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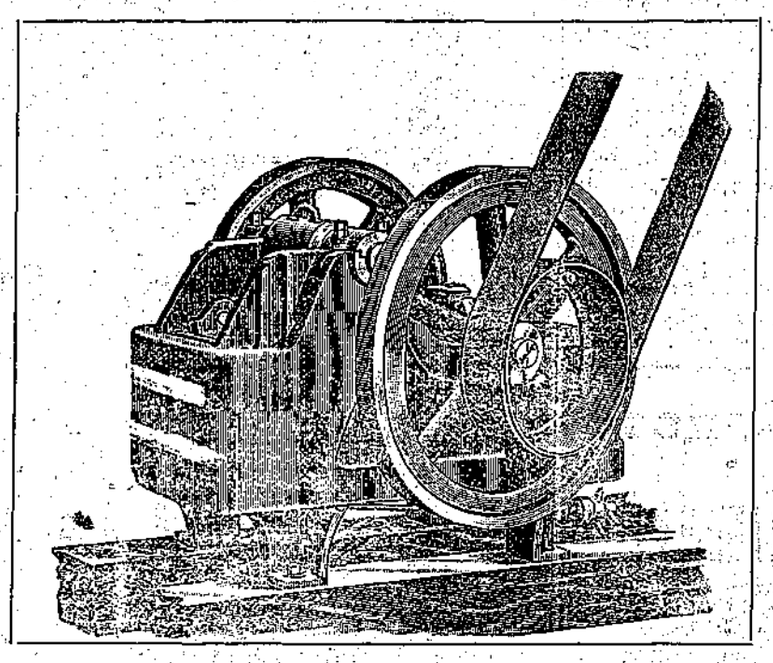

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McEntire, McDonnell & Co.'s Chesaw Property Will be Developed by a Strong Company—A Big Strike on the Pheasant in Greenwood Camp—Mining Notes.

The Review Gold Mining company has been incorporated in Spokane. The company has been organized to develop the Review, the famous Chesaw property owned by McEntire, McDonnell & Co., of Greenwood. The capital of the company is $500,000, divided into 2,000,000 shares of 25 cents each. There has been placed in the treasury 500,000 shares for the development of the property.

So much has already been written regarding the Review that people are generally familiar with the merits of the property.

It is situated near Chesaw, in the Meyer's creek district, and on the American side of the line. A tunnel runs along the footwall of the ledge for a distance of 440 feet. At 250 feet from the mouth of the tunnel a crosscut was run 46 feet, all in quartz. In this is a vein of rich ore two feet wide, which gives values in gold from $38 to $100. At the face of the tunnel both walls are exposed and there is five feet of solid ore in the face of the tunnel. This ore will average $26 in gold. Men are now at work making a winze in the tunnel at a distance of 340 feet from its mouth. The tunnel at this distance gives a depth of 135 feet. The ore is free milling and concentrating. Messrs. McEntire, McDonnell & Co. have had numerous assays made from the ledge at different points. The assays were made by assayers in Chesaw and Greenwood and all gave the most encouraging values. Thirty-six assays gave an average of $16 to the ton. Assays as high as $100 have been frequently secured. The Review bears all the ear-marks of a mine. It possesses good values, a well defined vein, a good body of ore, can be easily and cheaply developed and the ore can be treated at a low cost.

HEADQUARTERS IN GREENWOOD.

Two Well Known Mining Men Will Operate From Here.

R. E. L. Brown, popularly known as Barbarian Brown, and F. W. Bradley, of the Bunker Hill and Sullivan mine in the Coeur d'Alenes, were among the visitors to the city this week. Mr. Brown owns the Monarch in Greenwood camp. Under the supervision of Mr. Empey, Mr. Brown's mining engineer, there are several men at work on the Monarch.

Messrs. Brown and Bradley have decided to operate extensively in the Boundary Creek country. They have plenty of capital themselves and represent capital. A central office will be opened in Greenwood and Mr. Brown will make this his headquarters for some time.

In addition to the Monarch Mr. Brown has other valuable mining interests in the district. Mr. Bradley has also invested some money as it is understood that the Carmi up the West Fork was bonded for him and his associates. The decision of Messrs. Brown and Bradley to invest in Boundary Creek properties is of the greatest importance to the district. They are known to be energetic mining men with plenty of capital at their disposal.

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Each day brings tidings of new strikes in the West Fork country. The latest strike is that made by Messrs. Gain and J. T. Bedard, of the St. Charles hotel. They located two properties across the river from Boomerang creek and called them the Richelieu and Kamloops. At first they had only 12 inches of ore, but the ledge widened rapidly and at a depth of 15 feet in the shaft, which is being sunk on the ledge, the ore is two and a half feet wide. Many assays have been made from the shaft and all gave high values, $156 in gold and silver being an average value. Adjoining these two properties is the Enterprise, owned by Roy and Pelon. Values as high as $208 in gold have been received from the Enterprise. There are now two men at work on the Richelieu and Kamploops.

An interesting strike of gold-copper was made this week on the Pheasant claim, in Greenwood camp. The strike consists of an 18-inch vein, struck at a depth of 30 feet, and which samples between $60 and $70 in gold and copper. The Pheasant adjoins the Snowshoe on the east, and is owned by W. B. Rickards of Midway, and A. K. Stuart of Greenwood, who also own an adjoining fraction, the Alma. They are continuing the present shaft with a view to ascertaining the extent and nature of the ore so far exposed.

Napoleon Wells, a mining man of Denver, Colo., has returned from a trip up the West Fork. He saw some properties there that pleased him very much.

The Smelter.

Midway was very confident that the Mother Lode smelter would be located there and laughed at the idea that it would go to Greenwood. The versatile Grand Forks correspondent, who scatters his misleading information far and wide, was also of the same opinion, and was not slow in expressing it to a breathless public, from Toronto to Vancouver. But, seemingly, Greenwood had the trump card, and could well afford to laugh last.—Cascade Record.

MIDWAY NOTES.

John Keough was in town Tuesday.

Jim Dale came down from the Carmi this week.

J. McNicol has returned from a trip to the coast.

Mr. Williams, of Bossburg, was in town this week.

Mr. Moss, assayer of Beaverton, was down this week.

Miss Boone is visiting her grandparents in the Okanagan country.

F. M. Kerby, P. L. S., and party returned from McKinney on Sunday.

There is a shingle mill now on the banks of the Kettle river, in the town limits.

Mrs. B. Lequime and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. Coryell, at Grand Prairie.

Jack Donald, of the Columbia Telegraph and Telephone company, was in town Wednesday.

November Gottfreidsen had the misfortune to break his leg last week, through his horse rolling on him.

Forbes M. Kerby, P. L. S., leaves this week for a trip to Vernon. He assures us it is a purely business trip.

P. Helsteb went up to McKinney Thursday to erect the stamp mill for the Minnehaha and Waterloo mines. The machinery having arrived for them.

Jas. Cody, a miner, from Myers creek, came down on Saturday to have a piece of quartz extracted from his eye. He reports everything flourishing up there.

Messrs. McCauley & Keightly, of the Midway hotel, have dissolved partnership. Mr. McAuley retaining the business. Mr. Keightly intends devoting his time solely to his extensive mining interests.

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THE GAME LAW.

The Open Season for Shooting Began September First.

The shooting season began Sept. 1st and those interested will find it instructive to read the following resume of the game act:

The open seasons for game are respectively as follows, both dates being inclusive:

September 1 to February 28—Bittern, ducks of all kinds, heron, meadow lark, plover.

September 1 to December 31—Caribou, elk, wapiti (bull) grouse of all kinds, including prairie chickens, hare, moose (bull).

September 1 to December 14—Deer, (buck), deer (doe), mountain goat, mountain sheep (ram).

November 2 to March 31—Beaver land, otter, marten.

Unless specially provided, it is unlawful to shoot or destroy the following, Insectivorous birds, English blackbirds, caribou (cow or calf), chaffinch, deer (fawn under 12 months), elk, wapt, (cow), elk wapiti (calf under two years), gull, linnet, moose (cow or calf under 12 monts), mountain sheep (ewe or lamb), English partridge, cock pheasant, hen pheasant, quail of all kinds, skylarks, thrush, and eggs of protected birds.

Farmers only may shoot robins in gardens, between June 1 and September 1. It is unlawful to buy, sell or expose for sale, show, or advertisement: Insectivorous birds, bittern, English blackbird, caribou (cow or calf), chaffinch, deer, fawn under 12 months, or doe, elk, or wapiti, of any sex or age, grouse of all kinds, except blue grouse which may be sold during the open season; gull, linnet, meadow lark, moose (cow or calf), mountain sheep (ewe or lamb), English partridge, cock pheasant, hen pheasant, quail, robin, skylark, thrush, at any time.

It is unlawful to buy, sell or expose for sale, show or advertisement: Caribou, hare, bull moose, mountain goat, mountain ram, before October 1; buck deer, duck, blue grouse, plover, during close season.

It is unlawful to kill or take in one season, more than five caribou, ten deer, two elk, 250 duck, two moose, five mountain goats, three mountain rams, and to hunt deer with dogs, or kill deer for hides alone.

The open season for shooting cock pheasants will be proclaimed later by the lieutenant-governor.

Fairview.

Mr. George H. Maurer returned to the city yesterday from Fairview camp, where he has been for the past few weeks in the interest of the Dominion Consolidated. He was accompanied by Mr. G. A. Forbes, a Montreal broker, who is prominently identified with the company. Chatting with a Mail and Empire reporter, Mr. Maurer stated that he honestly believed Fairview was destined to be one of the largest free-milling camps on this continent. Speaking of the Flora, Western Hill and Virginia, the three claims recently acquired by the Dominion Consolidated, Mr. Maurer stated that his visit had convinced him that Capt. T. H. Trethewey's report on the properties had been a very conservative one. Sine the 26th of June, the date of Mr. Trethewey's report, it had been proven that the ore bodies are more extensive and of much higher value than at that time. "The main ledge," he said, "has been opened up by crosscuts and pits, and extends across the entire length of the claims, the average width being about 12 feet. We have also uncovered a vein running parallel to the main ledge and about 200 feet north of it, which is about seven feet wide, and has ore which is identical with that of the main ledge. Tunnels No. 3 and 4, the mouths of which are located in the Flora, and which will traverse the entire length of the Western Hill, about 1,500 feet, will have a depth of 470 feet. At this point they will intersect the shaft, which is now being driven, and when the necessary upraises are made we will have blocked out and ready for stoping enough ore to supply a 300-ton plant for from four to five years. The ore is 85 per cent free milling, the average values at the time of Mr. Trethewey's report being about $5.20. This is gradually increasing, and it is perfectly safe to calculate that we will have from $7 to $8 ore if not much greater value when the reach the intersection of the shaft and lower tunnel.

"Our properties," continued Mr. Maurer, "are so situated that mining can be carried on for at least 40 years without the use of hoists or pumps, the entire ore body being accessible from the tunnels which are now being driven. The expense of mining will not exceed $1 per ton, and after the installation of the mill the whole cost of mining, milling and treatment will fall below $1.75 per ton."

Mr. Maurer stated that the company has secured an excellent water power at the Okanagan Falls, which is now being developed, and when it is completed the company will be in a position to furnish power to other properties in the camp. The company is now erecting a boarding and lodging house for the men, a blacksmith shop, a residence for the superintendent, and an assay office. The company has now 15 men constancly employed, and this number is to be increased to 25 upon the installation of a six-drill compressor, for which the order has already been given. Mr. Maurer states that inside of 12 months the company will have upwards of 4,000 feet of development work done. The company expect to have their mill installed and in operation in from 18 to 20 months.

Mr. Forbes was equally enthusiastic when spoken to in reference to the propeety. He believes the Stemwinder to be a great property. He says that they have a regular mountain of ore, and that the future of the company is assured. The Oro Fino, in the vicinity of Fairview camp, he regards as a good property. A two-stam mill is now in operation on the property, and the ore is netting $10 to the ton. There is a movement on foot for the reorganization of the company, and Mr. Forbes says the proper machinery will shortly be installed upon the property. Mr. Forbes visited Camp McKinney. Of the properties there, Cariboo impressed him as the best and surest investment.—Mail and Empire.

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Footsteps—Money Being Expended in Undoing Last Year's Work—Outlying Portions Neglected—Action for Damages Against the City.

Last year $14,000 was borrowed upon the credit of the city for the purpose of grading and sidewalking the streets. Previous to the ratepayers sanctioning the borrowing of this money, the then city engineer prepared and made public a schedule of the improvements that could be carried out for $14,000. This schedule outlined the grading of all the streets in the central portion of the city. It also provided for sidewalks on all the streets graded. The money was secured and was expended on a few streets. Many streets were never touched and no sidewalks were laid. The majority of the ratepayers very properly took strong objection to the small amount of improvement secured for the large amount of money. They wisely or unwisely decided that a change was necessary and a change was made. The change is most complete. Instead of having a mayor and municipal council, the mayor is the mayor and municipal council. He prepares motions and instructs the council to pass them; he alters the minutes to suit his own views and acts without any sanction or authority save his own. The members of the council allow things to be done that they know and believe are not in the best interests of the city, but they are done because the mayor says so. The aldermen are to blame for neglecting these responsibilities that came to them with their oath of office The mayor must receive any credit or discredit that attaches to the work carried out. He is the whole council.

It was reasonable to suppose that after the experience of last year an effort would be made to improve these portions of the city that paid their share of the interest and sinking fund on the money borrowed and yet received no direct advantage therefrom. What do we find? Without the knowledge of the council, without any authority from the council, work is commenced on Copper street. Grades which were given by previous city engineers are altered and large blocks which were built under the impression that the grade was established, are left high above the street. Aldermen, in private, strenuously objected to the useless expenditure and the damage to property, but at the meeting of the council they were silent when they ought to have asserted themselves.

Nor is this all. Last spring the great need of water works, for fire protection, was apparent. Credit should be given where credit is due. The mayor acted promptly. He borrowed money at the usual high rate of interest, water pipes were laid and a good water system secured, It was in the interest of the city that this work should have been done and the mayor, because he is the whole council, must get all the credit for doing it. But this work must now all be undone because of the folly connected with the street work. Greenwood street has been cut down for no apparent reason other than to make the grade one per cent heavier. The water main is left exposed to winter frost. It must be raised, trenches dug deeper and again laid. The flume to carry off the surplus water of Twin creek, built last year at a considerable cost, lined and repaired this year at a considerable cost, is now above the street and must be lowered.

Last Saturday over $2,000 was paid to the city workmen. Previous to this the loan had been hypothecated to the tune of some $4,000 for the completion of the Government street cut and other work. The ratepayers can figure how much it will cost to replace the water pipes and lower the flume.

There is another probable expenditure. Already steps have been taken to bring action for damages against the city. Long-suffering property owners who are heavy losers because of unwise municipal work are determined to seek redress in the courts.

That the municipal act which regulates the actions of municipal bodies affords protection property owners may be seen from this section, which is copied from the act:

"Every council shall make to the owners or occupiers of, or other persons interested in, real properties entered upon, taken, or used by the corporation in the exercise of any of its powers or injuriously affected by the exercise of any of its powers, due compensation for any damages (including cost of fencing when required) necessarily resulting from the exercise of such powers beyond any advantage which the claimant may derive from the contemplated work."

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The Manufacturers' Life Association notified the council that they would issue check for $30,300 as soon as signed debentures were received. Leonard Norris, government agent, wrote in reference to tax on water records held by the city.

Competitive plans for the city hall were received. from John Robertson, C. W. H. Sanson and A. B. Crmpbell and were referred to the building committee.

D. R. Young, of the Kootenay Mining Standard, sent the council 25 copies of the Standard's annual, and wanted $25. The council decided to take a week to consider the proposition.

L. S. Moulton-Barrett, agent for F. S. Barnard, suggested a rebate on taxes, because of the destruction of the Windsor hotel by fire. Laid over for one week.

Rev. Balderston asked permission to place a sign on the corner of Center and Copper streets. Permission was granted.

Leamy & Grey were instructed to defend all actions brought against the corporation.

Alds. Stherland, Galloway and Fisher were appointed a committee to see a qualified engineer and engage him to make a preliminary survey to Phoenix for an electric tramway from Greenwood.

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GEMS FROM PAUL JOHNSON.

A MINING man cannot afford to flatter or exaggerate, and, as a mining man, I tell you that the biggest mines on this continent will be right around Greenwood.

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MR. SHAW'S VISIT.

GREENWOOD and the surrounding district will be benefitted by H. C. Shaw's interviews with the provincial government. Just demands are often neglected because members of a government fail to appreciate the importance of a district making those demands. The best way to impress upon members of a government the importance of a district is by inducing them to make a personal visit. The eye of the politician appears to be more easily influenced than the ear. In view of this, however, the next best thing is to have one's requirements told by a gentlemen in whom the government have confidence. Mr. Shaw succeeded in securing surface rights for mines that are being developed. He interested the government in the matter of supreme and county court registrars, and generally he succeeded in making the government take a keener interest in the affairs of this district.

Without reference to politics, the district is to be congratulated upon the fact that Hon. F. C. Cotton will pay it a visit this fall. For many years the needs of British Columbia were ridiculed and discouraged by members of the Dominion parliament. Representatives of farming constituencies in the east, who never saw a mountain, glibly poked fun at the demands of the people who lived amidst a sea of mountains. But some members came westward; they saw for themselves and in parliament the strong champions of this province were the men who visited it. So it is in local affairs. A cabinet minister who visits Boundary Creek and notes the wonderful resources and possibilities must necessarily be in the future more anxious to do everything to encourage its development.

A CORRECTION.

THE Times is in receipt of a communication from the Canadian Pacific Railway company in reference to an article which appeared two weeks ago criticizing the rates charged on freight routed by the Columbia & Western railway to Grand Forks. The company contradicts the statement that the rate via railway to Grand Forks is higher than the rate by rail to Bossburg and thence by wagon. The statements upon which the article was based were furnished by a Greenwood merchant. Upon receipt of the letter we made further inquiries and find that the statements of the merchant were occasioned by quotations from a Canadian Pacific freight agent. Since then the agent has written to the merchant, acknowledging an overcharge and a rebate has been prominently forwarded by the company.

We hasten to make the correction as we have no desire of doing the company an injustice. We freely acknowledge that in operating a new line of railway, errors are more likely to arise than on old established lines. Should we in the future refer to overcharges, such as appeared by the agent's quotations, we do so more to have mistakes rectified rather than to find fault with a company that is showing great enterprise in building a railway into the district.

CANADIAN MINING INSTITUTE.

THE Greenwood Board of Trade has appointed a committee to make arrangements for the reception of the members of the Canadian Mining Institute who will visit the district in October. Every effort should be made to show the members as many of the mining properties as is possible in the limited space at their disposal. The members of the institute are busy men seeking information and they will be more anxious to see mining properties than to be wined and dined in the cities through which they will pass.

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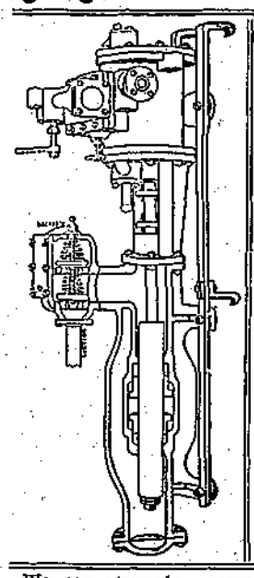

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CHURCH DEDICATION

NEW METHODIST CHURCH OPENED.

Three Sservices on Sunday Last—Dedication Sermon Preached by Rev. J. A. Wood—Eloquent Address by Rev. R. W. Trotter—Other Speakers—Good Choir Singing—A Handsome Collection.

The opening services in the Methodist church on Sunday were a grand success. The program, as printed, was fully carried out. The addresses were strong presentations of gospel truth and were intensely practical. Mr. Bennest had charge of the choir and Mrs. Evans presided at the organ; they were supported by a well trained choir. The singing was excellent. The new church just rang with good rousing music. Standard hymns had been chosen for congregational singing, and people of all denominations joined heartily so that the new church just rang with a grand chorus of voices. Special music by the choir, solos, duets, trios and quartettes were highly appreciated, and added much to the attractiveness and value of the services of the day.

At the morning service the Rev. J. A. Wood, chairman of Kootenay district, speaking from the text, "The Word of God is True," made a masterly presentation of the authority of the bible. He placed before the congregation the internal evidence of the inspirations of the word of God. He called attention to the fulfillment of prophecy as a proof of the divine origin of the scriptures and showed that the investigations of scientific men confirmed the statements of holy writ.

Having shown that hostility to the word of God was often the result of a lack of sympathy with its teachings. The preacher made a strong appeal to his hearers to see that their lives were put in harmony with the teachings of the inspired book.

Rev. R. W. Trotter, in the opening address in the afternoon, made an excellent talk on "How to Have a Live Church."

Rev. D. A. Stuart in a well thought out address, pictured the work of evangelization going on in the world, and illustrated his statements very beautifully by referring to the magnificent work done in widening and levelling the highway, in ancient days, when the king was about to pass through the country, and also by reference to the work going on in our own country in making a road for the iron horse of commerce through the mountains and across the valleys.

Mr. Wood in a closing address congratulated the congregation on having such a splendid place for worship, and gave some reminesences of the day of preaching in the log school house.

The ushers had a busy time finding seats for the large number of people who attended the evening service. The big congregation were well repaid for any special effort they made to fill the new church. The choir singing was excellent. The sermon of Rev. R. W. Trotter was exceptional in its originality and the eloquence with which it was delivered. He strongly condemned the church for thundering against effects and doing not to eradicate the causes. He pleaded for the application of more business principles in the work of the church. Business men had kept pace with the evolution that time had brought and had co-operated. He pointed to the success of trusts and big companies and also to the fact that competition was still rife among denominations, entailing additional expenditure and less profit in christian work. He pleaded for co-operation in church work, for greater and more united efforts to bring about such reforms as would tend to alleviate those conditions that engendered vice. The sermon teemed with apt illustrations and clever epigramatic sentences. His peroration was magnificent in its lanugage and eloquent delivery.

After the sermon, the people were asked by the Rev. Balderston to get down to earth again and they did so to the tune of $117. This money will go to pay off a portion of the church's debt which is rapidly decreasing.

Not the Whole Show.

Last week's Greenwood Times contained a humorous and sarcastic article on the mines claimed as tributary to Grand Forks. It is not so long ago that the Forkers were claiming Burnt Basin and Christina claims, to say nothing of those of Deadwood camp, Greenwood camp and others, as "Grand Forks mines." Grand Forks is a good town, but every camp from Gladstone to Penticton is not tributary to it.—Cascade Record.

BOLSTER'S CAMPAIGN.

To Wake Up the People for Spokane's Big Exposition.

Manager Herbert Bolster, of the Spokane industrial exposition, will leave Saturday morning for Rossland and Nelson, where he goes on a missionary trip in behalf of the big fair. This is the first journey he has made out of the city for the purpose, but he has several now in mind and hopes to come in touch with the patrons of the exposition in the next few weeks by visiting the surrounding tows.

Manager Bolster will return Tuesday evening and Thursday will go to the Cœur d'Alene country with the excursion. While there he will see that the heralds and advertising matter are properly distributed.

The Spokane Elks will have to look well to themselves if they expect all the honors in the great parade they are planning. John Cassidy, formerly of this city, but now conducting a theater at Rossland, has written to Manager Bolster that the Rossland Elks will send down a float for the parade that will out-do anything that the Spokane lodge will have in line—and when the Rossland Elks go after anything they usually get it. It will be remembered that the team from Rossland won the big cake in the cakewalk at the exposition last year.

The management of the exposition has received a letter from Perry Van Horn, manager of the Canton band, which is to play at the exposition, stating that he is negotiating with Leo Zimmerman, the world's greatest trombone player, and that he may bring this player with him when the band comes to Spokane. Zimmerman was formerly with the Grand Army band but is now playing with the Innis band in Atlanta City.—Spokane Chronicle.

SIMILKAMEEN PROPERTIES,

Reported Purchase by Marcus Daly of Anaconda Fame.

J. F. Bledsoe, superintendent of the Fairview Corporation's mining properties, is the authority for the statement that agents of Marcus Daly have been purchasing heavily in the Smilkameen. Mr. Bledsoe says:

"Two mining engineers urged me recently to keep a secret in connection with their identity until they consummated certain deals. Their business has been done and their mission is a secret no longer. The mining engineers were agents of Marcus Daly, who sold the Anaconda mines recently for $19,000,000, and who has been looking for another Anaconda mine. These men represented themselves as miners looking about for cheap copper-gold claims. They took different routes, and in two weeks had bought every copper claim in the Okanagan country, comparatively for a song. Among the purchases was Copper Mountain, in Smilkameen county, a vast quarry of copper-gold ore, and it is the intention of Mr. Daly to carry on operations there on his usual gigantic scale. Since the news leaked out an army of prospectors have spread over the district, and the recorder finds great difficulty in accommodating prospectors registering new finds."

BLAZE AT FORT STEELE.

Hotel International and Other Buildings were Destroyed Friday Morning.

About 9 o'clock Friday morning fire broke out in the Hotel International, Fort Steele, which was totally destroyed together with the store of T. Armstrong, the Dominion express office and the dwelling of P. Lunter, besides badly damaging several buildings on the opposite side of the street. The loss is estimated at $15,000 to $28,000. The largest loser is G. Shier, of the Hotel International, whose loss is $8,000, insurance $3,000; Armstrong, $1,000, insurance $700; Klingsmith, $1,600, insurance $400; W. M. Stewart, $1,500, no insurance. Other losses small amounts. All the insurance is in the Imperial, Montreal and Canadian, Winnipeg. Heroic efforts of the fire department saved the business portion of the town.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Meeting of the Counil Held Friday Evening—Business Transacted.

The council of the board of trade met in Rendell's hall on Saturday evening. The admission fee was fixed at $10 and quarterly dues of $2.20 will be leaied. The secretary's salary was fixed at $25 per month. A committee was appointed to draft constitution and by-laws. The question of collecting ores for the Spokane fruit fair was discussed and the committee having the matter in charge was authorized to make collections. The question of advertising the city and district was referred to a committee.

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FIRE FIENDS' TRIAL.

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Witnesses—Eclipses Anything in the Criminal Annals of This or Any Other Province—Men in High Position are Implicated and are Said to Have Left the Country.

So startling were the rumors connected with the arrests of certain individuals charged with arson that most newspaders refrained from publishing anything more than briefest reports. Cameron and Mullen, the men placed under arrest, came up for trial at Columbia on Saturday before Justices of the Peace Rouchesson of Cascade, and Forrest of Gladstone. J. P. McLeod of Midway, appeared for the crown, and Messrs. Morrison and Miller of Grand Forks, represented the prisoners. The evidence was of the most startling nature. The incidents leading up to the arrests are more exciting than any found in the sensational detective stories of the day. Early in July the Clarendon and International hotels in Greenwood were destroyed by fire. E. Escalet who ran a first-class restaurant in the Clarendon, and D. W. Morgan, the proprietor of the Clarendon, then reopened the Hotel Columbia in Columbia. The hotel was running only a week when it was destroyed by fire and some of the guests had narrow escapes. A short time afterwards the Pacific and Windsor hotels in Greenwood were destroyed. In all cases there were strong suspicions that the fires were of incendiary origin. This was particularly true of the Hotel Columbia. The Columbia Townsite company, who owned the building, were ffrst of the opinion that it was useless attempting to do anything, but they were afterwards induced to engage Pinkerton detectives. The detectives started at first on a wrong clue. Then Royce, one of the witnesses for the crown, told the story of the conspiracy to one of the losers by the fire in Greenwood. The detectives soon had Robert Cameron arrested for having set the Hotel Columbia on fire and Chas. Mullen, for conspiracy. in connection therewith.

It may be here stated that while clearing away the debris on the Pacific hotel last week, the instrument used in setting the building was found. It consisted of a piece of wire, around one end of which was wound a ball of twine. This was saturated with coal oil. The odor of oil was very strong, even after lying in the ruins for four weeks.

Now for the evidence and the persons implicated. The first was Royce. He was a bartender in Greenwood and went to Grand Forks. He was hard up. He ran across Chas. Mullen whom he knew in Rossland and elsewhere. In his evidence Royce stated that Mullen had said to him: "You're in hard luck. I know a way you can make a few hundred dollars—by burning the Hotel Columbia. I am under obligations to John Manly, manager of the Yale hotel. Perhaps you are desperate enough to do it." Royce talked with Cameron about the matter and decided to try and get hold of the money without doing the job. On Friday before the fire, Mullen procured a fuse and a gallon of alcohol and left them behind the clerk's desk in the Yale. At 7 p. m., the same day' Royce asked Mullen for the money. Mullen went over to the Victoria hotel and came back with $130, which Royce took and afterwards returned, promising that the job would be done that night. Mullen said that by the time it was done he would have the full amount, $250. Royce took the fuse and alcohol from behind the clerk's desk. The only person present at the time was John Manly.

Royce and Cameron hired a team and drove to the woods a mile above Columbia. They experimented with the fuse and found it would not work. Royce threw the fuse away and returned to Grand Forks. Royce saw Mullen and told him the thing was impossible—the building was full of people. Mullen said a room should be saturated with alcohol and a short lighted candle left to burn low. Saturday Royce and Cameron demanded $500. Mullen said his principals would stand only $250. Royce told the whole circumstances to John Watson, bartender at the Yale, and left Grand Forks Saturday before the fire. Watson, the bartender referred to, gave evidence, and corroborated the statements Royce, and also stated that in the morning Cameron was broke. In the afternoon Cameron, John Manly and Mullen were at the bar. Cameron treated and produced a roll of bills.

Cameron, one of the accused, has made a statement in writing. In the statement he says he met Mullen after Royce left. Mullen hired him to do the job. Cameron arranged with a third party to do the actual burning and on Sunday night the work was done. On Tuesday following Mullen paid him $200 for the work. Cameron gave half of this to his accomplice. He stated that the money displayed in the Yale hotel bar room was the money paid him by Mullen.

Escalet gave evidence to the effect that a day or two before the fire Mullen had told him that he was a fool to start in Columbia and threatened that he would leave it in his bare feet.

The trial was adjourned until Friday. John A. Manly has left Grand Forks and is on the other side.

The Provincial Gazette.

The official Gazette of last week contains notice of the following provincial appointments, Donald J. McDonald, of Kamloops, to be justice of the peace. James W. Cross, M. D., of Revelstoke, to be coroner for the province. Charles Husband, of Halcyon Hot Springs, and and John D. Boyd, of Boyd Landing, Big Bend, to be justices of the peace. Frederic A. Meyer, of Vernon, to be justice of the peace. Sydney A. Roberts, A. S. Going and J. H. McGregor, to be members of the board of examiners under the provisions of the provincial land surveyor act.

Joseph W. Burr, of Ashcroft, government agent, to be assistant commissioner of lands and works for the Yale land recording division. Lewis Thompson, of Moyie, to be a notary public. Henry Seton Tower Henderson, of Victoria, to be a clerk in the provincial secretary's department, vice E. A. Carew-Gibson resigned. The lieutenant-governor has accepted the resignation of Thomas F. Pirie, of Galena, as justice of the peace.

Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol delivery will be held as follows: Clinton, 21st September; Richfield, 26th September; Nanaimo, 27th September; Victoria, 4th October; Vancouver, 10th October; New Westminister, 17th October; Kamloops, 17th October; Nelson, 17th October; Vernon, 24th October; Donald, 31st October.

A special sitting of the supreme ceurt will be held at Nelson on October 24th. After the disposition of such cases a sitting at Rossland will be fixed by the judge holding assizes at Nelson, upon application being made to him.

The Montana Gold Mining company of Spokane, is registered as an extra provincial company; capital, $1,000,000; local office, Trail; E. S. Topping, agent. The following companies are incorporated: The British Columbia Printing and Engraving Corporation of Vancouver, capital $100,000; Iron Colt Mines of Rossland, capital $1,000,000; Wynkoop-Stephens Trading company of Phoenix, capital $20,000; Monday mine (reincorporated) of Rossland, capital $1,250,000.

Courts of revision of the register of voters are announced to be held as follows: For Nanaimo City, north Nanaimo and south Nanaimo, electorial districts at Nanaimo on November 6th. For New Westminister city electorial district and Dewdney, Richmond and Delta Ridings of Wesminister district at New Westminister on November 6th. For Chilliwack riding at Chilliwack on November 6th. For Victoria City and Esquimalt districts at Victoria on November 6th.

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Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

IVA LENORA Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Smith's camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for the British Canadian Gold Fields Exploration, Development and Investment Company, Limited, (Foreign), Free Miner's Certificate No. 2619A, 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 30th day of June, 1899.

I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

CITY VIEW Mineral Claim, situated in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: In Skylark camd.

TAKE NOTICE that I, E. A. Bielenberg, free miner's certificate No. 25867 A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 12th day of August, 1899. 26-7

STRAYED.

From Phœnix, B. C., about 4th August, two saddle horses, one a bay, branded € on right shoulder, and the other a sorrel, branded ₹ on right shoulder. A suitable reward will be paid to any person leaving information at the Pioneer hotel, Greenwood, that will lead to their recovery. J. A. MUNSON.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership subsisting between us, the undersigned, as brokers and general agents in the City of Greenwood in the Province of British Columbia, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Arthur Mowat at the City of Greenwood aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Arthur Mowat, by whom the same will be settled. The business of the firm of Mowat & Palmer will be hereafter conducted by Arthur Mowat.

ARTHUR MOWAT
ROBERT H. PALME R

Witness: P. P. SHARPE.

Dated at Greenwood, B. C., this 21st day of July, A. D. 1899.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned William C. McDougall will apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works, for the District of Osoyoos in the County of Yale, thirty days after publication of this notice, for a license to prospect for Coal on the following land: Initial post of Red Bluff Coal deposit, consisting of four hundred and sixty acres, commencing with the Initial post, thence North sixty chains, thence West eighty chains, thence South sixty chains, thence East eighty chains to point of commencement. W. C. McDOUGALL.

Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

LEVELLAH Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Issac H. Hallett as agent for the British Canadian Gold Fields, Exploration, Development and Investment company, Limited, (Foreign), Free Miner's Certificate No. 2619A, 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.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1899.

I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

COPPER FARM Mineral claim situate in the Similkameen Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Copper Mountain adjoining the Vancouver mineral claim on the West.

TAKE NOTICE that I, F. W. Groves, acting as agent for Charles Saunders, free miner's certificate No. 19071A, 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 6th day of July, 1899.

F. W. GROVES.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements
NOTICE.

TIMER FRACTION mineral claim, situate in Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood camp immediately west of and adjoining the New York mineral claim, Crown Granted.

TAKE NOTICE that I Prescott Campbell McArthur, Free Miner's certificate No. 19237A, intend, sixty days from the date thereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 13th day of July, 1899.

Mineral Act, 1886.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

FALCON Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Atwood camp lying south easterly of and adjoining the Rob Roy mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Mary Garland, Free Miner's Certificate No. 19632A, 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 6th day of July, 1889.

I. H. HALLETT.

Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

GARFIELD Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Geo. W. Rumberger, Free Miner's Certificate No. B6450, as agent for myself and Richard T. Daniels, Free Miner's Certificate No, B15075, Thomas Stack, Free Miner's Certificate No. 33678A and Christepher McDonald, Free Miner's Certificate No. 12524A, 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 to 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 19th day of July, 1899.

G. W. RUMBERGER.

In The Matter of The Kootenay Development Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named company are required on or before the 30th day of September, 1899, to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors [if any] to Arthur Thomas Kennedy of 22 Fenchurch Street in the city of London the Liquidator of the said company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from any benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

EARNEST H. SAUNDERS,
63 and 64 New Bond Street,
London, E. c. (England.)
Solicitor for the said Liquidator.

Dated this 24th day of July, 1899.

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Leaves Penticton at 7 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays for Camp McKinney, Rock Creek, Midway, Anaconda, Greenwood, Carson and Grand Forks.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

RED ROCK mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for George R. Naden, free miner's certificate No. 14357 A, J. C. Haas, free miner's certificate No. 18340 A, and the British America Development Company, limited, (foreign), free miner's certificate No. 41458 A, intend, sixty days from the date dereof, 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 17th day of June, 1899. 24-6

ISAAC H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improuements.
NOTICE.

GREY EAGLE mineral claim, situate in the Bettle River Mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Greenwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John F. Hemenway, as agent for Jay P. Graves, free miner's certificate No. 14296 A, and John Stevens, free miner's certificate No. 18254 A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 12th day of June, 1899. 24-6

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

PIONEER and REVENUE Mineral Claims, situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Deadwood Camp, ½ mile west of the Morrison mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Howard Macfarlane, free miner's certificate No. 19,622A, 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 the 9th day of June, 1899.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

HERBERT SPENCER Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located—in Deadwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Fred K. McMann, Free Miners Certificate No. 18414A, 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 to the above claim

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

Dated this 13th day of June, 1899

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF I PROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

FLORENCE Fractional Mineral Claim situate in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Deadwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Howard Macfarlane, free Miner's certificate No. 19,622A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpore of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action under Section 37 murt be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated the 23rd day of June, 1899.

Mineral Act 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

ETHIOPIA Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale district. Where located: In Long Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for the British Canadian Gold Fields Exploration, Development and Investment Company, Limited, (Foreign), Free Miner's Certificate No. 2619A, 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 commented before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1899.

I. H. HALLETT.

Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

YUCON Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Long Lake camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Nichols Garland, Free Miner's Certificate No. 19661A, 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 13th day of July, 1899.

I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

WREN mineral claim situate in the Kettle River Mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Wellington camp.

TAKE notice that I, Robert Denzler, Free Miner's Certeficate No. 19074A intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 4th day of August, 1899.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

HELEN H. GARDNER mineral claim, situate in the Similkameen Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Copper Mountain, adjoining the Sunset mineral claim on the South.

TAKE NOTICE that I, F. W. Groves acting as agent for Jessey F. Miller, Free Miner's certificate No. 14359A and R. Stevenson Free Miners certificate No. 38596, 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 to 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 6th day of July, 1899.

F. W. GROVES.

License Authorizing an Extra-Provincial Company to Carry on Business.

"COMPANIES' ACT, 1897."

CANADA
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
No. 156.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the "Jewel Gold Mines, Limited," is authorized and licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and 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 at 15, Philpot Lane, London, England.

The amount of the capital of the Company is £80,000, divided into 80,000 shares of £1 each.

The head office of this Company in this Province is situate in Rossland, and Gilbert Mahon, agent for the Company, whose address is Rossland aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The objects for which the Company has been established are:—

(1.) To purchase, take on lease, or otherwise acquire any mines, mining rights and metalliferous land in British Columbia or elsewhere, and any interest therein, or to acquire any options to purchase the same or any interest therein, and to explore, work, exercise, develop, and turn to account the same, and in connection therewith to enter into and carry into effect, with or without modification, the agreement referred to in clause 3 of the Articles of Association of this Company:

(2.) To search for, prospect, examine and explore mines and ground supposed to contain minerals or precious stones and to obtain information in regard to the same:

(3.) To search for, crush, win, get, quarry, calcine, reduce, amalganiate, dress, refine, manipulate and prepare for market, auriferous quartz and ore, and other mineral substances (whether auriferous or not) and precious stones, and generally to carry on any metallurgical operations which may seem conducive to any of the Company's objects, and to buy, sell and deal in bullion, specie, coin and precious metals:

(4.) To buy, sell, manufacture and deal in plant, machinery, implements, conveniences, provisions, articles and things capable of being used in connection with metallurgical operations or required by workmen and others employed by the Company:

(5.) To carry on all kinds of promotion business, and in particular form, constitute and promote companies, syndicates or associations with objebts similar or akin to the objects or some of the objects of the Company, and to take or otherwise acquire, hold, deal in, traffic with or underwrite any shares in the capital or any debentures, debenture stock or other interests of or in such companies, syndicates or associations:

(6.) To carry on business as financiers and concessionaries, and as underwriters of shares and securities of companies:

(7.) Generally to undertake and carry out all such business and operations (except the issuing of policies of assurance upon human life) as may be legally underteken by an individual capitalist:

(8.) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business property and liabilties of any person or company carrying on any business which this Company is authorized to carry on or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of the Company:

(9.) To construct, carry out, maintain, improve, manage, work, control and superintend any roads, ways, tramways, branches or sidings, bridges, reservoirs, canals, docks, wharves, water-course, hydraulic works, gas works, electric works, factories, warehouses and other works and conveniences, which may seem directly or indirectly conducive to any of the Company's objects, and to contribute to, subsidize or otherwise assist or take part in any such operations:

(10.) To enter into any agreement with any Government or authorities, supreme, municipal, local or otherwise, and to obtain from any such government or authority all rights, concessions and privileges that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them:

(11.) To enter into partnership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, joint adventure, reciprocal concessions or co-operation with any person or company carrying on, or engaged in, or about to carry on or engage in, any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of, and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee or otherwise deal with such shares or securities:

(12.) Generally to purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights or privileges which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects, or capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being, and in particular, any land, buildings, easements, licenses, patents, ships, barges, rolling stock, and stock-in-trade:

(13.) To sell the undertaking of the Company, or any part thereof, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company:

(14.) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required, upon such securities, and in such manner as may from time to time be determined:

(15.) To lend money to such persons and on such terms as may seem expedient, and in particular to customers of and persons having dealings with the Company, and to guarantee the performance of contracts by members of, or persons having dealings with the Company:

(16.) To raise or borrow or secure the payment of money in such manner and on such terms as may seem expedient, and particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, whether perpetual or otherwise, and charged or not charged upon the whole or any part of the property of the Company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital:

(17.) To draw, accept, indorse, discount, execute and issue bills of exchange, promissory notes, debentures, bills of lading, and other negotiable or transferable instruments or securities:

(18.) To remunerate any parties for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business:

(19.) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees, contractors, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and either by or through agents, sub contractors, trustees or otherwise:

(20.) To distribute any of the assets of the Company in specie among the members, or any class of members, or any individual members of the Company;

(21.) To procure the Company to be registered or recognized in British Columbia or elsewhere abroad:

(22.) To sell, improve, manage, develop exchange, enfranchise, lease, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company:

(23.) To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, and so that the word "Company," "Syndicate," or "Association," in this clause shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and the intention is that the objects specified in each paragraph of this clause, shall, unless otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be in nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 1st day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. S. Y. WOOTTON,
(L.S.) Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the board of license commissioners of the City of Greenwood at their first meeting after the expiration of thirty days, for a license to sell liquor by retail on the premises known as the Log Cabin Hotel, situate on Government street, near the city limits. J. J. MILLER.

Greenwood, July 22, 1899.

SURFACE RIGHTS.

CROWN GRANTS HAVE BEEN ISSUED

H. C. Shaw's Mission to the Capital—The Question of Surface Rights of Mineral Claims Decided—Other Matters Relating to the District.

H. C. Shaw, of the firm of Hallett & Shaw, returned last Friday after spending four weeks on the coast. Mr. Shaw went to the capital in connection with several matters in which his clients were interested. He interviewed members of the government who granted many of his requests. The most important question Mr. Shaw had to deal with was the issuing of crown grants for surface rights of mineral claims. The government held that it had not the power to grant crown grants for surface rights within the railway reserve, made in connection with act giving 20,000 acres of land per mile for the construction of a railway between Robson and Penticton. It will be remembered that this reserve was placed on all unoccupied land between Keremeos and Robson some two years ago. Although the Canadian Pacific Railway company had decided to take the cash subsidy in lieu of land grant, and although the time in which the railway had to be constructed in order to earn the land grant has expired, the reserve remains. It is stated that the reason for this is to give the Canadian Pacific Railway company an opportunity to pick and choose in this vast area such lands as were earned by reason of the construction of the railway between Rossland and Trail.

Mr. Shaw combatted the position taken by the government and they finally agreed to issue crown grants for surface rights of mineral claims located prior to the reserve. Then came the question of surface rights of mineral claims located subsequent to the reserve. Mr. Shaw held that the railway company had no vested right in the land until they had actually made their selection. The government finally agreed to this view and decided to issue crown grants for all claims, at a rate of $5 per acre.

Mr. Shaw urged upon the government the necessity for the appointment of county and supreme court registrars in the city. The government appreciated the fact that such offices must be created within a very short time, but action will be deferred until Hon. Mr. Cotton visits the district and decides upon the most suitable point.

The government, at Mr. Shaw's request, also decided to give the mining recorder at Midway the powers of gold commissioner, thus obviating trips to Fairview, when it is necessary to transact business with that officer. The government also decided that Gold Commissioner Lambley should come here to adjudicate upon the contested applications for water records.

Mr. Shaw also interviewed the government about the construction of a school building in the city. They promised to push the construction of the two-roomed building already under way. This building can be easily enlarged to a four-roomed building.

Mr. Shaw did not care to discuss the political situation. He was asked about Joe Martin: 'He is quite well, thank you," was the laughing reply and the Times' representative withdrew.

Mr. Macpherson Disclaims.

The following strong disclaimer by Mr. Macpherson, M. P. P., of the sentiments attributed to him in a "Colonist" interview, on Sunday, appears in this morning's News-Advertiser:

Sir—Some time ago, the dispatches sent from Vancouver to several eastern Canadian newspapers were so characterized by falsehood and exaggeration, that even the Colonist, which can do quite a little in that line itself, thought it necessary to write an editorial on the subject. In the course of the editorial, the representative of the eastern papers was somewhat severely handled, and spoken of as a "mendacious liar," and so on. The appropriateness of the description struck everybody, and, when it became known that the Colonist, all unwittingly, had been describing its own representative, men adhered more tenaciously than ever to the opinion that the description was an accurate one; that the editor, for once, at any rate, had struck the nail on the head.

The above episode was strikingly recalled to my mind, today, when I saw Sunday's Colonist, containing what purports to be an interview with me. I did not know the "mendacious liar," before, in the flesh. I know him now, and I think I shall probably keep him at a distance from me, in future. For wilful misrepresentation in nearly every particular, I would be willing to back that interview against anything of the kind I ever saw before. Things I did say, and attached importance to, are not reported at all; things reported, in nearly every case, are not as I said them. But I am told that this was only what was to be expected from the Colonist, especially in its present position, for the party to whom I am indebted for Sunday's issue tells me the paper has been full of editorials, lately, based on information sent from the same authoritive and reliable source, as to some "caucus" meeting held a short time ago in Vancouver, at which it was said I was present. Here, again, the representative is living up to his reputation, for, if there was such a meeting (which I doubt), I knew nothing whatever about it, and I was certainly not at it.

As the Colonist appears to be anxious to know how I stand in regard to the present government, I will tell it. My position is exceedingly simple. If the government makes any attempt to repeal the eight-hour or alien labor legislation, of last session, I shall oppose them. If they leave that legislation alone, and introduce further legislation, which I can approve, I shall support them. That position may not suit the Colonist, but I think it will suit the vast majority of my constituents. The Colonist should know that we fought too many years in this province to rid it of the government (largely in their own interests), of a small Victoria oligarchy, for us now to take any measures to get that oligarchy quickly back into power again. Yours, etc.,

ROBT. MACPHERSON, M. P. P.

Vancouver, August 28, 1899.

New Mail Service.

The new mail service betweeen the Dominion and this country is useful in other respects than the carriage of mail matter. While for the present the rate of speed is not equal to that of the fastest of the "ocean greyhounds" the vessels employed are of a speedy, serviceoble, seaworthy and particularly comfortable class. It is for many reasons right that Canada should have a mail service distinctly her own, and that Bristol has been made the terminal point will clearly mark out the Royal Canadian mail route from the other trans-atlantic services sailing from Suthampton, London, Liverpool, Glasgow and Hull. As a passenger service the new mail line is certain to increase in popularity and prestige. It has a reputation for catering well for its passengers, and the second-class arrangements are just what are required to meet the wants of the most desirable class of emigrants. The second-class passengers are berthed in two, three or four-roomed cabins, have a liberal dietary and the use of all the conveniences possible on board ship. The fare is only £6, or one pound more than that for a steerage passage.

To trans-atlantic visitors returning home there is much to commend Bristol as a point of departure. Within easy radius are many places well worth visiting. Bristol itself is one of the most interesting of English historic towns, and passengers desiring the pleasantest of surroundings may await departure at Clifton, one of the most beautiful spots in England.

As an instance of the importance of having a distinctive mail service, attention may be called to the colony of Queensland. About twenty years ago the government of Queensland determined to have a mail service of its own. At that time the mails were carried by the P. & O. and Orient services by way of the Suez Canal, and the Sydney, New Zeland, San Francisco and New York mail route. The Queensland government, in spite of great opposition, entered into a contract for eight years with the British India company for a four-weekly line of first-class steamers to Queensland ports, with its terminus in Brisbane. As a mail route the new service was much slower than the others, but the effect on Queensland was very marked. It was as an emigrant service, however, that the British India line to Queensland proved most valuable, and it is probable that it is in this respect the Elder-Dempster line from Bristol will be principally valuable to Canada.—B. C. Review.

Grand Forks View.

The Mother Lode smelter did not go to Midway but it did go to Greenwood. It is no use to discuss whys and wherefores at this juncture, Greenwood gets the smelter and she deserves it through her pluck and enterprise. The Midway people are altogether too slow to trot in the same class with the Greenwood people. They were afraid the smelter fumes would injure their beans, peas and roasting ear patches. The Greenwood people evidently do not object to a little smelter smoke, for the new plant is to be almost right in town, the site chosen being between Greenwood and the surburban hamlet of Anaconda.—Miner.

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C. S. MORRIS,

Columbia, July 5th, 1899. Applicant

THE LELAND LEASED.

POWELL'S HOTEL WILL BE OPENED

By J. P. Armstrong, of Spokane, a First-Class Hotel Man—Keough's Hotel to be Opened by Mr. McLellan, of Trail—New Hotels Under Construction—Other Buildings.

Greenwood is forging ahead these days. Contractor Smith and all other contractors in the city are searching for carpenters and are unable to secure all the men wanted to construct the numerous buildings that are wanted in a hurry. Hotels and other business houses are being erected. Madden & Co. are erecting a two story hotel on their old site. They expect to have it completed by October 1st. Men are at work excavating for Graham & Parry's big three-story hotel. W. S. Fletcher's block has been started. It will contain a large hall that can be used for a theatre or music hall. Other buildings are also being constructed.

Two big hotels built during the summer were leased this week. J. W. Powell's fiest-class hotel has been leased by J. P. Armstrong of Spokane. Mr. Armstrong is one of the most popular and efficient hotel men in the west. He closed the lease on Tuesday and left immediately for Toronto, accompanied by Mrs. Armstrong. They will there purchase the furniture necessary to furnish the big hotel. Mr. Armstrong expects to have the Leland running within 50 days.

Mr. McLellan, the well known hotel man of Trail, has leased John Keough's three-story hotel on Government street. He will have the place furnished as quickly as possible.

CASCADE WATER POWER CO.

A Big Undertaking Which is to Commence Work at Once.

Superintendent William Anderson, of the Cascade Water, Power and Light company, owning the power on the Kettle river, at Cascade City, has received orders by cable from the head office in London to let a contract at once for clearing the right of way for the pole line from Phoenix, in Greenwood camp, to Cascade, a distance of about 25 miles. A large part of the distance is open country, but about five miles is quite heavily timbered. He has now called for tenders to clear this.

Mr. Anderson has also been arranging to begin work at once on the several parts of the big plant to be put in for utilizing the energy of the Cascades. This will include finishing the 300-foot dam, work on which was started last fall, building the flume, 600 feet of which is to be a tunnel through solid rock, building the power house and putting in the pole line. The latter will cost about $3,000 per mile, and the expenditures will amount to many thousands of dollars. Plans have been prepared and builders are figuring on a residence for the use of Mr. Anderson and his family. Foreman Simmons, who has been spending his vacation at Bracebridge, Ont., has been telegraphed for, and it is apparent that the several parts of the work will soon be in full blast. It is understood that the 6,000-horse power being developed here is all, or nearly all, spoken for by the Boundary mines, which are now being fast developed. The near approach to completion of the Robson-Penticton branch of the Columbia & Western railway is stimulating development in no small degree, as owners of promising properties know they can then get their ores to market quickly and inexpensively.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

David Condon Meets His Death in the Vancouver Mine.

David Condon was instantly killed at the Vancouver mine, in Kimberly camp, on Saturday last. Condon and W. Robinson were sinking the shaft on the Vancouver, which is owned by J. W. Nelson and James Sutherland. He had been working in the bottom of the shaft, 35 feet from the surface and had ignited the fuse for a round of shots. He ascended the ladder to the top and missed the last round. He fell backwards to the bottom just before the shots went off. It is supposed that the deceased was killed by the fall. Provincial Police Officer Cunningham went up to make inquiries into the fatal accident. No inquest was held and the remains were interred in the Greenwood cemetery. David Condon was a native of Iowa and about 40 years of age. He had no relatives in this country.

Mrs. Geo. McKague left on Tuesday for Vernon where she will spend some time with relatives.

GREENWOOD AND DISTRICT.

L. Cousins, of Camp McKinney, was in the city this week.

Ross Thompson of Rossland was in the city this week.

Geo. R. Naden is away to Keremeos where he has heavy property interests.

J. B. Donald, of the Columbia Telephone company, was in the city this week.

John McCafferty, the well known mining man, returned from Keremeos this week.

A meeting of the Greenwood board of trade is to be held in Rendell hall, this (Friday) evening.

H. T. Wilgress returned on Thursday from Rossland where he met Geo. McL. Brown and other C. P. R. magnates.

J. P. McLeod, of Midway, was in the city on Thursday, en route to Columbia where he is representing the crown in the arson trial.

R. Roberts, the Rossland mining engineer, left for the West Fork country this week to develop a property in which he is interested.

J. P. McIntyre, representing the Gordon company, limited, wholesale clotheirs of Vancouver, paid the city a business visit this week.

The Kitty W. Gold Mining company, with a capital of $100,000, and the Josie Copper company, with a capital of $100,000, have been incorporated. Both have their head office in Grand Forks.

The firemen gave a ball in George's new block on Monday evening. There was a large attendance. The Greenwood fire department band gave a pleasing concert before the dancing began.

Owing to the prolonged rains the directors of the Kamloops Agricultural association have decided to postpone the exhibition until October 11, 12 and 12. The original dates were Sept. 20, 21 and 22.

A Sutton, of Victoria, spent several days in the city this week. Mr. Sutton was for some time geological professor in the Michigan state college. He examined some Camp McKinney properties for Victoria parties.

Several business men who failed to take out their license for the current term were up before Police Magistrate Hallett this week. They all paid the costs of the case and were instructed to pay the licenses without delay.

A. K. Stuart, collector of inland revenue, has resigned his position. The office will be taken by Hugh McCutcheon, who is now stationed at Naksup. It is understood that Mr. McCutcheon will also be made a customs officer.

Ralph Smailes returned on Tuesday from Winnipeg. He purchased the most modern heating plant for the Rendell block. Mr. Smailes was astonished to find that the city council had been kind enough to give the block an elevation during his absence.

C. E. Dickenson, representing R. R. Rikett & Co., and Tudor A. Fiedmann, left on Tuesday for Grand Forks after spending several days in the city. They succeeded in straightening out all difficulties connected with the policies on buildings recently destroyed by fire.

J. D. Sword, agent for the James Cooper Manufacturing company of Montreal, was in the city for several days last week. Mr. Sword is always around where big plants are required and it is reported that he was negotiating to secure the contract for installing the Mother Lode smelter plant.

Keith & Ketchum, the city collector's office, was crowded during the latter days of last week. Many of the taxpayers availed themselves of the rebate allowed to August 31, and paid their taxes before that date. Mr. Ketchum reports that over $7,000 has already been paid, which is over 50 per cent. of the total taxes.

It was reported here yesterday that John A. Manly had returned to Grand Forks. From Cameron's confession it is learned that his accomplice, and the individual who started the Columbia hotel fire, was a young man named Stubbs who lived in Greenwood last winter. Stubbs was ordered to leave the city by the local police.

Already the committee in charge have commenced the work of collecting ores for the Spokane Fruit Fair. Their work is materially aided by mine-owners sending in choice specimens from their mines. Among the first specimens sent to the committee is a choice block of ore from the Sunset mine. This specimen is a rich piece of gold-copper ore taken from a big ledge. The specimen looks well, has good values and is a valuable contribution to the Boundary Creek district.

To Be Cold in Bed

Is one of the meanest things we know of, barring the disposition of some people for digging holes at the public expense. To awake up in the night time and find your bed clothing too scant, and no extra ones around to help you out, is a very unenviable position.

No Need, However, to Freeze.

We have on hand the largest stock of Blankets and Comforters in the district, at prices to suit the size of any pile. We bought them before the rise and are selling them at rock-bottom prices. If we had half as much

Money to Squander

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RENDELL & CO.

H. N. Boss, of Beaverton, was in the city this week.

W. Lenine, who is superintending the work on the Carmi, was in the city this week.

T. Lillie, a Nelson boot and shoe merchant, was in the city this week sizing up the situation with a view to engaging in business here.

The Corbin telegraph line has been completed to Curlew creek and will reach Greenwood in about ten days. As soon as the the wires are strung the company will be ready to transmit messages to all points.

J. C. Haas has succeeded in floating a company to acquire the Golconda group. Rufus Pope, M. P., is at the head of the concern. As the Golconda group is among the most promising in the district, and Mr. Pope has already shown his ability to float successfuly companies to develop Boundary Creek properties, the new organization is sure to succeed.

Business Changes.

The Clarendon Hotel company has purchased the lease held by M. E. Frazee, on the store adjoining the hotel. This store will turned into a first class restaurant. Men are already at work raising both buildings to street grade.

Mr. Frazee has leased the corner store in Robert Wood's new block, at the corner of Deadwood and Government streets. He intends continuing in the bakery business, and the large basement underneath the store will be fitted with the best modern bake ovans.

The Teller.

A charming story by the author of "David Harum" has reached us this week. An unusual subject for romance, the hero, a "Bank Teller," falls in love with the daughter of one of the directors, and the plot deals with the difficulties and complications which ensue in an interesting and admirable manner. The story is published by the Poole Printing company, limited, Toronto, and is for sale by all newsdealers at the low price of 15 cents, or will be sent postpaid by the publishers on receipt of price.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending September 6, 1899.

August 30.

Sunside, Kimberly camp, Joe Clemons.
Hilltop, Kimberly camp, Joe Clemons.

August 31.

Porto Rico, Myer's creek, Ed. McMynn.
International, Myer's creek, Ed McMynn.
Hamilton, Skylark camp, A. A. McIntosh.
Big Bend, Skylark camp, Geo. R. Naden.
Morena, fractional, Skylark camp, E. F. Mortimer.
Gem, Skylark camp, I. H. Hallett.
Joker, fractional, Greenwood camp, N. F. Lane.

September 1.

Free Gold, Cedar creek, John Bernman.
Honolulu, fractional, Copper camp, I. Mackon.
Mountain View, Long Lake, J. T. Busters.
Summit, Long Lake, J. T. Busters.
Belle of Lancashire, Skylark camp, J. Gillan.
Monte Cristo, Kimberly camp, B. Craddock.
Tryon, Sultan camp, F. Hughes.
Lordship, Copper creek, L. Quellette.
Couchaser and Hungry, Copper creek, F. M. Kerby.

September 4.

Copper Queen, Copper creek, W. Conkle.
Copper King, Copper creek, J. P. Anderson.

September 5.

No. 1, Kimberly camp, E. Archer.

Certificates of Work.

August 31.

Leghorn, C. Scott Galloway.
Dinner Bucket, J. Kloman.

September 1

Picadilly, E. A. Bielenberg.

September 4

Leap Year, S. Johnson.

September 5

Gladstone, Big Bend, Geo R. Naden et al.
Morena, fractional, E. H. Mortimer.
Gem, I. H. Hallett.

Transfers.

August 31.

Little Widow, ½ interest, F. Hughes to Ida G. Thompson.

September 4

Coos, all interest, J. A. Dalander to E. F. Bash.
Tam O'Shanter, ⅙ interest; Golden Fleece, 1-6 interest; Blue Belle, fractional, ⅙ interest; Dixie, fractional, 1-6 interest; Marguerite, fractional, 1-6 interest; D. W. McVicar to H. E. Macdonell.

Deepest Shaft in Canada.

The Le Roi mine is about to enter an era of the most extensive development work in its history. The plant is to be largely increased and 2,500-foot shaft started. The management of the Le Roi has notified the representatives of the various machinery manufacturers that tenders will be received forthwith for a complete new power plant, with capacity of 60 drills, to be installed as soon as possible. This move on the part of the Le Roi people means that the development of the mine along the lines proposed by Superintendent Carlyle and accepted by the directors will begin without much delay. The new plan provides for a vertical shaft 2,500 feet deep. This shaft, which will cut the main vein at a depth of about 1,000 feet, will be the largest and deepest shaft in Canada. The present air compressor on the mine provides air for 40 drills. It will be seen that, with the installation of the new plant, a large increase in the working force of the mine will be rendered necessary, and a considerable increase in the output of ore is to be looked for.

PRESCRIPTIONS

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