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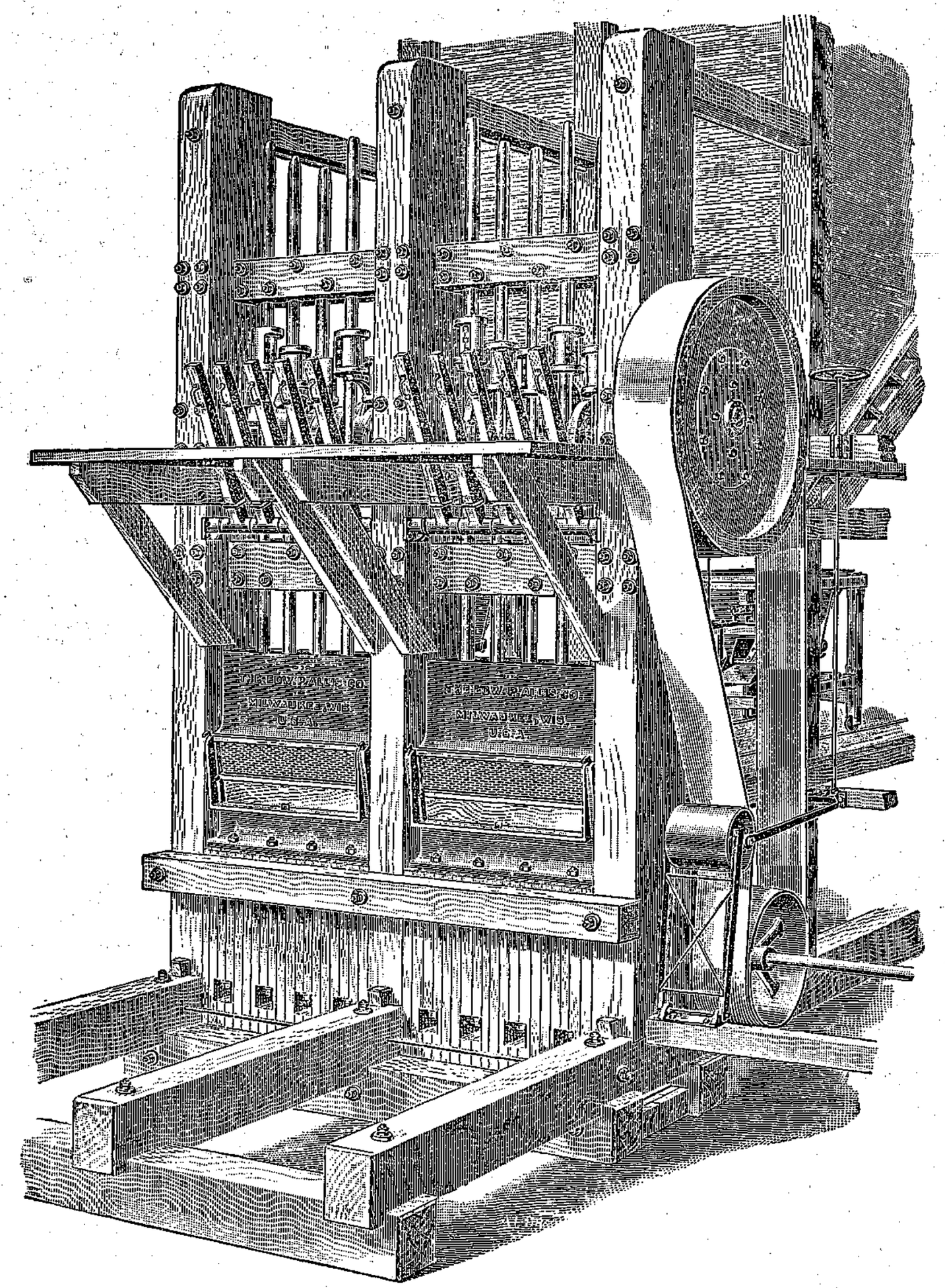

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BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES

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

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A DUTY TO BOUNDARY CREEK.

BOUNDARY CREEK District has been treated more unjustly by the Turner government than any other portion of the province of British Columbia. When the district was in its infancy, when enterprising prospectors ventured into the hills and located claims that were soon to make the district famous, members of the Turner government ridiculed the idea that Boundary Creek would ever prove an important mining centre. This prejudice against an important portion of the province has been maintained until the present day. While the government showed an anxiety that every farmer on the coast should have egress and ingress by a macadamized road, the prospectors of Boundary Creek district were allowed to cut their own trails and the mine owners and business men were forced to build wagon roads. It is quite true that while the government was slow to build roads into the district, it shows a commendable enterprise in changing short trousered Trout Creekers into public officers and clothing them with authority to iron unfortunate residents whose worst crime was poverty. Southern Yale is long on policemen and short on public improvements. It is equally true that while money was extravagantly spent in erecting a handsome pile of stone; in paying for the jaunts of ministers of Crown who went to England and to the East on private business at the expense of the public; in providing fat offices for the impecunious and the incompetent; in reducing to common sense the laws of a careless and indifferent Attorney-general; in conducting the ordinary business of the province, Boundary Creek was pouring wealth into the provincial treasury through the offices at Osoyoos, Midway and Grand Forks.

Turning from purely local matters to questions that more generally affected the province and we can charge the government with the same culpable negligence as far as Boundary Creek district is concerned. Take their railway policy for instance. Every act of the provincial government was calculated to retard the development of this great district by encouraging chartermongers and subsidy seekers.

The first railway adventurer who hypnotized the Turner government into looking after his interests rather than to the development of Southern British Columbia was none other than the gallant Col. Baker. Basking in the sunshine of the Cranbrook estate, he perfected a scheme whereby the province was to be filched to the tune of several million acres of land and Col. Baker enriched. The scheme was a brilliant one and commended itself so highly to the government that the Col. was taken into the cabinet, allowed to make a trip to England at the expense of the province in order that he might sell the Cranbrook estate, with the adjacent public lands thrown in. The British Columbia Southern railway was dangled before the eyes of the electors for several years. Extensions of time, accompanied by increased land grants were given to the promoters by the provincial government as an encouragement to do nothing. Col. Baker made another trip at the expense of the province and the British Columbia Southern charter passed into the hands of the C. P. R. Railway construction in Southern British Columbia was delayed four years by railway legislation No I.

The second adventurer who wooed and won the Turner government was a gentleman built on different lines. He had never clothed himself in all the panoply of war. He was young in years but a veteran in the art of making money in railways without building them. F. Auguste Heinze and his Columbia & Western railway and its accompanying land grant is familiar to most the readers of THE TIMES. He also secured additional land grants as his reward for doing nothing and finally sold at a good figure to the C. P. R.

The third to appear on the scene was a syndicate. The reason for the syndicate instead of the individual was clear. Not one of the aggregation had brains enough or money enough to carry through a project of any kind. The Victoria, Vancouver & Eastern Railway Company secured sufficient standing at the expense of the province to enable it to successfully burke a bona fide effort on the part of the Dominion government to give Boundary Creek district railway communication. Its charter has passed into the hands of the C. P. R.

Every act of the provincial government encouraged delay in opening up this district by railways. Instead of forcing those securing enormous concessions to build, they were encouraged by renewals of charters and further aids. The natural result followed. The people of Boundary Creek district, disgusted and discouraged, hailed with delight the announcement that Mr. Corbin was going to build into the country. In order to show their appreciation for a railway man who volunteered to build at once without a subsidy or land grant, they appointed delegates to go to Ottawa to assist him in securing a charter. But the precedent Mr. Corbin intended establishing was considered by the provincial government too dangerous because it was too honest. To build a railway without a cash subsidy or a land grant would be a serious menace to the interests of Turner's friends, the chartermongers and the subsidy hunters. The button was pressed, and the automatic legislature passed a resolution whose object was to defeat the honest railway builder and to further delay railway construction into Boundary Creek district.

Mr. Corbin's efforts almost succeeded in wiping out the much beloved railway policy of the Turner government. Glorying in his defeat they hurled defiance at those in favor of honest railway legislation by presenting the C. P. R. with nearly $1,000,000 to do what Mr. Corbin offered to do for nothing. Not satisfied with this manifestation of delight they gleefully plunge the province $1,600,000 dollars in debt in order that they may teach the doubting Thomases that when it comes to feeding avaricious railway corporations, the Dominion government is not in it with the enterprising galaxy of statesmen who control the destiny of this province.

This mad potlatch, more prodigal than the wildest conception of the most reckless sachem, must stop. The good sense of the people that have been too careless about public affairs must assert itself. The safety and the future of the province demands that the Turner government must go.

The crowning indignity that has been heaped upon the people of Boundary Creek has yet to be mentioned. The electors here would like to join in the fight for honest government. They would like to show the rest of the province that local gain is no excuse for supporting dishonest legislation but they find that their political power has been destroyed and that they have been gerrymandered out of existence. They could have forgiven the Turner government for its greed for money without any adequate return, for its neglect to carry out necessary public works, for its ruinous railway legislation—yes, even for its Trout Creek policeman—but they can never forgive the Turner government for political disfranchisement. The spirit of independence burns as strong in every elector in Boundary Creek as in every other Britisher and he deeply resents any

legislation that stills his voice in the government of the province.

The interests of Boundary Creek district demand more decisive action on the part of its people than sullen resentment. At least 700 strong, if they unite to fight for the political existence of the district they may soon congratulate each other upon having secured for their district that political consideration which its importance demands. To escape complete political annihilation is more important than party victory. The people of Boundary Creek should at once take action. The balance of power in the irregular constituency of Rossland is in the possession of Boundary Creek. It should be used not only to ensure the defeat of an extravagantly incompetent administration but more especially to ensure for Boundary Creek district its full measure of political power.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

The regular weekly meeting of the Greenwood City Council was held in the Court house Monday evening. His Worship, Mayor Wood, presided and the following aldermen were present: Ald. Galloway, Paton, Barrett, Phelan and Parry.

The city treasurer was instructed to renew with Bank of Montreal the promissory note covering temporary loan.

The finance committee reported the following bills correct and they were ordered paid: Smith & McRae, stationery $1.75; Fritz Hausseneur, wood $1.75; McDonald Bros., street work, $21; BOUNDARY CREEK TIMES, advertising, $28.

The council also decided that Mr. C. Æ. Shaw, C. E., be paid $90 for preparing a large plan of the city.

The council discussed Mr. McMynn's letter which appears elsewhere and instructed the clerk to communicate with the provincial government, pointing out the injustice of forcing the city to pay for the indigent sick coming from mining camps outside the city limits.

The Fire Protection By-Law was reconsidered and finally passed.

Several Copper street property holders being desirous of laying sidewalks, the council decided that sidewalks should be 8 feet wide to be made of plank 2x8 laid on three sills 3x4.

Silver Dollar Bonded.

On Saturday last, the Silver Dollar was bonded to Mr. A. H. Harrison of the B. C. mine. The Silver Dollar is located on the Main Kettle river above Rock Creek. The bond was $35,000. Of this amount $500 is to be paid in cash, $500 in 60 days, $1,000 on September 1st, $16,500 on March 1st, 1899, and the balance $16,500 on June 1st, 1899. The owners of the property are Messrs. Peterson and Newnan.

H. G. Wilson, representing Wilson Bros., wholesale grocers, Victoria, was in Greenwood last week securing orders for his firm. After traveling through the country "Gouldie" uses strong language in denouncing the Victoria fossils who passed a resolution against the Corbin charter.

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KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending May 17th, 1898.

May 11.

May Queen, Canyon creek, Leonard Simpson.
Jewel, Canyon creek, Ed. Kane.

May 12.

Double Standard, Central camp, Geo. R. Naden.

May 14.

Dewey, Providence camp, P. McBride.
Mona, Canyon creek, H. D. Barnes.
Kaffir King, Main Kettle river, H. D. Barnes.
Berlin, frac., Deadwood camp, H. D. Oliver and S. M. Johnson.
Commander, Providence camp, P. McBride and C. D. Campbell.
Admiral, Providence camp, C. D. Campbell.
Lucky Jay, " " "
Trade Dollar, Main Kettle river, V. R. Swanson
Barnato, " " " "
Silver Bell, " " " Jacob Peterson
Oro, Skylark camp, A. H. Black.
Triumvirate, frac., Skylark camp, A. H. Black and J. S. Birnie.

May 16.

Fitzhugh Lee, Copper camp, Frank Clough.

May 17.

Trapper, Canyon creek, J. J. Hibbard, John Frederickson and H. B. Thoen.
Jig, Midway, Ed. A. Hain.
Good Hopes, Smith's camp, William Miller.
Admiral Dewey, Long Lake camp, F. McMann.

Certificates of Work.

May 11.

Wemite—J. B. Mitchell.

May 13.

Independence—Frank Beachem et al.

May 14.

Kimberley—Robert Murray et al.
Goldfinch—C. W. H. Sansom.
Echo—N. E. Peterson et al.
St. Geneva—J. J. Fitzgerald et al.
Magnetite—S. M. Johnson et al.
Revenue—J. H. Macfarlane et al.
Pioneer— " "

May 16.

Young George—Andrew Pogge et al.
Carlotta— " " "
Maple Leaf—W. J. Porter.
Sycamore—Geo. Riter et al.

May 17.

Belcher—John Frederickson et al.
Excelsior—Jas. A. Stack.
Early Bird—G. M. Barrett.
Iron King—G. M. Barrett et al.
Iron Duke— " " "

Certificates of Improvement.

May 12.

Tunnel—L. M. McCarren.

May 16.

New York—J. B. McArthur.

Transfers.

May 11.

Golden King, Silver King, Gold Bar and Gold Dollar, ½ int., H. Fisher to I. H. Winter.

May 12.

Ivanhoe, all int., H. A. Ross to C. Mathieson.
Primrose, transfer bond, Boundary Mines Co. to B. C. Copper Co.

May 14.

Quien Sabe, ½ int., H. L. Morgan to E. A. Bielenberg.
Silver Dollar, bond, Newman and Peterson to A. H. Harrison.

May 16.

Lygia, ⅓ int., W. H. Norris to J. Beckwith.
Excelsior, ½ int., J. M. McDonald to Beckwith.
Ladoga, ¼ int., Theo. Witte to W. M. Law.

C. P. R. Activity.

Mr. H. McDonald, the C. P. R. general traffic and freight agent for the Kootenay and Boundary Creek district, came in from Nelson on Wednesday. Mr. McDonald is looking after the freight business from Penticton in the interests of the company. Speaking of railway construction into the district he corroborated the reports that the bids for constructing the road between Robson and Midway were opened on the 15th inst., and wired to Montreal. Mr. McDonald also stated that he saw a telegram from Vice-President Shaughnessy in which the latter stated that the railway must be completed to Midway before the end of the year. That all arrangements must be made with that end in view. Mr. McDonald while here met Harry Rose, the freighter, and made arrangements with him for the hauling of supplies for the construction gang which are to be placed at the Boundary Creek end of the railway. A very large number of men must necessarily be employed to complete 100 miles of difficult road within the time contemplated.

Grand Forks Election.

Mr. Jeff Davis, a prominent merchant, was elected mayor of Grand Forks by acclamation on Tuesday last. On the same day several candidates were nominated for aldermen. The election was held on Friday and Maurice O'Connor, L. A. Manly and Peter McCallum were elected aldermen in the North Ward while F. H. Knight, M. D. White and J. W. Jones were elected in the South Ward.

Mayor Davis paid a visit to Greenwood last week returning on Saturday. He is probably the youngest chief magistrate in the province.

Dominion Day Celebration.

Canada's national holiday will be celebrated in Greenwood. An active committee has been appointed to make all the necessary arrangements. The committee follows: Messrs. C. Scott Galloway, G. R. Naden, W. M. Law, D. C. McRae, Geo. E. Seymour and Geo. Miller. The usual programme of sports will be provided. The prizes will be well worth competing for.

Will Play at Midway.

The Greenwood Cricketers intend going to Midway on May 24th, to play a match with the Midway eleven. The Greenwood players have had no team practice, but not withstanding this they expect to be victorious over the home team. The Midway Club is preparing to entertain the visitors and have invited the Greenwood players to bring their lady friends with them.

Grand Forks, Carson and Nelson are endeavoring to join forces in having a four day celebration from July 1st to July 4th, the celebration to begin at Grand Forks on Dominion Day and conclude in Nelson on July 4th.

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

Jas. Fox returned from Republic on Thursday.

D. W. and D. A. Holbrook returned from Rossland on Thursday.

Mr. Tilly who is interested in the B. C. mine left for England on Thursday last.

C. A. R. Lambly, gold commissioner, Osoyoos, paid Greenwood a business visit this week.

Hedley Chapman, representing the Ames Holden Co., paid Greenwood a business visit this week.

David Beath has gone up the West Fork to do the assessment work on some of his mining property.

During the heavy rain on Tuesday a portion of the wagon road between Edwards' ferry and Grand Forks was washed away.

James McQueen, manager of the Grand Forks Mercantile Co., paid the metropolis of Boundary Creek a visit on Saturday last.

Thos. McDonnell and J. C. Haas, M.E., went to McKinney this week to expert some mining properties owned by Mr. McDonnell.

There are over a dozen freight teams on the road from Marcus with machinery for the Mother Lode, Stemwinder, Brooklyn and Athelstan mines.

J. H. Sussman, the C. P. R. mining expert, Mayor Wood and Ald. C. Scott Galloway spent several days looking at property in Central camp last week.

Louis Bosshart has purchased a portion of the Barbara mineral claim from Rendell & Co. and is busy clearing the ground. He will probably bnild.

W. H. Hicks, an old prospector, was brought to the Greenwood hospital last week suffering from lung trouble. He died on Monday last and was buried on Tuesday.

Dr. Hatch who has been experting the B. C. mine in Summit camp returned to Greenwood on Thursday. He intends also to examine the Monashee mine, Cherry creek.

W. R. Murray, a prominent mining man of Helena, Montana, paid Greenwood a brief visit last week. He expects to return to the district during the summer to make investments.

The building used by R. M. McEntire as a barber shop, and the lot upon which it stands, has been sold by Messrs. Ford and Frost to E. C. Cargill. The consideration was $650.

Mr. E. A. Bielenberg returned on Wednesday from Victoria where he spent the last two months. Mr. Bielenberg intends working several of his valuable mining interests during the coming summer.

Mr. S. B. Rickards, a brother of W. B. Rickards, of Midway, spent several days in the district last week. Mr. Rickards resides in Vancouver and took advantage of a holiday to visit his brother and see the Boundary Creek district.

Flour is daily advancing and will soon be out of sight. Now is the time to make a good buy. We have just got in a car load, manufactured by the Columbia Flouring Mills Co. with the latest improved machinery,—the Plansifter process RENDELL & Co.

Rev. G. A. Wilson, of Vernon, and Rev. Mr. Gandin, of Rossland, drove in from Penticton on Thursday and left the same day for Grand Forks. Rev. Mr. Wilson will conduct the services in Rendell's hall on Sunday at the usual hours.

Chas. Carlson was brought to the Greenwood hospital from Wellington camp this week, seriously ill. The doctors do not think he will recover. He is a stranger in the district and about 50 years of age. Carlson is a member of the Knights of Pythias order.

Dr. Christie returned to Osoyoos on Tuesday after having paid a hurried visit to Grand Forks. During his visit to Grand Forks he discovered a very bad case of glanders, the affected horse belonging to Mr. Mitchell the freighter. Dr. Christie ordered the animal destroyed.

D. W. Moore, the ore buyer for the C. P. R. smelter at Trail, spent the week examining properties in the district. His object is to acquire all possible information about Boundary Creek ores with a view to ascertaining the most profitable method for their treatment. The Trail smelter will be ready for business about the 1st of July.

A Mining Sale.

Mr. J. E. Edwards has sold another group of West Fork properties to Ald. L. S. Moulton Barrett. The sale includes ½ interest in the Old Kentucky, ½ interest in the Silver King, ½ interest in the Riley and ½ interest in the Independence. The consideration is $2,500 cash. The claims are located between James Creek and the West Fork. Ald. Barrett went up to examine the properties this week and was well pleased with his purchase. In all probability Mr. Barrett will go to England shortly to place some of his mining interests on the market.

Business Change.

I BEG to inform the public that I have leased my assay office to Mr. W. S. KEITH, M.E. All accounts due me should be paid before the 15th inst. Any creditors should present their accounts for payment before the same date.

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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LICENSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the License Commissioners of the City of Greenwood, at their next sitting, for a transfer to E. Parry of the license now held by me to sell liquor by retail on the premises known as the Imperial Hotel, lot 13, block 12, in the City of Greenwood. S. L. GRAHAM.
Dated this 4th day of May, 1898. 87

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COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be holden at

GRAND FORKS ON SATURDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF JULY, 1898,

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

S. R. ALMOND,
Government Office, D.R.C.C.
Grand Forks, May 18th, 1898. 89-4

EDUCATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the public schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 4th, 1898, at 8.45 a.m.:

Victoria.....In South Park School Building.
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Kamloops.....In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above-named places he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be an applicant must be accompanied with satisfactory testimonials of moral character.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be fulfilled before their application can be filed.

All candidates for First Class, Grade A, Certificates, including Graduates, must attend in Victoria to take the subjects prescribed for July 13th and 14th insts., and to undergo required oral examination.

S. D. POPE,
Superintendent of Education.
Education Office,
Victoria, B.C., May 4th, 1898. 88-4

LICENSING COURT.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the Licensing Court for the southern portion of the Osoyoos Division of Yale District will be holden at Osoyoos and Midway

ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15TH, 1898,

At Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LICENSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court to be holden at the City of Greenwood on Wednesday, the 8th day of June, 1898, for a transfer to H. McKee of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Commercial Hotel, Copper street, situate upon lot 8, in block 5, in the City of Greenwood.

D. R. CAMPBELL.
Dated this 4th day of May, A.D. 1893. 87

Boundary Falls Townsite.

In all probability the Boundary Falls townsite, owned by Messrs. McCarren and Lambly, will change hands in a few days. Mr. Lambly, when seen regarding the sale, stated that they had an offer from the Milburn syndicate, but that the deal was not completed. Mr. Hankey, of Nelson, representing the syndicate, was in Greenwood on Thursday and discussed the matter with Messrs. McCarren and Lambly. The townsite is 320 acres, known as the McCarren pre-emption. The Boundary Falls water-power is also claimed by Messrs. Lambly and McCarren under an old record and one secured in January, '97. The Greenwood Water Power Co. has also a record for Boundary falls.

A Prominent Oddfellow.

E. C. Davison, of Kamloops, was among the visitors to Greenwood this week. Mr. Davison represents the Kamloops Cigar Factory, Hutchison & Riley, harness makers, Calgary, and a Hanover furniture firm. Mr. Davison is Grand Warden of I.O.O.F. and is officially visiting the lodges in the towns he visits. He went over to Grand Forks yesterday, and will return to Greenwood to-day. A special meeting of Boundary Valley Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held this evening for the purpose of meeting Mr. Davison. All members of the lodge and visiting brethren are urgently requested to be present.

Supplementary Estimates.

The supplementary estimates presented to the legislature last week add $550,940 to the ordinary estimates. Of this amount $440,402 is to be expended before the end of June this year, and $44,248 is to make good sums of money expended by the government without authority from the legislature. The supplementaries are prepared for election purposes. East Yale fares well: Vernon gets $12,000 for a new jail; Fairview will receive $500 for its hospital; a new school is to be built at Okanagan Falls, to cost $700; also schools at Mara and Lumby costing the same figure.

Greenwood gets nothing. The Greenwood hospital must struggle along another year without assistance. The Grand Forks fire department will receive $300; the Greenwood fire department will receive nothing. There is plenty of money for roads throughout all portions of the province excepting Boundary Creek.

Hotel Arrivals.

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

S. B. Rickards, W. B. Rickards, J. McNicol, E. Jacobs, Midway; Geo. Cattanach, G. Eutis, Rossland; P. Mulcahy, M. Morriarty, Colusa: S. Breslauer, A. K. Stuart, R. M. McEntire, Geo. Guess, City; E. Turtrove, P. E. I.; E. M. E. Munns, London; M. McLean, Stemwinder.

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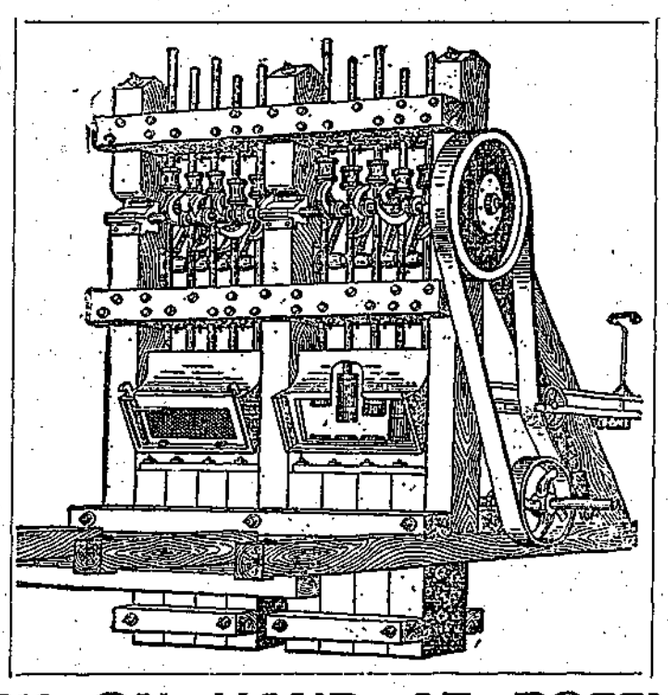

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THE FACTS OF THE CASE.

In the "Semi-Weekly World" of May 13th appears certain correspondence under date "Grand Forks, B.C., May 13th." The correspondence never came from Grand Forks. It was written in the World office by J. C. McLagan. When Mr. McLagan deems it necessary to reply to criticisms of the course pursued by himself and his paper, he does not do so in the usual editorial way. He knows too well that the public do not attach any importance to his utterances. He attempts to borrow respectability by writing anonymous correspondence. Some time ago Mr. McLagan maligned a prominent Victoria politician in a similar way. Too cowardly to attack him openly, he launched forth his course abuse, under cover of Victoria correspondence written in the World's office.

His references to myself acting in the capacity of one of the Boundary Creek delegates to Ottawa, would pass unnoticed were it not for the fact that he has seen fit to state "that the people of Spokane and other towns across the border went down in their pockets pretty deeply in order to make up what was called here" a big push fund, "to be handled by the aforesaid delegate and Mr. Corbin's satellites." That statement is deliberately and wilfully false. Not one dollar of Spokane money nor money from any other American city was handled by myself. The people of Boundary Creek district contributed sufficient to pay the legitimate expenses of my trip to Ottawa, and no more. My time was freely given in the effort to securing for the district speedy railway communication. During my absence I paid $239 in salaries to substitutes. Outside the money contributed by the people of Boundary Creek district no one donated a dollar towards my expenses. No one promised me "big things should the scheme go through." I was promised nothing. I did "expect a considerable competency out of the affair." Like every one else interested in Boundary Creek district, I fully expected to make considerable money in a legitimate business way in the event of the Corbin railway being built into the district. Owing to the action of certain individuals on the Coast who answered the lash of those at whose trough they feed and owing to other influences the charter was not granted.

Mr. McLagan in his Grand Forks correspondence makes a sneering reference to "my otherwise very depleted pockets." I am not rich, it is true, but I never found it necessary to do business in the name of another in order to escape importunate creditors nor did I attempt to replenish my pockets at the expense of unfortunately delinquent taxpayers. I have never swallowed my convictions in order to secure government patronage nor turned traitor to those of the same political faith as myself in order to be on the winning side.

I may not be "judicious nor possessed of any too much common sense," but I have sufficient capacity to learn the lessons that experience teaches and I know that it is neither popular nor profitable to act the journalistic mountebank nor the political scavenger.

Mr. McLagan echoes the falsehoods of McInnes and Maxwell and the rest of the gang who attempted to damn the future of Boundary Creek by stating that this section (Boundary Creek) is largely American. There is a comparatively larger percentage of British subjects in Boundary Creek district than in the city of Vancouver.

The other paragraphs in the correspondence which were added to give it a genuine appearance are as misleading as the references to myself. Fighting McLagan is like fighting a chimney sweep; whether one wins or loses, one is going to be blackened but I could not remain silent after being charged with receiving American money for a service performed in the interests of Boundary Creek district at considerable expense and inconvenience to myself.

DUNCAN ROSS.

Lee Davenport, the C. P. R. smelter man was examining North Fork properties this week.

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THE BIDS WERE OPENED.

A dispatch to the Spokesman-Review under date of May 16th, states that "the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is actively pushing the extension into the Boundary country. Bids were opened at the general offices of the Columbia & Western here today for the building of this extension from Robson into the Boundary district. The line will be 100 miles in length, the estimated cost is $3,000,000. The bids were wired to Montreal, to the head offices of the Canadian Pacific railway. The contract may not be let before June 1.

It is not generally known that the Canadian Pacific railway has not publicly called for bids for this work, but had asked several responsible contractors to offer estimates.

A number of the contractors have arrived in town, having come in over the proposed line to familiarize themselves with the work, so that they could bid intelligently. McKenzie & Mann, Boomer, Winters & Parsons, W. R. McFrawe, James Poupaw, P. Larson and other well known contractors have been in Trail and have submitted bids.

The company evidently expects to push this work to an immediate finish, as the offices at this place are crowded with engineers preparing plans and arranging details.

The road will connect with the C. & W. at Robson, thence up the lower Arrow lake to Dog creek, up this stream to McCrea pass, thence down McCrea creek to Christina lake to Cascade City; along Kettle river to Grand Forks, up the North Fork and Brown's creek to Eholt pass, down Eholt creek to Boundary creek and through Greenwood, Anaconda, and Boundary Falls to Midway. This 100 miles of road will be something of a record-breaker, as it is proposed to have it completed before the close of the present year. The line is most difficult, filled with engineering problems, much tunneling and costly bridging, necessitating a great outlay of money. Vice-President Shaughnessey, of the Canadian Pacific railway, will be in Trail early in June to definitely settle many important points of railroad work.

The plans and specifications are complete for a change of the narrow gauge between Trail and Rossland to standard gauge. The Tiger switchback will be removed, the grade lessened and curves eased considerably. The estimate of the cost of the work is $100,000. It is not postively known when the reconstruction work will begin."

Returned From England.

Mr. E. M. E. Munns of the Recordia Syndicate returned from London on Wednesday last. He reports that a great deal of interest is being taken in British Columbia mining properties in London but that the general mining market is very dull at present. Work will not be resumed on the Anaconda mine for some time.

A $27,000 Payment.

Yesterday in Mr. Hallett's office, Mr. A. H. Harrison acting for the syndicate controlling the B.C. mine in Summit camp, paid over to John W. Keough & Sons, the sum of $27,000. This is the largest individual payment ever made in Greenwood with respect to Boundary Creek mining properties.

The B. C. was bonded nine months ago for $60,000. It was then a prospect but the indications were so encouraging that Mr. Harrison had no hesitation in giving the bond at that figure. He at once went to work to develop the property. A steam plant was secured, a shaft sunk 160 feet. About 400 feet of drifting was carried out on the upper level and 100 feet on the lower level. The development was in ore nearly the whole of the time with the result that there is now 1200 tons of high grade copper ore on the dump. The first payment on the bond was made six months ago. Before making the $27,000 payment the B. C. was experted by Dr. Hatch, an English mining engineer of long experience. That the payment has been made is the best evidence that the property is anything but a disappointment to the syndicate. The deal was arranged by G. H. Collins who secures a 10 per cent. commission.

The history of the B. C. has been told so frequently that it is unnecessary to repeat it. Messrs. Keough & Sons have made a snug fortune out of what was a mere prospect a year ago.

An Improved Mail Service.

Messrs. W. J. Snodgrass & Sons have established a daily stage line between Grand Forks and are carrying the mails both ways daily. As Messrs. Snodgrass & Sons have already demonstrated that they know how a stage line should be conducted there is some assurance that the service from Greenwood to Grand Forks will be better than in the past. Mr. W. J. Snodgrass came over from Okanagan Falls on Sunday and spent several days at Grand Forks. Four powerful horses capable of hauling the stage over the mountain at a good rate of speed were brought from Penticton for the Grand Forks line.

Corbin's Charter.

With characteristic modesty some of the provincial papers inveigh bitterly against the granting of the Kettle River Railway charter. For ourselves, we do not mind who constructs that or any other road, so long as the way is opened for British capital, and a fair field and no favor shown to all comers. Obviously we here are as vitally interested in securing an all-Canadian route to the Klondyke as seeing the Boundary Creek district developed, if possible, by Anglo-Canadian enterprise. We, are, of course, open to be convinced that the more important, because permanent, traffic of Kootenay will be impaired, since Mr. D. C. Corbin has secured his charter, or that the Victoria, Vancouver & Eastern, as projected by the C. P. R., or under its auspices, would only accentuate the monopolistic tendency of this company.—British Columbia Review, London, Eng.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Turner government is placing independent candidates in the field where government candidates have no chance of being elected.

It is now reported that W. W. B. McInnes intends running in Comox as an independent.

Hon. C. E. Pooley and W. F. Bullen will be the government candidates in Esquimalt district. D. W. Higgins will probably run for the same constituency.

Mr. Justice Walkem has been appointed a royal commissioner to enquire into the charges made against the Lands and Works department by the Victoria Times.

J. B. Kennedy, M.P.P., has decided to retire from politics and devote his whole attention to business. J. C. Brown will be his successor in New Westminster.

Richard McBride, a New Westminster lawyer, will oppose C. B. Sword in Dewdney.

NOTES.

J. C. Olson returned from the West Fork this week.

The provincial legislature was probably prorogued yesterday.

Duncan F. McIntosh of the Winnipeg mine was in the city on Thursday.

J. W. Frost has just finished the assessment on a claim in Deadwood camp.

J. P. Harlan and E. C. Brown intend leaving on a prospecting tour next week.

Malcolm McCuaig of Rock Creek was a passenger on yesterday's Penticton stage.

The baseball grounds are about completed. A match will be played on May 24th.

The boiler and smoke-stack for the Mother Lode was hauled to the mine yesterday.

W. Y. Williams, superintendent of the Old Ironsides mine, returned from Spokane yesterday.

Fred Hilbert arrived from Spokane this week, to accept a position in Ford's tonsorial establishment.

W. F. Honey, secretary-treasurer of the Winnipeg Co., has gone to Spokane to meet his family. He will return next week.

The Cariboo Gold Mining & Milling Company operating the Cariboo mine in Camp McKinney has declared a dividend of $16,000. This is the 18th dividend paid by the company and makes a total of $204,965.

A report comes from Vancouver that Messrs. Hutchinson & Riley, of Calgary, recently sold 140 sets of harness to a Vancouver firm. The entire order goes to McKenzie & Mann for use in the construction of the railway from Penticton to Boundary Creek.

Hon. Wm. Ewart Gladstone, Britain's Grand Old Man, died yesterday morning.

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A Modest Request.

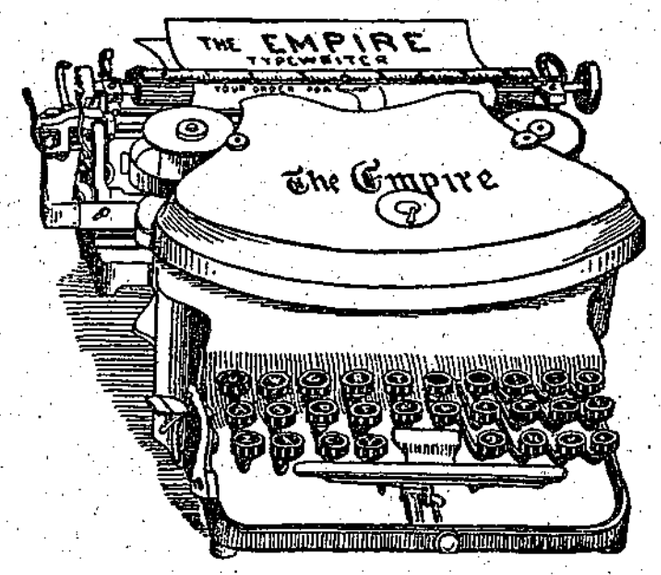
The committee appointed to write to the Vernon & Nelson Telephone Co., regarding securing a connection here, have received a reply to their communication. It is from Mr. Salisbury the manager of the company and suggests that the company would be willing to extend the line to this city if the citizens of Greenwood would clear the right of way between Grand Forks and Greenwood, and erect the poles. The Vernon & Nelson Telephone Company is anything but modest. It asks the citizens of Greenwood to bonus them to the extent of nearly $3,000 to build its line to this city. In order to secure a telephone line Greenwood would be willing to contribute a reasonable bonus. It is rather remarkable that the company did not ask Greenwood to buy the wire and string it.

A letter from W. B. Aris to W. T. Smith throws considerable light on this question. Mr. Aris is the manager of the Spokane & British Columbia Telephone Company. His company has already a wire into Republic and is now busy running its line from Bossburg to Cascade City. Here they must leave Canada for the Canadians. Mr. Aris, however, is a compassionate gentleman and he has made arrangements to furnish the denizens of Grand Forks and Greenwood with the advantages of telephone communication. He entered into a contract with the Vernon & Nelson Telephone Co., a Canadian institution, to extend the American telephone system from the international boundary line to Grand Forks and Greenwood. Mr. Aris stated in his letter that if Greenwood were on the American side of the line his company would have had a line there by this time but the Canadian company being slower going than the American the contract allows them until the 1st of July to have the telephone line in Greenwood.

Now if the Vernon & Nelson Company has entered into such a contract its gall in asking the citizens of Greenwood to clear the right of way and erect the poles is positively amusing. The Greenwood people would be almost as extravagant as the Turner government if it heavily bonussed a company to do what it contracted to do without any reference to a bonus.

An Important Deal.

Mr. D. A. Holbrook while in Rossland sold a large block of shares in the Boundary Creek M. & M. Co., to an English Syndicate. The syndicate by the terms of the deal will have a controlling interest in the company. The first cash payment has been made and the properties owned by the company will be thoroughly developed. The B. C. M. & M. Co. own 14 claims in Providence camp. With a large amount of money in the treasury for development and a number of very promising claims the future of this company is now very bright. It is expected that a representative of the syndicate will be in the district shortly.



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[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
87-4 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

NOTICE.

THE EVERETT & SPOKANE MINING Company hereby revokes the appointment as Attorney for this Company of D. A. Holbrook at Greenwood, B.C., made on the 8th day of March, 1898, and instead thereof hereby nominates and appoints George Arthur Rendell, merchant, of Greenwood City, Yale district, Province of British Columbia, to be their resident agent and attorney.

Attest: E. MARLTON,
T. W. GILLETTE, President.
Secretary.

April 9th, 1898. 85

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

GREYHOUND Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Deadwood camp.

TAKE Notice that I, W. J. Harris, free miner's certificate, No. 79,645, 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 11th day of April, 1898. 84

SHIFTING THE RESPONSIBILITY.

The provincial government, not satisfied with allowing the residents of Boundary Creek district to pay for public improvements while contributing extensively to the provincial exchequer, are now showing a determination to make the City of Greenwood shoulder the responsibility for the care of the indigent sick residing outside the city limits.

Some four weeks ago, an unfortunate miner seriously ill was brought to Greenwood from Wellington camp. He had no means to procure medical relief and the City Board of Health rather than see him die uncared for ordered his removal to the hospital. Mayor Wood wrote to W. G. McMynn regarding the case and he forwarded the Mayor's letter to the government agent at Vernon. The following reply was received:

DEAR SIR:—Referring to your letter of the 25th ult., I beg to say that I am in receipt of a reply from Mr. Norris, in which he says "that from the facts as submitted by Mr. Wood, I gather that the man was living in Greenwood at the time he was taken charge of by the city authorities, in which case under section 66 of the Municipal Clauses Act the city council should make suitable provision for his relief."

W. G. MCMYNN.

Mr. Norris' reference to Section 66 of the Municipal Clauses Act was scarcely called for. The members of the council are as familiar with the section as he is. It states "that it shall be the duty of every city municipality whether created under any general act for the time being in force or any special act, to make suitable provision for ITS poor and destitute." The council do not wish to escape the responsibility thrown upon them by that section, but no one other than an officer of the Turner government would suggest that a sick man brought from a mining camp eight miles distant and left in a public house, properly belonged to the city's poor or destitute. If such a liberal construction is to be placed on the section, the city must make suitable provision for the poor and destitute of the entire district. There is no machinery whereby the city can prevent indigent sick being brought in from outside districts and left to die in the city unless the humane instincts of the authorities force them into making provision for their relief.

Greenwood is quite willing and quite able to provide for any indigent sick who are bona fide residents of the city, but Greenwood is not willing nor can she afford to become a dumping ground for those who are properly the charge of the provincial government. To say the least, it is anything but creditable for the government to attempt to inflict such an incubus upon a young town.

T. H. White, administrator for the estate of the late J. J. White, sold by public auction at the International hotel, several mineral claims on Monday morning last. The claims sold were the Blue Grouse, in Copper Camp; the Iron Top, in Skylark Camp; the "White," on Canyon Creek; the Noble Five and ¼ interest in the Silver Cloud, Skylark Camp.

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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

BOUNDARY CREEK MINING & COMMERCIAL ASSOCIATION

WILL meet every alternate Wednesday Evening in Rendell & Co.'s hall at 8 o'clock. The meetings are open to the public.

J. P. HARLAN, Secretary. THOS. HARDY, President.
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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.

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

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

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TAKE notice that I, George D. Leyson, free miner's certificate No. 95327, 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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NOTICE.

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

TAKE Notice that I, J. W. Hugh Wood, free miners's certificate No. 361a, 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 15th day of April, 1898. 84

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BONNIE BELL Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Deadwood camp.

TAKE Notice that I, Robert Wood, free miner's certificate No. 360a, 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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County Court Notice.

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At MIDWAY, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1898,

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

By command.

WM. G. MCMYNN, D.R.C.C.

Government Office, Midway, May 7th, 1898. 88-4

MR. McDONNELL'S DINNER.

There was a hot time in "the old town" on Monday night. For several hours the dining room of the International hotel contained one of the jolliest companies that had ever assembled in Greenwood. The host, Mr. Thomas McDonnell, is one of the pioneer prospectors of Boundary Creek. He roughed it in the early days, he secured some promising properties and waited patiently for the time when Boundary Creek would not be an unknown mining district and the investor would find it profitable to acquire Boundary Creek properties. He did not wait in vain. As has already been stated in THE TIMES, the first payment has been made on the Snowshoe, a property in which Mr. McDonnell held a heavy interest. Mr. McDonnell decided to give a dinner to his bachelor friends, many of whom are Boundary Creek pioneers like himself. They gathered at the International about twenty strong and enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Besides the host those who were present were: Messrs. H. B. Munroe, James Kerr, G. B. Taylor, Geo. Miller, Frederick McLaine, J. Custance, Thos. Gulley, Chas. Rendell, A. H. Lawder, Randolph Stuart, J. H. Mitchell, Sydney M. Johnson, Geo. A. Guess, A. K. Stuart, J. C. Haas, D. Beath, King Rees, D. C. McRae, W. M. Law, G. Arthur Rendell and D. Ross.

The dinner itself left nothing to be desired. It was well cooked and well served. After ample justice had been done to the good things provided, the evening was spent in song and story. Several toasts were proposed and responded to, and some witty and eloquent speeches were delivered. The exuberance of the American patriotism was infectious on account of the war and the voices of enthusiastic Americans and prejudiced Britishers blended in singing patriotic American songs. The Americans, too, never sang "God Save the Queen" more fervidly, realizing that in this critical time in their history it is gratifying to have the support of John Bull. Besides patriotic toasts, local institutions were not forgotten. The host, Greenwood, Boundary Creek, the prospectors, and last but not least, the Snowshoe was toasted and the wish expressed that the conditions of the bond be changed so that payments would be made more frequently.

At 12:30 "Auld Lang Syne" was sung and the company dispersed after a most enjoyable evening.

Off to the East.

Messrs. G. Arthur and Chas. Rendell left on Wednesday for their old home in St. Johns, Newfoundland. They expect to be away about six weeks. Mr. G. A. Rendell came out west some five years ago and has not been home since while Mr. Chas. Rendell has been in this district for over eleven years. Their many friends wish that they may thoroughly enjoy their well earned holiday.

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BY-LAW NO. 7.

FIRE PROTECTION BY-LAW, 1898.

WHEREAS it is necessary to pass a general by-law to limit dangers from fires and to provide methods of dealing with them when they arise:

Be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Greenwood as follows:

1. On and after the promulgation of this by-law no fire shall be lighted nor permitted to be used in any building whatsoever within the corporate limit of the City of Greenwood, without having a properly constructed brick or stone chimney therein, commencing at least thirty inches below the ceiling of the lowest story and continuing up through the roof for at least thirty inches.

2. Every chimney or flue built or constructed within the city shall be built of brick, stone, or other incombustible material, and the walls thereof shall be not less than four inches in thickness, exclusive of plastering, and all brick and stone to be laid with full joint, and all timber upon which a chimney or flue rests shall be at least eight inches below the base of said flue or chimney, and every such chimney or flue shall be so constructed as to admit of its being cleaned.

3. No stovepipe shall pass through any partition, ceiling or floor except through metal thimbles or sheets of zinc or iron, or any other incombustible material; the pipe to be at least six inches from any woodwork; provided that no pipe shall pass through more than one partition or ceiling before entering a chimney. All pipes shall be well jointed and secured by iron or copper wire, to prevent their becoming detached or jarred out of place; and all stovepipe holes when not in actual use shall be closed with a stopper of metal or other incombustible material.

4. Every stove shall stand on an iron or zinc plate, at least two feet by three feet for ordinary room stoves, and proportionately large plates for larger stoves and kitchen stoves.

5. Every building of two stories or more in height shall have a strong fixed ladder attached securely to the side or end thereof and extending to the peak of the roof on the outside of the building, for easy access to the roof in case of fire, and such ladder shall be kept in perfect repair for firemen's use at all times, at the expense of the owner, occupant, or person in charge of the building, and in the case of the non-compliance with the provisions of this by-law by the owner, or occupant or person in charge of any building, the Municipal Council shall cause the said ladders to be erected or repaired at the expense of the owner, occupant or person in charge of the building.

6. No person shall use a lighted candle or lamp in any stable, building or place within the city where hay, straw, hemp, cotton, flax, rushes, gunpowder or other combustible materials shall be stored or kept or be, or in a carpenter's or cabinet-maker's shop, unless the same is well secured in a lantern.

7. The chief of the volunteer fire brigade and chief of police, or persons acting as such for the time being, are hereby appointed fire and chimney inspectors, and it shall be their duty to enforce the requirements of the preceding sections of this by-law; and they are hereby invested with power to enter all buildings and enclosures within the corporate limits of the City of Greenwood between the hours of sunrise and sunset, in order to ascertain if these requirements are being observed.

8. Any person refusing to admit the fire and chimney inspectors for the purpose of inspecting any premises, or refusing to comply with the requirements of the foregoing sections, upon notice, shall be subject to the penalties of this by-law.

9. Any person or persons guilty of an infraction of any of the foregoing provisions of this by-law shall, upon conviction before the Police Magistrate, or any two Justices of the Peace having jurisdiction over offences against the by-laws of the City of Greenwood, be punished by fine of not less than five dollars and costs, nor more than one hundred dollars and costs, which fine and costs, or either of them, shall be recoverable on judgment being given and execution granted, by distress, and if no sufficient distress, then by imprisonment at hard labor for not more than forty days.

VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE.

10. There is hereby authorized and recognized the Greenwood Volunteer Fire Brigade, whose chief executive officer shall be elected by the members from among their own number, but such election must be approved by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Greenwood before such officer may act in any official capacity.

11. The Corporation of the City of Greenwood shall from time to time provide necessary apparatus for the suppression of fires, which apparatus shall be placed at the service of the Volunteer Fire Brigade, and be under the special charge of the Chief of the Brigade, who shall be responsible to the Municipal Council for its readiness for instant use for the extinguishing of fires.

12. It shall be the duty of the Chief and every member of the Volunteer Fire Brigade to respond forthwith to every fire alarm, and proceed with all possible haste to the scene thereof. During the progress of any fire the brigade shall be under the sole direction of the Chief, who shall be responsible to the Municipal Council for the maintenance of proper discipline.

13. The Volunteer Fire Brigade may, subject to the approval of the Municipal Council, make by-laws for the governing of the attendance of its members at fires, for the maintenance of proper discipline while in attendance thereat, for the election of such officers as are provided for under this by-law, and for the election of such other officers as the Brigade may deem necessary or advisable.

14. The Brigade shall, subject to the approval of the Municipal Council, elect three deputy chiefs from their own number, who, in case of the absence or disability of the Chief or other senior officer, shall assume the duties and responsibilities of Chief in order of their seniority.

15. No apparatus or parts thereof, provided for the use of the Volunteer Fire Brigade, shall be used for private purposes of any kind whatsoever.

16. All persons at or near any fire shall assist the brigade under the direction of the Chief, but not otherwise, and they shall, when ordered to do so by the Chief, assist in keeping space clear and preserving order.

17. The Chief of the Volunteer Fire Brigade, or any other officer in charge of the brigade, at any fire in the Municipality of the Corporation of the City of Greenwood, with the sanction of the Mayor of the said corporation, or in case of his absence, with the sanction of any two members of the Municipal Council, is hereby empowered to cause to be pulled down, blown up or otherwise demolished, adjacent buildings or other structures when deemed necessary to prevent the spreading of fires, but not otherwise.

18. The Chief of Police, or person acting as such for the time being, and such special constables as may be appointed for the purpose, shall preserve order at any fire in the Municipality of the City of Greenwood, and shall promptly carry out all directions of the Chief of the Volunteer Fire Brigade, or other person in charge of the brigade, intended to facilitate the work of extinguishing the fire. They shall also have power to prevent all interference with the work of the brigade, and to arrest and detain any person or persons so interrupting it or preventing it from properly discharging its work of extinguishing the fire.

19. It shall be the duty of the Chief of the Fire Brigade to make out and deliver to the Municipal Council a list in writing of all the fire apparatus, goods and chattels in use and not in use by the brigade, every three months. He shall also report monthly to the Municipal Council upon the condition of the fire apparatus under his care and the need of anything to replace lost, worn out or defective plant or material.

20. It shall be the duty of the Chief of the Fire Brigade to make out and present to the Municipal Council a report of each fire and alarm of fire which may occur, and also the value of the buildings and contents which may be destroyed or injured, amount of insurance, estimated losses, and the efficiency of the brigade in handling the fire.

21. Any person or persons obstructing the fire brigade in the performance of its duty, or acting contrary to the orders of the Chief or other person in charge of the brigade, or illegally using any of the apparatus provided for the use of the brigade, shall be liable, upon conviction before the Police Magistrate or any two Justices of the Peace having jurisdiction over offences against the by-laws of the Corporation of the City of Greenwood, be punishable by a fine of not less than five dollars and costs, and not more than one hundred dollars and costs, which fine and costs, or either of them, shall be recoverable on judgment being given and execution granted by distress, and if no sufficient distress be found, then by imprisonment at hard labor for not more than forty days.

22. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the "Fire Protection By-law, No. 7, 1898."

Read first and second time, Monday, May 9th, 1898.

Read third time, May 9th, 1898.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council this 16th day of May, 1898.

[L.S.] ROBERT WOOD,
DUNCAN ROSS, Mayor.
City Clerk.

NOTICE

THE above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the municipal council of the corporation of the City of Greenwood on the 16th day of May, A.D. 1898, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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Moved to Grand Forks.

Grand Forks, March 9.—[Special.]—Another rich strike is just reported as having been made on the Texas claim in Providence camp near this city. It appears that Joseph Wiseman while doing development work on the Texas has uncovered a 15-foot ledge of copper ore, assaying over $40 in gold to the ton. As a result of this rich strike all the available vacant ground in the vicinity of the Texas has been taken up the last few days.—Rossland Miner.

From the foregoing dispatch, one might be led to suppose that the Texas claim had moved to Grand Forks. This is not the case. The Texas is still doing business in the old place in Providence camp, about one mile from Greenwood city.

West Fork of Kettle River.

J. J. Hibbard and A. Nelson left for Canyon creek this week and will spend the summer in that district developing their claims. Several parties are now outfitting for the West Fork and Main river, and will start the beginning of next week. Among them are J. Olsen, Alex and D. Beath, W. S. Fletcher, Frank Chadler, J. C. Dale and Dan Stuart. It is expected that some fine bodies of ore will be uncovered during the coming season.

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

Ald. Barrett's residence is receiving a coat of paint.

The Greenwood photograph gallery on Copper street will be ready for occupation next week.

Robt. Hall has secured the contract for carrying the mail between Penticton and Fairview.

Assessment work is being done on the Kankakee, Skylark camp, by H. Hansen and Geo. Inkster.

The contract for building the cabins on the Sunset in Deadwood camp has been let to Mr. Palmer of Greenwood.

Forms of registration of voters under the new act have been received at this office from Leonard Norris, government agent at Vernon.

Initiation and degree work at the Oddfellows' lodge again next Tuesday evening. Visiting brethren will be cordially welcomed.

The Greenwood sawmill is running night and day, employing about twenty men. The output of the mill in 24 hours is 20,000 feet lumber, 20,000 lath and 25,000 shingles.

Rev. T. Guy, in charge of the Presbyterian mission here, will take for the subject of his discourse next Sunday evening "Locating the Best Claim." All are invited to attend the service.

Harry Rose is again hauling freight between Penticton and Boundary creek. Mr. Rose is one of the old time freighters on this route, having done most of the hauling up to the time Bassett came on the road.

Before Police Magistrate Hallet, on Wednesday last, Doc Elwell was charged with using insulting language on the street and was allowed to go on suspended sentence, the magistrate advising him to leave the city.

Ald. Galloway received a letter from Government Agent Norris on Wednesday evening stating that the government would either build a bridge or ferry for the crossing of the West Fork before high water this season.

In the article in last week's issue on the Anaconda group of claims, the intention was not to convey the idea that the Lancaster was one of the claims bonded by Mr. Garland. The Lancaster is owned by E. C, Brown and J. P. Harlan.

What might have been a serious accident happened to J. McNicol of Midway on Tuesday last. While driving to Carson, one of the whiffletrees broke, the horses running away. Mr. McNicol and his companion jumped out of the rig and escaped injury.

Thos. Elliot, of Fairview, left for England last week—his second trip across the Atlantic within a twelvemonth. His mission is said to be the closing of an important mining deal, but if a foreign correspondent is not mistaken there is a more important deal in view than any pertaining to mining.

The report of W. E. Carlyle, Ma. E., M. E., on the Osoyoos Mining division, is to hand, extracts from which will be published from time to time. While Mr. Carlyle perhaps gives as full a report of the district as the time at his disposal would permit, it is disappointing. That the report is weak and meagre it is impossible to deny, and it is to be regretted that the provincial mineralogist did not have more knowledge and data in regard to the mines of the Boundary district before making his report public.

A dam is being made across Boundary Creek for the Lamb Bros. They intend running an irrigating ditch to their ranch adjoining the Midway townsite.

Those owning dogs would do well to remember that after the 31st inst, they are liable to prosecution if the tax is not paid. Don't say you "didn't know the collector was loaded," if you happen to appear before the police magistrate.

M. Kane has four men at work on the Blue Jay, Skylark camp. The shaft is now down 43 feet in ore. There are two ledges on the claim, the work being done on the smaller. The ore is zinc-blende and galena and is improving with depth.

Con Cosgrove and J. J. McMullen have a force of men at work on the May Queen and Lay Over, Hardy mountain. These claims are near, or in Wellington oamp, and the same quality of ore is found in the ledge of the May Queen as that in the Winnipeg.

Before James Kerr, J. P., and W. H. Norris, J. P., Midway, on Tuesday last the case against Jake Ransport, charged with supplying liquor to an Indian, was dismissed. The Indian, Manual, charged with having liquor in his possession, was fined $25 or 30 days in jail.

A very neat model of the timbering of the Jewel, is in the Greenwood office of the Prospecting Syndicate of B. C. The model is the work of Mr. W. J. Barker, foreman of the mine, and shows in minature the manner in which the timber is put in, lagging, bulkheads, etc.

R. McLeod and his men came down from the C. O. D., in Long Lake camp, where he had a contract sinking and crosscutting on the claim. The shaft is down 56 feet and a crosscut of 10 feet from the bottom of the shaft. The crosscut is all in ore, giving a very high assay value.

Owing to the bad state of the roads over the mountain, freight from Marcus is being hauled by the river route through Nelson, Wash., and Midway. This road was made last fall by W. G. Glaze for the Midway company, and has been a great convenience to freighters this winter and spring.

J. P. Harlan went up to Deadwood camp on Thursday to inspect the work being done on the Marguerite, and outline a plan for future development on the claim. It has been decided to sink from the crosscut, following the ore body, a distance of about 50 feet. This will probably complete the work for this season. Mr. Harlan is well pleased with the results of the work so far done, and has no doubts but that the Marguerite will prove to be a mine.

Dr. Christie of Greenwood, received notice from Ottawa on Wednesday's mail that he had been appointed government veterinary for the territory south of Penticton in British Columbia. No better appointment could have been made. Dr. Christie is a graduate of the Royal Veterinary College of Edinburgh, Scotland, and brings to the duties of his office an experience of upwards of twenty years, since graduation.

BORN—On Wednesday, 23rd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Campbell, Greenwood, a daughter.

It is reported that assays from the recent strike made on the Winnipeg, in Wellington camp, run over $100 in gold.

A letter has been received in the city from W. W. Gibbs, stating that he will probably return to this district about the end of April.

The plastering on the lower half of the Barrett block, copper street, is finished and the building will be ready for occupation in a couple of weeks.

Negotiations are out for the sale of the Hamilton and Corkill group of claims on Eholt creek. Final arrangements will probably be made before the next issue of THE TIMES.

Extra men are being engaged to work on the Golden Crown, Wellington camp. As many men as can be worked to advantage are being kept at work.

Five men are working on the upper tunnel on the Non Such in Smith's camp. The tunnel is in 140 feet, and it is intended to run in 300 feet. The work now being done is on the lead. When the tunnel has been run 300 feet it is the intention to connect the upper and lower tunnels with a shaft.

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Government Office,
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Hotel Arrivals.

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

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BOUNDARY CREEK MINING & COMMERCIAL ASSOCIATION

WILL meet every alternate Wednesday Evening in Rendell & Co.'s hall at 8 o'clock. The meetings are open to the public.

E. JACOBS, Secretary. THOS. HARDY, President.

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MINING & COMMERCIAL ASSOCIATION.

The regular meeting of the Mining & Commercial Association was held on Wednesday last and was largely attended. Mr. Thos. Hardy, the president, occupied the chair. Mr. E. Jacobs tendered his resignation as secretary of the association. This was accepted and Mr. Black was appointed secretary temporarily until next meeting, when the permanent secretary will be appointed.

Mr. Hardy, on behalf of the freight committee, reported that he had interviewed Mr. Martin, of the Spokane & Northern Railway during his visit here and that the latter assured him that his company were willing to allow responsible parties designated by the merchants to haul bonded freight. Mr. Martin also promised to endeavor to maintain a uniform rate from Marcus to Greenwood. Mr. Morrison, who has charge of several freight teams, promised a cent and a quarter rate until the road broke up. Mr. Hardy stated that all merchants in the district except one were shipping via Penticton. The committee were thanked for their efforts.

The committee on railways reported that they had forwarded all resolutions passed by the association to the persons mentioned therein.

The question of sending a delegate to Ottawa was then considered. The majority of those present appeared to be in favor of sending a delegate, but in order to get as full an expression of opinion as possible, it was decided to call a public meeting on Saturday next to elect a delegate. A committee consisting of Messrs. J. W. Nelson, W. T. Smith and Ald. Galloway were appointed to collect the necessary funds to meet the delegate's expenses, and at the same time notify the people of Midway, Boundary Falls, Anaconda, Greenwood and the different mining camps of the meeting on Saturday evening.

Messrs. J. Douglas and W. T. Thompson, Midway, and J. J. Gulley, Neil Lamont and J. H. Macfarlane were elected members of the association.

High Assay Values.

Even if the mother lode in Klondike has been discovered, it is questionable whether it will assay higher than some Boundary Creek ores. Last week Guess Bros. assayed some ore from the Enterprise mine in Long Lake camp, and the result was as follows: Gold values, $5,849.27 to the ton; silver, 1,361.28 ounces to the ton. If the Enterprise continues as at present, it may be necessary for the owners to guard their mine carefully for fear someone steals ore from the dump.

Public Meeting.

A public meeting will be held in Rendell & Co.'s hall this evening for the purpose of appointing a delegate from the district to go to Ottawa to watch railway legislation. As the matter is important, the district ought to be well represented at the meeting.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to incorporate The Mountain Tramway & Electric Company, with power to construct, acquire and operate ropeways and tramways for transportation of freight from points on or near the Nakusp & Slocan Railway and branches thereof to mines and mineral claims in the McGuigan Camp and Whitewater Basin, and elsewhere in the district through which said railway and branches pass or will pass, and from points on the Columbia & Kootenay Railway, Crow's Nest Line, constructed or to be constructed, and branches thereof in the mining district of East and West Kootenay, to mines and mineral claims in the district through which the said Railways and branches respectively pass or will pass: and to construct, acquire and operate works and plant to generate and supply heat, light and electricity in the said districts and elsewhere in the province, and to dispose of such heat, light and electricity, and to acquire and hold all kinds of real and personal property, together with the expropriate lands and all other powers and privileges that may be necessary, incidental and advantageous to the full exercise of the powers hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1897.

DAVIS, MARSHALL & ABBOTT,
67-7 Solicitors for Applicants.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and maintain a railway from a point on the International Boundary Line at or near Cascade City, British Columbia, thence in a westerly direction, following the valley of the Kettle river to a point on the said Boundary Line at or near Carson; also from another point on the said Boundary Line at or near Carson, thence northerly, following the valley of Boundary creek to a point about twenty miles north of Midway: with power to construct and maintain branch lines, and at the said Boundary Line to connect with and to operate the whole in conjunction with the railway line of the Spokane Falls & Northern Railway Company, with power to the company to construct, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines as well for commercial purposes as the business of the railway; and for all other necessary and usual powers.

Dated the 4th day of December, A.D. 1897.

BODWELL, IRVING & DUFF,
67-7 Solicitors for Applicants.

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.
DUNCAN ROSS, Chief Ranger. 45

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UP THE MAIN KETTLE RIVER.

A mining district which was never boomed and of which little is known is that surrounding the main Kettle river about 30 miles above Rock creek. The mineral indications warrant the conclusion that this district will take rank among the wider known mineral regions of southern Yale. The development work already done has proven that there are ores in quantity and quality.

Mr. J. J. Hibbard, a well-known prospector, arrived in Greenwood on Sunday. He has been developing the Belcher, a claim owned by Messrs. Wood and Galloway. The Belcher is situated near the main Kettle river, 30 miles north of Rock creek. A shaft has been sunk to the depth of 40 feet; the shaft is in two feet of solid ore, encased in another two feet of ore matter. Mr. Hibbard brought some average samples with him and assays from these yielded from $11 to $22 in gold; they also contained copper values. The vein on the Belcher has been stripped for a considerable distance.

The Silver Dollar, a property in the vicinity of the Belcher, has recently been bonded by Mr. Colleville for an English syndicate, for $35,000. Five per cent. was paid in cash. Work will be resumed on the Silver Dollar in a short time. A tunnel has been run in on the property for 15 feet; there is a well-defined vein, 10½ feet, and the average assays give the high value of $27 in gold.

Mr. Guttinge is also working a quartz vein. He is down 15 feet and has 20 inches of ore which yields $30 in all values, principally gold and copper. He has several properties in the district.

Messrs. Sullivan and Waddle are working two or three claims in the district. On one they have a 27-foot tunnel, and when Mr. Hibbard left they were expecting to strike the ledge. A Mr. Mattison has also a promising property in the district and he expects to start work as soon as he can get in supplies.

There are also some good ranches in the locality, Sullivan's ranch being among the best. Where his ranch is located the valley of the main Kettle river widens out to a distance of over a mile, and the rich prairie land will grow almost anything. A mountain stream which runs through the property affords a cheap means for irrigation.

One of the greatest drawbacks to the early and greater development of the district is the lack of a bridge across the West Fork. In order to reach the district it is necessary to cross the West Fork about three-quarters of a mile from its confluence with the main river. Some years ago prospectors and others crossed here by means of a basket, but now it is necessary to ford the river,—a rather dangerous task, as the current is swift. Appreciating the importance of the district, the residents in all parts of southern Yale signed a petition urging upon the lands and works department to erect a bridge at this point, but so far nothing has been done. As considerable development work will be carried on next summer, and as many prospectors intend to try their fortunes in that section, it is hoped that the government will see its way clear to erect the bridge. It is more important even than a road, for the present trail is fairly good.

Mr. Hibbard is also an experienced trapper, and during the winter secured some splendid fisher and mink skins.

Lancashire House Ball.

A ball and supper was given at the Lancashire House, Midway, on Monday evening last. There was a large attendance, several sleigh loads having gone down from Greenwood. Porter's orchestra supplied the music. The supper was excellent, the menu including many luxuries.

Corporation of the City of Greenwood.

BY-LAW NO. 4.

TEMPORARY LOAN BY-LAW.

A By-law to Authorize the Council to Borrow the Sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) Re-payable during the Current Year, in Terms of Sub-section 148 of Section 50 of the "Municipal Clauses Act, 1896."

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Greenwood enacts as follows:

1.—The Council are hereby authorized to borrow from any person or persons, in one or more sums, an amount of money not exceeding in all the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000), of lawful money of Canada, and to pay therefor at the rate of interest not exceeding nine per cent. per annum, for the purpose of meeting the current legal expenditure of the Corporation which is payable out of the annual revenue before the revenue for the year is payable by the taxpayers.

2.—The money so borrowed, together with the interest thereon, shall be paid on or before the 31st day of December, 1898, out of the municipal revenue of the current year.

3.—The obligation to be given in acknowledgement of the liability hereby created shall be a promissory note or notes, signed by the Mayor and the Clerk of the Council and the Finance Committee, and sealed with the seal of the Corporation, and shall be, mutatis mutandis, in the form following:

$ GREENWOOD, 1898.
On or before the day of 1898, the Corporation of the City of Greenwood promises to pay to or order the sum of Dollars for value received, with interest at per cent. per annum.

4.—This by-law may be cited as the "Temporary Loan By-law, 1898."

Passed the Council the 24th day of January, 1898.

Reconsidered and finally adopted by the Council this 31st day of January, A.D. 1898.

[L.S.] ROBERT WOOD,
DUNCAN ROSS, Mayor.
C.M.C.

NOTICE

THE above is a true copy of a by-law passed on the 31st day of January, 1898, by the municipal council of the corporation of the City of Greenwood, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have said by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

DUNCAN ROSS,
City Clerk.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax Act.

Rock Creek Division of Yale District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the "Assessment Act," are now due for the year 1898. All the above-named taxes collectible within the Rock Creek division of Yale district are payable at my office at Osoyoos, Yale district. Assessed taxes are collectible at the following rates, namely:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1898,—

Three-fifths of one per cent. on real property.
Two and one-half per cent. on assessed value of wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, namely: Upon such excess of income when the same is not more than ten thousand dollars, one per cent.; when such excess is over ten thousand dollars and not more than twenty thousand dollars, one and one-quarter of one per cent.; when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars, one and one-half of one per cent.

If paid on or after 1st July, 1898,—

Four-fifths of one per cent. on real property.
Three per cent. on the assessed value of wild land.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on personal property.
On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, namely: Upon such excess when the same is not more than ten thoueand dollars, one and one-quarter of one per cent.; when such excess is over ten thousand dollars and not more than twenty thousand dollars one and one-half of one per cent.; when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars one and three-quarters of one per cent.

Provincial Revenue Tax, $3.00 per capita.

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
Osoyoos, B.C., Assessor and Collector.
January 3rd, 1898. 73-8

County Court Notice.

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At MIDWAY, on Thursday, the 10th day of March, 1898,

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

By command.

WM. G. MCMYNN,
Government Office, D.R.C.C.
Midway, January 17th, 1897. 72-4

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KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending February 1st, 1898.

January 27.

Long Lake, Long Lake camp, Walter Frances.

January 29.

Apex, Central camp, J. J. Harris.

Certificates of Work.

January 25.

C. S. & H. and P. H.—Boundary Creek Mining & Milling Co., Ltd. Ly.
Hidden Treasure—Asaph Castleman.

January 31.

Myrtle (frac.), Greenwood camp—Forbes M. Kerby.

Certificates of Improvements.

January 31.

Capital Prize, Lind creek—John Weir, Thos. Hardy, Ewing Keightley, John W. Lind and Thos. Humphrey.

Transfers.

January 26.

Gold Drop (frac.), Greenwood camp, Dan Brisnahan to James Moran.

January 29.

No. 95, ¼-int., Samuel Webb to John Bell.

GRAND FORKS MINING DIVISION.

Locations.

January 20.

Noble Five, Hardy Mountain, S M Kirkham.

January 24.

Little Annie, Cedar creek, A C Lund.
Concord, ditto, ditto.

January 27.

Nevada, North Fork, H B Thorn.

January 28.

Alice, Summit camp, Wm. Landon.

January 29.

Snowflake and Snowshoe, Brown's camp, M D White.

January 31.

Novelty (frac.), Summit camp, E E Barchard.

Certificates of Work.

June 26 (dated back).

Pirate, and Sister—C C Bernard.

January 26.

Paragon, Pasadena, El Paso and Olive—Pasadena Consolidated Gold Mining Co.

January 27.

Fair Play—J. Ashfield et al.
Carson—F. Graaf et al.

January 28.

Kingfisher—J Myers et al.

Transfers.

January 22.

Midwinter, ¼ int., S R Reid to J W Boyd.

January 26.

Hard Cash, ¼ int., F A Shonquist to G R Naden

January 28.

Mayflower, all int., Neil McCallum to Ella Clark.
Button, all int., Chas. Hay to Ella Clark.

February 1.

Novelty (frac.), all int., E E Barchard to A H Harrison.

A CHARTER SHOULD BE GRANTED.

Below are twelve reasons why a charter should be granted to the Kettle River Valley Railway Company:

(1) Because a competing line will be of the greatest advantage to the district.

(2) Because the business of the district will be subject to much heavier charges with only one line.

(3) Because there can now be no competing line other than Corbin's extension.

(4) Because as good a rate will be made on ores to smelters in British Columbia as to smelters on the Columbia river in the United States.

(5) Because the Kettle River Valley Railway will give the district connection by way of at least two transcontinental lines with Eastern Canada, and enable the people to ship goods direct in bond from Eastern Canada or from the Coast in B.C.

(6) Because the lower rates resulting from competing lines in everything shipped into and out of the country will permit the working of the lower grade ores, and thereby increase immensely the business of the country.

(7) Because, were it not for the competing lines in West Kootenay, the mine owners who are producing ore would be paying at least $5.00 a ton more for freight and treatment charges whether the ores were shipped out of the country or worked in the country.

(8) Because not until a district secures rival transportation lines and cheap fuel can the ores be smelted and matted in the district and near the mines.

(9) Because until this time comes, no restrictions should be placed on selling ores in the best markets.

(10) Because the company asks for no cash subsidy or land grant.

(11) Because a bare charter should be denied no company.

(12) Because Corbin will give the district railway connection at once if he secures the charter.

New Yukon Regulations.

The Department of the Interior have promulgated new regulations for the Yukon district. A creek, gulch, river or hill claim shall not exceed 250 feet in length in the general direction of the stream or ravine on which it fronts and not more than 1,000 feet in width. Every alternate ten claims shall be held by the government of Canada. A free miner's certificate, good for one year, costs $10; for a company, $50; if of more than $100,000 capital, $100. A royalty of 10 per cent. on the gold mined shall be levied and collected on the output of each claim over and above the first $2,500 output.

GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

The C. P. R. surveyors are now at work near Boundary Falls.

Mrs. J. F. Hemenway and Mrs. McIntyre, were among the visitors to the city this week.

Another masquerade carnival will be given on the Greenwood Skating Rink on Monday evening.

W. G. McKenzie, traveling representative for Wood, Vallens & Co., paid Greenwood a business visit this week.

Mr. A. McQueen, the manager of W. B. Davey's big store at Grand Forks, visited Greenwood this week. Mr. McQueen expressed his surprise at the substantial appearance of Greenwood. He had been under the impression that here was a straggling village instead of a progressive city.

Messrs. Moran and Tormey who purchased a lot on Copper street a short time ago to erect a hotel there, will soon come to Greenwood from Spokane for the purpose of building. The plans for a three-story frame building prepared by Mr. A. B. Campbell have already been accepted by them.

Dr. Pope, superintendent of education, has signified his willingness to grant a temporary certificate to Mr. Keith who applied for position of teacher of the Greenwood school. Mr. Keith holds a first class New Brunswick certificate. His was the only application received when the trustees made application for a temporary certificate.

In order to accommodate our patrons we have decided to continue our 15 per cent. discount sale until the 28th inst.
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:

21st January, 1898.

WILLIAM GRAHAM MCMYNN, of the town of Midway, Esquire, to be a Deputy Clerk of the Peace within and for the County of Yale.

STANLEY SMITH, of the City of Grand Forks, Esquire, M.D., to be a Coroner within and for the Grand Forks Mining Division of the Yale Electoral District.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

PLUTONIA Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Deadwood camp.

TAKE Notice that I, T. F. Wren, free miner's certificate, No. 8,856, 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 February, 1898. 74

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

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

TAKE Notice that I, T. F. Wren, free miners's certificate No. 8,856, 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 February, 1898. 74

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Men's " " "
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Men's and Youths' Pants

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Returned from the East.

Mr. J. H. Macfarlane, the superintendent of the Sunset mine, returned from a three months' visit to Montreal and other eastern centres on Monday. He reports that the Eastern people have gone crazy about Klondyke, but that also considerable attention is given to British Columbia mines. Boundary Creek district is not so well known in the East as Kootenay, and mining men are anxious to secure information concerning the district. While Kootenay is well advertised in the Eastern centres, there is no literature to be found describing this district. Mr. Macfarlane visited New York, Chicago and other large cities. There was a general feeling when he left Montreal that Corbin would build a railway into this district.

Mr. Macfarlane intends erecting the necessary buildings on the Sunset immediately and mining will begin shortly afterwards, probably by March 1st.

It is reported that W. A. Carlyle, the provincial mineralogist, will shortly resign his position to accept the superintendence of the British-America Corporation properties. He will receive a much higher salary. It will be difficult for the province to secure as competent a mineralogist as Mr. Carlyle.

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Owns the "Golden Crown" mineral claim, situated in Wellington camp, Yale District, B.C.

C. P. R. AND HEINZE.

Mr. Heinze has sold out his railway and smelting interests to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. Despatches from Montreal are to the effect that Mr. Heinze had been in that city for two days, conferring with Sir William Van Horne, president of the C.P.R., and as a result of the meeting the Heinze line will pass into the hands of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., as will also the smelter at Trail. The C.P.R. is to take possession at once. The purchase of the Heinze road will give the C.P.R. direct entrance into Rossland, without constructing a railway to Robson. It will also remove Heinze's opposition to its coming into Boundary Creek district.

It was scarcely expected that there would come such speedy and striking evidence of the correctness of the position taken by the residents of Boundary Creek district with regard to Heinze's railway. At the public meeting held last week, the consensus of opinion was to the effect that Mr. Heinze wanted more subsidies in order to demand a higher price from the C.P.R., and recent events show that such was the case. The good people of Vernon who poured out their sympathy on Heinze and said harsh things about the C.P.R. will derive but little satisfaction from the sale.

It is not yet known whether the C. P.R. Company intend to assume the obligations imposed by the charters granted to Heinze. Should the company do so, in order to earn the land grants and subsidy it must begin construction from the Penticton end by August next.

The sale should spur the people of Boundary Creek district to more vigorous efforts in Mr. Corbin's interest. The Corbin railway is practically the only competitor left. Should he be denied a charter, the C.P.R. Company are masters of the railway situation and they can build into the Boundary Creek district when they please. If Corbin gets his charter, the C.P.R. will build at once in order to secure its share of the trade.

A crusher has been hauled to the Republic mine in Eureka camp.

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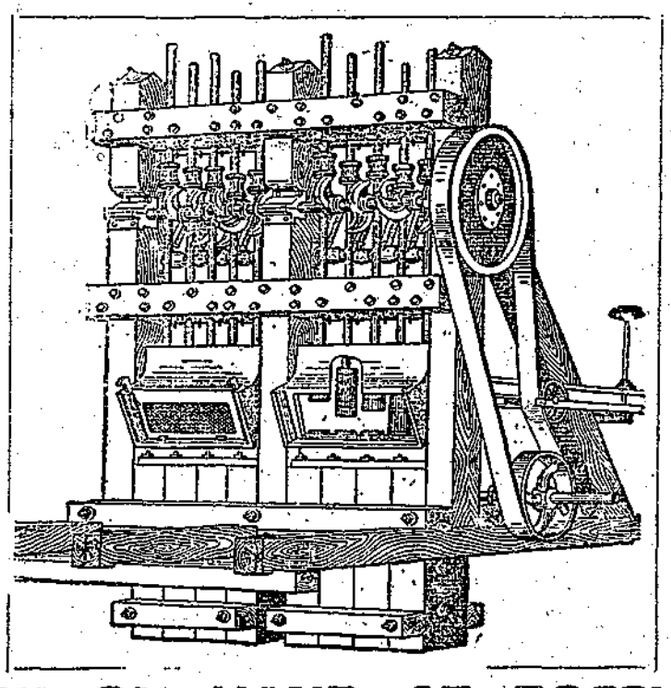

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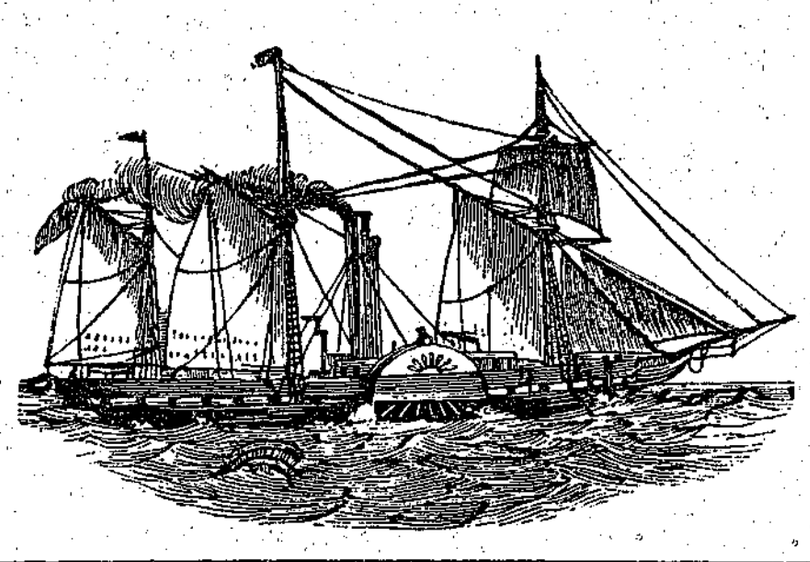
Imported  *Direct.*

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Chas. Collins left Friday morning for Spokane.

Leslie Hill of the Prospecting Syndicate of B. C., is in the city.

Mayor Wood is expected home from the Coast on Wednesday's stage.

Geo. Miller left Friday morning on a prospecting trip to Deer creek.

Ald. Barrett returned from a business trip to Vernon on Wednesday's stage.

Dr. King and M. B. King of St. John, N. B., arrived in the city on Thursday's stage.

G. A. Rendell, who has been taking a vacation on the ranch, Eholt creek, is back in the city.

Bob Veath, of the Old Ironsides mine is in the Greenwood hospital suffering from rheumatism.

J. C. Bell, formerly with Rendell & Co., Boundary Falls, is back with the firm in Greenwood City.

J. A. Coryell, C. E., is surveying the Standard claim in Greenwood camp for the Boss syndicate.

Duncan Ross, railway delegate to Ottawa and editor of THE TIMES, is expected home next week.

J. P. Harlan and Scott McRae went over to Carson on Monday to attend the funeral of D. McLaren, Sr.

A. Connors, who has charge of work on the Republic group, in Smith's camp, was in the city Tuesday.

Chas. Gire, consulting engineer for the French syndicate in Central camp, is in the city on mining business.

Alex Wallace returned from a trip to Fairview this week, and reports considerable work being done in that camp.

D. J. McDonald, inspector of mines for the province is in the city, with the intention of making an official tour of the district.

J. J. McMullen, superintendent of the Porto Reco mine, near Ymir, B. C., is in the district looking after mining interests here.

Randolph Stuart has purchased the one-half interest in the Marie Stuart in Central camp, from W. G. McMynn.

E. Myers and F. Shonquist are doing assessment work on the City View, one of E. A. Bielenberg's claims in Skylark camp.

Jack Wallace was in the city Wednesday, having come down from Central camp, where he is working on the Norfolk.

M. McLean, superintendent of work on the claims purchased by J. E. Boss in Greenwood camp, was in the city Wednesday.

J. F. Hemenway, superintendent of the Old Ironsides mine, is so seriously ill with pneumonia at the Greenwood hospital that Mrs. Hemenway who is in Spokane has been sent for.

MIGRATORY LABOR.

The bill introduced by Mr. McPherson, in the legislature, in regard to migratory labor, amending the "Master and Servant Act," has received its second reading. The amendment to the Act is for the purpose of protecting the working classes, and most of the professional men in the house voted against it. The lawyers and doctors of the province have had legislation passed for the purpose of keeping out competition in their professions; but when an act is introduced to protect the working men they, of course, oppose it. Following are the provisions in Mr. McPherson's amendment to the act:

"Any agreement or bargain, verbal or written, express or implied, which may be made between any person and any other person, not a resident of British Columbia, for the performance of labor or service, or having reference to the performance of labor or service by such other person in the Province of British Columbia, and made as aforesaid, previous to the migration or coming into British Columbia of such other person whose labor or service is contracted for, shall be void and of no effect as against the person only so migrating or coming.

(a) Nothing in this section shall be so construed as to prevent any person from engaging, under agreement or contract, skilled workmen, not resident in British Columbia, to perform labor in British Columbia in or upon any new industry not at present established in British Columbia, or any industry at present established, if skilled labor for the purpose of the industry cannot be otherwise obtained, nor shall the provisions of this section apply to professional actors, artists, teachers, lecturers or singers."

The vote on the amendment was: 17 for, 12 against. The division is here given, so that working men in the district may see on which side of the house their friends are:

Yeas—Messrs. Sword, Kennedy, Foster, Hume, Macpherson, Kidd, Vedder, Huff, Semlin, Cotton, Graham, Kellie, Martin, Higgins, Stoddart, Eberts and McGregor—17.

Nays—Messrs. Smith, Mutter, Baker, Turner, Rithet, Adams, Pooley, Walkem, Bryden, Rogers, Hunter, Braden—12.

TO ALL INDEBTED.

The Boundary Creek P. & P. Co. are this week sending out a number of bills to subscribers, advertisers and others who are indebted to the company. Some of these accounts are considerably overdue, and payment must be made at once, or collection enforced through the courts. Wholesale firms spend no time "dunning" the printer: they simply draw at 30 days and the draft has to be met or a "bad rating" entered on mercantile registers. Prompt attention to this notice is therefore requested.

The opinion of the Rossland board of trade that proper safeguards as regards traffic rates over the Kettle River Valley railway, in the event of a charter being granted for the construction of that line, should receive due recognition from parliament before that body takes any further action in the matter. It is undoubtedly necessary for the welfare of Southern British Columbia that no opportunity should be overlooked to divert the trade of the Boundary Creek country into Canadian channels. The Miner still maintains that this can be done by parliament stipulating that the charter shall only be granted on terms which will compel the railway company to haul freight from points along its line to any spot in Canada at a lower rate than to any point in United States territory.—Rossland Miner.

Hotel Arrivals.

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

W. T. Williams, Rossland; A. Logan, P. McVicher, Nelson, B. C.; T. C. Benyman, Bodie camp, Wash.; J. A. Coryell, E. Jacobs, R. Stuart, Midway; S. Breslauer, G. Perkins, T. McDonnell, A. K. Stuart, Frank Black, E. Jacobs, city; John Lucy, Anaconda; Martin Walsh, Deadwood; Charles O'Brien, Spokane; M. McLean, Brooklyn mine; Chas. Gire, Central camp; P. C. McGrath, W. T. Williams, Old Ironsides, J. H. Peters, Myers creek; Dr. J. H. King, M. B. King, St. John, N. B.; D. J. Macdonald, Vancouver; J. H. Burmaster, F. H. McCaslin, Trail.

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

David Breen; P. C. McGrath, Old Ironsides; Thos. Fowlds, Victoria; H. Rose, Penticton; W. E. McBoyle, Geo. W. Dean, city; Thos. Dobie, Pass creek; Martin Walsh, Scott McRae, Deadwood camp; John Hollahan, R. Veatch, Old Ironsides; Thos. McDonnell, city; W. Hanna, Snowshoe; Thos. Punch, Winnipeg; T. H. Kieran, Long Lake camp; R. Knight, Mike Coldwell, Copper creek; T. J. Jones, Lardo.

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COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment for the year 1898, as made by the Assessor of the City of Greenwood, B.C., will be held at Rendell & Co.'s hall, Greenwood, on Monday, the 25th day of April, A.D. 1898, at 10 o'clock a.m.

G. B. TAYLOR,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Greenwood, March 8th, 1898. 79-7

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.

H. McKEE.
J. SNODGRASS.

Greenwood, B.C.,
March 9th, 1898. 80

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A CONVENTION.

Just as soon as the redistribution bill is passed by the legislature, a convention should be held composed of delegates from each polling subdivision in the electoral district. If each polling division would send, say, one delegate for the purpose of organization, and then if the delegates in convention deemed it expedient, they could select a candidate. If they considered that a larger delegation was necessary for the selection of a candidate, they could arrange a scheme for the appointment of delegates from each sub-division in accordance with the number of electors. A delegate for every one hundred voters would make a fairly representative gathering for organization purposes, or for the selection of a candidate. The convention could be held at Greenwood, Midway, Camp McKinney, or Fairview, whichever place was considered the most convenient for the majority of delegates. It might also be suggested that a meeting for organization purposes be held in each polling sub-division and a committee appointed for campaign purposes. Local organization should commence at once, for no matter how we are placed by the redistribution bill, a thorough organization is necessary, if the district is to accomplish anything. Organize and keep the "carpet baggers" out.

OFFICIAL WORSHIP.

There is perhaps no part of the world where the Anglo Saxon race predominates in which official worship and toadyism is carried to such a nauseating extent as in the Interior of British Columbia. If a fair criticism is made of illegal official acts, some toady attributes the motive to personal spite. Let a citizen mention his grievances in the public press, and he is called a "well whipped cur," by the Midway Advance, the special laudator of imbecile officialism in this district. The worship of officialism is so common and so prevalent in this country that the servants of the people have become a pest. Those who are paid to uphold the law, are the very persons who most often break it. A justice of the peace holds a court, takes evidence without the oath being legally administered to witnesses, and fines a citizen against whom there is no evidence. The citizen appeals, the decision of the magistrate is reversed, and then the magistrate through the columns of a paper published by himself, states that "evidence was given before the magistrates court by defendant incriminating himself." The citizen replies, proving the falsehood of this statement, and the magistrate-editor calls him a "well whipped cur." This argument is just what might be expected from a person of the mental calibre of the editor of the Midway Advance. In every instance official misconduct is glossed over by those toadies, living in the hope that they will some day rise to the eminence of a country constable or justice of the peace, and be able to pose and inflate themselves and insult persons who pay their salaries.

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GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

H. and D. Murray of Midway were in the city on Tuesday.

R. W. McFarlane left Sunday evening for Spokane and Vancouver.

The C. P. R. surveyors were taking levels in the city on Tuesday last.

On the Snowshoe in Greenwood camp, the incline shaft is down 100 feet.

E. Mortimer, of Rossland, arrived in town the past week to take a position with R. J. Bealey & Co., of Greenwood.

W. H. Webb, carriage builder of Midway, has been in the city the past week superintending the woodwork of D. McDuff's business here.

The first issue of the Republic Pioneer, published at Eureka (now Republic), on the Colville reservation, will appear this week by Cleveland and Drake.

The many friends in the city of R. W. Deans, provincial constable at Osoyoos, were pleased to see him on the street the past week. He was over on official business.

Constable Gardom of Midway was in the city Tuesday looking for a justice of the peace, to try a charge of furnishing whiskey to an Indian, two justices being required for the purpose.

W. A. Corbett who is largely interested in Summit camp was in town the past week. He is at present doing development work on the Summit claim, on which a tunnel has been run 30 feet.

Prof. Boice will give a Hard Times Ball in Rendell & Co's. hall on the evening of April 1st. A hard times lunch in family style will be served at the Pioneer hotel, the cost of which will be 49 cents.

Four men are working on the Monte Cristo and Monte Carlo in Greenwood camp. The claims were recently bonded by Thos. Roderick to J. Lucy. The cost of development work now being done will amount to about $1,300.

Tenders are being asked by J. H. McFarlane for the erection of three cabins on the Sunset, Deadwood camp. The dimensions of the buildings are 24x16x8, 20x16x8, and 16x14x8 feet. Development work will be started on the claim shortly.

Ald. Kerr returned from Grand Forks on Monday where he had been on business connected with his company, which has purchased the butcher business formerly run by Mr. Seers of that place. Mr. Kerr left for the Similkameen on Wednesday morning.

Martin Walsh has struck a rich lead on the Lenbrock, an adjoining claim to the Mother Lode in Deadwood camp. The ledge is over 50 feet in width and carries ore similar to that on the Mother Lode lead. On the claim there is a 50-foot tunnel and about 30-feet of a shaft.

W. H. Norris, of the Midway Advance, was in town the past week, after an absence in Vernon for about a month. In an interview with a representative of THE TIMES Mr. Norris stated that business was very dull up north but prospects were favorable for good crops this season. One of the great difficulties the fruit growers will have to contend with this season is the green aphis. Mr. Norris has made a study of the green aphis, and believes it to be an annual of spontaneous origin, which same is calculated to be very injurious to fruit trees, gooseberry bushes, etc. The tobacco growth will be larger this year than formerly.

Jas. Moran of Greenwood camp returned on Sunday last from Myer's creek where he had been on business connected with his and G. W. Rumberger's interests in that section. Mining matters are quiet at present on the creek, very little development work being done.

M. E. Miller, of Miller Bros., Greenwood, returned from California, Saturday last. Mr. Miller has been gone since January, and on the 2nd inst. was married in San Francisco to Miss Alice Stiles of that city. His many acquaintances in the city are offering best wishes for a happy life to Mr. Miller and his bride.

Geo. P. Spiendler passed through the city this week to commence work on his properties on Pass creek, the Minnie and Golden Horn. On these claims about 150 feet of tunnel has been run. Mr. Spiendler has been in the Slocan during the winter, and intends to remain here and develop his properties.

W. M. Y. Williams, general superintendent of the Ironsides company's properties in Kootenay and Yale, was in the city this week looking over the Old Ironsides and other properties belonging to the company. Mr. Williams has had a large experience in mining on this continent and the Old country. The company is interested in mineral claims in the Slocan, Rossland and East Kootenay.

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"The Everett & Spokane Mining Company."

Registered the 8th day of March, 1898.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered "The Everett & Spokane Mining Company," as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies' Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth, to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the company is situate in the city of Spokane, Washington State, U.S.A.

The amount of the capital of the company is $100,000, divided into 100,000 shares of $1 each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situate at Greenwood City, and D. H. Holbrook, free miner, whose address is Greenwood City, is the attorney for the company.

The time of the existence of the company is fifty (50) years

The objects for which the company has been established are:

The purchasing of, prospecting for, and developing and working of mines and mining claims in the State of Washington and British Columbia; also to acquire by gift, purchase, location, lease or otherwise, real and personal property, and to sell and mortgage the same; to purchase, erect, own, mortgage, bond, lease and dispose of mines, mills, smelters and all kinds of buildings and machinery, and other personal property necessary or pertinent to the mining, smelting and reduction of metals and minerals and for the carrying out of the purposes of this company; to build, own and dispose of wagon roads and railroads as may be necessary to own and use in connection with the business of this company; to locate, buy, sell, lease, mortgage, own and dispose of water rights and water ways, ditches, flumes, pipe lines and other property, real or personal, necessary to be owned and used in the conveying or securing water to be used for mining and milling purposes; to buy, sell, hold and dispose of its own stock and the stock of other corporations, and all kinds of stock and bonds and personal property, and to do and perform all and every of the things cognate to the objects and purposes of this corporation and incident to the due performance and execution of the same; to buy and sell merchandise and to mortgage the same if it desires.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
80-4 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Corporation of the City of Greenwood.

Tenders for Debentures.

TENDERS, addressed to the "City Clerk, Greenwood, B.C.," will be received for the purchase of the Debentures authorised to be issued by the Corporation of the City of Greenwood, B.C., under By-laws, Nos. 5 and 6. The debentures will be issued in the sum of $100 each, the total amounts being $11,000 for Waterworks and $14,000 for Street Improvements, bearing six per cent. interest and running for twenty years.

Tenders may be made for the whole or any part of the above sum, but the Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders.

Greenwood, B.C., March 10th, 1898.

G. B. TAYLOR,
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The Empire Typewriter.

Bicycles, fire-arms and typewriters have been until recently sold at a price from 60 to 80 per cent. above the cost of manufacture. The Williams Manufacturing Company, of Montreal, have inaugurated a new plan. They are manufacturing a typewriter—the "Empire," illustrated on another page—equal to any of the standard machines and having several points of superiority, and are at the same time offering it nearly one-half the standard price. Several have already been purchased in this district and are giving entire satisfaction.

The C.P.R. Has a Weak Case.

Toronto Globe, March 18th.

As the matter now stands, it is difficult to see how the government or parliament can refuse the charter for an American railway crossing the border, but asking no subsidy and content to run its chance of competition for the trade of the coast cities. Some oppose the Kettle River Valley railway charter because they think the C.P.R. will soon acquire the V., V. & E. charter and build from the coast to Kootenay, if no rival companies are allowed to run into the Boundary country from the east. The opposition to the K. R. V. Co. will not be very strong, and those who best know the situation affirm that far from retarding the extension of the C.P.R. southern division from the Columbia river to the coast, the chartering of the Corbin railway will make the C.P.R. look to its laurels and force it into immediate action. President Van Horne does not often appear before a committee of parliament, but he did so yesterday and pleaded his own case; and that notwithstanding this the railway committee was decidedly in favor of refusing his request goes far to prove that the overwhelming influence of Sir William in national politics, of which so much is heard, is a good deal of a fiction. He has usually been fortunate in having a good case. The president of the C.P.R., with a strong case, is a power at Ottawa; with a weak case, such as he represented to-day, he can do little more to sway the judgment of the members than any other railway promoter.

E. B. Simmons, of the International hotel, returned from a business trip to Oro, Washington, the past week.

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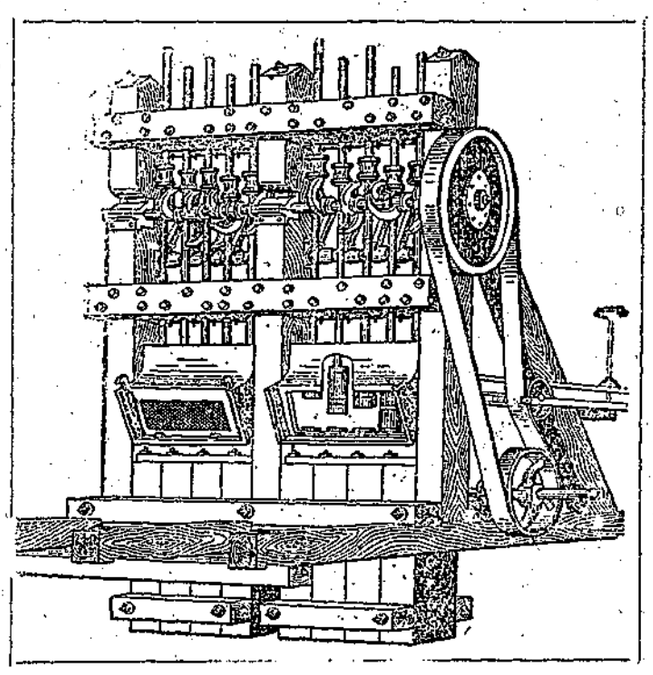

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