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COAL, IRON, COPPER, GOLD, PLATINUM: Investors' Paradise

MINES AND MINING

Whipsaw Camp Shows High Grade Silver-Lead Ore from Assay.

Placer Gold Found on Louis Creek near Kamloops—Metal Prices Firm and Satisfactory.

Knight & Day, owners of the Lucky Pair at Whipsaw camp, are well satisfied with the exposures of galena which they have uncovered in the work of development. Their ore dump shows unmistakable evidences of mineral wealth, the indications all pointing toward the mother lode as the tunnel work progresses. A recent assay received from the government assay office at Victoria gives the following values from a sample of galena: Gold, .05; silver, ozs , 30 per ton; lead, 70 per cent., or a total value of about $85.75. These figures were obtained from a random sample assayed by D. E. Whitaker, assistant provincial government assayer, and are wholly reliable.

E. P. Wheeler, the well known mining man of Conconully, Wash , and who has a fine copper property at Friday creek, is in town for a few days.

Kamloops and the South Cariboo district are greatly excited over the discovery of placer gold at Louis creek, half a mile away from the Canadian Northern railway, and thirty miles from the city. As a result a French Canadian cook employed on railway construction work on the Canadian Northern line, who followed surface indications toward the source of the creek and staked one thousand feet of the richest section of the find, will presently be a rich man.

Prices of minerals: Bar silver, oz., 62½c. Copper, lb., 17¾c. Lead, lb., 4½c. Platinum, oz., $45 50 Spelter, lb., 7¼c. Tungsten, unit (20 lbs.), 50 p. c. pure, $5.00.

West Kootenay has 55 shipping mines, giving employment to 1447 men.

The sale of the United Empire coal and copper mines, together with valuable land, is in progress with Toronto and Cobalt capitalists. The United Empire is on Onemile creek, about two miles from Princeton.

THE TRUNK ROAD.

Anyone traveling over the completed portion of the interprovincial road will bless the man or government that conceived the idea of building such a fine highway. Low grades and even bed, with a width that will permit safe passing of two vehicles at once, strike the traveler as he contrasts these with the old narrow gauge roadways that followed the line of least resistance, possibly an old deer trail.

Road builders for the provincial government are busy constructing a strip of highway 90 miles in length and 40 feet in width between Hope and Princeton, which, when completed, will be one of the best in the province. The road begins at a point on the old trunk road four miles east of Hope and follows the west bank of Silver creek for a considerable distance It crosses a range of mountains on a grade of which is not over two per cent., in fact it rises 1900 feet in 19 miles. The easy grade, the superb scenery, and the splendid construction of the road will make it easily one of the most popular in the province. Thus far there are about nine miles completed—four miles out of Hope and five miles out of Princeton.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW.

The Princeton Picture Show, Dignan Bros., pioprietors, was opened Saturday night to a full house, standing room only being available for late arrivals. Barring some minor mechanical interruptions, and even the time thus spent was utilized in comical imitations of rooster crowing and bird singing, the crowd making full allowance for the difficulties of first performances, there was presented a program of amusing and instructive pictures The range of subjects included the historic Napoleon down to the henpecked and sometimes erring husband Mr. Bowser. The building is well adapted for the purpose intended and will rank with the best show houses in the country. It will appeal to the amusement seeking public and is sure to be well patronized.

SIMILKAMEEN HOTEL.

This enlarged and improved hotel with its new furnishings and equipment is ready for the accommodation of the public. It will prove to be a real home from home to travelers and visitors to Princeton. The building is 66x100, two storeys, contains 32 bedrooms, a reception room, sitting room, baths and toilets, besides a large barroom, office, reading room, sitting room and dining room on the ground floor Under the management of Summers & Wardle the Similkameen hotel will continue to be attractive and comfortable for guests. The growing business of this house demanded the large expenditure just made, which is sure to be appreciated by the public. The building operations were carried out by Wilson Bros., contractors, decorators and painters.

Cash talks, and the P. Burns Co., L'd, have learned by years of experience that it is the most potent agency for healthy business yet discovered, and will adopt the strictly cash method on and after the 15th, inst. In Nelson and other cities, a strong movement is in progress aiming at cash instead of credit system.

SNAIL LIKE PROGRESS

Railway Presidents Dallying with Time, Do Not Inspire Hope.

No Construction in Coquihalla Pass Pass Uniil Next Spring by the K.V.R.

The Kettle Valley railway survey party, in charge of Mr. Buck, has been ordered to move to Kelowna to complete some work in connection with the projected line from Vernon to Penticton. The fact that location of the K. V. in and around Princeton has been discontinued would indicate that no grading will be done in the immediate future.

Although the contract for construction on the V. V. & E. was reported as let to Guthrie & Co., there has not been any move leading to a confirmation of that report. So far not a blow has been struck.

The old, old policy of delay hangs like a pall over the Similkameen. It seems that both the Great Northern and C. P. R. are in a deadlock or sparring for time.

C. J. Seymour, Kettle Valley engineer, has arrived in Hope and will spend the winter in surveying the route in Coquihalla pass.

J. J. Warren and Chief Engineer McCullough were in Princeton recently, going up to Voight camp and inspecting the surveys hereabouts on the Kettle Valley.

OBITUARY.

On the morning of the 12th, inst., the wife of Louis N. Marcotte, of Coalmont, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schisler, at Princeton. The deceased young lady was well known, having spent her school days here, and later was identified with the social life of the town. Many friends and relatives will mourn the departure of the young wife, married about a year, who gave so much promise of a sphere of usefulness and happy home life. Death followed confinement and was sudden and unexpected. The whole community sympathize with the bereaved husband and relatives. Funeral services will be attended by Daughters of Rebekah, of which deceased was a member, and will probably take place Saturday, 3 p.m., on the return of Mr. Schisler, who is absent.

RIP VAN WINKLE.

Wednesday evening, the 18th, at Odd Fellows hall, W. E. Lorraine will present 'Rip Van Winkle' to Princeton theatergoers, with Charles J. Conklin in his famous impersonation of Rip, and supported by Miss Daisy Ross and a notable cast of twelve people. The scenery effects will be elaborate. The presentation of the play by this company is highly praised by critics. Prices $1, 75c and 25c.

EPISTOLARY.

EDITOR STAR—Sir: I thought you would like to have a few lines from me, and to know that I am enjoying my holiday very much, although the weather has been most unsummerlike, cool and showery most of the time—scarcely a day without a shower, some times very heavy.

I hope you are all well and that Princeton is progressing. I see from the STAR, which I am glad to get, that the railway construction, etc., proceeds as slowly as ever.

For the month of August I have taken charge of one of the parishes in this, my old town of eleven or twelve churches. It is quite a large, nice church, seating about 600 people, and there is a 3-manual organ and a good surpliced choir. I have services at 8 and 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. every Sunday, and last Sunday another one at 3 p. m. Besides this, I am acting chaplain to the county hospital and have services there also, at 5.15 p. m., so that my Sunday services are quite heavy. I visit all the sick five days a week and have prayers in every ward in rotation. There are about 70 in-patients just now. The church has an honored place, and is welcomed in this work, and I am glad of it.

During July I was at a country village parish, eight miles away, taking the duty while the vicar was away for his health. and I acted there as chaplain to the county workhouse, four miles distant, and had to drive there every Sunday for service at 9:30 a. m., as well as take the service at the church. I went also in the week and visited the aged and bedridden sick and also had service in the beautiful chapel, which was always well filled with the inmates and officers, altogether between two and three hundred always came. You will see, therefore, that I am not idle, and (what was very acceptable

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Mrs. Pazolt and C. DePas leave this week for England after a pleasant visit of some months with J. A. Freeman and family. Mrs. Pazolt is pleased with the country and hopes to come again.

Frank Chitty, the lightning press artist, who recently served an apprenticeship of a month in this office learning the latest and most uptodate wrinkles in the mechanical and editorial departments of a modern newspaper, has started the Molson 'Leader' at Molson, Wash. When Frank left here he was supposed to have an attack of appendicitis, but it turned out to be an attack of independicitis, the Leader being independent in political creed and doctrine. The Leader looks healthy and we congratulate Frank on his salutatory, also wishing him independence throughout life.

TOWN AND DISTRICT.

A. St. G Hammersley, chairman of the Princeton Coal and Land Co. of London, Eng., is a visitor here for the past few days. Mr. Hammersley was city solicitor for Vancouver in the 80's and is well known by old timers. He now resides in England and is M P. in house of commons.

Died—On Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, at Kaslo, John Riddell, father of Mrs. H. T. Rainbow, Princeton. Sympathy with the bereaved ones is expressed by many friends.

H. Coomber, recently chef for the transprovincial road camp, is about to open a first class restaurant in Victoria.

C. O. Brownell, piano tuner, is here on his fall trip. This is his last visit until the coming spring, and there is a long hard winter ahead when you should enjoy the music of the piano in tune. Leave orders at Wilson's Music store.

S. W. Brackett, one of the pioneer printers of the west, and well known among the printing fraternity has joined the Star operating staff This is the time he has put foot on British soil, and he says it feels all right, in fact he has about made up his mind to live and die right here in pretty Princeton

Peter Swanson went down to Spokane and Vancouver last Monday to purchase furnishings for his large new hotel now in the last stages of completion.

A. F. McKenzie, of Tullahard ranch, Onemile, has a delightful ranch suitable for a country seat, shooting and fishing. His hay crop is excellent and only requires a few days fine weather to finish the ingathering.

The marriage of J A Johnson to Miss Dora Erickson, of Spokane, on the 10 h, inst., was celebrated by Rev. E. Seth, Lutheran, in the presence of a number of immediate friends of the contracting parties. Mr Johnson is a well known citizen of Princeton and is receiving the congratulations of a large number of friends, in which Star heartily joins.

Born—On the 12th, inst., at Princeton, the wife of L. N. Marcotte, Coalmont, of a daughter. Baby doing well.

NEW POST OFFICES IN B. C.

The following new post offices have recently been opened in British Columbia: Aiyansh, Comox Atlin county; Ardley, New Westminster county; Christina Lake, Yale Cariboo county; Craigellachie Yale-Cariboo county; Earls Road, Vancouver; Grimmett, Vancouver; Ground Hog, Comax Atlin county; Jubilee Station, New Westminster county; Maillardsville, New Westminster county. There have also been opened sub-station 2, New Westminster; and sub-station 17, Vancouver. The name of Sumas, B. C., has been changed to Atchilitz, and Upper Squamish to Brackendale.

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To OREN B. SMITH—Take notice that unless you do pay, within 90 days from the date hereof, the sum of $23, being your proportion of the expenditure required for the years 1911, and 1912 by Section 24 of the Mineral Act, upon the Morning Glory group of mineral claims situated on Bear Creek in the Similkameen mining division, together with interest and all costs of this notice, to the undersigned, your co-partner in the said mineral claims, your interest in the said claims shall become vested in the undersigned who has made the required expenditure.

CARL H. HENNING.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1912.

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FEAR TURNS TO HATRED.

EDITOR STAR—Sir: Is fear a baneful teaching? Yes! Why? Because it turns to hatred. What a pity! After admiting my letter was a good mixture of truth and fiction, Mr. Jukes failed to show wherein lay the fiction.

How unfortunate Mr. Jukes is when he tries to justify his God for using eternal punishment because man tries fear against fellow man. It is not a very lofty idea of God, is it? About on the level of an untutored savage. The average man or woman who is a father or mother would not permit a child of theirs to suffer agony for life if they could prevent it. I know! Do you see the point, Mr. Jukes?

With regard to my knowledge of past history, might I remind Mr Jukes that in my letter touching that period I mentioned churches, not church. He evidently has reference to only one portion of that period, as, say, the so called Christian church. Now, from what I have read, first one church held sway, then another, and none of them was at all particular as to the means it used to acquire power, the present Established Church of England proving no exception to the rule.

With regard to accepting inspiration of the Bible as the word of God: Is it not true that for over a thousand years crimes innumerable have been committed and justified by priest and laymen by the Bible? Even in our day we see strife on every hand on account of the interpretation of the Book.

Now, Mr. Editor, one question and I will finish. Will Mr. Jukes kindly answer the following. If the Bible is the word of God, why did not God whom you say is omnipotent, reveal himself to us in such a manner that all men would recognize it as such at once without any teaching, and so avoid all strife and confusion?

Yours truly, JNO. NATHAN.

Princeton, Sept. 10, 1912.

G. W. Unsoeld and J. Drummond, of the A. E Howse Co., L'd, left last Monday on a vacation trip extending to the coast and other points.

W. J. Mitchell, diamond drill contractor at Voight's camp, was summoned to Spokane, owing to loss of little child yesterday.

W. H. Hagerman, of Onemile, has left samples of grain at the Star which may be seen by anyone. The Hagerman ranch is in good state of cultivation and is well adapted for agricultural purposes.

SPECIALS.

W. F. Weir has opened a tailoring and clothes cleaning shop in the building opposite the Similkameen hotel, on Vermilion avenue. Work promptly and well done. Give us a trial.

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THE INTERPROVINCIAL ROAD.

An asset that is rarely considered in estimating the resources of a country is that which pertains to its scenery. The attractiveness of Princeton and districts is immensely enhanced by beautiful landscapes, the rippling rivers and creeks, the eternal snows and glaciers of Hope mountains, the wonderful diversity of view, ever changing and impressive scene, the inspirational effect on the minds of the thoughtful and the glorious perspective of valley and hill, all invite the traveler to tarry and contemplate and possibly induce him to make the country his abiding place and home. Then along with the scenery are the big game and fishing, haunts for the huntsman and angler that cannot be excelled anywhere in the world And it is this wonderful combination of scenery and sporting that give this country precedence over any of the old world resorts. When the interprovincial road is finished the Hope mountains will be easily accessible for tourists and sightseers. Hotels, shooting and fishing lodges and road houses will be necessary for the convenience and comfort of visitors. The wisdom of constructing the interprovincial road is also apparent in the stimulus it will give to mining and settlement along the route. Many a struggling mining camp is now expectant with the new life to be imparted by transportation Mines of undoubted merit now languishing and idle will leap into activity and become revenue and wealth producing. The engineering difficulties in building this mountain road are simple. Grade and width must be such as to afford speed, safety and convenience. If the engineer be left to his own good sense and professional skill the road will be direct and not wander hither and thither to suit presumptuous interests or persons. The people of British Columbia as a whole are paying for the construction of this road, and its route must not be needlessly deviated or lengthened one yard, increasing the expense and sacrificing the interests of the public thereby. The government can hardly make any mistake in pushing on the work to an early completion. The expenditure or cost will not be lessened by lethargic construction. Necessity for the road has been fully shown as viewed from the sectional or district standpoint. From the broader or provincial view, the development and influx of capital and money spending tourists will amply justify the government for the cost entailed. Next year should see the road in operation, or at least completed, and Princeton put within a few hours of the coast.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Added to the high cost of food comes high taxation and a high civilization. The burden of maintaining the government; paying subsidies to railway companies that never live up to their promises and agreements; providing education for children and building roads, etc., all tend to increase the burden of the taxpayer. Taxation that produces best results and sits lightest on the people is based on the principle that every taxpayer should benefit in proportion to the amount of taxes he pays. At present many anomalies exist in the levying of taxes, chief of which is in the valuation of land and property. The railway companies are large beneficiaries at the public expense, yet proportionately they pay less than the poor, struggling settler, tradesman or merchant. The railway companies, all but one, receive bonuses from the people amounting to $10,000 per mile, yet their assessment would not result in taxes one thousandth of that amount. The secret of satisfaction lies in the equalization of public burdens. Satisfy the people, the taxpayers, and prosperity and contentment will follow.

With no intention of 'butting in,' Star cautions some of the republican boosters across the boundary that there is such a thing as boosting a good man to death. In 'varsity we saw a freshman boosted so high that when he came down his dearest friends at the corners of the blanket could not save him from a thud that gave him a horrible black eye. 'Save me from my friends' is the secret wish of many a candidate. The democrats are not boosting Wilson more than is necessary so he will win. Progressives and republicans must realize now that they are up against a stone wall. A change is always good, because it gives the inevitable 'new broom' a chance. Wilson is our man, and we don't care who knows it!

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Kamloops—3 p m. to 6:15 p. m., September 17.

Vancouver—3 p. m., September 18 to evening of September 20.

New Westminster—September 21.

Prince Rupert—11 a. m. September 23 to evening of September 25 (including a possible visit to Hazelton.)

Nanaimo—11 a. m. to 1 p. m., September 27.

Victoria—Evening of September 27 to October 3.

Vernon—Morning of October 4 to 11 a. m. on same day.

Penticton—4 p. m., October 4 to 5 p.m October 5.

Robson, via Arrowhead—7 p. m. to 9 p. m., October 6.

Nelson—Morning of October 7 till noon on same day.

Kootenay Landing—6 p. m. October 7, leaving early next day.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
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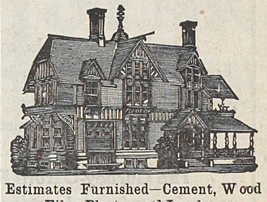

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NOTICE.

Yale land district. District of Yale

TAKE notice that Mary E. Blythe of Rossland, B. C., occupation wife, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains south and 20 chains west of the confluence of Eagle Creek with the Tulameen River, Thence west 20 chains, Thence south 40 chains, Thence east 20 chains, Thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.

MARY E. BLYTHE
By J. R. Cranston
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June 21st 1912.

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WATER NOTICE.

For a licence to store or pen back water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold & Platinum Ltd of 536 Hastings St. W. Vancouver, will apply for a licence to store or pen back 2500 acre-feet of water from Whipsaw Creek, a stream flowing in a Easterly direction and emptying into the Similkameen River, near Princeton. The Water will be stored in a reservoir of required capacity built or to be built ¾ mile from junction of creek and river and will be used for power purposes as authorised under a notice of application for a licence to take and use water posted herewith, on the land described within a radius of 100 miles of Princeton.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 25th day of July 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

THE TULAMEEN GOLD & PLATINUM LTD.
Applicant.

COUNTY COURT of YALE

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held at the Court House, Princeton, Wednesday, 9th day of October, 1912 at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. By command

HUGH HUNTER
Registrar County Court.

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EPISTOLARY.
From 1st Page.

to me) I have received spontaneous testimony from the village people and the workhouse people and, recently, this own congregation as to the helpfulness of my ministrations This was not always my fortune during my nineteen years' work in Canada, and it helps a minister wonderfully.

I have given addresses on Canada in Lincolnshire and the Isle of Wight; also here; which have aroused much interest, and have also got some needed help for our church works. Everybody is taking a great interest in the great Dominion, and they have a better knowledge now.

I was in London for a few days, but with not much spare time. It was a splendid sight to see the hundreds of worshippers at St. Paul's cathedral and the Abbey at the daily morning and at noon services, and the beautiful singing is something to remember.

I also attended the annual meeting of the B. C. Church Aid Society, and heard the Bishop of London; also, Bishop Perrin, late of Victoria, and had a chat with the latter. When in Yorkshire, in June, I went with my sister to a great missionary festival at York, and was introduced to the archbishop at a crowded reception You will see the character of my activities and interests from this account, but between times I get about and 'view the landscape" of old England, in spite of the clouds and damp. I hope to go this afternoon by train and climb the famous Stretton hills, twelve miles away, but the weather is very threatening. I have seen the Rev. A. S. Cook, brother of your Mr Cook; also, the latter's two daughters, who, I believe, are looking forward to returning to Granite Creek before long I have not yet began to plan my return trip, but shall have to decide about this before long now. I am glad to say I am keeping good health.

Yours faithfully; J. WILLIAMS.

St. Asmund's Vicarage, Shrewsbury, August 14, 1912.

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Apply to MRS. R. O. NELSON.

WATER NOTICE.

For a licence to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold & Platinum Ltd. of 536 Hasting's Street, W. Vancouver will apply for a licence to take and use 500 cubic feet per second of water out of Similkameen River which flows in a northerly direction through The Similkameen and empties into Okanogan River near Oroville.

The water will be diverted about one mile North of the mouth of Copper Creek and will be used for Power purposes on the land described within a radius of 100 miles of Princeton.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 25th day of July, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

THE TULAMEEN GOLD & PLATINM LTD.
Applicant.
By E. E. Emmons Agent.

WATER NOTICE.

For a licence to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold & Platinum Ltd. of 536 Hasting's Street, W. Vancouver will apply for a licence to take and use 100 cubic feet per second of water out of Whipsaw Creek, which flows in an easterly direction through Similkameen and empties into Similkameen River near Princeton.

The water will be diverted about at the junction of Whipsaw Creek and Similkameen River and will be used for Power purposes on the land described as within a radius of 100 miles of Princeton.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 25th day of July, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.

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THE TULAMEEN GOLD & PLATINUM Ltd.
Applicant
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WATER NOTICE.

For a licence to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold & Platinum Ltd. of 536 Hasting's Street, W. Vancouver will apply for a licence to take and use 25 cubic feet per second of water out of Copper Creek, which flows in an easterly direction through Similkameen and empties into Similkameen River near Princeton.

The water will be diverted about ¼ mile from mouth of Copper Creek and will be used for Municipal purposes on the land described as an application to Purchase 160 acres of land at mouth of Copper Creek.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 28th day of July, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria B. C.

THE TULAMEEN GOLD & PLATINUM Ltd.
Applicant.
By E. E. Emmons Agent.

WATER NOTICE.

For a licence to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold & Platinum Ltd. of 536 Hasting's Street W. Vancouver, will apply for a licence to take and use five cubic feet per second of water out of Friday Creek, which flows in an easterly direction through Similkameen and empties into Similkameen River near Princeton.

The water will be diverted about 1000 feet from junction of creek and river and will be used for Mining purposes on the land described as Friday Creek Hydraulic Mining Lease at the mouth of Friday Creek.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 27th day of July, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

THE TULAMEEN GOLD & PLATINUM LTD.
Applicant.
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WATERNOTICE.

For a licence to store or pen back water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold & Platinum Ltd. of 536 Hasting's Street W. Vancouver, will apply for a licence to store or pen back 250,000 acre-feet of water from Similkameen River flowing in a northerly direction and emptying into the Okanogan River near Oroville. The water will be stored in a reservoir of required capacity, built or to be built about ½ mile S. of the junction of Copper Creek said river, and will be used for power purposes as authorised under a notice of application for a licence to take and use water posted herewith, on the land described as within a radius of 100 miles of Princeton.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 25th day of July, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.

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NOTICE.

Estate of Alexander Daniel Ross, deceased

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the above estate must in or before the 24th day of August, 1912, present the same to the undersigned duly verified by affidavit, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are required to pay the amount of said indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Princeton B. C, this 24th day of July 1912.

HUGH HUNTER
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Executors of above Estate.

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WATER NOTICE

For a license to store or pen back water.

Notice is hereby given that Similkameen Power Company, Limited, of Vancouver, will apply for a license to store or pen back twelve hundred acre feet of water from Red Creek, a stream flowing in a westerly and southerly direction and emptying into Fivemile creek, near Similkameen river. The water will be stored in two reservoirs of 200 acre feet and 1000 acre feet capacity, respectively, to be built at the falls of the creek and at a point approximately one mile up creek from the falls, and will be used for power purposes as authorized under a notice of application for a license to take and use water, posted herewith, on the land described as crown lands at the mouth of Red creek; the power to be sold within a radius of thirty miles thereof.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 4th day of May, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nicola.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

The term for filing objections with the Water Recorder has been extended by the Comptroller of Water Rights to the 20th day of August, 1912

SIMILKAMEEN POWER COMPANY, Limited
Applicants.
By E. A. CLEVELAND Agent.

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WATER NOTICE.

For a license to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that Similkameen Power Company, Limited, of Vancouver, will apply for a license to take and use twenty cubic feet per second of water out of Red creek, which flows in a westerly and southerly direction through crown lands and empties into Fivemile creek, near Similkameen river. The water will be diverted at the falls about two miles from the junction of Red creek with Fivemile creek and will be used for power purposes on the land at the mouth of Red creek and to be sold within a radius of thirty miles thereof.

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Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-division of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five per cent per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lease may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands

W. W. CORY
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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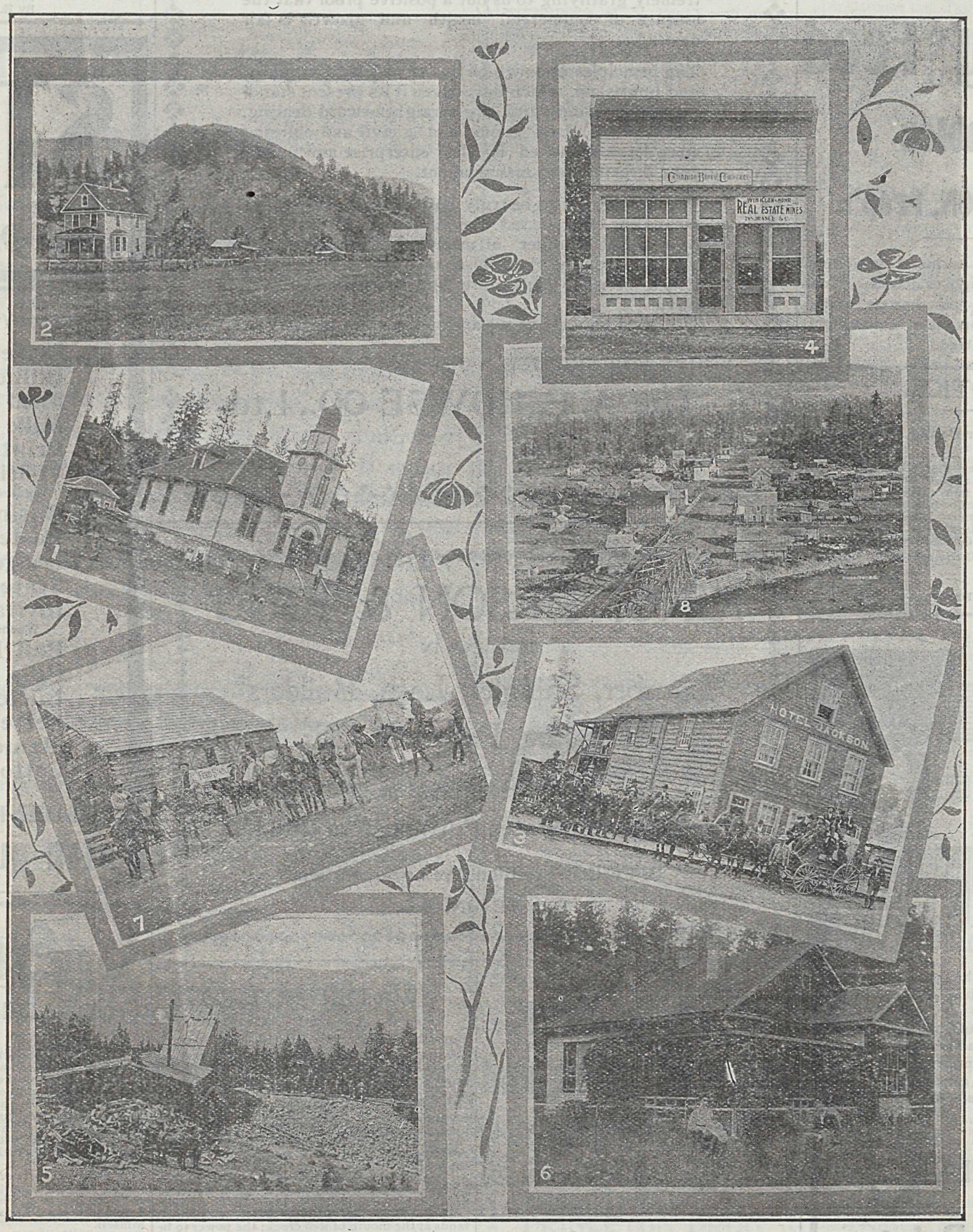

2. Residence of H Hunter, Gov Agent.

4 Canadian Bank of Commerce bank.

1. Government office and court house.

8. Tulameen bridge and bridge street.

3, Royal mail stage and J. H. Jackson hotel

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