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THE PROVINCIAL BUILDINGS.

The Finishing Touches Nearing an End—Will be Turned Over by the Contractors on Tuesday—The Work, Done Entirely by Local Men, is in Great Contrast to the Dominion Buildings Erected Here This Summer.

The new Provincial Government building, which was opened for business last week, deserves more than a passing notice. The building is of composite architecture and was designed by an architect in Victoria on suggestions submitted by Mr. J. D. Graham.

The structure is 46x45 feet, the walls 20 feet high, hip roof, with a central deck 16 feet square. The roof is relieved on two sides by large dormer windows. In front rises an imposing square tower 26 feet above the walls, topped by a 24-foot flag pole, where daily the scarlet banner of Britannia throws its folds to the breeze. From the base of the tower stretches a balcony and handrail. The cornices are bracketed nicely.

The interior is reached by a broad flight of steps under a handsome porch, and the hallway, which is 9 feet in width, stretches right across the building. On the right front is the recording office, 18x30. Connected with this is the Commissioner's private office, 18x15. On the left entrance is the district judge's office, 12x18, and behind this is the court room, 33x18. A wide staircase at the end of the hallway leads upstairs, where are situated three large rooms for dwelling purposes. The double walls are jammed with sawdust for protection against the wintry blasts, and the whole building is so ingeniously arranged that every inch of the interior can be reached at once in case of fire. The heating apparatus, which will be shortly put in, is unique. The flue is terra cotta encased with brick, and rises from the foundation right up through the roof, completely obviating all danger from fire. Hot and cold air pipes lead to every room.

The fixtures in the various departments were all made by the contractor and are substantial and handsome as any to be found anywhere.

The contractor, Mr. David Main, has employed none but local men and used nothing but local material as far as it could be had. This is in gratifying contrast to the job the Dominion government made on the Post-office building, which was erected by men imported from the east. In rapidity of construction, solidity and elegance, the local men have distanced them completely.

The contractor, Mr. Main, and also the Government Inspector, Mr. Olive, to whose practical mind many ingenious suggestions are due, have every reason to be proud of the Atlin Government building. It will, it is to be hoped, long stand as a monument to their energy, skill and taste.

VERY MUCH ALIVE.

It is not given to every man to experience the peculiar pain-pleasure of reading his own obituary, but such has lately been the case with our musical friend, Harry Pavey. He has in his possession a late copy of the Oakland, Cal., Enterprise, giving a full and circumstantial account of the wreck of a sloop in the Behring Sea, and the names of the crew, who all met a watery grave. Among them is "our late townsman, Harry Pavey, lately of the Chrysanthemum Quartette." It gives Harry a good send off for the nether regions and a character which would have softened St. Peter's heart at once and secured him a wet cloud, a halo and a golden harp. As it is, Harry is still this side of Jordan and would prefer "Fifth Avenue" to any boulevard in the New Jerusalem. He will take a trip home this fall and try to convince his relatives that he is not a "spook."

AN ENTERTAINING LECTURE.

Mrs. Mary E. Hitchcock's illustrated talk, "San Francisco to Dawson, with Barge Life on the Yukon," was presented to a good-sized audience at the A. B. Hall on Wednesday and more than realized all expectations. To satisfy an Atlin audience, who are familiar with northern life and experiences, and are consequently more critical than one, say in Victoria or Vancouver, is a crucial test and one that was borne triumphantly. Rapt attention followed the lecturess from beginning to close and the hearty applause at the conclusion was indicative of high satisfaction with the intellectual treat provided. Mrs. Hitchcock's enunciation is singularly distinct and well modulated. "From grave to gay, from lively to severe, from ball-room to the goldfields," were all handled with that confidence which only comes with the speaker's own assurance of reserve power. The "talk" followed closely on the lines of Mrs. Hitchcock's famous book, "Two Women in the Klondyke." The lantern views, which were cleverly handled by Messrs. Stephenson and Pinder, gave counterfeit presentments of the scenes and incidents described, adding much to the clear understanding of the narrative. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the lecturess and a social dance followed.

We hope Mrs. Hitchcock may be induced to follow with another "talk" soon. If so, it will certainly be to a full house.

SCOTCH PLUCK.

There now lies at the B. A. C.'s dock a fine example of what dour Scottish pluck and perseverance can attempt and accomplish. There floats, as handsome as a duck, a screw steamer, lately launched, 35 feet in length by 9 in beam, the entire handiwork of one man.

Early this summer Joseph Morrison commenced building her at the corner of First and Watson, on a model of his own designing. Many difficulties stood in his way but single handed he worked on. Old sleds were bought for the hickory and other tough woods they contained, and, after being dismantled, now form the ribs of the steamer. Little by little the structure grew until the hull was complete. A $600 marine engine was bought down the coast and duly arrived. This, Mr. Morrison put into position. A 20-horse power boiler was purchased from the Brown & Sinclair Mill Co. It was too large, but it was the best to be had under the circumstances, so Mr. Morrison set to work, cut it down, refitted it to the required shape and placed it in position, reducing its horse-power from 20 to 12. A propeller and shaft was next in order. These were made by hand. Mr. Morrison has been his own designer, builder, engineer, painter and caulker. The government inspector has passed his work with credit, and the little steamer, which has been christened the "Blair Athol" will be employed for towing rafts, excursion parties and the like, the doughty Morrison being the captain and the crew and the midshipmite too.

SMALL DEBTS' COURT.

The following cases came up during the week:

Lewis vs. Brown—Suit to recover $5 for medical services. Judgment for plaintiff.

Lewis vs. Gregory—Suit to recover $35 for medical services. Judgment for plaintiff.

Williams vs. Syd. Aitken, suit for wages, $56.25. Judgment for plaintiff.

POLICE COURT.

Wm. Sawdy, drunk and disorderly, was fined $2.50 and costs on Wednesday. On Thursday, the same man, same charge, with creating a disturbance added, was fined $10 and costs.

MINERAL RECORDS.

Aug. 20.—A. E. Hart—Lucky Boy, Otter Creek.

20—Jas. L. Hart—First Strike, Otter Creek.

20.—H. M. Price—Mount Gleaner, Taku Arm, 1 1-2 miles south of Sheep Creek.

20—John Irving, Snow Shoe.

20—A. P. Briggs—Snow Slide.

20—P. Scharschmidt — Tom Thumb.

20—D. Stevens—Gigantic.

The above four claims are located on Taku arm, 1 1-2 miles south of Sheep Creek.

20—H. B. Harriman—Independence, Monro Mountain.

22—Alex. Smith—Delsy, McKee Creek, 1 1-2 miles back from Atlin Lake.

22—Alex. Smith—Silver Cache, 18 miles south of Atlin on lake shore.

23—Wm. Duncan—Skylark, 3 1-2 miles NE Discovery.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. H. Cancellor, of Pine, was a passenger out on Tuesday's boat. Mr. Cancellor intends joining her on the coast in October.

Capt. Rodde is now well on the way to convalescence, and is able to be around. It will be some time, however, before he is fit for duty.

Messrs. McFarlane and Faull, mining agents and experts, left on Tuesday for Dawson. They are satisfied that Atlin is a grand field for investors and the latter gentleman will return in a few weeks' time.

Mrs. T. Lawrence, wife of Capt. Lawrence of the Scotia, arrived from Victoria last week and will spend the intervening time between now and the close of navigation in Atlin. She is delighted with the scenery, the people and the climate and is enjoying her holiday thoroughly.

Harold Brown left for the Lower Yukon on Wednesday.

M. Janne de Lamare leaves to-day for Dawson, where he has large mining and other interests. He will be accompanied by Mr. A. C. Hirschfeld, who intends making a large collection of photos of scenes along the Yukon. They will return in about three weeks and after settling Atlin business M. Lamare and Crom will leave for their homes in Paris, where they will spend the winter.

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The sittings of the Supreme and County Courts, which will commence next week with the advent of Judge Martin, will be a relief from the congestion of civil cases from which Atlin has been so long suffering, and which have such a paralysing effect upon the district's speedy development. This cleansing of the Augean stables once a year is only an intermittent relief, however. Something must be devised for the speedy settlement of all mining entanglements which are bound, in the nature of things, to arise again and lock up properties. The mine owners themselves, and the public also, cannot afford that the present delays be perpetuated. They are repellant to reason and common sense. It is not our province to point out the cure, that that must be left to the proper authorities, but we would be remiss in our duty if we failed to point out the disease which is sapping our vitals and to demand that steps be taken to remedy it. We care not if this remedial treatment be in the way of granting increased powers to the Gold Commissioner or any way else. Sufficient to say that the present condition of affairs is intolerable in a camp of such rich promise as this is. A yearly cleaning of the slate will not do.

The late Lord Russell of Killowen, who was present at an Independence day banquet, had, in his excellent repertory, a story suited to the occasion, says the London Chronicle. During one of his visits to the United States he was walking with Mr. Evarts by the Potomac. "Broad as the river is," said the American lawyer to the British jurist, "Washington threw a dollar over it." The surprise expressed by Lord Russell gave his companion the perhaps desired opportunity for the jest that money carried further in America than in England. Lord Russell, rising to the occasion, at once capped the feat on Washington's behalf. "After all," he said, "it was not so remarkable a feat for a man who chucked a sovereign across the Atlantic."

THE WISE MEN.

On the principle that a little folly now and then is relished by the wisest men, the wise men of the Provincial Assembly indulged in a little boyish banter recently, says the Vancouver World. It was over the request of a photographer that the members grant him a sitting at their convenience. It was the hour for adjournment and the members felt like they had erstwhile felt, when as schoolboys indeed, they had of a Friday afternoon watched the hour hand slowly turn to the closing hour. Some member raised the point as to whether they should sit in the building or outside for the picture. Then it was proposed to put it to a vote. The Minister capped all by asking if the question were whether the members proposed to have an exterior or an interior view of themselves taken. That settled it. There was no vote taken.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS.

Mr. Graves and Mr. Hawkins, General Manager and Superintendent respectively of the White Pass and Yukon Railroad, left on Tuesday. In company with Mr. Hislop they have spent several days at Wright Creek, inspecting the Pendugwig Hydraulic Syndicate's property, in which they are deeply interested. Mr. Graves, on being interviewed, expressed himself as being well pleased with the prospects there and said that he was sure Atlin would have a great future as a quartz mining centre. On their way out they paid a visit to the Engineer group on Taku Arm.

Mr. Hislop remained behind in order to inspect some quartz properties in the near vicinity of Atlin with a view to purchase.

CLIFFORD AND JOSEPH.

When C. W. D. Clifford, of Cassiar, first took his seat in the Legislature of British Columbia, says the Province of the 11th, the then Attorney-General, Mr. Joseph Martin, made the mistake of regarding him as a good-natured but to be easily-rattled veteran of the northern mines and fishing camps, who would be crushed instanter when the guns of the one and only Fighting Joseph were turned in his direction.

Perhaps Mr. Martin is not a physiognomist or he would have formed a different conclusion—for although a great part of Mr. Clifford's useful life has been spent far from so-called civilization, he is not the man to be crushed, and Mr. Martin was not long in finding it out. Of course the then head and front of the government took the first opportunity of getting the Cassiar man's measure, which he did by interjecting caustic observations as Mr. Clifford was making his maiden speech in the House. The new member stood it patiently for a while. Then he stopped in his speech, and very calmly addressed himself to the task of demolishing his tormentor.

"It is quite true that the present is the first opportunity I have had," he said in effect, "of speaking for my constituents in the Parliament of British Columbia, and it is but natural under the circumstances that I may be forced to crave the indulgence of the House if, all unintentionally, I transgress any of the rules of debate with which I have yet to become familiar. In granting me this indulgence, I must ask the House to remember that a great part of my life has been spent in what may be called the northern wilderness, where the canoe takes the place of the street car and carriage, and where the sight of a white face is for months at a time denied. Living under such circumstances and with such surroundings, it is not unnatural that one should imbibe certain of the crude and curiously distorted ideas of civilization that prevail among the aborigines. One of their beliefs, for example, and it is put in practice, is that courteous hearing should be given to one essaying a duty that is new to him—patience with such a one, and a lenient regard for his shortcomings are invariably accorded by these untutored people of the land. I see that the principle that they have nourished is not universal—or at all events that it is not the practice in Manitoba."

That Mr. Martin felt keenly the dignified and yet vigorous rebuke of the genial but strong old gentleman from the north was evident, and it is told that at the close of the session he took the opportunity in the lobby to congratulate the new member upon his skill and coolness in debate, and especially in responding to the attack he himself had interjected.

MONRO MOUNTAIN.

Mrs. Mary E. Hitchcock has let a contract for tunnelling on her two quartz claims, the Ida A. and Kitchener. Five men have started to work, and the prospect of tapping the ledge quite rich at a depth is excellent, as the surface showing is very fine.

MOUNTAIN GOAT.

J. R. Clay shot and killed a fine mountain goat on Monro Mountain on Sunday last. It had been seen by several parties lately, which induced Mr. Clay to take his rifle along. His goatship was a tough old customer, as it cost Mr. Clay eight cartridges to bag the game.

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Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to prospect for coal on the following described tract of land, situate in the Hazleton sub-division of the district of Cassiar: Commencing at a stake marked "M. McP., N. E. corner post," thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

M. McPHATTER
Manager Jubilee Mining & Development Co.
Dated Atlin, B. C., 21st July, 1900.

APPLICATION FOR LAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease 5 (five) acres of land for garden purposes, situate on the north side of Pine Creek, about two and a half miles from its mouth, commencing at stake marked No. 1, running easterly 202 yards to stake No. 2, near to Pine Creek; thence northerly 120 yards to stake No. 3; thence westerly 202 yards to stake No. 4; thence southerly 120 yards to place of commencement.

H. A. BAXTER.
Atlin, B. C., Aug. 11, 1900.

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Church of England services will be held on corner Trainor and Third streets on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church hold services in the A. B. Hall, Second Street. Morning service at 10:30; evening service 7:30. Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Rev. G. Pringle, Minister.

One of the best articles for good health is a wholesome loaf of bread at 12 cents, and a first-class meal for 50 cents at the Pioneer Bakery.

Brown & Sinclair and Baker & Tennant's mills are building large numbers of scows for the Dawson trade. Two left the former establishment on Wednesday.

The souvenir programmes to commemorate the opening of the new government buildings had a ready sale and will be treasured by many as a memento of the occasion. The handsome photos which adorned the title pages were the work of Muirhead Bros., and are up to their usual high-class standard.

The principal streets of Atlin are now getting quite a high-toned appearance, thanks to the amount of work that is being expended on them under the able supervision of Archie Cameron. Whilst not possessing the faith necessary to remove mountains, he has enough, aided by a little muscle, to do away with all the humps, hollows and boulders with which our fair town is so liberally blessed, or otherwise. The smart look he has imparted to the burg is calculated to give visitors a very favorable impression and speaks well for his abilities as road-master.

W. G. Paxton has been appointed Deputy Sheriff for Vancouver County.

A trail has been cut along the telegraph line north of the town for about three miles, giving easy access to the promising quartz mines in that locality. Archie Cameron will put some men to work soon on one or two sidings which need grading, when wagons can make the trip comfortably.

Brown & Sinclair are having lumber hauled from Surprise Lake for the building of scows.

Fishing has been very good of late, a haul of over 90 grayling being had by three rods on Monday evening at the head of the Atlinto river. Quite a lot of fish run over two pounds each.

Tom Vaughan, of McKee, left on Tuesday for Skagway for rest and medical attendance, having suffered from a sprained back for some time. Heavy boulders and 60 summers were too great a combination even for Tom, than whom no better man ever handled a shovel. We hope to hear of his complete recovery soon.

Go to Cummings & Richardson's for gents' furnishings, boots and shoes, First street.

A. E Jenns, barrister-at-law, has opened an office, corner of Trainor and Second streets.

In our account of the opening concert at the new government building we should have referred to Mr. A. Von Heck, not Von Welt, amongst the vocalists who assisted.

On Thursday evening half a dozen new scows, the property of Messrs. Stanton, Simmons and Angle, manned by the owners, started for Taku, en route to White Horse. On getting out from the shore the wind rose and despite all efforts with the sweeps, the scows, which were lashed in a bunch, brought up on the west side of the lake near Goat Island.

Mr. Robertson, Provincial Mineralogist, arrived on the Scotia yesterday.

J. H. Russell returned from an eastern tour yesterday.

Constable Heal arrived from Bennett yesterday, bringing with him the prisoner Cullin, who is to be tried at next week's assizes.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I beg to inform the public of Atlin that I shall shortly remodel and enlarge my premises for the coming winter, as I am here to stay, for sure. For a substantial meal, combined with cleanliness, good service and taste, patronize the Atlin Restaurant, Pearl street. Open from 5 a. m. till 8 p. m. Supper, card and dance parties catered for. "Bill" Fone, Proprietor.

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A FAKE.

Dr. G. Lewis, who has made all preparations for going to Circle City and Tanana, received the following telegram from his uncle yesterday:

Dawson, Aug. 23.

"Tanana complete fake. If must leave Atlin, go out. I positively and emphatically disadvise coming north. Take my advice.

Lewis Lewis.

Any of our readers who are struck with the fairy tales from that hyperborean region will better pause for further information before making a move thitherwards.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The allies captured Peking on the 15th inst., after an obstinate resistance. Legations rescued.

Roumania and Bulgaria are at the fighting point.

British garrison at Eland's River relieved by Kitchener.

General De Wet slipped through the British noose again.

Czar visits Paris Sept. 15th. Had better look out.

Kansas City firemen carried off first honors from 5000 firemen of all nations at Paris.

Young King of Italy at loggerheads with his ministers.

Prince of Wales in Hamburg.

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REGINA V. CULLEN.

This will be the only criminal case tried by Judge Martin at the forthcoming Court of Assize. The charge is, having carnal knowledge of a girl under 14 years of age. The maximum penalty is imprisonment for life and whipping.

The Supreme and County Courts to follow will dispose of quite a number of civil cases.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the date of holding a Court of Assize, nisi prius, over and terminer and general goal delivery, at Atlin, has been postponed from the 28th day of August, 1900 to the 30th idem.

By command,

J. D. PRENTICE,

Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's office.

9th Aug., 1900.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

Examination for Assayers for License to Practice in British Columbia.

In accordance with section 12 of the Bureau of Mines' Act, a special examination for efficiency in the practice of assaying will be held in Atlin during the first part of September, 1900, should any candidates apply for same. Application for such examination may be made to W. F. Robertson, Provincial Mineralogist, at the Government office, Atlin. The exact date of the examination will be fixed by Mr. Robertson to suit the convenience of candidates, and due notice of same will be posted in the office of the Gold Commissioner.

Details of examination may be had at the office of the Gold Commissioner.

Atlin, B. C., Aug. 24, 1900.

NOTICE.

SALE OF CROWN LAND BY TENDER.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, up to noon of Thursday, 20th September, for the purchase of lot 176, Cassiar District, containing 161 acres, situated at the junction of Pine Creek with Atlin Lake. The sale will be subject to payment by the purchaser of the appraised value of the improvements which have been made on the lot and no tender of a less price than $5.00 per acre will be entertained.

W. S. GORE,

Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,

Victoria, B. C., 10th August, 1900.

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MINERAL CLAIMS

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Where located: On Pilot Mountain, about 4 miles north-east of Atlin.

Take notice that I, J. H. Brownlee, agent for Thomas H. Jones, Free Miners' certificate No. 50791A; Wm. Moore, Free Miners' certificate No. 90167; James Stokes, Free Miners' certificate No. 90169; W. E. Hamilton, Free Miners' certificate No. 2858 special, and R. D. Fetherstonhaugh, Free Miners' certificate No. B28286, intend, 60 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 certificate of improvements.

J. H. BROWNLEE.

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