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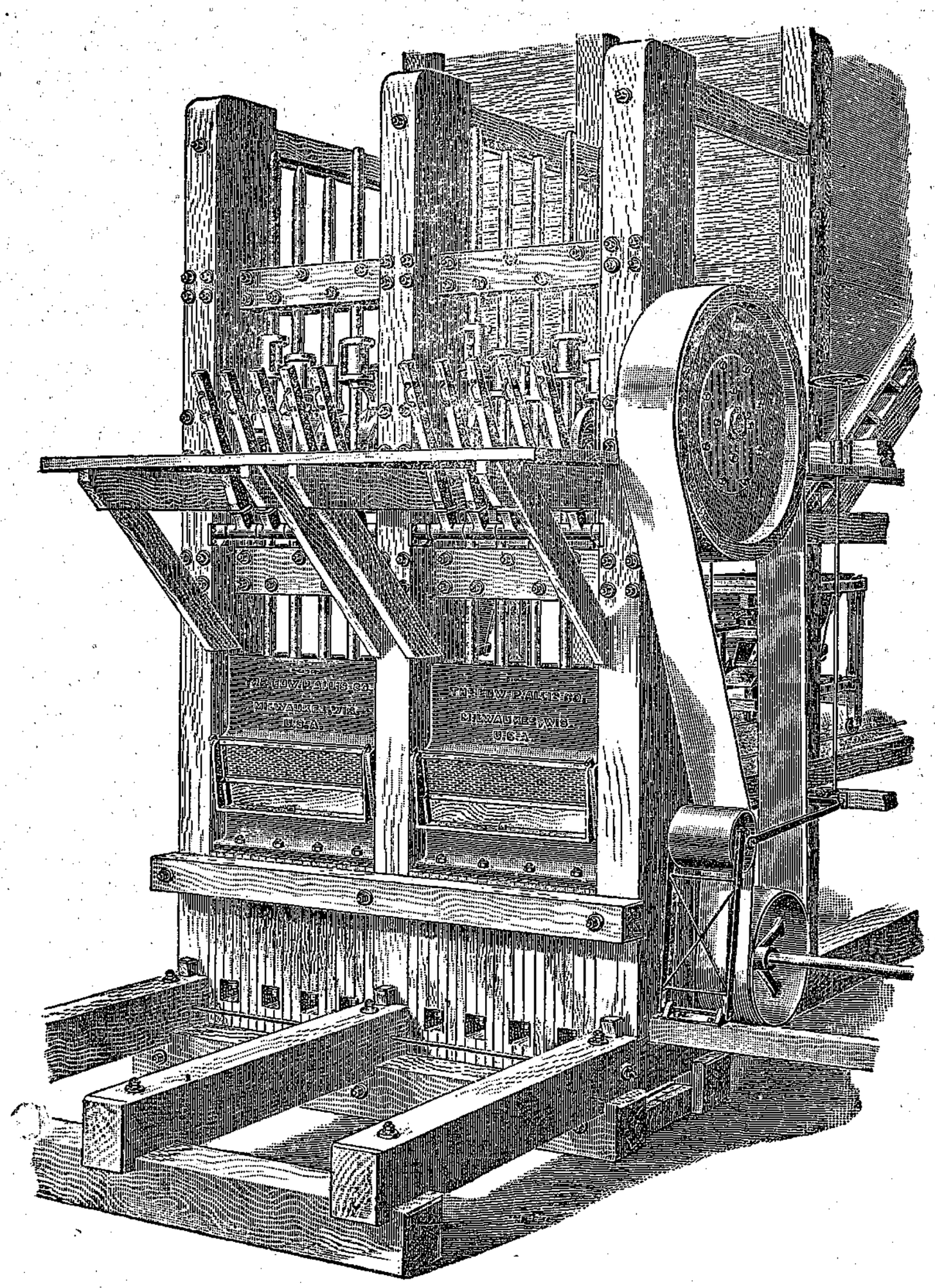

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BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES

A Weekly Paper published in the interests of the Boundary Creek Mining District.

Vol. IV. GREENWOOD, B.C., SATURDAY, JULY 2, 1898. No. 17.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

THE initial shot of the campaign was fired in Greenwood on Friday evening last when Mr. James Martin the opposition candidate delivered a practical and business like address to a large audience in Rendell & Co's. hall. Owing to the long evenings the hall was not filled until nearly nine o'clock. Those who came early enjoyed themselves by liberally applauding every one who made an appearance at the outside door. When Mr. Martin appeared the crowd broke into cheers and the candidate was at once convinced that the people of Greenwood were a unit in his favor.

His Worship Mayor Wood who was voted to the chair was indisposed and consequently his remarks were brief. They were sufficiently lengthy however to place himself on record in his uncompromising opposition to the Turner administration.

Mr. Martin was again applauded upon his rising to address the audience. He first read the following platform endorsed by the opposition convention and to which Mr. Martin pledged his unswerving loyalty :

1. The portion of the Boundary Country at present included in the Rossland Electoral District is fully entitled to separate representatation and every effort must be made to secure the same at the earliest possible date.

2. The adjustment of representation of the Province on a general equitable system.

3. Reorganization of the Civil Service with a view to greater efficiency and economy in administration.

4. Liberal expenditure on necessary public works under such rigid supervision as will secure commensurate results.

5. Discouragement of immigration and employment of Orientals.

6. The amendment of the Land Act so that coal will be reserved along with other minerals. Timber to be disposed of by open competition and in such quantities as the trade demands. Agriculture lands to be reserved for actual settlers.

7. Repeal of the tax commonly known as the Mortgage Tax.

8. A man should not be compelled to take out a Free Miner's License before he can work in a mine for wages.

9. Any future aid to railways to be under efficient Provincial control both as to the raising and expenditure of the capital,the rate of transportation and as to the employment of labor.

10. That the normal working expenditure of the province must be regarded so as not to exceed the normal revenue.

11. That coal mines be placed on the same footing as metalliferous mines as regards taxation.

12. A substantial increase in the Provincial Tax on wild lands.

13. That eight hours shall constitute a day's labor upon all Provincial Government work and upon all contracts or sub-contracts to which the Government may be party and shall also constitute a day's work for all workmen engaged underground in mining.

14. That a Provincial Boiler Inspector be appointed and those in charge of boilers and engines be certificated men.

15. The introduction of Legislation that will speedily secure to the working people of our Province one day's rest per week.

Mr. Martin briefly discussed the different planks. He criticized the action of the Turner government in respect to legislation outlined in the platform dwelling particularily upon the iniquitous franchise, the miserable railway policy the unwise and unbusiness-like expenditure of public money the employment of Chinese and the repeal of the Mortgage Tax.

With reference to the redistribution bill Mr. Martin stated that not one day should be lost in granting Boundary Creek the representation to which it is justly entitled. After extending a cordial invitation to any government supporter to address the meeting Mr. Martin resumed his seat amid applause.

Mr. Martin's invitation was seconded by the chairman but the audience laughingly informed him that there were no government supporters in the district. Mr. Ross was then called upon to address the meeting.

Mr. Ross said that he was uncompromisingly opposed to the Turner government. He had always been opposed to the Turner administration because he believed that its policy was one of favoritism to unimportant sections and neglect to the important mining sections. While in opposition to the Turner government he always had respect for the opinions of those who differed from him in their political views. He wished to say at the outset that he had now anything but respect for any one in Boundary Creek district who would support the Turner government. This is no ordinary contest. It is not merely a discussion of the relative merits of the political parties engaged in the political battle. It is a war against political insults and mal-administration. It is a struggle of free and independent electors for political existence and for political recognition. The man who would support the enemy in such a contest is a traitor to the district. (Applause.) The fight has been forced by the government above the level of party politics and should be a united protest against the enemy. Mr. Ross then referred briefly to the redistribution. He said that it was a measure which carried the province back to the dark ages in England when the pocket burroughs controlled the government of the country. He could not but believe that the spirit of independence which urged the British to struggle until not a vestage of political inequality remained was just as active in Boundary Creek and that the people would be found united in a similar struggle. He did not grant the Turner government the right to tell the people of Boundary Creek that they had only one-twelfth as much power as the residents of Cassiar nor the right to say that a farmer in Esquimalt should have ten times as much political power as a miner in Boundary Creek. The redistribution bill was the refuge of a cowardly administration. The draft measure prepared by the government provided a member for Boundary Creek but when at the dictation of a powerful corporation the government wantonly interferred in a struggle the people of Boundary Creek were making to secure immediate railway construction they became alarmed at the indignation aroused. Political morality was trampled under foot, solemn promises made by the premier were deliberately violated and the people of Boundary Creek were practically disfranchised.

Mr. Ross referred briefly to the railway policy of the government and then pointed out that Mr. James Martin was pledged to a platform that recognizes the political rights of Boundary Creek and outlines legislation that is peculiarly in the interests of this district. He knew of no one that is more likely to carry out the pledges than James Martin. (Hear! hear.) His opponent was masquerading under a very ragged mantle of independence. He was

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AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

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simply a government tooter. He was not placed in the field to exploit the fame or extoll the virtues of the Turner government. He was there for appearances. He could only secure the votes of those who had no adequate conception of their duty and of the camp followers who are searching for pecuniary crumbs during every election campaign. There is only one candidate in the field pledged to a platform and a policy which are in the interests of the district and that candidate is James Martin.

After a vote of thanks had been tendered to the chairman a great many of those in the hall volunteered to become active workers in the campaign. The work of organization was begun. Thos. Hardy was unanimously chosen campaign chairman and Duncan Ross campaign secretary. The following committees were then appointed.

Voter's List Committee: Duncan Ross, H. B. Munroe, J. W. Grier, Alex Currie, Ald. James Kerr and Ald. C. Scott Galloway.

Transportation Committee: Ald. M. J. Phelan, W. S. Keith and D. C. McRae.

Executive committee: Thos. Hardy, A. S. Black and G. R. Naden.

No time was lost. The committees got to work at once. Central committee rooms were secured, Thos. Walsh's building on Copper street having been secured for the purpose. The committee rooms are always open.

AT MIDWAY.

On Saturday night a well attended meeting was held at Midway. E. Jacobs was voted to the chair and Mr. Martin addressed the meeting. He was followed by Mr. Ross. Mayor Wood then spoke briefly and Mr. Thos. Hardya brief speech in ridiculed Mr. Turner's much lauded financeering. He pointed out that the government buildings and the consolidation of the statutes had cost nearly double the amount estimated and that money had been extravagantly frittered away in other quarters. Mr. Hardy strongly denounced the administration of the Lands and Works department and closed with an earnest request that the people remain loyal to the district and support the opposition candidate.

Mr. Murray endorsed Mr. Hardy's remarks in a short but pointed speech. He suggested that the people of Midway organize for the campaign.

Mr. Jacobs spoke briefly. He pointed out that Mr. McKane during his visit here endeavored to make political capital out of the assertion that Mr. Martin secured his nomination through promising to build a hardware store in Greenwood. Mr. Wood, Mr. Ross and Martin denied that a hardware store was ever suggested.

The Midway electors then organized themselves into a campaign committee.

The defeat of the Corbin charter cost the province $800,000.

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RAILWAY NOTES.

A tunnel nearly one mile in length has to be constructed near Brooklyn.

Greenwood will hum when 2000 to 3000 men are engaged near by in the work of construction.

It is reported that D. C. Corbin has sold his railway system to the Northern Pacific. The report has not been verified.

H. L. Wilgress the right of way agent has gone to Grand Forks for a few days. Mr. Wilgress intends spending the entire summer in the district.

Work has begun at the Penticton end. The survey party is in the field. The party is in charge of A. B. Ross, recently from Glenora. It is stated that active construction will begin before August 8th.

E. J. Coyle the general passenger agent for the C. P. R. with headquarters at Vancouver paid Greenwood a visit last week. He went out by the way of Marcus. During his visit here Mr. Coyle appointed D. R. McElmon local ticket agent for the C. P. R.

W. F. Tye, chief engineer, is a busy man these days. He keeps moving from Cascade City to Midway. Mr. Tye is daily approached for information by anxious property owners and he has the happy faculty of sending them all away satisfied without disclosing any C. P. R. secrets.

In compliance with the wishes of the residents of Greenwood the C. P. R. has made a new survey in the city. The new location line runs to the west side of Boundary Creek and should the line be built there it will not in any way interfere with property in the city. It is understood that the C. P. R. is quite willing to meet the wishes of the people if at all practicable.

Brooklyn is the latest sensation in cities. From a wilderness of forest sprang up a city of tents which is being rapidly converted into a live substantial railway centre. Brooklyn is the headquarters of the railway contractors and the distributing point for all supplies. The contractors are now concentrating all their forces on the construction of the wagon road to Cascade City in order that a large force of men may be worked at this end of the line. As soon as the wagon road is completed, it is expected that 5000 men will be engaged.

THE NOMINATIONS.

Nominations for the approaching general election were made at Rossland on Saturday last. W. B. Townsend is the returning officer. The nominations follow:

James Morris Martin (Opposition) was proposed by David B. Bogle, seconded by Thomas Wesley Coleman and assented to by John Binns Johnson, James Wilks and A. H. MacNeill; Thomas Parker is the candidate's agent.

John McKane (Independent Government) was proposed by Ross Thompson, seconded by C. O'Brien Reddin and assented to by Albert Barrett, Ernest Kennedy, William Hays, J. Astley and J. Fred Ritchie; W. J. Nelson agent.

The election takes place on Saturday next. Any elector can poll his vote at any polling booth in the district.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE

CIMERON Mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Greenwood camp.

TAKE notice that I, Georgr W. Rumberger, free miner's certificate, No. 83A, 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 9th day of June, 1898. 93-9

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NOTICE.

G. A. R., J. A. C., S. F., D. A., C. S. & H., Big Ledge, E. C. B., Prospective, O. B., P. H., S. H. B., Fred D. and Spokane mineral claims, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: Deadwood and Providence camps.

TAKE Notice that we, the Boundary Creek Mining and Milling Company, (Limited Liability), free miner's certificate, No. 72 A, intend, sixty days from the datehereof, 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.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1898. 908

County Court Notice.

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At Fairview, B.C., on Monday, the 15th day of July, 1898,

At the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

By command.

C. A. R. LAMBLY, Dep. Rgr. C. C.

Osoyoos, B. C., 11th June, 1898. 93-4

VOTE FOR JAMES MARTIN.

Here are a dozen reasons why the electors should vote for James Martin:

1. Because the Turner government left the district without a representative.
2. Because the Turner government opposed the Corbin charter.
3. Because the Turner government refused the necessary appropriation for roads.
4. Because the Turner government is owned by the Dunsmuirs of Vancouver Island.
5. Because the candidate of the Turner government is a windy figurehead.
6. Because the Turner government is deliberately attempting to bribe the people with their own money.
7. Because the Turner government is the government of Chinese and monopolies.
8. Because the Turner government fines a Mainland miner five dollars for working underground.
9. Because the Turner government has given away the public lands to railway promoters who never built railways.
10. Because the Turner government has violated solemn promises made with reference to Boundary Creek district.
11. Because James Martin will fight for the interests of the district.
12. Because it is time for a change.

MAIL SERVICE.

W. J. Snodgrass has returned to Okanagan Falls after making arrangements to run a four horse stage daily between Greenwood, and Grand Forks. Mr. Snodgrass has secured an eight passenger coach which will be placed on the line in about a week.

The postoffice department has not made arrangements to pay for a daily mail service between Greenwood and Grand Forks. Postoffice Inspector Fletcher promised to have this matter attended to by May 1st. If the postoffice department does not attend to the matter Mr. Snodgrass has decided to discontinue carrying the mail gratuitously on alternate days. It is difficult to understand why there should be so much delay in this matter. If the department is at all acquainted with the importance of this district, it must surely recognize the absolute necessity for a daily mail service.

Church of England.

The Archdeacon of Columbia arrived in Greenwood Wednesday evening for a meeting of the church members, at which the usual committee was appointed to manage the affairs of the church here, Mayor Wood, Messrs. Moulton-Barrett and Smailes being chosen to constitute this body which is the initial step in the formation of a parish.

Service will be held in Rendell's hall on Sunday evening at the usual hour by Mr. Irwin to which all are heartily invited.

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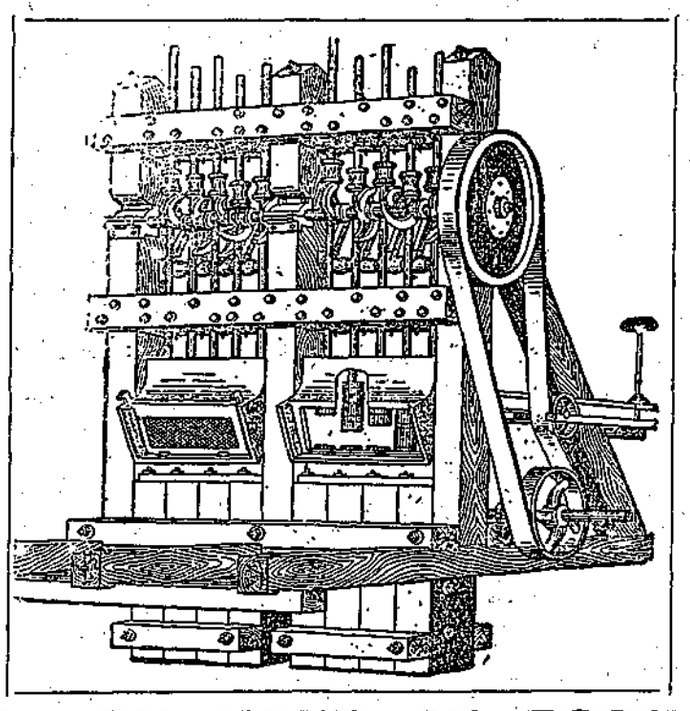

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

John Keough has returned from his home in Colville.

Roast spring chicken and green peas at the Windsor Sunday evening. *

C. L. Thomet has sold a lot on Silver street to Thos. McDonnell for $450.

Frank Barnard, ex-M. P. arrived in Greenwood by Friday's Penticton stage.

Geo. B. Macauley and W. H. Young are again in the city after having visited Camp McKinney.

At the school meeting held last Saturday, Mr. Ralph Smailes was elected a school trustee by acclamation.

Richard Armstrong of Rossland and John A. Manly of Grand Forks visited Greenwoed on Thursday. They were on their way to Republic via Midway.

J. Jermyn of Toronto one of the directors of the Brandon & Golden Crown Company is in the city. Mr. Jermyn has other interests in the district and will remain here for some time.

Good ore is now being taken from the Stemwinder mine at Fairview, and a run will probably be made in the Tin Horn mill. The owners of the Morning Star are going to run some of their ore in the Joe Dandy mill.

J. C. Haas, M. E., has returned from a business trip to Spokane. It is learned that the bond on the Golconda group has been thrown up, Lord Sidley's company having decided to withdraw from all mining ventures in British Columbia.

R. G. Sidley, J. P., lost a purse containing $67 on the road between his home and Camp McKinney. The entire settlement turned out to search for the missing pocket book. Fortunately Mr. McGraw found the purse and returned it to the owner.

Price Ellison, the government candidate, came down to Camp McKinney on Tuesday and returned next day to Fairview, where he and Mr. Graham held a joint meeting on Thursday. The reports from different parts of the district are most encouraging for Mr. Graham's return.

On the 24th ult., A. K. Stuart, inland revenue officer, seized at Thos. Elliot's store, Fairview, 86 pounds of tobacco, on which no revenue had been paid. S. Somerville, the manager of the store. appeared before C. A. R. Lambly and pleaded guilty to the charge. He was fined $50 and costs.

F. C. Gamble, the public works engineer, arrived at Fairview last week to start the government building there. When canstructed they will be a great convenience, as under the present circumstances a journey of 13 miles to Osoyoos is necessary before government business can be transacted.

The report has reached us that Mr. W. B. Rickarks of Midway was in danger of having his head broken this week, the impression being abroad that he was the author of the Midway notes which appeared in THE TIMES last week. While Mr. Rickards is quite capable of saving his own head we wish to state that he was not the author of the Midway notes. Mr. Rickards furnishes THE TIMES with records from the recorder's office but beyond this he has sent no copy to THE TIMES.

Thos. McDonnell has returned from a business trip to Spokane.

T. A. Garland has returned from a trip to the Kootenay country.

Roast spring chicken and green peas at the Windsor Sunday evening. *

The Turner government is doomed. P. A. O'Farrell is writing letters in its favor.

A rich strike has been made on the Alma claim, lying south of the Eureka in Camp McKinney. The Alma is owned by W. Edwards.

Fairview was visited by a heavy windstorm last week which did considerable damage. The big hotel suffered most. A chimney was blown down, windows broken and there were other damages.

The government have several electors at work on the new wagon road between Fairview and Keremeos. The men are not saying much but they wink knowingly and remark sotto voice that the ballott is secret.

A rather novel school election was held at Fairview on Saturday. There were three candidates for the vacancy. When the ballotts were counted it was found that all three tied. The three candidates threw dice for the coveted position and Wm. Dalrymple was the lucky one.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, sixty days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district: Commencing at a stake planted in the Eholt Pass, about two thoosand feet west of the summit and about half a mile south of Eholt creek, thence north one mile, thence east one mile, thence south one mile, thence west one mile to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres. W. T. WILGRESS.

Greenwood, B. C. June 21, 1898. 94-8

[L. S.] THOS. R. McINNES.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the East Riding of Yale Electoral District:

WHEREAS His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has, by a Proclamation bearing date the 7th day of June, 1898, been pleased to dissolve the Legislative Assembly of the said Province; and whereas it is necessary to hold Elections throughout the said Province to fill the vacancies caused by such dissolution, We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made, according to law, of One Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the East Riding of Yale Electoral District, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the 25th day of June, 1898, and do cause the name of such Member, when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 31st day of August next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly indorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia: WITNESS, the Honorable THOMAS R. McINNES, at Our Government House, at Victoria, this seventh day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

By Command,
B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
93-4 Registrar of the Supreme Court.

[L. S.] THOS. R. McINNES.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and to all whom it may concern,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

D. M. EBERTS, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of Our Province of British Columbia, to dissolve the present Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, which stands prorogued until summoned for dispatch of business.

NOW KNOW YE that We do, for this end, publish this our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the Legislative Assembly accordingly, and the members thereof are discharged from further attendance on same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable Thos. R. McInnes, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this seventh day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and in the sixty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.
B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
93-4 Registrar of the Supreme Court.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

FOURTH OF JULY mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Greenwood camp.

TAKE notice that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Jay P. Graves, freeminer's certificate No. 95494, 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 4th day of June, 1898. 92

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date, we intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut timber on the following described piece of land, situate on Cranberry creek, a tributary of the West Fork of Kettle river, in the District of Yale, B. C.: Commencing at a stake on the west side of Cranberry creek, 60 chains from the mouth of said creek, thence west 120 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 120 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 120 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 120 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement. containing 960 acres.

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FIRE PROTECTION.

Protection against fire is a matter in which every one is directly interested. In a town like Greenwood with nothing but wooden buildings, fire is its most dangerous enemy. Every citizen therefore should show his appreciation of any effort made to lessen the danger. Unfortunately people who have been blessed with an immunity from fires become careless and fall into the habit of considering themselves and the city in the hands of a special Providence. It is only when their property is destroyed and their business ruined that they become aroused to the necessity for united action. We hope that the residents of Greenwood are possessed of sufficient forethought to organize before a serious fire takes place. A volunteer fire department can do much to fight fires. It should receive the encouragement and support of every citizen.

At the head of the department there should be a man who can enthuse the volunteers into properly training themselves for the work. Fighting fires is a profession in which one becomes efficient only after a course of hard training.

Sneak Thieves.

Theft seems to be one of the accompaniments of the rush into this district. Heretofore a prospector or claim holder could leave his tools and supplies anywhere and they would never be disturbed but with the rush this summer came a class who do not believe in the established principle of honor among prospectors and who take other people's property at every opportunity.

The sneak thieves appear to have scattered all over the country for reports of articles missing come from every section of the district. Near home the D. A. cabin has been stripped of everything except the stove Other cabins in the district have been broken into. Up the West Fork, prospectors tools have been taken. Even horses have not escaped their attention and a prospector's horse turned out with a bell and hobble returned without either.

We cannot help thinking that provincial police officers who show so much anxiety to enforce the law in small and unimportant matters might turn their serious attention towards making an example of some of the undesirable class who have invaded the district.

Turner at Rossland.

Hon. J. H. Turner, premier of British Columbia held a meeting at Rossland on Friday evening last. He delivered a very weak speech and F. C. Cotton replied vigorously. The meeting was two to one in favor of the opposition. Betting men in Rossland are giving odds in favor of Martin. In a window on the main street is $1000 in favor of Martin without takers. W. B. Davey of Grand Forks bet $1000 last week that Martin will be elected.

The Greenwood Hospital.

Notwithstanding the fact that the provincial government has consented to pay the Greenwood hospital account for the care of an indigent miner, it has so far neglected to guarantee the accounts for the care of similar cases. As the government refused to place the Greenwood hospital on the same footing as other hospitals in the province with reference to appropriations Dr. Jakes will refuse to receive any patients unable to pay for their maintenance until the government makes some definite arrangements.

James Martin the opposition candidate left on Tuesday for Grand Forks where a public meeting will be held.

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DEDICATION OF THE FIRST CHURCH

The event of the week in religious circles of the Boundary Creek district was the dedication on Sunday last of the new Catholic church at this place by Rev. Father Palmer, priest in charge of this parish. Situated on one of the most beautiful knolls in the north end of the city and commanding a view of all points of the compass, stands a structure known as the church of the Sacred Heart that not only the Catholics of the congregation may feel a just pride in claiming as their own but also one which can be pointed to by every resident of this section as an evidence of the work which can be accomplished by the united efforts of all irrespective of creed.

The style of the architecture of this edifice is Gothic and for the amount of money expended viz $2,500, could not have been improved upon. The building is 25x50 and has with the gallaries a seating capacity of 500. From the ground to the top of cross is 91 feet which from the elevation of the site makes the building one of the most conspicious in the city. The builders, Derosier and Bourke exerted themselves to produce the finest building possible under the plans and specifications as submitted and have more than creditably acquitted themselves.

Services were held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. In the morning Rev. Father Palmer discussed the subject of "The Mass" as taught by the Catholic church and in the evening "The Adoration of the Blessed Virgin." The Rev. Father was eloquent in both discourses and explained why these things were believed in by Catholics. His subject on July 24th will be "The Confession" and why Catholics believe in it.

The choir will consist of ten voices, the best obtainable in the city, irrespective of creed. Messrs. Wright and Porter will accompany the singing with violin and cornet and from present appearances it is a safe prediction that good music can be heard.

At last Sunday's services little Ruth Miller deserves credit for having sung the only solo rendered in the dedication of the first church in Boundary Creek district.

Real Estate Sales.

The two lots on the corner of Copper and Greenwood streets facing the Imperial hotel have been purchased by Rendell & Co. from Hugh McEwan of Grand Forks for $2,000. These lots are among the best business building lots in the city. They were eagerly sought after but Mr. McEwan refused to sell until the other day. He purchased them some two years ago for $200. Messrs. Rendell & Co. have also sold the 50 foot lot on the Corner of Silver and Greenwood street to the rear of the Imperial hotel. The purchaser was the Bealey Investment & Trust Co. and the price paid was $750.

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THE CELEBRATION.

Canada's national hodiday was fittingly celebrated in Greenwood. Not only did the residents of the city turn out to enjoy the programme of sports provided but Midway, Grand Forks, Carson, Nelson and the surrounding district sent strong delegations to represent them.

All the events excepting the drilling contest were pulled off at the baseball grounds at the upper end of the city. At ten o'clock the horse racing began. It was anything but a satisfactory exhibition. It was aptly described by Mr. Ferguson one of the judges. When questions as to whether this was the Derby or the Oakes he promptly replied its the "hoax." The track was heavy and the entries were few. In the pony race Floyd Vaughn's Sherman won two heats out of three, Bobby Robinson's Buckskin being a close second.

In the free for all there were only three entries. Dexter run by F. C. Lane of Grand Forks; Peacock, Fred McMann, and Rowdy, Thos. White. Peacock decided to jump the track and he was caught in the woods about a mile from the race course. Rowdy fought hard for first place but a soft place in the track was found and he retired to second place with a badly sprained fetlock. Dexter appeared to be an old hand at the business and carried away $50 of Greenwood's money without providing the spectators with an equivalent in the shape of amusement.

The novelty race for a prize given by George Seymour of the Windsor hotel had more competitors than any other race of the day. Dirty Jim ridden by McClung won for his rider a case of whiskey against a field of seven. A. H. Harrison of the B. C. mine and Gerald T. Hodgson then gave a $10 purse for a race among the horses who had entered in the novelty race. This made the best horse race of the day. The seven were fairly well matched but McClung on Dirty Jim again carried off the prize.

There were only two entries in the slow race. The prize a case of whisky was given by J. W. Nelson of the Pioneer hotel. E. J. Edwards entered on a long eared animal that the people generally call a mule. Floyd Vaughn entered a ringbone, spavined, bucking cayuse. Vaughn was placed on the mule and Edwards on the cayuse and then the fun began. In 2 hours, 40 minutes, 37½ seconds, Edwards succeeded in bringing his mount to the winning post. Vaughn worked the mule for about 20 yards and neither spur nor lash would move him any farther. At last a man with a long whip came to Vaughn's assistance and succeeded in driving him across the line, 4 hours, 35 minutes, 26 seconds after the time of starting. Edwards got the whiskey.

A special race for a purse of $10 between F. McMann's Peacock and R. Robinson's Buckskin was won by Peacock.

In the ladies race Mrs. McClung won first place, Mrs. Winters second and Mrs. Shoriquist third. The race was hotly contested.

There was only a limited programme of small sports. The men's 100 yard dash was won by Fred Clyde, John Snodgrass being second.

The foot race for big boys was won by Ted McArthur, Barry being second. Jack Galloway won the race for small boys with young Medill second.

BASEBALL.

The baseball match was won by by Grand Forks. They played better ball throughout than the home team. The Greenwood team needs reorganization. Most of the players couldn't hit a baloon with a barn door, while their work in the field was very coarse. Hallett pitched good ball but was poorly supported. Smith did good work both at the bat and in the field. Kelly put up a good game at third. The score was 14 to 13.

THE DRILLING CONTEST.

The drilling contest took place on the bench near the new Catholic church. There were only two teams entered—Dennis Clune and J. Sullivan, and Anderson and Peterson. Clune and Sullivan pounded the drill with their old time vigor, and succeeded in driving 27½ inches through exceedingly hard rock. Henderson and Peterson did not change their drills as promptly as their competitors, nor did the drills appear to cut well. They drilled 18⅜ inches in the 15 minutes.

NOTES.

The "pyrotechnical" display from Jubilee mountain was wonderful in its simplicity. The base of operations for the display of fireworks was supposed to be the summit of Jubilee mountain, but the committee in charge got the tired feeling after walking a short distance up the wagon road, and they fired their handful of rockets from a point about twenty feet above Boundary creek.

The celebration concluded with a grand ball in Barrett's hall. Porter's orchestra furnished the music. Appetizing suppers were served by the Imperial and Windsor hotels at midnight.

At the request of the police commissioners, Provincial Officers Lawder and Gardom kindly consented to do police duty on the grounds. The large crowd was orderly and the only disturbance was caused by a wild Indian from the American side. He undertook to ride through the crowd but he was gathered in by the provincial officers after a brief struggle. Police Magistrate Hallett will attend to his case to-day.

The Okanagan Falls townsite has been acquired by Frank Barnard and his associates.

MUNICIPAL TAXES.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after July 2nd the City Collector will be in the office of W. B. Paton, Government street, from 10 a. m. to noon, and from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. daily (except Sunday), for the purpose of receiving municipal taxes for the current year. 95

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A POLITICAL HERMAPHRODITE.

If any evidence were necessary to convince the electors that John McKane's candidature is of a most dishonest character, that evidence is found in the election address which is published in the Rossland Miner. Mr. McKane has received the endorsation of Premier Turner and must be recognized as the government candidate notwithstanding his hollow pretensions of independence. Since he is the endorsed candidate of the government to be honest he should support the policy of the government.

The Turner government refused to remove the tax of five dollars on working miners. John McKane says he is in favor of the removal of the tax.

The Turner government refused to abolish the mortgage tax. John McKane says he is in favor of the removal of the mortgage tax.

The Turner government discouraged the Truck Act. John McKane says he is in favor of the Truck Act.

The Turner government refused to grant Boundary Creek representation. John McKane says he is in favor of granting Boundary Creek representation.

John McKane is a government candidate attempting to win votes in the garment of an oppositionist. His position is illogical and dishonest. It shows the character of the man. He is without political stamina or political honesty. His election address is sufficient to damn him with every intelligent elector. He cannot run as a government supporter when his address is a continuous protest against the Turner administration. Either McKane's address is a libel on the Turner government or McKane's candidature is the quintessence of hypocrisy. This district is too important to be represented by a political hermaphrodite. The candidate must be for the people or for Turner. He cannot run on the people's platform and in the interests of Turner.

NELSON & VERNON CO.

The Nelson & Vernon Telephone Company has at last decided to build its own line. Heretofore it appeared to be filled with the idea that it was the duty of the residents of Greenwood to furnish the company with a complete telephone line. The Greenwood people couldn't see the matter in the same light and made arrangements to get telephone connection with Republic. The Nelson & Vernon Company is now prepared to build a line. Mr. Hodge the superintendent for the company visited Greenwood this week and called for tenders for 525 telephone poles to be placed along the wagon road from Spencers to Greenwood. Tenders are also called for clearing a 25 foot right of way covering the same distance. Mr. Hodge expects to have his line in operation in less than 60 days.

A. L. Groux has now a gang of men at work erecting poles and stringing the wire between Cascade City and Grand Forks. He will continue the work to Greenwood.

Should W. B. Aris carry out his promise to run a line from Republic, Greenwood will be blessed with two telephone lines.

The B. C. M. & M. Co.

D. A. Holbrook, the managing director of the B. C. M. & M. Co., returned to Greenwood on Wednesday and will remain in the district. Arrangements have been completed with the London & Canadian syndicate and contracts on the company's properties will be let in a few days. Hector McRae of the London & Canadian Syndicate was also in the city for a short time on Sunday. He is expected to return in a few days. During Thos. McDonnell's visit to Spokane he made satisfactory arrangements with the syndicate with reference to his property at Eholt creek.

Imagined He Was the Whole Celebration.

Tinas Martin, a siwash from the reservation near Midway, visited the city yesterday. Tinas in the classic Chinook is a diminutive. Everything went smoothly for Little Martin until the baseball match was about over, when Tinas got the idea that he was the whole celebration and proceeded to make a triumphal procession of himself and his cayuse on the ball grounds. Just as the procession gave indications of being a success, Officers Gardom and Lawder scooped the siwash in.

GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

H. T. Wilgress of the C. P. R. staff has gone to Grand Forks.

Mrs. W. G. McMynn and child, of Midway have gone east on a holiday.

Rev. Father Palmer visited his flock in Grand Forks this week before returning to Vernon.

G. R. Naden, managing director of the Bealy Investment & Trust Co., left on Wednesday for Rossland.

J. H. Macfarlane, manager of the Sunset mine and Robert Donegan paid Grand Forks a business visit this week.

E. C. Brown the well known prospector had his collar bone fractured last week while working in Wellington camp.

J. E. Boss has awarded M. McMillan the contract for sinking the shaft on the Brooklyn mine. Mr. McMillan has already started the work and is running double shifts.

The installation of officers in Boundary Valley Lodge will take place next Tuesday. The members and visiting brothers will be entertained at a smoker after the ceremony.

The Bealy Investment & Trust Company have purchased from Gerald T. Hodgson, two lots on Copper street opposite the International hotel. The price paid was $1,650. Thos. McDonnell has purchased from the Bealy Co., the two lots to the rear of the Imperial recently sold by Rendell & Co.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending June 28th, 1898.

June 22.

Saratoga, Providence camp, Fred Haussener.
San Reno, Providence camp, Otto Dillier.
Punch, Skylark camp, John W. Greden
Imperial, Skylark camp, E. Parry and T. Hogan.
Maine, Canyon creek, W. W. Dresser.
Roskey, Deer creek, W. E. Peterson.

June 23.

June Bug, Skylark camp, E. T. Wickwire and E. C. Cargill.

June 25.

Gabe, Smith's camp, G. Ustis
Mountain View, Deer creek, C. L. Thomet.
Parrott and Milda, Central camp, H. W. Hollihan and E. B. Simmons.
Cuba, Beaver creek, G D Cunningham and W E McBoyle
Gem, Beaver creek, W E McBoyle and F Bagshaw.
Lillian, Central camp, C. M. Crouse.
Head Center. Eholt creek, W M Law
Victoria, Kimberly camp, D Lawson.
Yukon, Kimberly camp, D. McLean.

June 27.

North Star, Copper camp, Duncan Ross.
Missing Link No. 2 (fractional), Greenwood camp, J Dempsey
O K (fractional), Canyon creek, F Darragh et al
Belmont (fractional), Skylark camp, H. A. Wright.

June 28.

Elkhorn, Skylark camp, T. H. White and Jno N Greden
Champion, Canyon creek, J C Brown
Caledonia, Canyon creek, O Mellon
Julsburg, Skylark camp, Otto Dillier.

Certificates of Work.

June 22.

Alma (fractional), J Fisher et al
Mystic, G K Reed.
Morning Star, H J Cole
Evening Star, C N Collins.

June 23.

Wild Currant, Wild Pea and Wild Sunflower, M O Berg et al.
Kankakee, S Larsen
Fourth of July, Jay P Graves
Little Johnnie, Colin McRae.
Aberdeen, David Bryant

June 25.

D F K, J J Miller et al
Tillie, John Mulligan et al.

June 27.

Diamond (fractional), F C Bailey
Grub Stake, H T Bergman et al
Queen Bess, Wm G McMynn

June 28.

Hunter, Mogul and Monitor, O Mellon et al
Wren, R Denzler.

Transfers.

June 22

Drumlummon, Jubilee and Fourth of July, ⅓ interest, John Gillan to W H Summers.
Four Ace, ¼ interest, G R Reed to H J Cole

June 23

Buckhorn, ½ interest, S Larsen to John Dunn
White Cloud, all interest, A Hopper to C J Lundy
Mendocino, ⅓ interest, A Hopper to C J Lundy.
C O D, ⅓ interest, H J Cole to O D Sandford
Miranda, all interest, T A Garland to J C Haas

June 28.

Kloudike, all interest, J A Shallenberger to H H Shallenberger and R McCulloch.

McKEE—CARROLL.

Last Saturday afternoon Rev. Father Palmer united in marriage Hugh McKee, the proprietor of the Commercial hotel and Miss Rosa Carroll. Miss Kelly was bridesmaid while W. S. Keith supported the groom. After the marriage ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McKee left for Spokane where the honeymoon was spent,

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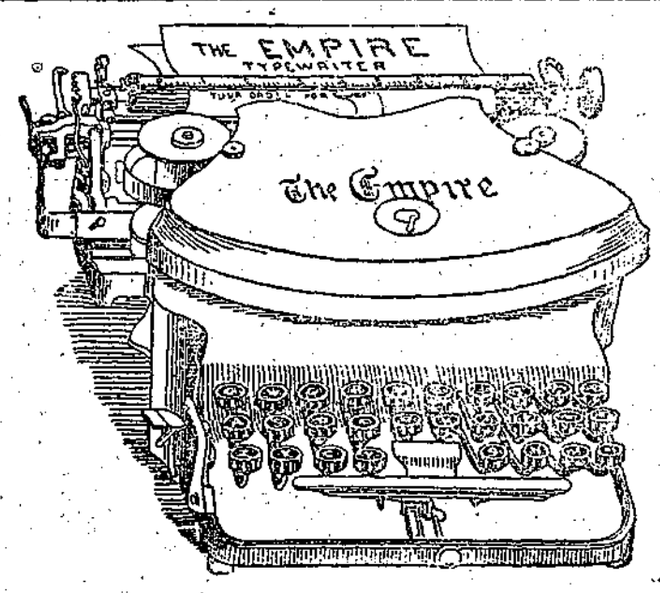

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[L. S.] S. Y. WOOTTON.
93-4 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Vote early next Saturday!

Don't forget the Corbin charter next Saturday.

The Turner government has always been an enemy of Boundary Creek.

James Martin is pledged to secure representation for Boundary Creek. A vote for him will speedily bring such representation.

It is reported that Hon. J. H. Turner is running as an independent candidate in Chilliwack.

James Dunsmuir the owner of Vancouver Island and the Turner government is a candidate in Comox.

The Turner government struggled to give Heinze a land grant and a cash subsidy and his own time to build.

The office where the government delegates were elected went through a purifying process this week. Two men and a hose did the work.

Mr. McKane should rise and explain why Mr. Hodgson was not paid his expenses. Probably Mr. Leamy could throw some light on the subject.

It is currently reported that Gerald T. Hodgson intends sueing the government in the Small Debts Court. His claim is $40, delegate's expenses to Rossland.

To John McKane and Dr. Bowes the people of Boundary Creek are indebted for their disfranchisement. They suggested to the Turner government the advisability of making Boundary Creek a suburb of Rossland.

The Turner government is defeated already. The opposition have the full complement of candidates—thirty-eight— in the field while the government could only muster 24 candidates. In the other constituencies the opposition are being opposed by independents.

It is difficult to decide who is entitled to greater governmental recognition Andrew Leamy of Greenwood or W. B. Cochrane of Vernon. They are both lawyers or rather both maintain they are. The one succeeded in dropping (inadvertently) about 20 Boundary Creek names off the list and the other acted as delegate to a government convention after being appointed a returning officer.

Hon. J. H. Turner will not visit Boundary Creek district. Other portions of the province requires his attention; besides Hon. J. H. Turner has a meek servant in the person of John McKane. McKane must earn his money and consequently he is compelled to face the dangers of traveling by stages in a foreign land. Turner isn't going to be inconvenienced by the gerrymander of Boundary Creek.

A unique inquiry comes from Revelstoke to a gentleman in Greenwood. The seeker of information states that he had noticed the Greenwood gentleman's advertisement in THE BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES and he would be pleased to learn if tomatoes and melons will ripen here, also if one could do well with a tailor's small stock.

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PLACER DIGGINGS AT BAKER CREEK.

A correspondent writes to THE TIMES that coarse free gold yielding 10 to 15 cents to the pan had just been discovered on Baker creek about one mile across the International boundary line from Sidley, P. O. The discovery caused considerable excitement in that vicinity and Baker creek has been staked up to the line. At the time of writing no prospecting had been done on the British side of the line. The discovery was made by Henry Vinson an old timer in those parts. He is making sluice boxes to start washing. The gold was seen by the correspondent and he states that the indications for good diggings are the best he has ever seen.

The gold is found in a very peculiar position. It is in the bed of the creek. There is first a stratum of gravel, than a foot of clay and underneath the clay is more gravel. In the top of this under stratum of gravel the gold has been found. How far it goes down has not yet been determined owing to the water.

Ten years ago two men named Ruppert and McPhee took out $10 a day for about two months on this same creek where it empties into Rock creek but when they came to the clay and found nothing in it they never thought of going below. It appears that there must have been two washes. At the time of writing only three locations were made on the American side. There is about four miles of the Baker creek in Canadian territory. It has been worked over here and there for surface diggings but going below the clay is a new departure. The creek goes nearly dry in the fall but at present there is plenty of water.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Courthouse on Monday evening. Mayor Wood presided and the following aldermen were present: Ald. Galloway, Kerr, Paton, Barrett and Phelan.

A. Campbell Reddie, Deputy Provincial Secretary, informed the council that the Greenwood hospital account of $30 for the care of an indigent sick miner had been accepted by the government and that the government agent would pay the same.

Ald. Barrett introduced the Ward By-Law. It divides the city into East and West wards, Copper street being the boundary between the two wards. The By-Law was passed through its several stages and now stands for final reading.

Ald. Galloway pointed out the importance of organizing a volunteer fire department under the By-Law passed by the council and it was decided to call a public meeting on Monday evening. Ald. Barrett offered the use of his hall for the meeting and the offer was accepted.

Isaac Syme, of Mayville, North Dakota, one of the shareholders in the Winnipeg mine, is visiting the district.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that, sixty days from the date hereof, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situate in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, B. C., viz.: Commencing at the south east corner of Frederick Haussener's pre-emption on Boundary creek, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less. FREDERIC HAUSSENER.

Dated at Greenwood B. C., June 2, 1898. 92

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

C. O. D. Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Deadwood camp, north of the Sunset Mineral claim.

TAKE Notice that I, Robert Donagin, free miners's certificate No. 14074A, 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 June, 1898. 95-8

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

PHŒNIX Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: Greenwood camp.

TAKE notice that we, C. E. Galt, free miner's certificate No. 351 A; Robert Denzler, free miner's certificate No. 14025 A; Thos. Tighe, free miner's certificate No. 14024 A; Franklin Farrell, free miner's certificate No. 50 A, and W. T. Smith, free miner's certificate, No. 14046 A; 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 9th day of June, 1898. 92-9

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

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

TAKE notice that we, John Dunn, free miner's certificate No. 25806; E. A. Bielenberg, free miner's certificate No. 29,867, and Mary Garland, free miner's certificate No. 14117 A; 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 improvement.

Dated this 3rd day of June, 1898. 92-9

[L. S.] THOS. R. McINNES.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all whom these presents shall come,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

D. M. EBERTS, Attorney-General. WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our People of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature, We do make known our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province; and do further declare that, by the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia, We have this day given orders for issuing Our Writs in due form, for calling a new Legislative Assembly for Our said Province, which Writs are to bear date on the seventh day of June, instant, and to be returnable on or before the thirty-first day of August next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable Thos. R. McInnes, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this seventh day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and in the sixty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

B. H. FYRWHITT DRAKE,
Registrar of the Supreme Court.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

8TH JUNE, 1898.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint LEONARD NORRIS, ESQUIRE, Government Agent, to be Returning Officer for the East Riding of Yale District; and

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint and declare the Court House, Vernon, to be the place for the nomination of candidates for election to the Legislative Assembly in the East Riding of Yale Electoral District. 93-4

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D. M EBERTS, Attorney-General, WHEREAS it is advisable to esiablish the following polling plases in the several and respective Eelcctoral Districts hereinafter named.

NOW KNOW YE tnat, by virtue of the authority contained in the "Provincial Elections Act," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares that the following polling places shall be, and they are hereby, established for the several Electoral Districts, the names of which are set opposite such polling places, respectively, that is to say:—

POLLING PLACES.	ELECTORAL DISTRICT.
Rossland	West Kootenay—Rossland Riding.
Trail	
Greenwood	
Grand Forks	
Midway	
Cascade City	

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable Thos. R. McInnes, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in our City of Victoria, in our said Province, this fifteenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and in the sixty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
94-3 Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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THE PEOPLE OF BOUNDARY

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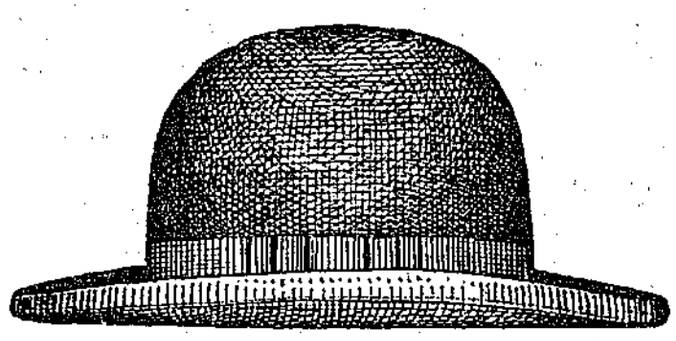
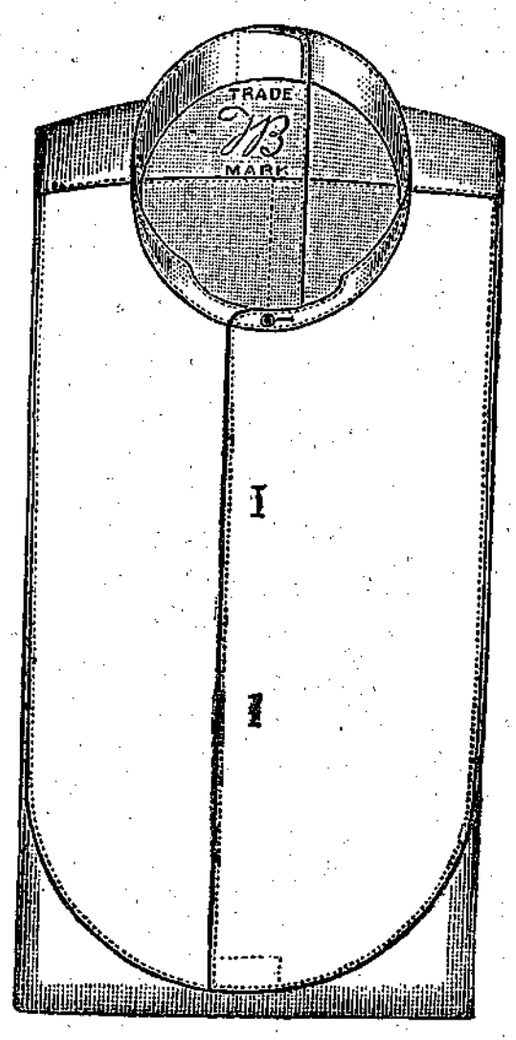


In the excitement of the contest, should you lose your hat, soil your shirt, disfigure your best suit, or need a pair of good stout piccadilly point toe shoes for the conflict, as you may need to do some tall kicking, do not overlook the fact that we are in a position to give you the best value for your money on any of these lines.



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