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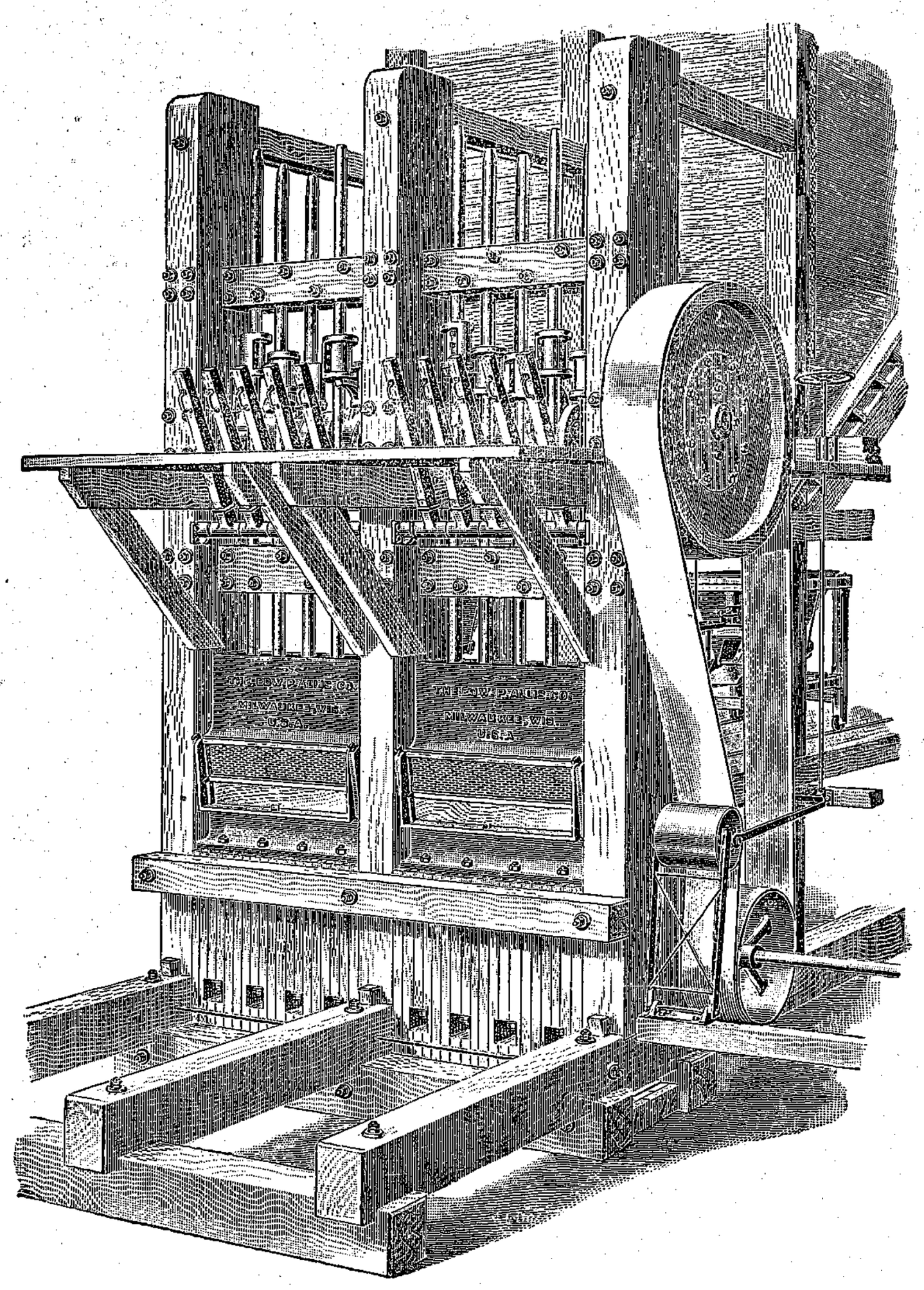

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Correspondence Invited — *E. JACOBS, Secretary and Treasurer.*

BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES

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FROM OTTAWA.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OTTAWA, March 24.—Boundary Creek is the best advertised district in Canada to-day. Never was a battle more hotly waged than that whose scene is in the railway committee of the House of Commons, where the Canadian Pacific Railway company is using all its powerful influence to defeat the granting of a charter to the Kettle River Valley Railway company. Both sides, in their efforts to convince the committee, use the most glowing language in describing the mineral riches of Boundary Creek district. Every newspaper in the country gives lengthy reports of the meetings of the committee, and whether the charter is granted or not, the district is being well advertised.

The atmosphere of the committee room was anything but pure to-day. The ventilation was bad. Standing room even could not be secured, on account of the large attendance of members, newspaper men, lobbyists and others. After Chairman Sutherland succeeded in getting order, he read a series of telegrams for and against the charter. One of these was unique. It came from the board of trade of Trail, and its most striking feature was its length. One member of the committee quietly ventured to hope that it was "dead-headed" by the C. P. R. or it would ruin the employees of the C. P. R. smelter to pay for its transmission. Another telegram was read by W. W. B. McInnes, M. P. It contained the resolution railroaded through the provincial legislature by H. D. Helmcken, one of the paid solicitors of the C. P. R., and by the Turner government. Turner's chances of success in the general election must be slight indeed when he buys C. P. R. assistance at such a price. But more about this later on. The government have not heard the last about this resolution.

W. W. B. McInnes is the most disliked politician in Ottawa to-day. He occupies a similar position to that of Hon. D. W. Higgins in Victoria. He has fallen out with his own party and he cannot become popular with Conservatives. He is a typical McInnes, inconsistent and illogical. Last year his voice was heard against the government, and more against the grinding monopoly of the Canadian Pacific railway. To-day he was enthusiastic in his advocacy of the C. P. R. and against a competitor of the C. P. R. In previous letters I explained his change of front, and he is doing his best for his friends, who have bonded the V., V. and E. charter to the C. P. R. Like all advocates of a poor cause, Mr. McInnes devoted the most of his time to heaping insults upon the people of Boundary Creek district. He told the committee that we were American and that our towns were "twopenny fake American boom towns. The committee should not listen to the voice of these fake Americans; they ought to give their ears to the boards of trade of Vancouver and Victoria."

Mr. Bodwell again addressed the committee and made a strong speech. He answered all the fake telegrams which have been sent by the C. P. R. agents from the coast cities, and all the fallacious arguments which have been used against the charter.

Mr. Shaughnessy, the vice-president of the C. P. R., replied. He is a better speaker than Sir William Van Horne and an equally gifted prevaricator. Mr. Shaughnessy used the same arguments as Sir William Van Horne, but his sentences were clearer and more connected. The C. P. R. were anxious to secure and retain the trade of Boundary Creek district for the people of Canada. Corbin's road would divert it to American channels. He promised that the C. P. R. will build from Robson to Midway by November next. It was then 1 o'clock and the committee adjourned without reaching a vote. Never was there such a determined vote against a charter, never were such unfair means used by a railway company to accomplish its ends.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto Globe, in a strong letter to his paper, graphically describes the strong lobby being made against the bill. I cannot do better than conclude by quoting his closing paragraph: "The lobbyist is a growing power and a growing danger, and if after the resources of public argument have been exhausted he is able to pull the committee around by private appeals, the lobbyist will soon entirely replace the public advocate at Ottawa, as he has already replaced him at Washington. Not the least curious feature of the situation is that certain members who have been most vigorous in their denunciation of the policy of handing over British Columbia to railway monopoly, as Manitoba was treated, are now strong advocates of the shutting out of a company that will give competition against the C. P. R. Last session Mr. McInnes, for example, lifted up his voice and wept at the results of C. P. R. monopoly. To-morrow he will be found supporting it. Time brings strange revenges. The possibility of the C. P. R. acquiring the charter of the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern, in which divers well-known people have interests, is a potent reason for the change of heart among members. If the Kettle Valley bill is thrown out to-morrow it will be a triumph, not of patriotism but of pull.

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CITY COUNCIL.

The council met Monday evening, 4th of April, Mayor Wood in the chair. Present, Ald. Barrett, Galloway, Paton and Phelan. Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

Communications were read from John Boyd & Co., and Armstrong & Morrison, Vancouver, in reference to prices of pipe for waterworks; Robert Ward & Co., Victoria, asking for an option on debentures for fourteen days; finance committee recommending payment of accounts of B. C. Gazette and BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES.

Moved by Ald. Galloway, seconded by Ald. Barrett that date of accepting tenders for waterworks pipe be 30th of April. Carried. The communication of John Boyd & Co., and Armstrong & Morrison were filed. Moved by Ald. Galloway, seconded by Ald. Barrett, that report of finance committee be received and passed for payment. Carried.

In reference to the communication of Robert Ward & Co., Victoria, asking for option on city debentures, the council concluded, that, owing to the fact of their having already advertised for tenders, they could not comply with request, and clerk was instructed to notify Messrs. Ward & Co. to this effect.

The special committee appointed at last meeting to make arrangements for meeting place of council, reported that they had concluded to retain hall of Rendell & Co., for a month or six weeks, or until such time as a suitable building could be obtained. Moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald. Galloway, that Ald. Kerr, Barrett and Paton be a committee to look up and select suitable locations for city hall and fire stations. Carried.

Chairman Phelan of the health committee reported progress in regard to site for waste dump, and suggested that the mayor be added to committee temporarily. Moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald. Paton, that city constable notify residents to clean up their yards. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald. Galloway, that communication of Rendell & Co. be filed and that clerk notify them that in future hall would not be required for council meetings, and that council meet in court house,

the council having received permission from the government agent to use building for meetings. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Galloway, seconded by Ald. Phelan, that clerk write to W. F. Tye, asking for plans of route located by C. P. R. through Greenwood City. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald. Paton, that city engineer be instructed to make a map or plat of city for use of city assessor. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald. Galloway, that clerk write to Manager, Bank of Montreal, Vernon, asking for terms on a loan of $5,000 until such time as debentures are sold. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald. Barrett, that council go into committee of the whole to consider by-law No. 7. Carried.

By-law No. 7 read in committee of the whole. Committee rose and reported progress. Council then adjourned.

The People Are With the Senate.

It will pay the Laurier government not to presume too far on the theory that it is representing the people when it assumes responsibility for such an atrocity as the Yukon railway bargain.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier would never have had a chance to set up that theory if the people could have judged him by the vices of the Crow's Nest and the Yukon deal, instead of by the virtues of his high professions.

The people of Canada do not give Sir Wilfrid Laurier power to fatten the Coxes, the Jaffrays, the McKenzies and the Mànns at the expense of the country.

The people of Canada gave Sir Wilfrid Laurier power which he promised to use for the good of the country. In two or three notable instances his power has been used to the injury of the country and to the unjust enrichment of private individuals. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not representing the people of Canada when he is betraying their interests, and the senate is representing the people of Canada when it is protecting their interests.—Toronto Telegram.

Dredging on the Fraser.

The success of the Beaty dredger, operating near Hope on the Fraser river, has given a great impetus to this most desirable form of mining. It also affords another illustration of the undoubted fact that pluck and perseverance will win against almost any odds in mining. Nothing has been so constantly a source of repeated disappointment in the history of the business of this province as dredging, but in turn nothing else has received such an amount of dogged determined effort, and the reward will, without question, be in the same ratio. The field is very large and all but unlimited.—Kamloops Sentinel.

Six freight teams arrived in the city Thursday, four from Marcus and two from Penticton, loaded with merchandise for local business men.

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

Russell & Co. are moving into their new store in the Barrett block this week.

The Bruce claim on Ingrim mountain is being surveyed by Sydney M. Johnson, C. E.

The city council at the meeting Monday night instructed the constable to see that residents cleaned their back yards.

Thos. Corkill, one of the owners of the Great Laxey group on Eholt creek, left Sunday to take charge of work on some Rossland properties.

T. W. Gillette, secretary of the Everett & Spokane Mining Co., left by Sunday's stage for his home in Fairhaven, Wash. Mr. Gillette is interested in the Rambler group of claims on Pass creek.

P. Hoillihan has taken the contract for sinking the shaft on the Golden Crown, and put a force of men at work Sunday last. Three shifts will be run on the work. The contract price is $28 per foot.

Officer Lawder states that he has had no notification of removal to Grand Forks, as published in the Miner. If a change were contemplated he would probably have had some instruction in regard to the matter.

D. McClung and N. Gottfreidsen are doing assessment work on the Great Hesper, Smith's camp. The tunnel is in 52 feet. The claim is owned by J. C. Haas and J. McNicol, and three assessments have been done on the property.

Frank Greenwood, Jas. Stack, Ned Bennett and Geo. Barrett left on Tuesday last for Canyon creek camp. They will spend the season in developing claims located by them last year, and in prospecting the country north of Canyon creek camp.

W. A. Corbett who has been in the city the past week, returned to Summit camp on Monday. Mr. Corbett was one of the pioneers in Summit, and located some of the best properties there. He is at present developing the Summit claim it that camp.

Jno. Gradin, formerly of the Anaconda hotel, but for the past six months a resident of Fairview, returned to Anaconda on Sunday's stage. He says that business of every kind is very dull in Fairview at present, very few of the mines doing any development work.

W. B. Rickards of Midway expects to commence work on the Pheasant, an adjoining claim to the Snowshoe in Greenwood camp, as soon as the snow leaves. Two assessments have already been done on the Pheasant, the results being so favorable that it has been decided to continue development work.

On the Broncho, a claim situated about three miles from Midway on the reservation, and owned by Geo. Cook and C. Warmoth, some splendid ore has been struck during the past week. The ore is quartz, carrying copper and gold. There are a number of very promising properties in the vicinity of the Broncho.

Preparations for commencing work on the Sunset in Deadwood camp, are being pushed forward as rapidly as possible. A force of men are now at work on the cabins, bunks are being made, and the kitchen is being got ready for occupation. It is expected development work will be commenced in about a week or ten days. J. H. McFarlane, the superintendent will move up to the claim this week.

Thos. Pascoe has taken a contract from R. Wood and C. L. Thomet to run a tunnel and uprise from the tunnel to shaft on the North Star, in Long Lake camp.

Dr. White came over from Fairview on Monday last to hold a consultation with Dr. Foster of the hospital, and may conclude to remain in this part of the district.

On Tuesday last George Young, a miner, was brought from Camp McKinney to the Greenwood hospital, having a broken leg. Dr. Foster attended to the injured limb.

On the B. C., Summit camp, crosscutting is being done at the 50-foot and 160-foot levels. At the upper level the crosscut is in 50 feet, and at the lower about 15 feet. Both crosscuts are in ore.

The roof of the Barrett block on Copper street is receiving a coat of paint. The upper part of the building is being plastered, and the hall will be ready for public use in the course of a couple of weeks.

S. Bennerman, of Midway, left this week for the West Fork and Main Kettle River to do assessment work on his properties there. He will also do some prospecting on the main river before he returns.

J. McNicol has sold his business in Anaconda to Smith and Aldridge. Mr. Smith has been manager of the Anaconda business, and Mr. Aldridge is a late arrival from the east. The purchase includes the stock, building and lot.

The form of the Reservation Record, published at Nelson, Wash., has been changed, and is now similar in make up to THE TIMES, being 8 pages, and cover. The change makes an improvement in appearance, and better display for advertisers.

A large number of prospectors are rushing to Torodo creek, on the reservation, a few miles south of Midway. A number of claims have been located on quartz similar in character to that on the Republic lead in Eureka camp. Torado may turn out to be as rich a camp as Eureka.

On the Non Such, in Smith's camp, development work is being pushed on both tunnels. Crosscutting is being done on the lower tunnel, at 30 feet, to strike the lead. On the upper tunnel work will be continued until 300 feet is run, when the two tunnels will be connected by a shaft.

Alex Waddell came in from Canyon creek on Sunday. Mr. Waddell is a partner of Ed Sullivan in the Colorado on which a 60-foot tunnel has been run during the past winter. This claim is considered as among the best in the Canyon creek country. Assays run as high as $54 in gold to the ton.

The force on the Norfolk in Central camp has been increased. In all about $1,500 has been expended in development work on this claim, consisting of five shafts, running in depth from 20 to 50 feet, and considerable open work. The work now being carried on is under the superintendence of James Atwood, one of the pioneer prospectors of this district, and the original locator of many of the best claims in Boundary district.

Miss Roth left for Spokane on Tuesday on a visit to her mother and sister.

H. A. Jackson of Spokane, traveling freight agent for the Great Northern railway, is in the city.

As a result of the railway news, a number of lots have changed hands during the past week.

Assessment work has been completed on the Blue Jay in Skylark camp. The shaft is down 45 feet.

The incline on the Snowshoe, Greenwood camp, is down 117 feet. The ore body gives good assays. The ledge retains its width.

In the account of the death of Thos. Patterson in last issue of THE TIMES, a mistake was made in giving the birthplace of deceased, which was Huron and not Renfrew county.

Miller Bros. have called for tenders for excavating a lot on the corner of Copper and Greenwood streets, 50 by 60 feet. It is their intention to build a store 18 by 50 feet on the lot, facing Copper street.

Special Easter services will be held in Rendell & Co's. hall on Sunday next. Hymns suitable to the occasion will be sung by the choir, and a special sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Guy. A special Easter offertory will be taken up to meet a deficit in the incidental expenses of carrying on church work in the district.

Harry Morgan and P. Hickey are doing assessment work on the Little Ruth, South Deadwood, owned by J. F. Miller, W. M. Law, H. Morgan and P. Hickey. The Little Ruth is a quartz proposition, well mineralized and carrying large values in copper and gold. The claim is situated a short distance from the Ladoga, on which a 90 foot tunnel has been run. On the Ladoga is an immense body of ore averaging over $15 in gold.

A letter has been received in the city from Donald Graham, M. P. P., stating that he was unable to get an appropriation for the Greenwood hospital, but he will do his utmost to have a sum placed in the supplementary estimates for that purpose. Mr. Graham favors a redistribution for East Yale, along the lines suggested in the resolution by the Mining and Commercial Association, and will support such a division of the district. He is strongly opposed to having a part of East Yale included in Trail district for electoral purposes.

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

Mrs. J. J. Miller arrived from Spokane the past week.

Miss Maggie Stooke, of Midway, has been spending the week with friends in Greenwood.

E. Spraggett and R. J. Mason of Grand Forks were in the city Thursday and Friday.

W. M. Law expects to be ready for customers at his new store in the Barrett block, next week.

Thos. Allis, representing Turner, Beeton & Co., of Victoria, is in the city taking orders for his firm.

G. W. Rumberger is doing assessment work on claims owned by himself and Joe Taylor in Wellington camp.

Clearing is being done on part of the Anaconda townsite, in anticipation of the boom that will come with the commencement of railway construction.

Forbes M. Kerby and C. M. Crouse came down from Wellington camp on Thursday, where they have been surveying claims for Jones and Rogers, and proceeded to Midway the same day.

Development work will shortly be started on the Duplicate and Triplicate claims in Summit camp. The claims lie between the Josie and Ontario and are owned by J. McNicol, W. B. Rickards and W. Shaw.

Dr. Dart, Bishop of the Diocese of New Westminster, is expected to arrive in Greenwood Thursday next, and will hold services here. The Bishop is making a tour of the diocese previous to taking a trip to England.

The men working on the B. C. in Summit camp came to town on Thursday, the mine having shut down for a couple of days, on account of one of the springs in the air chamber of the compressor breaking, necessitating a delay until a new one arrives.

Assessment work was finished on the Granite in Skylark camp this week. This is the second assessment done on the claim. Ten feet of shaft work has been sunk, disclosing a 20-inch ledge of quartz carrying copper and iron. The claim is owned by R. Breslauer.

Fred Oliver and John Mack of Spokane paid a visit to Wellington camp this week. Mr. Oliver has a bond on the Athelstan in that camp and Mr. Mack is one of the owners of the claim. They were both well satisfied with the work being done and the quality of ore taken out of the mine.

A large number of the young people of the city attended the Hard Times ball given by Prof. Boice on the evening of the 1st inst. A very enjoyable time was spent in dancing to the excellent music furnished by Porter's orchestra. Mrs. J. W. Nelson and Miss Alice Palmer captured the ladies' prizes and Messrs. L. B. Pearce and J. C. Goupil the gentlemen's.

Complaints have been made at this office that the road leading from Greenwood to Deadwood and Copper camps, is being littered with cans, bottles and garbage by the city scavenger. This should be stopped, as there will soon be a large amount of travel on this road, development work having been commenced on a number of claims in both camps, and in the warm weather the stench from the garbage will be anything but pleasant to travelers.

Jas. Moran has a force of men at work on his claim in Greenwood camp, adjoining the Premier.

F. J. Miller will open the Gem cigar store, next door to Smith & McRae's store, Copper street, in a couple of weeks.

Negotiations are in progress for the sale to S. Breslauer of E. B. Simmons' sorrel saddle horse. The price offered is said to be a large one.

Prof. Boice will give a grand masquerade carnival ball in Rendell & Co's. hall on the evening of Friday 15th inst. For particulars see posters.

C. Æ. Shaw, C. E., returned from the North Fork Thursday evening, where he had been surveying mineral claims for R. Clark in Seattle camp.

J. C. Haas is expected to arrive in Greenwood to-day or to-morrow. Mr. Haas has been absent about six months visiting in the Eastern states and Canada.

P. C. McGrath, foreman of the Old Ironsides, who has been on a trip to Spokane and Rossland, is expected back to-day, and work will probably be resumed next week.

All members of Court Boundary, No. 3576, I. O. F., are urged to be present at the next regular meeting, April 21st, as important business will be up for consideration.

The Rev. Mr. Irwin (Father Pat) held services in Greenwood yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, and in Midway in the evening. Services will be held in Grand Forks Sunday.

Some time ago Dr. Averill, of Grand Forks, says the Spokesman-Review, purchased the Minnie claim from a prospector but failed to put the bill of sale on record, and now the prospector has sold the Minnie to another party and left the country, and the doctor is out the price paid for the claim.

Jas. McMynn, one of the owners of the McMynn ranch near Camp McKinney, was in the city Friday and states that plowing will be commenced next week. He also states that considerable development work is being done on the claims on Myers' creek this season. There is talk of a stamp mill being put in on the creek this season.

J. J. McBride, one of the old timers on the Kettle river, died at the Ingram ranch on Tuesday last, aged 73 years. Mr. McBride was for a number of years a partner of the late John Ingram, and was well known throughout the district. The funeral took place on Thursday and was attended by a large number of acquaintances of the deceased.

Another rich strike has been made on the Norfolk in Central camp. For some time past the development has been on an open cut, which has been run for about 60 feet with an average depth of 5 feet. A strong ledge was struck in the cut, near the southern boundary of the claim, on Tuesday last, which is supposed to be the No. 7 lead. Jas. Fisher has located a southern extension of the claim, calling it the Norfolk No. 2, and believes he has a continuation of the lead on the property just located. If this proves to be the case, there will be five claims on which the No. 7 lead, or one having the same characteristics, has been uncovered.

Boundary Valley Lodge, No. 38, I.O.O.F.

MEETS every Tuesday Evening at 7.30 in their lodge room at Greenwood, B.C. A cordial invitation is extended to all sojourning brethren.

W. M. LAW, N.G.
D. C. McRAE, Rec. Sec.

Court Boundary, No. 3576, I.O.F.

THE ABOVE COURT meets at Greenwood on the first and third Thursday evenings of every month. Visiting Members are cordially welcomed.

GEORGE F. MILLER, Recording Secretary.
G. A. GUESS, Chief Ranger. 45

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

COMMONWEALTH mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: On Kettle river, about three miles above Rock creek, east of and adjoining the Big Eddy mineral claim.

TAKE notice that I, John Drummond Anderson, P.L.S., of Trail, B.C., acting as agent for Benjamin Perkins, free miner's certificate No. 83,758, and Hugh Reed, free miner's certificate No. 81,891, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 5th day of March, 1898.

78 J. D. ANDERSON.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

LAKE SIDE FRACTION Mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Long Lake camp.

TAKE notice that we, Seth Emerson, free miner's certificate, No. 327a, and J. A. Cameron, free miner's certificate No. 326a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 18th day of March, 1898. 81-9

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ANCHOR Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Long Lake camp.

TAKE notice that I, George D. Leyson, free miner's certificate No. 327a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 18th day of March, 1898. 81-9

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ENTERPRISE (fractional) mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Long Lake camp.

TAKE notice that I, George D. Leyson, free miner's certificate No. 327a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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Smelter for Boundary.

It is learned from a source beyond question that if the Canadian parliament grants a charter to D. C. Corbin for his proposed Boundary Creek road, as now seems almost assured, smelters will be immediately erected in the Boundary Creek district and the ores of that section will be smelted there. Also that ores from the Colville reservation will be given such rates that in all probability they will be smelted in Boundary district–Spokesman-Review.

Speaking to the World

Talking about treatment accorded to reporters, this anecdote of Disraeli may prove instructive and provide a hint to local Bumbles who believe a reporter may be treated like a poor relation. Disraeli was to deliver an after dinner address in a small English provincial town and two London reporters were sent down to "take him." Arriving at the place of meeting, the reporters were informed that they could not be allowed to attend the dinner, but might "come in with the fruit." They thereupon waited upon Mr. Disraeli and represented that this was an indignity to which they were not accustomed. The great statesman called the local magnates together and, pointing to some seats in a prominent position, said: "Who are these for?" "Oh," was the reply, "these are for our local magnates." "Gentlemen," said Mr. Disraeli, "I did not come here to address your local magnates; I am here to night addressing the world through these gentlemen, and you will treat them courteously or I shall leave by the next train." Collapse of the local magnates.

RATS.

Hon. Mr. Higgins made a grand speech in the house yesterday, but he received scant courtesy at the hands of the government during its delivery. Hon. Mr. Martin in particular distinguished himself by one of those master strokes of good breeding and elegant phraseology for which he now enjoys an enviable and unrivaled celebrity. When Mr. Higgins made a certain very emphatic and very important statement the Hon. Mr. Martin brawled out like a coal heaver or a bosun's mate to the lower deck: "Rats!" This, Hon. Mr. Higgins pointed out, was scarcely the kind of language one has a right to expect from a minister of the British crown. The exuberant chief commissioner of lands and works recognizing that he had placed his colossal pedal extremities "in it" then gave another fine exhibition of his magnificent grasp of Queen's English by retracting the rodents expression thus: "I take it back; I take it back." Elegant beyond comment. What a gem North Yale has a chance to retain in the polished and many-sided Hon. Mr. Martin.—Victoria Times.

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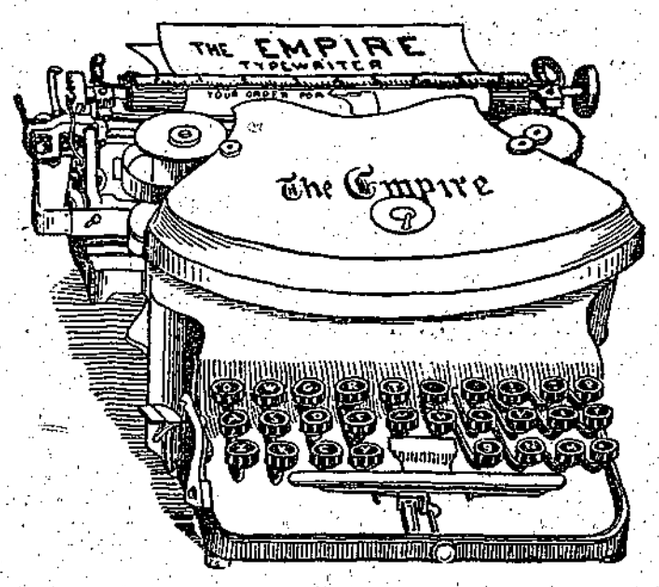

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THE action taken by the government and their supporters in the provincial legislature in opposition to the Corbin road is perhaps the worst example on record of the representatives of the people opposing the unanimous wishes of those most interested in the charter being granted.

THE city treasurer's quarterly statement of receipts and expenditures of the city for the first three months of the year is out, and appears in the advertising columns of this issue. The receipts for the year so far have been $944.50 and the expenditures $1,498.50. Of this amount $747.50 is properly on expenditure of 1897. This would leave receipts $945.50 and expenditures $742.76, or a balance of receipts over expenditures for the three months of $201.75.

THE vote of railway committee of the House of Commons, on the Kettle River Valley charter was very close, 54 to 48. This shows how hard a fight was made by the C.P.R., as under ordinary circumstances a charter would be granted to a railway corporation where no subsidy or land grant was asked. The fight for this charter and the terms on which it was asked, it is to be hoped will do away with the subsidy and land grant business in this province. Corbin is the first to ask the privilege of building a railway as a business proposition in this country, and in future our representatives in either the local or Dominion house can give no reasonable excuse for subsidizing railway corporations.

THAT the member of the provincial legislature from Northwest Kootenay, Mr. Kellie, is at times inspired with an idea and speaks it out loud, cannot be denied; but that he more often speaks before the idea arrives, is beyond contradiction. His latest experiment in the realm of thought is on educational matters, and he contends that "those who have children should educate them." From just such a system as Mr. Kellie advocates one would expect such ability as is displayed by the members of the provincial government in the administration of the affairs of the province. Dr. Holmes, on being asked the proper time to commence the education of a child, answered: "Fifty years before it is born." If this be a correct view, the people of the province may entertain the hope that in a century or two the members of the legislature will have a knowledge of the geography of the interior of British Columbia, and the coast business men know something about the resources of the Boundary Creek district.

IN the senate last week Senator Templeman, of Victoria, made his maiden speech. The debate was on the Mann & McKenzie contract, Senator Templeman supporting the measure. He was congratulated by senators on both sides of politics. The Midway Advance might make a note of the fact that Senator Templeman is one of those horrible "itinerant printers," he having in his younger days traveled on what is known as "Southern Circuit." The Advance might also note that Sir McKenzie Bowell and Benjamin Franklin were also "itinerant printers." Perhaps the editor may not have heard of these gentlemen before. The first named is a senator in Canada and a former premier of the Dominion, and Benjamin Franklin's name appears in any encyclopedia printed in the English language. Neither of these gentlemen may have risen to the dignity of a county justice of the peace, a townsite agency, or the vendor of quack medicines on railroad construction, but still they take a place in the history of the Anglo Saxon race.

THE debate on the budget in the legislature has resulted in ex-Speaker Higgins "declaring his intentions." Whether they are honorable or not can only be ascertained by his future course. It is possible that the Hon. D. W. Higgins has reached that age when it is advisable to "hedge," and prepare for the future. In giving his reasons for opposing the government, he said: "In the course which the government was following he could see nothing but ruin ahead. A very few more years of the same policy which had been pursued would bring the province to the end of its financial tether. For the current and next year there already was a deficiency of $840,000 in sight. He said that if he was the only man on the island who would stand up against the present government he would stand up and say that the interests of the province demanded that the present oligarchy and reign of syndicates be put down. He predicted, however, that in the next contest the Island and Mainland would be united as never before and sectionalism will be altogether forgotten, and the mountains will speak to the sea with definite force."

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Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for Quarter ending March 31st, 1898.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Note discounted	$1,000 00	Balance from '97 Council	$ 747 75
Licenses	742 50	Interest and Discount	1 65
Dog Tax	50 00	Miscellaneous Expenses	102 10
Road Tax	144 00	Salaries	450 00
Peddlers	2 50	Advertising and Stationery	159 00
Miscellaneous	5 50	Board of Health	10 00
		Cash on hand	474 00
	$1,944 50		$1,944 50

Greenwood, B.C., April 5th, 1898.

GEO. R. NADEN,
Treasurer.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending April 5th, 1898.

March 29.

Clipper, frac., Skylark camp, A. H. Black.
Mayflower, Skylark camp, Thos. Walsh.

March 31.

Leslie, W.S.F., Canyon creek, W. S. Fletcher.
Delaware, Maryland, Main Kettle river, Frank H. Carey.
Black Jack, O.K., Central camp; Puritan, Smith's camp, T. H. White and John Meyer.

April 1.

St. Patrick, Graham's camp, C. D. Burbank and James M. Lynch.

April 2.

Kangaroo, Summit camp, George Ford.
Red Fox, Deadwood camp, John Jackman.

April 4.

Big Bonanza, Summit camp, J. Fisher.
Mendocino, Graham's camp, S. Martin, W. McCormick and A. Hopper.
Henrietta, Skylark camp, J. J. Harris and Mark Christensen.
Climax, Canyon creek, A. Waddell and S. Sullivan.
Galena, Cedar creek, H. D. Barnes.

April 5.

Matchless, fr., Providence camp, M. Landugan
Black Warrior, Deadwood camp, Frank M. Greenwood.

Certificates of Work.

March 29.

Golden Treasure—Arthur Morgan.

April 2.

Rover—Robert Donagin.
Black Prince, Twin, Idaho, Great Laxey—Andrew Hamilton et al.

April 4.

White Cloud—A. Hopper.
Red Jacket—E. Sullivan and A. Waddell.

April 5.

Hecla—J. C. Haas et al.
Texas—C. Van Ness et al.
Big Windy—Highland Queen Con. M. & M. Co

Transfers.

March 29.

Teutonic, Clear Grit and Golden Treasure, Copper camp, all int., J. E. Hooper to Arthur Morgan.
Mountain Lion, Copper camp, all int., John Gillan and David Bryant to J E Hooper.

March 31.

Capital Prize, near Anaconda, 3-16 int., T Humphrey to L A Smith.

April 5.

Jumbo, Providence camp, ⅓ int., E Dufour to E B Simmons.
Jumbo, ⅔ int., John Dufour to E B Simmons.

GRAND FORKS MINING DIVISION.

Locations.

March 24.

Primrose, North Fork, D. J. Good.
M. & N., Carter's camp, D. D. Munroe.

March 25.

Emma, Grand Forks, E. Bentley.
Royal Gold, Sutherland creek, F. Hutcheson.

March 26.

Carlton, Eagle mtn., J. A. Marshall et al.
Commodore, Wellington camp, F. Beonchene.

March 30.

Kid McCoy, Carter's camp, M. D. White.

Certificates of Work.

March 23.

Surprise—Robert Clark.

March 25.

Carry On, frac., J. & G. Pounder.

Transfers.

March 24.

Belcher, ⅓ int., A. L. Rogers to J. H. Ashfield.
Keystone, ⅜ int., J. M. Lloyd to J. J. Caulfield.
Keystone, ⅛ int., J. Jackman to J. J. Caulfield.
Keystone, ¼ int., G. McKague to W. B. Paton.
Little Johnny, all int., J. M. Kelly to J. F. Cameron.
Henrietta, ½ int., L. S. Lewis to P. Silverton.

March 25.

Morning Star, all int., J. B. Mitchell to W. H. Hickerson.
Homestake, Idaho, Trinket and Iron Dollar, ¼ int., G. S. Stockton et al. to J. W. Cheer.
Homestake, Idaho, Trinket, Iron Dollar and Highland Chief, all int., J. W. Cheer to G. S. Stockton.
Columbia, ¼ int., J. M. Taylor to P. Fieldman.
Shamrock, Thistle, 1-10 int. each, D. C. Beach to C. S. Wallis.
Mecklenberg, all int., F. Lang to C. S. Wallis.
Tupper, all int., D. A. Good to Golden Era P. and D. Co., Ltd.
Minnie, all int., D. W. Dillon to J. J. Evans.

March 28.

Colonel Sellers, ½ int., S. R. Reid to W. J. Robinson.
Drumlummon, all int., J. K. Kelly to G. H. Sutherland.

Yumped the Yob.

Says a Rossland dispatch: "Mr. D. J. McDonald, provincial inspector of mines, has resigned his position to enter the service of the British American Corporation, under Mr. William A. Carlyle, late provincial mineralogist. This statement is corroborated by Mr. Edwin Durant, the office manager of the big company. Mr. McDonald left today for his home in Vancouver, and will also go to Victoria to turn over such papers as are connected with his duties, as well as to confer with regard to the appointment of a successor. Since his appointment in the early part of the year he has inspected a great many mines in the Nelson and Slocan districts, and his reports of these properties will all be turned over to the department at Victoria.

Hotel Arrivals.

The following were the arrivals at the International hotel during the week:

Geo. F. Caldwell, W. L. Lancaster, W. McMullen, Rossland; T. McDonnell, City; F. W. McLaine, J. H. Custance, R. K. Stuart, J. McNicol, Midway; R. B. White, Fairview; John Lucy, City; M. McLean, Brooklyn, Mine; Miss E. McDonald, City; E. Spraggett, R. J. Mason, Grand Forks; Thos. Allis, Victoria; E. E. Jones, Toronto.

The following were the arrivals at the Pioneer hotel during the week:

Wm. Hanna, Snowshoe; Henry Brown, Boundary Falls; Geo. W. Dean, Golden Crown; John Farrell, Camp McKinney; Alex Waddell, Canyon Creek; W. E. George, Jacob Hakla, Alex Hill, W. Twist, B. C. Mine; Geo. Dean, Summit Mine; M. McDonald, Spokane; C. Ross, Fort Steele; T. Doby, Eholt Creek; Geo. Wells, Midway.

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S. R. ALMOND,
D.R.C.C.

Government Office,
Grand Forks, March 19th, 1898. 81-4

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between H. McKee and Joseph Snodgrass, in the business of the Commercial Hotel; Greenwood, has been dissolved, H. McKee retaining the business, to whom all accounts are to be paid and who will settle all claims due by the late firm.

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THIS AND THAT.

As an instance of the unfairness with which salaries are fixed by the men who run the Turner government, the following cases are cited: The principal of the Rossland public schools, who has eight assistant teachers under him, is paid $80 per month, while a clerk in the education office in Victoria is paid $85. The principal of the Kamloops public school, who has three assistants under him, is paid $85 a month, while the principal of the Nelson public school, who has five assistants under him, is paid $75. The gold commissioner at Duncan Lake, in West Kootenay, where there is practically no business, is paid $125 a month, while the mining recorder for Goat River Mining division, where there is some business, is paid 12½ per cent. on the revenue collected. Over $9,000 is appropriated for salaries for stipendiary magistrates, who are in every instance drawing salaries for other positions. Why should a stipendiary magistrate at Nelson be paid $66 a month when he is drawing $144 a month as gold commissioner and government agent? —Nelson Tribune.

The West Kootenay Protective association has, by the action of a few members, allowed itself to be classed as an organization without spirit and servile to the biggest monopoly Canada has ever witnessed. As an organization, it professes to have as members the leading mining men of the district, who are supposed to have at heart all matters affecting and pertaining to the industry. Saturday evening a half dozen members of the association held a meeting in this city and passed a resolution urging the Dominion government to refuse the Corbin charter in favor of the C. P. R., and stating that a petition had been signed by the leading business men of Nelson against the American road. This latter is not so, as the petition was signed by a scant few. The business men of Nelson, as evidenced by the recent action of the board of trade and the city council, are strongly in favor of railway competition. They believe in railroad rivalry, for it has benefitted Kootenay, and it will assuredly help Boundary. It was hardly deemed possible that an intelligent body of men would have lent themselves to the furtherance of the designs of a company that is palpably cloaking the truth. The association has allowed a few of its members to make it a mere tool of the C. P. R.—Tribune.

No province in Canada has had a more reckless combination of financiers than those now operating the government machinery at Victoria—Mercier, of Quebec boodle fame, not excepted. Each year, since power was vested in them, they have run the province in debt, which has grown larger with the expansion of revenue. This year the expenditure bids fair to run close to a million dollars above the revenue. A deficit of $540,000, in round numbers, has been acknowledged, and the supplementary estimates have not yet been brought down. In every department there is an increase of expense to be noted, and in the matter of salaries, miscellaneous items, and public improvements in the island and coast constituencies, money is granted in the most reckless manner. The total receipts for the year are placed at $1,400,000, and by careful legislation and judicious expenditure, this could be made to cover the needs of the public, at least in a manner to win confidence. If the people saw an effort being made to stem the tide of bankruptcy so rapidly approaching, they would feel more content, but when large sums of money are squandered on unnecessary works in out of the way corners of government pocket boroughs, and when company promoters and chartermongering friends are granted exorbitant demands, then unrest and dissatisfaction obtain.—Tribune.

The true value and importance of a mining district is best proved by the amount of assessment work done on the claims, rather than by the mere number of claims made. In this respect Boundary Creek stands easily at the head of the several mining divisions of Yale district. The report of the Minister of Mines for last year shows that in the Kettle River and Grand Forks districts — into which Boundary Creek was divided last fall—the number of assessments recorded was in the ratio of over 75 per cent. of the number of claims recorded. Osoyoos division, which includes Fairview, had assessment work recorded only to the amount of 33 per cent. of the claims recorded; Vernon, 27 per cent.; and Kamloops, with 1,152 recorded claims, shows a per centage of assessments recorded of 15 per cent. only.

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RAILWAY NOTES.

Our Ottawa dispatches to-day show the railway committee have settled the matter in accordance with the dictates of common sense and patriotism, not the dictates of the C. P. R., and self-interest. The action of the railway committee is the sharpest of rebukes to the degraded government of British Columbia, which, at the instigation of a financially interested body, sent one of the meanest, most cowardly and disgraceful resolutions that ever emanated from a responsible government, to Ottawa against the granting of this charter. The Turner government has earned enough infamy to sink half a dozen governments in any country but easy-going British Columbia. We most heartily congratulate the people of Boundary district and of Southern British Columbia on the excellent prospects of getting the country opened up immediately on conditions so favorable.—Victoria Times.

The Toronto Board of Trade is a gun which can always become unlimbered by the friends of the C. P. R. whenever there is need of firing a shot in defence of that great corporation. The Board of Trade is true to its subservient record when it opposes a bill conferring upon the Kettle River Railway Company the right to build a line into the Boundary Creek country at its own expense. It would be just as well for the Council of the Board of Trade to allow its leaders in the policy of defending the C. P. R. at every point to remain in the background. When the Board of Trade considered the Crow's Nest Pass deal, C. P. R. directors and their allies of the British Columbia Southern were unduly prominent in the deliberations. And when the Council of the Board of Trade considered this proposed railway in the Boundary Creek country, a C. P. R. director moved the resolution which spoke the views of commercial Toronto. Any proposal which is not good for the C. P. R. is bad for the country, in the estimation of the Toronto Board of Trade. But when the Council allows its resolutions to be moved by a C. P. R. director, it discloses its subservience to the interests advocated by Sir William Van Horne.—Toronto Telegram.

The decision, by a vote of 54 to 48 of the railway committee of the Dominion parliament, to grant the application of D. C. Corbin for a charter for the construction of a railway from the southern boundary of the province into the Boundary Creek district, is in line with the view taken of the subject by the Opposition in the provincial legislature. The railway committee even takes a more pronounced view, indeed, of the situation. The main ground of the provincial opposition's argument was that the people of the Boundary Creek district must have railway communication without further delay. The opposition said if the desired communication could be secured immediately by the construction of a Canadian line, and the company operating that line would submit to such conditions as regards rates of freight as would protect the people of the district from extortion as the result of one company having a monopoly given it, then it would support the resolution submitted to the House against the charter to Mr. Corbin being granted. But the provincial government refused to give any assurance, either that a Canadian line would be built or that there would be a satisfactory regulation of its freight rates, and the opposition then voted against the resolution. —News-Advertiser.

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Thos. Capsey was perhaps fatally injured last Monday evening on the Coryell ranch about a mile north of the international boundary line, which he is working under a lease. On Monday evening he was riding a horse with no saddle or bridle, and the animal while attempting to run away, stumbled and threw him forward upon its withers in such a manner as to cause internal injuries, the exact seriousness of which cannot be told. It is feared however that a rupture of the bladder or intestines has occurred and if such is the case there can be but little hope for his recovery. Dr. Smith of Grand Forks and Dr. Morris of Nelson are in attendance, and the injured man is receiving all possible care. Capsey is universally esteemed throughout this section, and his many friends hope that he may survive the accident.—Reservation Record.

Thos. Capsey died on Sunday evening and was buried in the Grand Prairie cemetery on Tuesday last, a large number of friends attending the funeral.

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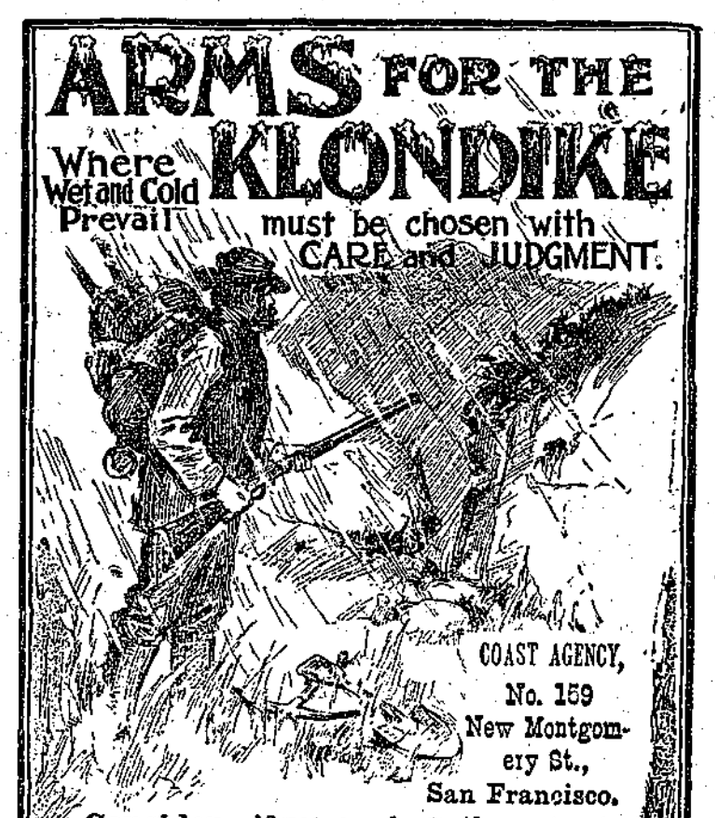

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REPUBLIC PLEASANTRIES.

John Pochette, an Indian, was stabbed in several places Tuesday night by Peter Eaness, also an Indian. The wounds were of such a serious character that at one time it was thought that they would produce death.

During the day Pochette and Eaness had been drinking and having what they considered a good time. Late in the evening they were much the worse for liquor. Just how the stabbing occurred and what led up to it, is not known as only the principals were present, and the wounded man is unable to give a lucid account of the affair, and his assailant is at large. The two men were wandering about between the two sections of the town, when suddenly the alarm was given that Pochette was desperately stabbed. Deputy Sheriff Griswold and others went to the man's assistance and helped him to the door of Dr. Manly's drug store. This was about 11 o'clock. Leaving the wounded man with his companions Griswold started back to search for Eaness. Meanwhile the men left with Pochette deserted him without procuring medical attendance. After lying on the sidewalk for a time Pochette staggered away and finally reached Ryan's stables, where he was made as comfortable as possible, and Dr. Webb called. An examination showed deep knife wounds on both arms, a ghastly wound in the left side and a long cut on the leg. There was a cut on the man's lower lip. The injured man was very weak from loss of blood, and his life was despaired of. But youth, vigor, and medical skill will pull him through.

Eaness evaded capture and left town on horseback.—Republic Pioneer.

Death of N. R. Munro.

On Sunday morning, 3rd inst., Nicholas R. Munro died at Midway, after a short illness. Mr. Munro was a native of Dundas county, Ont., and was 37 years of age. He had been a resident of British Columbia for a number of years, and came from Chilliwack to this district about two years ago and for the past year has been engaged in the butchering business at Midway. He leaves a widow, (the sister of Ald. Kerr of Greenwood and Robert Kerr of Boundary Falls) and six children to mourn his untimely death. On Monday last the remains were interred at Midway, Rev. T. C. Guy conducting the service. Messrs. F. Davis, W. Davis, T. McAuley, C. J. Lundy, W. G. McMynn and C. L. Thomet acted as pallbearers.

Postage Legislation.

Postmaster-General Mulock has introduced a bill in the Dominion house, providing for a reduction in postage on one-ounce letters from three to two cents. The bill also makes a provision for newspapers to pay a postage of half a cent per pound. Half of this rate will take effect on January 1st, 1899, and the other half on July 1st, 1899, thus giving newspaper offices time for arranging for postage.

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GRAND FORKS PROTESTS.

The following are the resolutions passed by the Grand Forks Board of Trade and sent to the government on the redistribution question:

"Whereas, An act will be introduced at the present session of the local legislature for the redistribution of the province into electoral districts; and

"Whereas, The present constituency of East Yale is rapidly increasing in population and there are now between fifteen and sixteen hundred registered voters with every prospect of the number being largely increased in the near future; and

"Whereas, It is reported that a delegation from Rossland waited on the government and preferred a request that all that part of Kettle River and Boundary Creek, including Christina lake, Cascade City, Grand Forks, Upper Grand Forks, Carson, Anaconda and Greenwood City should be included in the proposed electoral district of Trail; and

"Whereas, The interests of Kettle River and Boundary Creek are not identical with that of Rossland and Trail Creek, owing to the want of any direct communication, we therefore strongly protest against any part of the present electoral district of East Yale being included in the proposed Trail division, and consider that to do so would be perpetrating an injustice. Be it therefore

"Resolved, That, in the opinion of this meeting, the present electoral district of East Yale should be divided into two electoral districts as follows:

"The South Easterly, or Kettle River division to commence at the intersection of the Similkameen river with the international boundary line, thence northerly so as to include Dog lake, thence easterly to the western boundary of Kootenay district."

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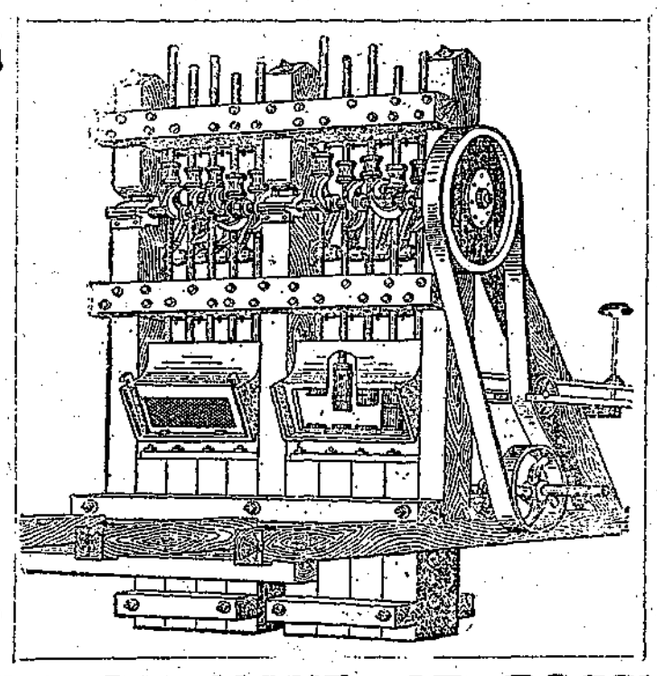

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