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B. C. CEMENT CO. IN ANNUAL SESSION, GOOD REPORT

The Third Annual General meeting of the Shareholders of the British Columbia Portland Cemenr Co. Limited, was held at the Head Office of the Company, 615 Hastings Street West, Vancouver, B. C. Thursday the 6th day of February 1913, at Four O'clock P. M.

It was noted the following shareholders were present:

J. K. Harvey, K.C., L. W. Shatford, M. P.P., W. A. Rutherford, B. C. Alexander, L W. Stone, C. R. Briggs, F. L. Stacey, J. J. E. McCague, John Orr, Ward M. Wnite, A. E. Underwood, S. S. Knill, H. C. Hurry and R. I. Verral.

The Proceedings were opened with Mr. J. A. Harvey, K.C. the President, in the chair, and Mr. C. R. Briggs, the Secretary and Treasurer acting as Secretary of the Meeting.

Upon the request of the Chairman, the Secretary read the notice of calling the meeting and proof of mailing same to all shareholders of record.

Preliminary Routine.

After noticing that a quorum was present, the business was proceeded with. The Minutes of the last annual meeting of the Shareholders, he d on the First day of February 1612, were read and upon motion were approved. Minutes of the various Director's and Executive Committee Meeting held during the year were likewise read and approved.

The Chairman then called for the reading of the Report of the Auditor, Alfred Shaw, showing the condition of the Company's affairs as at the close of business on the 31st day of December 1912. Ex planation of various items being made by Mr. C. R. Briggs, the Treasurer, the report was ordered filed.

The Treasurer's report including the financial statement of the Company, as at December 31st, 1912, was then read by the Treasurer.

Receipts, $164,379,63, Disbursements, $164,376,63, Liabilities, $725,325.30, Assets $725,325,30.

Treasurer's Report.

The Treascrer's Report of the Company has shown steady progress during the entire year. Bond and Stock subscriptions have been increared from $255,000.00 to a total of $338,800 00. We now have about 275 Shareholders, a large majority of whom are residents of British Columdia. Our receipts from Subscribers during the year have amounted to $130,484, and from other sources, chiefly Bank advances, $32,566 51. The total receipts to date from the sale of our securities amounts ta $231,576.00.

Considering the tightness of the money market during 1912, from the investment point of view, I think the company has been quite fortunate in being able to finance itself so successfully, for it must be remembered that there are no large Shareholders on our list. This makes our Company almost entirely a British Columbia concern, and as such, one that should have the hearty support of all loy al British Columbians, who believe in enconraging and fostering a home industry.

Hereto attached is a detailed statement of the Receipts and Disbursements, and a condensed statement of the Assets and

Continued on page 6.

RAILWAY POINTS.

Prelininary work on the building of the Kettle Valley rallway bridge across the Fraser River at Hope will begin with in ten days.

H. W. Fans, bridge engineer on the C N. R., has accepted the position of resident engineer on the K. V. R. at Penticton

Nothing definite has been learned re garding contracts from Osprey lake to Princeton on the K. V. railway. The rightofway has not yet been purchased but a move is expected within a few days to enable an early start as soon as spring opens.

LATE DESPATCHES.

Thousands are dead and millions worth of property destroyed by floods in Ohio and Indiana.

Colin Campbell, attorney-general of Manitoba' and largely interested in the Columbia Coal & Coke Co. at Coalmont has suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Alberta legislature has been dissolved and elections will take place on April 16.

Field Marshal Lord Wolseley is dead, aged 80.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

P. W, Gregory, P.L.S., is surveying the flat owned by Mrs. S. L. Allison into lots. The position, within a stone's throw of Princeton, and the soil, makes this addition a good investment. Some dav, no doubt, a bridge will be built across the Tulameen connection this site with Princeton direct and bringing it within two minutes walk of the center of town

B. L. Smith, manager of the Bank of Monteral, returned Tuesday from a weeks visit to the Okanagan district.

Mrs. J. A. Brown of Keremeos was the guest of Mrs. F. A. Howse during eastertide.

Mrs. Neil, of Seattle is the guest of Mrs. Allison, senior also of Mr. and Mrs. Perkins.

J. C. Slater' school teachər of Olalla, was an Easter visitor to Princston and likes the prospects of this place.

MINES AND MINING== GEOLOGIST IN THE FIELD

Cox & Uhler have had very satisfactory returns from nearly a car of ore shipped to the Granby smelter for testing purposes. They now know that their ore is of the shipping class even against extremely high cost in getting it to rail. With a good margin of financial safety under these expensive conditions a large profit may be expected when the Kettle Valley railroad affords transportation on Fivemile. Cox & Uhler have persevered in their development work and are fnlly entitled to reap a big reward in their mine.

Charles Camsell carried out the following work during the summer of 1912. 1.—Examination of gold-copper deposits of Kruger mountain at the southern end of Okanagan Vailey. 2—A brief study of the copper deposits at Copper mountain, Similkameen district, where the British Columbia Company hae been for the last year carrying out some important development work with a large staff of men. An interesting discovery of an extinct volcano was made near White Lake in the Okanagan Valley.

A feature of the mining survey last year was the discovery of the remains of extinct dinosaurs in Alberta.

Record Mineral Output

The output of the mines in Canada, metal and non metal, breaks all records for the year 1912. The government returns give the total increase at nearly thirty million dollars. For the year there was the largest total ever produced, amounting to $133,127,489. British Columbia is second amond the provinces, Ontario being first with $51,323,134, and ,B. C. $29,555,323. A feature of particular interest during the year has been the continued and extended development of ore reserves. The satisfactory results from these operations particularly in the case of the nickel-copper ores of the Sndbury district, the Porkcupine gold ores of Ontario and a number of the copper and lead deposits of British Columbia, point to much greater annual outpnts in the future. Of the total production in 1912 a value of $61,177,989 or nearly 46 per cent is credited to the metal, and $71-949,500 or 54 per cent to non-metallic products. With the exception of petroleum every important mineral in Canada shows an increaeed production in 1912, in so far as value is concerned. In the case of silver only, is there a decrease in quantity, and this slightly less than two per cent, the increase in total value of silver being due to the much higher price obtained for the metat during the year. It is a matter of regret to have to report a continued decrease in the production of petroleum The Canadian outpnt of this product a few years ago was about 50 per cent of domestic consumption. At the present time not over five per cent of Canada's consumption of petroleum and its products is derived from domestic sources.

THE PYTHIAN BALL.

The Knights of Pythias ball on Monday evening proved a very enjoyable affair and was well attended. Prof. Legg's orchestra gave satisfaction and the merry dancers responded with that rythm of action which is the musician's delight. The ladies' gowns were the best yet observed in a Princeton ball room, lending charm and beauty to the vivacious scene. The supper was excellent and abundant. Kntghts are to be congratulated on the success of their first ball, causing many to look forward to future like functions giveu under their auspices.

TOWN AND DISTRICT

W. C. Lyall, of Hedley, spent Easter with his famiay, returning on Monday.

Business continues dull caused somewhat by the cold, backward spring. The season is said to be about three weeks later than the spring of 1912.

T. J. King sold his house and lot to Mr. Paraons, assayer for the B. C. Copper Co., and has gone to Spokane.

Archie Legg, the obliging operator at the Great Northern depot, is leaving and will take up another branch of railroad work. Archie made many friends here who will be glad to hear of his advancement.

Jack Lyall came up from Hedley on an Easter visit to relatives and friends. He has grown so remarkably that his young tillicums hardly knew him.

Attendance at the church services on Easter Sunday was the largest in years.

E. F. Carlson, the Underwooc typewritter man, was in town yesterday.

A false alarm of fire was turned in yesterday at 11 a.m. to which the brigade respouded with alacrity.

A. L. White, the furniture man arrived from Greenwood Wednesday and reports improvement in business in that town.

Auction sale by Avery & Avery in the Howse block, rear entrance, at 2:30 p.m. Don't forget it.

The Ladies Auxiliarr invite you to tleir party next Tuesday in the court house. Make a memo. of it.

M. S. Wilson has placed several Nordheimer pianos in Princeton homes during the past couple of months. He has received anotner shipment of these fine instruments and will be pleased io show them to any person.

Chief Constable Simpson was in town on an official visit last week.

THE WIDE WORLD.

Penticton is raising a fund for advertising through the publicity committee of the board of trade.

Two hundred are dead, seven hundred injured and million worth of property destroyed as the result of a tornado in the middle west.

Socialists of France and Germany urge disarmament and reduction of war vote of money.

Golf links are to be laid out at Penticton and a club organized.

Pythian sisters have organized a lodge at Merrit.

Rev. C. W. White, Presbyterian minister at Peachland, died on March 12.

Last year the C.P.R. carried 13,593,569 passengers, ten years ago is carried 4,655,884.

The revenue of the Dominion for the fiscal year which closes on Monday March 31, will be close to $170,000,000 an increase of approximately $33,000,000 over the revenue over the preceeding year.

The average value per acre of farm land in the United States rose from $15 56 in 1900 to $35.30 in 1910

PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE.

Intelligence and reason go handin hand. Brute force is the club of the arrogant and ignorant.

Unhappy is the being who cannot see his neighbor prosper without feeling envious—to him will be measured with twofold interest as he metes to others.

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All knockers are dwarfminded and selfish—boosters are broad guage and useful citizens.

Women alone can deal with the evils of their sex: Men have been tried and are proven failures. Votes for women.

The successful person or cause will always be the subject of unfair criticism it is the fire which proves the worth of gold and takes away any dross that may ding to it it is a good sign to be criticised even unfairly

If men are the salt of the earth, women are undoubtedly the sugar. Salt ii necessary—sugar is a luxury. Vicious men are salt peter; stern men are rock salt; nice men are table salt. Old maids are brown sugar; good-natured matrons are loaf sugar; and pretty girls are pulverized sugar. Please pass the pulverized sugar.—Summerland Review

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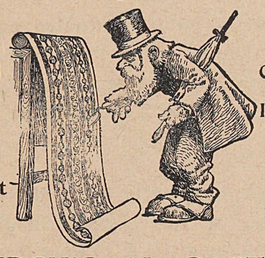

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Specially selected by the Hon. J. H. Turner, agent-general for British Columbia, the birds will accomplish their 6000-journey from Bermondsey to Victoria, B. C. in comparative luxury, and, on their arrival, will be let loose to build new nests in the forests of Vancouver Island.

Caught last October. the birds have since been carefully fed and tendered, and they will travel with a clean bill from the Wild Birds' Protection Society and the Humane Society.

The Dominion Express, which has undertaking to convey the songsters all the way, has had an aviary specially constructed on the Canadian Pacific steamer Montcalm, and has reserved a car de luxe for the journey across Canada.

The travellers include larks, goldfinches, linnets, tits and robins, and special cages have been provided for the last named birds on account of their quarrelsom nature.

En route their diet is of meal, worms, thistledown, crushed hemp, breadcrumbs, ground nuts and seed.

The birds were obtained for the Hon. J. H. Turner by Messrs. Shackleton & Company, the London animal dealers.

Trout fishing in the interior of British Columbia, except for Dolly Varden trout does not open this year until April 5.

When you see it in the Star then you may 'go some, on its being a fact.

SPECIALS.

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AUCTION SALE—will be held in the Howse block on Saturday, March 29, when the bedroom furnishings, &c., owned by Mrs. Nelson will be sold at 2:30 p.m. by H. H. Avery, jr., Auctioneer.

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NOTICE is hereby given that meetings of the Provincial Labor Commission will be held at the following places:—

Penticton—Tuesday, May 6th, 10 a.m.
Hedley—Wednesday, May 7th, 2 p.m.
Princeton—Thursday, May 8th, 8 p.m.
Greenwood—Saturday, May 10th, 2 p.m.
Phoenix—Tuesday, May 13th, 2 p m.
Graud Forks—Thursday, May 15th, 8 p m.

Other meetings will be announced later.

The Commission will haar evidence on all matters affecting labor conditions in the Province. All persons interested are invited to be present.

H. G. PARSON, Chairman.

F. R. MCNAMARA, Secretary.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The nations crazed with war fever are sitting up nights straining their brains for some new scheme to raise money. When one nation votes a huge sum for arming then all the others get busy and raise the war footing another notch. And so the silly seesaw goes on, each accusing the other of warlike intentions but denying any such attitude for their own part. One reads of 'armed peace,' and to 'preserve peace prepare for war.' The use of these phrases by the jingoes is the shallowest of subterfuge and will not stand the tests of analysis or logic. The emperor of Germany says he is for peace, yet he employs scouts in the air, in the water, under the water and on land, all looking for trouble. He is 'for peace' yet he levies on everything taxable in preparation 'for war.' So contrastive and inconsistent are the speech and actions of this monarch by 'divine right' and ultra jingo that all doubt his sincerity and veracity.

Premier McBride delivered an exceedingly interesting and practical address at the University of California which Star commends to all for perusal and serious thought. It is a fact, as the Premier hints, that too little practical education is given in the universities, hence many misfit and derelict 'grads' are found in the humbler occupations. Of course all honest labor is honorable and the selfmade person is always superior to the artificial student who borrows his education. What is needed today is the thinker. For thought, spirit, is the great psychic force which rules the world. If universities were to add metaphysics to their curricula it would help in the study and understanding of the Omnipotent, to know whom is deliverance from all worry and fear and the physical ills these beget. Premier McBride has rendered a real and lasting service to the cause of education with his well chosen words.

Only one thing the British government has left undone so far, to round out a splendid career of reform—woman suffrage.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Miss McCaffrey, teacher, of Hedley is visistin her brother, Dr. McCaffrey during Easter vacation.

The Misses E. and G. Lyall of Hedley were in town for Easter.

Methodist services will be held at 3 p. m. at East Princeton every Sunday, Rev. T. A. Osborne, pastor.

W. S. Stains, formerly operator at the Great Northern station, is successor to A. Legg and arrived Tuesday. He is glad to get back in the 'old town' and will bring his family later.

The Labor Commission appointed by the provincial government to enquire into the conditions of labor will sit at the court house Princeton, Thursday, May 9th, at 8 p.m.

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Canada has the greatest railroad system in the world in the C. P. R. employing 75,000 men.

Canada has one of the world's most remarkable constabulary forces in the Northwest Mounted Police.

Canada has the largest grain mills in the British Empire.

Canada has the largest elevator in the world at Port Arthur, capacity 7,000,000 bushels.

Canada will have the longest bridge span in the world at Quebec.

Canada has one of the largest single canal locks in the world at Sault Ste. Marie.

Canada has the thickest known coal seam in the world, 47 feet, which was found at Stellerton, Nova Scotia.

Canada consumes more paper per head of population than any other country iu the world.

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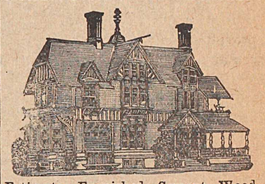

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PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

Notice is hereby given that the List of Voters for the Similkameen Electoral District has been cancelled and that applications to be placed on the Voters' List will be received at my office at Fairview where printed forms of affidavit to be used in support of an application to vote will be supplied.

The list of persons claiming to vote will be suspended from and after the 7th day of April, 1913, and a Court of Revision will be held on the 19th day of May, 1913, and notice of objections to the insertion of any name on the Register of Voters must be given to me 30 clear days before the holding of the Court of Revision.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 1913, at Fairview, B C.

(Signed) JAS. R. BROWN
Registrar of Voters, Similkameen Electoral District.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands situate in the Similkameen land division of Yale district: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of lot 1041, being also the northeast corner of lot for coal license number 6568, thence east 80 chains, south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres.

Dated March 5. 1913.

W. HOMER McLEAN, Locator.
H. D Russell, Agent.

NOTICE.

Argentine Fraction mineral claim, situate in the Similkameen mining division of Yale district. Where located: Voigt mountain.

Take notice that I, George W. Aldous, Free Miner's Certificate, No. 60892B, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1913.

NOTICE.

Yale land district. district of Yale.

Take notice that Alfred Thomas Collis of Rossland, B. C., occupation, printer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S E. corner of Lot 281, thence north 60 chains, east 40 chains, south 60 chains, west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 240 acres.

ALFRED THOMAS COLLIS.
H. C. A. Cornish, agent.

February 12, 1913.

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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 quanity 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 Secrtary 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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B.C. PORTLAND CEMENT CO'S ANNUAL REPORT.

From Page 1.

Liabilities. The books of the Company have been carefully audited, a balance Sheet prepared, all official documents examined and a detailed report prepared by your Auditor, Alfred Shaw, who has certified that everything is as stated and in good order. A copy of his report is en file in my Office.

I will call your attention to only a few of the items included in the various statements, as I beleive the remainder are self explanatory.

Please note that the largest part of the money spent under this head has been chargeds to Buildings, Plant and Machinery, Spur and Bridge accounts. We are to be reimbursed by the United Empire Co Limited, and the Great Northern Railway Company for the amount of the items charged to them, as this is part of the cost of the Spur track built to our works and to the Coal mine. Such items as Salaries, General Expense, Traveling Expense, Interest and Dsscount, will finally be distributed and charge to cost of Plant and Machinery, Buildings etc., up on completion of the works. Debenture Interest and Commission will have to be charged against Profit and Loss account after Plant is in operation and written off during a period of years.

The item 'Capital' consists of shares allotted for Land, as well as shares allotted with Bonds. 'Sundry Creditors' includes Bank Advances, notes given in payment of Machinery, balance due on current accounts' and accured Wages and Salaries The item 'Debenture Interest Accrued' includes Interest accrued on partial payments made by Shareholders on Bonds not issued as well as Interest accrued on Bonds issued before January 1st, 1913. Interest on partial payments is not credited until Bonds and Stock are fully paid for and issued to Subscribers and it is then shown as added to the Interest coupons attached to the Bonds which are payable January first of each year.

Under this General head, the item, 'Property and Equipment' includes Lands Buildings, Plant and Machinery, Spur and Bridge, Brick Machinery, Quarry development, and Suspense account. The item 'Sundry Debtors' includes amounts due from the Great Northern Railway Company and the United Empire Co. Limited on account of Rallway Spur, and notes given us by Subscribers as partial payments on Bonds and Stock. The item 'Debenture Interest' includes interest previously paid out on Bonds issued and accrued interest which becomes due January 1st, 1913. The item 'Organization Expense' represents actual expenses incurred in connection with the Organization of the Company. In the statement fo 1911 this item included Salaries, Debenture Interest, Interest and Discount, and some General Expenses now transferred to Suspense account.

Respectfulfy Submitted,
CLAERNCE R. BRIGGS,
Treasurer.

[To be continued.]

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Certificate of Improvements.

Copper King Mineral claim, situate in the Similkameen mining division of Yale district. Where located: On Kennedy mountain.

Take notice that Charles Bonnevier for himself and agent for Gustaf Pouvels F.M C. No. 53823B. Free Miner's Certificate No 53824B, intend sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 7th day of March, 1913

NOTICE.

MINERAL ACT, 1896—FORM F
Certificate of Improvements

Hawk mineral claim Situate in the Similkameen mining division of Vale district Where located: In Pollock camp.

Take notice that I, F W. Groves, holding special Free Miner's Certificate No. 5967 intend sixty days from date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 11th day of February, 1913

NOTICE.

MINERAL ACT 1896—FORM F.
Certificate of Improvements.

W.G. fractional mineral claim. Situate in the Similkameen mining division of Yale district. Where located: On Copper mountain.

Take notice that I, F. W. Groves, holding Free Miner's Certificate No. 5967, intend sixty days from date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 11th day of February, 1913.

SIMILKAMEEN DIVISION.—YALE DISTRICT

Take notice that we the Princeton Collieries, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the following described lands near Princeton B. C. Commencing at a post planted at the Southeast corner of Lot 3531 and running west 80 chains, thence North 4 chains, thence East 80 chains, thence South 4 chains to point of commencement, containing 32 acres more or less.

Dated 10th March, 1913.

PRINCETON COLLIERIES, LIMITED
P. W. Gregory, agent.

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A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held at the Court House, Princeton, Wednesday 23rd day of April, 1913 at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. By command.

HUGH HUNTER,
Registrar County Court.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I am applying for a license to prospect for coal on the following described land, viz: Commencing at a post placed at the southwest corner of lot 1525, Kamloops division of Yale district, and extending thence 80 chains north, 80 chains west, 80 chains south, 89 chains east to point of commencement.

W. C. McDOUGALL,
Dated Feb. 13, 1913. Applicant

NOTICE.

Yale land district. district of Yale

Take notice that George Howard Owen of Rossland, B.C., occupation, banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of Lot 281, thence south 20 chains, west 40 chains, north 20 chains more or less to the Tulameen river, easterly along the Tulameen river to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less

GEORGE HOWARD OWEN.
H. C. A. Cornish, agent.

February 12, 1913.

PERMIT TO CARRY WEAPONS.

Knuckle-dusters, daggers, bowies, pistols, etc, may be searched for on all persons.

Without a certificate issued under the criminal code or a permit issued by the superintendent of provincial police, a chief constable of the chief of city or district municipality police, no person in future will be able to purchase a revolver, pistol, airgun, or such weapons as bowie knives, daggers, stilettos, metal knuckles or slung shots, and dealers who sell such weapons to persons who do not possess the necessary permit will be liable to a fine of from $25 to $200 and to six months in jail, under the provisions of the act respecting the sale of offensive weapons past at the recent session of the legislature.

The measure also provides that every person selling a revolver, pistol or airgun must keep a record of the date of the sale, name of the maker serial number of the weapon and the name, address and accupation of the purchaser.

Peace officers may in future under the new act search any person. they suspect of illegally carring weapons and if any perron who is not a native of Canada is fonnd carrying any of the offensive weapons named, the matter will be reported to the attorney general who will recommend to the minister of justice that the person in question be deported.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Anglican services will be held on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Union service will be conducted in the courthouse Sunday next at 7:30 p.m. by Rev. T. A. Osborne.

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TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

To OREN B. SMITH—Take notice that unless you do pay, within 91 days from the date hereof, the sum of $369, being your proportion of the expenditure required for the years 1911, and 1912 by Section 24 of the Mineral Act, upon the Independence group of mineral claims, Bute, Boston, Bank, Redwing, Buckhorn, Copper, Eureka, Nickle, Independence, situate at the head of 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 20th day of December, 1912.

NOTICE.

Yale land district, district of Yale.

Take notice that Thomas Henry Brown of Rossland, B.C., occupation, banker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of Lot 281, thence south 40 chains, east 40 chains, north 40 chains, west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres.

THOMAS HENRY BROWN,
H. C. A. Cornish, agent.

February 12, 1913.

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