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WEEKLY PRICES

We beg to note the following prices until the opening of navigation after which date it is our intention to make the price of staple goods meet the conditions of the camp to the limit of our ability, regardless of profit.
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" do " 1.50
Lamb, 1 lb. doz. 1.50
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Chumax, 100g. " " .00
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THE HOUSE

ADJOURNS

A REBELLIOUS

OFFICER

Death of Speaker Booth - A

Compromise.

U.S. Collector Ivy Is Too

American.

The Boers Capture Three Com-

panies - Gordon Hunter for

Chief Justice - Marconi Re-

ceives an \$80,000 Grant.

To Rescind an Order Once Given

Atlin's Population Raised

By 700 - Prince Henry to

Visit Canada.

VICTORIA, Feb. 28th - Hon. J.

B. South, Speaker of the Legisla-

tive Assembly, died on Tuesday

night at 9 p.m.

On motion of Premier Dunsmuir

the House adjourned until Monday

out of respect to the late Speaker.

There is no solution as to what

will transpire during the adjourn-

ment, but there is talk of a new

party being formed with Eberts

and McBride as chief component

parts. McBride also Premier. The

Government and Opposition have

suggested in any case to leave Joe

Martin and his four followers in

their present positions without in-

fluence or power. It is said that

Bodwell is likely to be taken into

the Cabinet.

Later in the day Bodwell, T. C.

was sworn in yesterday as Minister

of Mines to replace Eberts.

Col. D. G. Prior ex-M.P. will

contest Bodwell's election.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28th - Major

McLean is to receive \$30,000 assistance

from the Canadian Government in ex-

change for reduced cable rates.

It is stated that the new rates

will be fully 65 per cent lower than

the existing cable rates.

LONDON, Feb. 28th - The Poers

have surrounded and captured

three companies of the Northern

berland Fusiliers, convoying empty

wagons. Two canon were also

captured.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28th - King Ed-

ward visited Kempton Park and

saw his Grand National candidate

Ambush II, win the steeplechase.

Wild enthusiasm.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28th - Dr.

Decow died at St. Johns, Quebec

on the 13th inst. of heart failure.

Dr. Decow was one of the members

of Ogilvie's Geological Survey

party in the exploration of the

Yukon.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28th - The

Associated Boards of Trade of B.C.

at their meeting held at Kaslo,

elected G. O. Buchanan President

and H. W. C. Jackson Secretary.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28th - Prince

Henry is to pay Canada a visit.

He will cross Niagara bridge and meet

Laurier at Clifton.

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SATURDAY, MAR. 1, 1902.

Atlin news has reached Atlin of an immensely rich strike on the White Moose River, Yukon Territory, yielding \$25.00 to the pan. Intending stampedeers should bear in mind the fact that the transportation companies are ready for the spring rush, and a little shanty at this end might catch suckers.

It is satisfactory to learn of the transfer of the acquisition of Montana capital into this district for the development of our mineral resources. American financiers, particularly from Montana, do not know their business, and as the men and the properties acquired have known to us that they have good values, there is little doubt but that time will be lost in converting these properties into solid business units. Mr. Clark of Montana is behind the deal.

On the walls of disconsolate, discontented, dissatisfied and morbid representatives of an important English financial journal command the following: "Our Special Commissioner, who wrote a tirade on mining in British Columbia the like of which we could not have dreamed, far less have thought to come from the pen of any one who had breathed the air of British Columbia."

He says that Rossland "today is but a sorry lot of speculators," and in the Nelson district every mine is nearly as moribund, and for the most part the Province as a whole is just as bad as it can be. The absolute proof of the correspondent's abuse of British Columbia's most important industry is beautifully shown in the advance report of the Mines Department, which gives the mineral output for 1901, exclusive of coal and coke, as \$15,452,071, being an increase of 25 per cent over the previous year. This is fairly healthy for an industry that is just as bad as it can be.

The Commissioner got badly mixed in his report of the two British companies operating here when he describes the McKee creek hydraulic property under the title of the Atlin Lake and of the Birch creek under that of the Atlin company, though we must highly appreciate the few hopeful words he seemed forced to express upon this district, which, from his general tone, are like dewdrops on the desert. There may still be a chance for the Province. Atlin has saved it from utter condemnation.

There may have been a few English sovereigns dropped into a few holes in British Columbia, but the brotherhood of Whittaker Wright must most of these be charged and not placed against the Province, nor is the mismanagement of the Le Roi the fault of the mining industry of British Columbia. Next time the "Economist" desires a report on the Province, let it send a man, not one who conveys the impression that he has one foot in the grave!

A BIG DEAL.

The White Moose Bonded
for \$105,000

One of the Most Valuable Copper-Gold Properties in the District Will Be Developed By Montana Capital.

Confirmation has this week been received of the closing of a very important deal in quartz mining in this district. The final outcome of the sale will no doubt be far-reaching in its results.

Last summer Mr. A. C. Hirschfeld succeeded in interesting Mr. John Caplice of Butte, Montana, in the White Moose Group of mineral claims, situated on Taku Arm, with the result that a short bond was secured from the owners, Messrs. L. C. Hawkins, J. Wash and J. M. Moehouse, and transferred to Mr. Caplice, who on its expiry was granted an extension. The property has now been taken up and the consideration is stated to be \$105,000. A payment of \$5,000 is to be made on Sept. 20th next. It is understood that Senator Clark of Montana is behind the deal.

Work will in all probability be commenced immediately as Mr. Wash, who is at present in Skagway, has been communicated with and asked as to the possibility of starting work and as he replied that everything was most favourable, definite instructions are looked for by an early mail.

The news of the taking up of this option by Mr. Caplice and his friends is most welcome, as apart from the early conversion of this valuable property into a shipping mine, there is little question but that Mr. Caplice will carry out his idea of aiding the quartz development of this section by erecting a smelter somewhere on Taku Arm for the treatment of the ores of the district. We hope in the near future to have authentic information on this subject for the benefit of our readers.

We extend to Mr. Caplice and his associates our heartiest congratulations on their intended acquirement of the White Moose property, and have no doubt whatever but that the property will be taken up by them.

Ottawa, Feb. 25th.—It is a foregone conclusion, according to an Ottawa despatch, that Judge Irving, who was Special Commissioner to Atlin in 1899, will be promoted to the position of Chief Justice to succeed the late John A. McColl, and that Gordon Hunter will be made a puisne Judge.

Ottawa, Feb. 25th.—The Charlton Reciprocity Bill in Trade or Tariffs is under discussion before the House of Commons.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 25th.—The steamer Bertha has been floated and is now on her way to Seattle.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 25th.—Ellen Stone is free.

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OPINIONS DIFFER.

Two Opinions on Mining in British Columbia.

Widely Different Views on the Same Subject Are British Investors Losers?

As individuals of all kinds continually in British Columbia, we cannot help having a kindly feeling for the Province, and especially for all others occupied in the same business and for the general good name of the Province, more particularly of its mining industry. The following extracts are quoted from a London paper, the "Economist," written by a Special Commissioner, appeared in its issue of January 25th as follows:

"No mining country in my mind is associated with such absolute disappointment as British Columbia. It is a country of varied mineral wealth, many different ore deposits. Gold bearing deposits can be numbered by the hundred, but gold often the gold is found in small quantities in copper-carrying ores, and of gold mines, it is in these principally that English capital lies. There is only bad news."

The Commissioner refers most disparagingly to the various quartz mining camps of the Province and has not a good word to say for any of them. Strange, as it may seem, the only district for which he expresses a ray of hope is our own little northwest corner of B.C., and thus he expresses himself—note his descriptions:

"On returning from the Yukon I inspected the lately opened Atlin district of B.C. Up to the present this has been a placer diggings of fair value, now it is emerging into an hydraulic sluicing field. Of the companies operating two are English. These are the Atlin and Arthur Lake companies. I saw these two properties, and am rather hopeful that they will turn out payable. The Atlin Lake is the better one."

Mr. J. H. Fraser's requisites for sluicing—gold, grade, and water—do not possess all the moderation and according to the trial run of last season, should do fairly well next year. The least favorable point about this property is the number of large boulders which have to be bulldozed before they can be carried down the 1 per cent grade race. But, on the whole, this property is worth watching. The Atlin Company has payable gold, but hardly equal facilities of grade and water supply will have to be brought in if this mine is to be worked profitably. This may cost a maximum of \$10,000.00 and the prospects should be inspected on the ground. Rather carefully, I think shareholders are justified in this extra capital. Seve-

ral of the American-owned mines have promising prospects, and I have hopes that the Atlin district may make a rather good showing during the next few seasons."

In conclusion, the Commissioner winds up his doleful report with the following pell-mell: "On the whole British Columbia has made no return on the British capital applied hitherto. At present the outlook is just as bad as it can be imagined."

The other side of the question is contained in the second extract, to which reference is made in our preamble, in the summary of a series of articles which were published in the "B.C. Review" last Spring, over the signature of F. J. Kendall, one of the best known and most conservative mining experts of London and Vancouver.

By way of anticipation, let me say relatively very little. British money has been lost in amateur quartz mining, and even that little must be debited to bad management or something worse, rather than to lack of opportunity. We must pay more attention to running and less to the sharp market. Think more of dividends earned from the sale of mineral and less of those realized from the manipulation of stock. No T. J. Findlay, Mr. Arthur's flunkie, and foolish mineral dealer, British Columbia, will be worked efficiently and faithfully for the metal or mineral value in them, they will yield handsome returns. Much disappointment has

no doubt naturally been felt with the results hitherto obtained. The fault, however, does not rest with the mineral resources of the Province, but here [in London] all my other business were managed with the reckless incompetence

that has characterized, by far the greater part of the so-called mining enterprises of British Companies in Western Canada, its results must of necessity be equally disastrous.

SEATTLE, Feb. 25th.—The sealing schooner Morse turned turtle off San Francisco. Capt. Donaldson drowned. Sealing schooner Pawn ran ground on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, the crew were all saved. The schooner Oscar and Hattie ashore in Patfield creek, Barclay sound, and is very much battered by the storms.

OTTAWA, Feb. 25th.—It has been unofficially announced that General Dundonald, who lent the advanced sum of £10,000 in relief of Lady Smith, will be appointed to the command of the Canadian Militia. The appointment, confirmed by the Imperial War Department, will be hailed with delight by military circles throughout the Dominion.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25th.—Prince Henry was given a magnificent reception both here and in Washington on his arrival.

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PARLIAMENTARY

PROCEEDINGS.

Photographs

Unbecoming Conduct

Resorted to
A Scuffle on the Floor of the House Indulged in by Members of the Opposition.

VICTORIA, Feb. 25th.—The opening scene at the meeting of the B.C. Legislature on Monday was a disgraceful one and indicative of the tactics to be pursued by the Opposition. It is very strongly to be deprecated.

M. Richard McBride, as chosen leader of the Opposition, took Mr. Martin's old seat. Martin, called McBride a "blatant bully." When McBride stood up in prayer, Martin slipped into McBride's seat. McBride, with Captain Whibbs held Martin to pull him out and Gilmore of Vancouver grabbed hold of Curtis. Confusion reigned and bad language gave a stimulus all to the Opposition side of the House.

The Colonist says that an attempt was made to treat Mr. Martin in an ungentlemanly manner, but unfortunately Mr. Martin sank to the level of those who used ungentlemanly tactics against him.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 25th.—In the United States Senate Senator McLaurin called Senator Tillman a liar for insinuating bribery. Tillman flew at McLaurin and the Senators exchanged blows. Both pronounced in contempt. The President has withdrawn an invitation to Tillman to attend the dinner in honour of Prince Henry. Tillman, in an angry interview states that the president is no gentleman.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25th.—A fatal fire started last evening at the Park Avenue Armory and spread to an adjoining hotel which at the time contained nearly 500 persons. Many jumped from the windows while others whose exit was cut off tried to rush through the flames and were burned to death. Some twenty-five or thirty lives are supposed to be lost.

OTTAWA, Feb. 25th.—The latest order in connection with the lead gold concessions in Dawson is that miners must be supplied with 2000 miners' lunches and water at a maximum cost of twenty-five cents per inch.

Mr. A. B. C. Ltd., Partnership, to James Hume, M. H. McCabe and Eli Hume, their Agent or Agents, W. J. Anderson, part owner in the above named Partnership, hereby give notice to the above named James Hume, M. H. McCabe and Eli Hume or other their Agent or Agents, that the sum of \$182.49 is now due me from each of the above mentioned James Hume, M. H. McCabe and Eli Hume, as per Assessment No. 2 rendered in accordance with Sec. 61, 1901, and as the said assessment has not been paid in compliance therewith, I shall proceed under and by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 65, Consolidated Places Act 1901, unless the said amounts be paid to me on or before March 12th, 1902, together with all assessments which may accrue and other costs and charges occasioned by such default.

W. J. ANDERSON,
Mr. A. B. C. Ltd., Partnership,
Spruce Creek, Atlin Mining District, B.C.
Atlin, B.C., Feb. 25th, 1902.

Alaska, Yukon and Northern B.C.

FROM

Skagway to Atlin & Dawson

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Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for an act to incorporate a company with power to build, equip, maintain and operate a line or lines of railway from some point on Kitimat Inlet in Coast District in the Province of British Columbia, thence by the most convenient and feasible route to Hazelton on the Skeena River in the Cassiar District in said Province, thence from said Hazelton to the coast of the Pacific Ocean, a practicable route to the outside Northern Boundary line of the Province of British Columbia at or near Lake Atlin or Lake Lake or both. And also to extend Hazelton by the most convenient and feasible route to a point at or near the Eastern Boundary line of the Province of Skeena, Bulkley, Dease and Nass and Finlay Rivers to Peace River Pass, thence Easterly to the Eastern Boundary of the Province, thence to a point at or near Edmonton, in the Northwest Territories of Canada, with authority also to construct, equip, maintain and operate branches from and to the proposed line or lines, not exceeding in any one case thirty miles in length, and with power to construct, acquire or own and maintain river and docks in connection therewith and to construct, own, acquire, equip and maintain steam and other vessels and boats and operate the same on any navigable waters, and to construct, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines along the routes of said railway, and its branches or in connection therewith and to transmit messages for commercial purposes, and to collect tolls therefor, and to acquire and receive from any Government, corporation, or persons grants of land, rights of way, money, bonuses, privileges or other assistance in aid of the construction of the Company's undertaking, and to connect with and to enter into traffic or other arrangements with railway, steamboat or other companies, and for all rights, powers and privileges necessary, usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

Dated this 4th day of February, A.D. 1902.

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Atlin, B.C., Feb. 25th, 1902.

NOTES

PICKED UP HERE AND THERE.

Central of England

St. Matthew's Church, ear Third and Main on streets. Sunday services Matins at 10 a.m., Evensong 5 p.m. in Celebration of Holy Communion. Our Sunday in each month and on Special occasions Sunday School Sunday 4 p.m. in Grand Committee Room, starting Thursday evening monthly. Rev. F. L. Stevenson, Rector.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, located in the Church on Second Street. Morning service at 8 a.m.; Evening service at 8 p.m. Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Rev. J. Russell Miller, Minister. Reading Room, to which all are welcome.

DRUGGISTS. Act 1901, consolidated for sale at this office.

For a good square meal in a hurry go to The Quick Lunch Room, Mrs. Henning Prop. Moran and Carmichael picked up two pretty good nuggets recently from their drift on Otter Creek. They are valued at about \$42 apiece. A report on their winter development will appear in the next issue.

To Amateur Photographers —

Toning and fixing solution for Soho and other papers, in bulk ready for use, at Hirschfeld's.

There is to be a dance at the B.C. Hotel, Discovery, next Friday evening.

Mr. Walmsley has a first-class hotel at Caribou Crossing, and provides his patrons the best of every comfort. Excellent stabling.

W. J. D. Fraser has opened a new home on the south end of Atlin lake at the Jubilee portage. The Jubilee House will be fully appre-

ciated by those on the trail.

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modest price.

Home Made Bread follows

at the Vancouver Restaurant &

Baker, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Parc Maghan returned on Thurs-

day afternoon from the south end of Atlin

lake where he has been doing last

assessments. He has brought back

some very fine rock with him.

He has also brought some

newton's and some very nice chocolates at Rock Hill

& Bourne's.

W. St. Clair Blackett and Frank

Mobley left Wednesday morning for

the new strike on the White River,

but to whom we wish them every luck?

Blue Ribbon Coffee is absolutely

delicious our own or any other

coffee.

Copies of the new Placer Act of

1901, consolidated with the Acts of

1898 and 1899, for sale at the

Atlin Office.

Mr. Jas Fairborn, late of Atlin,

has been appointed by the Canadian

Bank of Commerce at White Horse,

general agent for handling the

output of the Minn Haven Lumber

Co. He is now on his way to Dawson City, in connection with the com-

pany's affairs.

J. C. Lumden returned last

Saturday from the Coast and ex-

ceeded himself glad to get back to

Atlin. He struck Vancouver dur-

ing his return trip and had to pur-

chase winter clothing. His Adin

act did not take place as the

winters were not warm enough for

the coast climate.

Show Case for sale. Apply at

E. L. Hirschfeld's Office.

Placer Act, 1901, consolidated,

for sale at this office.

The Light Fantastic.

A very enjoyable dance took place last Friday evening at the Grand Hotel.

The function was got up and all the arrangements carried through by a committee consisting of A. Harmony and George Matthews assisted by Frank Ward and others.

The hall of the Grand was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

Red, White and Blue being the prevailing colours.

A capital lunch was served at midnight. Mr. Meyers of the Pioneer Restaurant being the presiding genius.

Considerably over twenty couples were present including visitors from Discovery and Spruce Creek.

and the dance which did not break

till a late hour on Saturday morning was voted one of the suc-

cesses of the season.

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NOTICE — To Lovers of Hockey and the Citizens of the District.

There will be a meeting of the Hockey Club and citizens generally at the Grand Hotel on Friday, 13th inst. The White Horse Hockey team have signified their intention of coming to Atlin in the near future. The object of the meeting is to devise ways and means of entertaining our visitors and extending the same courtesies that were so lavishly given to our team on their recent visit to White Horse without resorting to the (in Atlin) huckeysed method of passing around a subscription list.

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The Ice Carnival.

The second fancy dress carnival was held on the Rink last Monday night and totally eclipsed its predecessor for the number and variety of fancy dresses. The prizes were awarded to Miss Stevenson who repre-

sented Britannia, and Miss

Roselli who took and acted the

part of a Clown. In the opinion of

many of the participants the prizes

should have gone to Miss Munro

and Mr. Ware who represented re-

spectively Holly and George

Washington. An enjoyable dance

was held in the Grand Hotel after

the carnival.

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Certificate of Improvements.

ROCK OF AGES MINERAL CLAIM, SITUATE ON PINE CREEK, ATLIN DIVISION, CASSIUS DISTRICT, B.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that W. F. A. Wise, W. G. Mitchell and N. H. Gunnalls intend Sixty days from date to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above mineral claim.

AND FURTHER, Take notice that action under Section 27 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improve-

ment.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1902.

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