawse, and don't forget to look at the fiah."

And the vicar says, "If owah gracious sovereign wur-ah to die!"

Mother—"You naughty boy! You've been fighting."

Little son—"No, mother."

Mother—"How did your clothes get torn and your face get scratched?"

Little son—"I was trying to keep a bad boy from hurting a good little boy."

Mother—"That was noble. Who was the good little boy?"

Little son—"Me"

"How does it happen, Jane," snapped the angry mistress, "that I saw you feeding that policeman pumpkin pie in the kitchen last evening?"

"I forgot ter plug the key-hole, mum."

The greater a man is the less disposed he is to show his greatness. True nobility of soul rises above and suppresses the love of show.—W. E. Channing.

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