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A LONG CONTEST ENDED

Mines and Smelters of Yale Are Sure of Cheap Power.

Through the acquisition by the shareholders of the W. K. P. & L. Co. of all the shares and the charter of the South Kootenay Water Power Co. the W. K. P. & L. Co. have been enabled to so arrange matters that they can now lawfully supply power and light and transact all necessary business in the district of Yale. It will be remembered that at the last session of the legislature the W. K. P. & L. Co. applied for an amendment to their charter so as to enable them to supply power and light in the Yale district. This application was defeated through the intervention of the Cascade Water Power company, which company alleged that it had vested interests amounting to a monopoly in Yale district. Shortly after the closing of the last session of the legislature the West Kootenay company entered into negotiations for the purchase of the rights of the South Kootenay Water Power company, which was incorporated in 1897 by Lionel H. Webber, at that time of Rossland, and some others. These negotiations have lately been brought to a successful conclusion. The West Kootenay company now control the South Kootenay company. They sell to the South

Kootenay company such power as is necessary for the mines and smelters in the Yale district. The powers of the South Kootenay company are most comprehensive and will enable that company to supply power wherever it may be desired in the Yale district. Much credit is due to L. A. Campbell, the general manager of the West Kootenay Power & Light Co., for thus bringing about a condition under which the mine and smelter owners of Yale district can now rest assured of a permanent and economical supply of power.

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A CORRECTION.

In last week's issue of the Times, reference was made to a letter containing a vote of thanks from the Miners' union to G. R. Naden, for his services in the settlement of labor disputes between the Union and the smelters. By mistake the Times represented this letter as having been received as an acknowledgment of his services in the late labor troubles, when in reality it had reference to the dispute that was amicably settled over a year ago. The Times apologizes for this mistake in dates, and wishes it clearly understood that the responsibility for this slight error rests with the Times alone.

A Jamaican Lady Speaks Highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mrs. Michael Hart, wife of the superintendent of Cart Service at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies Islands, says that she has for some years used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, croup and whooping cough and has found it very beneficial. She has implicit confidence in it and would not be without a bottle of it in her home. Sold by all druggists.

Was Disappointment

Conservative Speakers Fail to Arouse Enthusiasm Friday Night.—Defeat on 2d Feb. Certain

The big guns of the Conservative party have come and gone, and the local magnates of the party are busily engaged figuring up the results. It was a good meeting numerically, a large and representative gathering, in which the ladies prominently figured, turning out to hear the various speakers. The meeting was, on the whole, a quiet one. While there were numerous questions and remarks shot at the occupants of the platform, there was no marked hostility shown to any speaker, nor was there any particular preference displayed, that is, if one could judge by the applause, which at no stage of the meeting could be termed enthusiastic. Greenwood audiences are not prone to enthusiasm anyway. In order to get the reception public speakers so much desire, you have got to "show" them, as the Missourian says. Apparently the Conservative orators and their ally, the Socialist candidate, failed to do this. On the whole the results of the meeting were not of a character that will bring much comfort to the local conservatives.

Dr. J. E. Spankie occupied the chair, and with him on the platform were the three candidates for this riding, as well as Premier McBride and his lieutenant, W. J. Bowser, of Vancouver.

E. G. Warren, Conservative standard bearer, spoke but briefly, not over ten minutes of the twenty that had been assigned to each of the local men. He merely touched on some of the issues, cordially endorsing all of the late government's acts, and requested the electors to support him in his endeavor to continue in office the government of which Mr. McBride was at the head.

G. R. Naden, the Liberal candidate, was next called upon. Mr. Naden went more fully into the issues at stake than his predecessor. He made it clear that the policy of the government had been more destructive than constructive in character. He showed how, by its preference and subservency to the C. P. R., the government had retarded the prosperity and development of Southern B. C., giving the government's treatment of the V., V. & E. and Midway & Vernon as examples.

He spoke briefly of the school act, and cited local examples of the hardships it worked on the taxpayers. In the course of his remarks he asked the Premier some very pertinent questions, of which mention is made in another column, and closed by making an ap-

peal to the electors to assist him in bringing into office a government free from any corporation connections.

Edgar Dynes, the Socialistic candidate, was the next speaker. Apparently the Socialist nominee is utterly unable to enter into a discussion of the questions at issue. His remarks were almost entirely confined to local matters, in which the Boundary Creek Times occupied a prominent place. No defense was made of legislation which was made possible only by the Socialistic vote in the house, and his reception by the audience when he again attempted to drag in the meat scandal, must have convinced even the most hidebound Socialist that this question is considered a chestnut by the intelligent public.

W. J. Bowser next addressed the audience. Mr. Bowser is a fluent talker, but he is handicapped at the present time by a severe cold. His remarks were a repetition of former addresses, and beyond some quick passages at arms with some of the audience, was not of an interesting character.

Premier McBride closed the meeting by a lengthy address lasting well on to midnight. His remarks were closely followed by the large audience, but it was plainly apparent by the entire lack of applause that the great majority of those present were not in sympathy with the policy of the speaker. His explanation of his railway policy was practically the same as given in Nelson and other points. No light was thrown upon the retirement of his chief colleagues, and little or no attempt made to answer the questions framed by the liberal candidate, to whom he paid his respects in the usual election campaign method.

Mr. McBride made strong efforts to create the impression that the Ottawa government was after his political scalp and endeavored to appear as the champion of B. C. against the encroachments of the Dominion government upon provincial rights.

Upon the question of better terms he dwelt at considerable length, and in closing made an urgent appeal for the Greenwood electors to assist him in this fight for what he terms the rights of the province. During the latter part of the address the Premier spoke to a rapidly diminishing audience, and his failure to hold the attention of his hearers to the finish occasioned considerable comment.

J. A. Macdonald, Liberal leader will address the Greenwood electors in the Auditorium, Saturday night.—Mr. F. J. Dean of Nelson, who is perhaps one of the best posted men on public affairs in B. C. will also be in attendance, as well as the Liberal candidate G. R. Naden who will in all probability open the meeting.

Invitations have been extended to the Conservative and Socialist candidates to appear and speak for their respective parties.

RIVERSIDE BONDED

P. J. Dermody, of Granby mines fame, but more lately superintendent of the Providence mine, has taken a lease and bond on the well known Riverside group of claims situated on the east side of the Kettle river, midway between Rock creek and Westbridge. Associated with Mr. Dermody in this enterprise are Sater & Johns, proprietors of the Norden hotel, Greenwood, and some outside capital represented by Spokane parties. The bond, which is for \$60,000, covers a period of 18 months and calls for continuous operation.

Work will be started up next week, as soon as arrangements can be made for comfortably housing the miners

and getting in the supplies necessary to tide them over the high water period. As there is no bridge across the Kettle river adjacent to the mine, sufficient supplies will be taken in now to last until the river will permit of fording.

The Riverside, which is owned by Ben Perkins and associates, has more than once been under bond and considerable work has already been done on the property, which is purely a tunnel proposition.

The present syndicate has the advantage over previous operators not only in having substantial financial backing, but in having associated with them a practical mining foreman whose long experience in the business is a guarantee that the work will be done to the best possible advantage.

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A REMARKABLE ADMISSION

Premier McBride and his followers in discussing the Kaien island transaction, have repeatedly assured their audiences that the deal was a good one for the province, and took no little credit to himself and colleagues for its successful consummation. It now appears as if the government has undergone a change of opinion in regard to the value of the lands surrounding Prince Rupert townsite. Recently agents of the G. T. P. railway completed a deal with the Indian tribe, whose reservation is adjacent to Kaien island, whereby 13,000 acres of the Indian reserve was to be handed over to the G. T. P. for a consideration of \$7.50 per acre. The Dominion government, as the guardian of the Indians, offered no objections to the deal, but the provincial government, on being requested to sanction the transfer, absolutely refused on the ground that the railway in question had already received sufficient of the public domain, and that the land in question, when a great city had arisen at the Grand Trunk terminus, would be worth millions.

Surely if it was a good deal for the government to dispose of the townsite itself for \$1 per acre, it is certainly a better one to dispose of land adjacent thereto for \$7.50 per acre. And further if the Grand Trunk Pacific are now willing to pay \$7.50 for land not embraced in the townsite, does it not appear reasonable to suppose they would have paid more for the townsite itself, and that apart from the underhanded, suspicious manner in which the sale was made, the action of the McBride government in disposing of these lands for the paltry sum of \$1 was, to put it mildly, a most unbusiness-like and careless proceeding. Attempts are being made by government supporters to make capital out of McBride's refusal to sanction the transfer of the land involved in this last sale by citing it as an example of the paternal care he exercises over the public domain.

They are welcome to what comfort

they can get from such a peculiar opinion, but to the intelligent public it will appear either as an example of ill will toward the Ottawa government or an admission that a mistake had been made in disposing of Kaien island at the price they received, and that here after the big railway company will have to pay dearer for what they acquire in that part of B. C.

Incidentally it teaches a lesson to the Grand Trunk Pacific. They had no business to attempt to secure land in B. C. without first securing the services of the noted coterie that were so conspicuous a feature of the late administration, and it is more than likely, had the Anderson's services been requisitioned, the lands would ere now have been in the possession of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company.

A DISTORTED ACCOUNT

The Greenwood correspondent of the Nelson Conservative organ, in his report of the McBride meeting here on January 18th, has demonstrated that if he is not a lineal descendent of Annias he is at least possessed of the qualifications that made that gentleman famous. The "enthusiastic mas meeting" which brought the "political interest in Greenwood to its highest pitch," was from a conservative point of view, a dead failure.

There was not, to begin with, the spontaneous, hearty welcome that is generally extended to the leaders of political parties, and Mr. McBride's sneering, offensive criticism of the platform appearance of the Liberal candidate antagonized a large portion of the audience, who, regardless of political leanings, felt that the attack was coarse and uncalled for, and entirely foreign to the subjects for which the meeting was called. In addition to this, as the meeting progressed it became apparent to all, except some of the most hidebound partisans, that the chief Conservative speaker was utterly unable to explain satisfactorily the many serious charges brought by the opposition press and speakers against the late administration. Would any sane, unbiased individual, after listening to the premier's remarks, acknowledge that he was convinced of the justice and propriety of the Kaien island deal, or the C. P. R. taxation question, or the Columbia & Western land grant or the half dozen other issues of this campaign? No one was, no one could be, and none are better aware of that fact than the local leaders of the Conservative party themselves. Even the premier's frantic endeavors to create a feeling of resentment against the Ottawa government for its alleged injustice on the "better terms" question, fell flat and were received in ab-

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solute silence or but faintly applauded. The fact of the matter is, the Conservatives' chances of election are absolutely nil, and even the profuse oratory of Bowser and McBride failed to revive the drooping spirits of their Greenwood followers. This was plainly evidenced by the coolness of the party leaders' reception Friday night, and no garbled, distorted communications by irresponsible correspondents will have the least influence in returning a government supporter on the 2nd of next month.

A DISTINCTION WITHOUT A DIFFERENCE

The Socialist candidate at the Conservative meeting on Friday night, attempted to make a mountain out of a mole hill over the slight mistake in dates regarding the letter to G. R. Naden, containing a copy of the resolution passed by the Miners' union tendering him a vote of thanks for his services in connection with the labor troubles at the smelter. His attempts to create the impression that no such letter was forwarded must appear as the very acme of nerve, even to those within his own ranks who are conversant with the facts in the case.

For those who are not acquainted with the facts, we wish to state the following: The letter in question was sent to Mr. Naden on January 5, 1906, acknowledging his services in the settlement of the troubles which existed some time previous to that, and conveying to him a unanimous vote of thanks from the union for his work in their behalf. The letter is a well worded type-written document, printed on Western Federation paper, stamped with the seal of the union and signed by Ernest Mills.

Since the publication of a letter in the Ledger, by the president of the union, in which Mr. Naden was made to appear as the enemy of an eight hour day, the Times has repeatedly urged upon Mr. Naden the advisability of publishing this communication from the union, but so far without success.

Mr. Naden takes the stand that he received this at a time when he was not looking for political honors, and that he is not going to seek to make political capital out of what he did or tried to do at a time when politics did not enter into the questions at issue. But if the Socialist candidate wishes to verify the existence of this letter, he can call at Mr. Naden's office and see the document for himself.

The only thing in which the Times erred was in the dates of the labor troubles. There is no mistake as to the existence of the letter or to the hearty sentiments contained therein, and any hair splitting distinctions that may be drawn by the Socialist candidate will not obscure this fact, that the Socialists themselves, when not laboring under the stress and excitement incidental to a losing election campaign, recognize G. R. Naden as a staunch supporter of the rights of labor, and any attempts they are now making to paint him as anything different is only an election dodge to catch the votes of those not familiar with the circumstances.

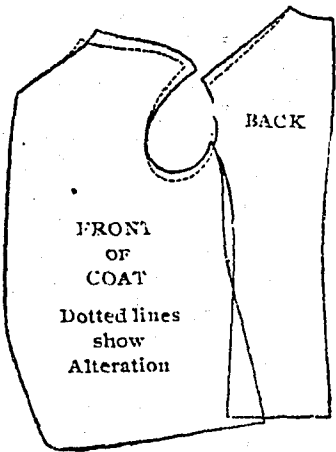
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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

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TAKE NOTICE That I, John P. McLeod, as agent for Phillip B. S. Sunnhope, Free Miner's Certificate No. B92937, 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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MINERAL ACT, 1896.
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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 January, 1907.

LAND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase the following described lands situated in East Yale district: Commencing at a post marked B, Colburn's S. W. corner post; thence west 20 chains to land monument on Boundary line; thence north 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres.

Dated December 17, 1906.
JOHN CRAIG.

THE LATEST CHARGE

The publication by a Vancouver daily newspaper of an article accusing the ex-commissioner of lands and works of accepting a huge bribe from eastern capitalists in connection with the issuance of coal leases to the Transcontinental Exploration Co., will be read with feelings of dismay even by those who differ politically from the ex-minister; for while there was a wide spread opinion that the public affairs of this province have been for years carelessly and loosely managed, and that a change is imperatively necessary, there are few but who will feel it almost as a matter of personal disgrace that a public official of this province would descend to the gross corruption charged in the article mentioned. It is a matter of regret that the public business of this province is conducted in such a manner that even a suspicion of crookedness should be created, for the mere fact of such charges (whether true or false), being published, has a tendency to lower the standing of public morals, destroy what little faith in the integrity of public officials still remains, and furnishes to demagogues and professional agitators weapons which they will not be slow to use.

Without expressing an opinion as to the veracity of the charges published in the World, it may not be amiss to recall the fact that R. F. Green left the cabinet under peculiar circumstances, and that the premier and the remaining members of the executive have entirely ignored all requests for an explanation of his retirement from public life. The silence of the premier on this matter must now be broken. It is out of the question to suppose that Mr. Green could carry out the deal in question without the knowledge or consent of his colleagues in the ministry, and further refusal on the part of Mr. McBride to explain Mr. Green's withdrawal from the cabinet can only be construed as an admission that the charges published in the World are, in the main, correct. At the present time strong efforts are being made to secure Green's version of the story, for until this is given it would be unfair to pass judgment. R. F. Green at no stage of his career could be classed as an orator, but for once, at least, his remarks will be eagerly followed by the reading public regardless of political persuasions.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church of Greenwood, was held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the church building. The meeting opened with prayer by the pastor, Rev. M. D. McKee, after which A. M. Whiteside was voted to the chair.

Congregational Secretary F. E. Brown read the minutes of the last annual meeting, which, upon motion, was adopted.

Reports received from the various church societies were then received.

Miss B. McKenzie reported on Sunday school work, Miss B. M. Snyder read the annual statement of the Ladies' Aid, Mr. McKenzie that of the managers, Mr. McKee, Christian En-

deavor; Mr. Graham read a lengthy report from the Session, and Mrs. McKee reported on work done by the Friendly Visitors' society.

The reports submitted by the various treasurers show the church to be progressing, every branch showing large gains over last year.

The Managers' report shows the church's income for the year to be \$1,768.12, against a total of \$1,452.05 for the preceding year.

The Ladies' Aid have raised during the year \$377, and the Mission Board, Sunday School and Endeavor societies all report great increase over last year's work.

The following gentlemen were appointed managers for the present year: Messrs. Waiteside, McRae, McCutcheon, Wilson, Robinson, McKenzie, Belt, McQuarrie, Bishop, Inglis, Hook and Smith.

After the meeting, tea and cake were served by the ladies, and a social time indulged in for the remainder of the evening.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Smith's Pastime Co., a high class, genuine colored show, will appear in the Auditorium for two nights, January 30th and 31st. The troupe, nine in number, are all up-to-date artists in their own line, a special feature of the show being two youngsters, one of 7 and the other 9 years of age, probably the youngest members of their profession on the road. Tho this is their first appearance here, they do not come without recommendations. Exchanges from many quarters contain flattering references to their performance, so that a good evening's enjoyment may be expected. Admission, 50 cents; reserved seats, 75 cents; children 25 cents.

Our reference in another column to the report of the late Conservative meeting here, appearing in the Canadian, of Nelson, applies to the official account sent out, presumably by the press member of the McBride party, and not to that of the regular local correspondent, to whose story we take no objection.

The annual dance of the Greenwood Aerie, F. O. E., will be held in the Masonic hall, Government street, February 6th. The committee have arranged for first-class music, and a good time may be expected.

POLITICAL NOTES.

L. A. Campbell, the McBride candidate, will carry Rosslaud, says the Miner. Yes, it looks like it. Carry it in the same way he did in the civic election. A candidate who cannot secure a seat in the city council can hardly be looked upon as a serious factor in a provincial campaign, especially when facing an opponent of the calibre of J. A. Macdonald.

The Greenwood Ledge of last week, in one of its many scurrilous paragraphs, tried to convey the impression that the Liberal candidate, G. R. Naden, while mayor of Greenwood, had drawn the salary incidental to the office while absent on his trip through Northern B. C. Had the Ledge taken the trouble to investigate this petty charge it would have found that Acting Mayor Mr. Herbert Bunting was paid the mayor's salary during Mr. Naden's absence, and that the latter was paid only for the actual time he occupied his seat at the head of the council table.

Try again, Ledge.

Duncan Ross, M. P., for Yale-Cariboo, is being subjected to considerable abuse for his presence in B. C. during the election campaign, instead of being in his seat in the house at Ottawa. There seems to be a wrong impression

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The G. T. B. Railway Co. has paid or the 13,519 acres of land, purchased from the Incians of Kaien island for \$103,202.50. The government received for their 10,000 acres \$10,000. It looks as though that Indian chief should be given R. F. Green's old job, should McBride be returned to power.

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.
NOTICE.

"Mable Fractional" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood Camp. TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as Agent for John Mulligan, Free Miner's Certificate No. 12021, 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 31st day of December, A. D. 1906.
L. H. HALLETT.

PAY ORE COLUMN

The Mother Lode mine was closed for a few days this week to admit of the changes being made, due to swinging off from steam to electricity. The big compressor in the gulch below the mine will hereafter be operated by power furnished from the Kootenay Falls. Quite a change from the condition of affairs existing in '97.

The Dominion Copper company are driving a tunnel on the Crown Silver property across the gulch from the Sunset. It is likely the work will be done by contract.

The Elkhorn mine is shipping another car of high grade ore toward the close of the week which is expected to eclipse in value any previous consignment.

The Sunset mine, in Deadwood camp, will again be equipped with machinery, and work continued with machines instead of by hand drilling, as it is at present.

The B. C. Copper company will install a diamond drill on the Ruby claim and thoroughly explore that property for ore. The Ruby furnishes some of the highest grade copper ore in the camp, and if the main body could be located would soon take its place as a dividend payer.

It is currently reported that the directors of the British Columbia Copper company have decided to declare a dividend this month approximating 16 per cent of the par value of the stock, which is now \$13 per share. Assuming this to be correct, it would appear that the future of this locality is a bright one. With the Granby dividend approaching \$2,000,000, and the Dominion Copper company and B. C. Copper company each paying dividends in spite of the heavy expenditures made in improvements, it seems only reasonable to suppose that other immense low grade properties adjacent to Greenwood will, in the near future, attract the attention of capitalists, and eventually prove paying investments.

The Bay mine at the present time is exciting considerable attention among local mining men, on account of the quality of ore at present being extracted from both north and south drifts, which have been run a distance of 45 and 60 feet respectively, all of which was in good ore. But that which is at present being mined is more than ordinarily rich, free gold showing in plenty and distributed generally through the ore. Stopping will be under way in a few days and the next shipment is looked forward to as being the richest yet sent to the smelter. The Bay Gold Mining company had its first annual meeting in the Imperial hotel, Greenwood, last week, when the following gentlemen were elected as officers of the company for the ensuing year: President, A. O. Truax, Tekoa, Wash.; vice president, H. O. Fuller, Greenwood; secretary-treasurer, W. A. Fuller, Greenwood. These, with the following members, constitute the board of directors: Duncan McIntosh, Greenwood; T. T. Westfall, Spokane; E. R. Frizer, Spokane; Isaac Bert, Tekoa, Wash.

ROCK CREEK MEETING

A large and well attended meeting of the electors of the Rock Creek district was held in the school house at Rock Creek Saturday evening, January 19th. As Rock Creek is the dividing line between the Greenwood and Similkameen ridings, it was something of a joint meeting, and some of the candidates from both ridings were in attendance. Premier McBride attended and spoke in the interests of the conservative candidate for Greenwood, as well as for L. W. Shatford, who is contesting the Similkameen riding as a government supporter and who made short speech of in defense the late administration. R. G. Sidley championed the cause of Smith Curtis, who is engaged in the western part of the riding and consequently could not be present at the meeting.

The most noticeable feature of the meeting was the hearty and enthusiastic greeting accorded the Greenwood Liberal candidate when he rose to address the audience, and it was plainly

apparent to all that in both ridings, if one could judge by the attitude of those present, the sentiment of the electorate is overwhelmingly Liberal. Premier McBride, whose platform attitude toward Mr. G. R. Naden was a decided improvement over that displayed at Greenwood, failed utterly in his attempts to create a sentiment favorable to his administration.

West of Boundary Falls the electors are for Naden, first, last and always, and he will easily poll three votes to one of the combined Socialist Conservative forces.

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So powerful are the healing essences in Zam-Buk that in some cases which have been pronounced beyond relief they have worked complete cure! Such an instance is just reported from Invermay, Sask. Mrs. J. M. McCormick, of that place, says: "About seven years ago my face broke out in rough red blotches, which burned and itched and smarted in turn almost beyond endurance. I commenced to try every known remedy I could get for face and skin troubles. Some of them gave a little relief, some none, but no matter how much I used them, as soon as I went out the trouble started all over again. I consulted doctors, and they told me there was absolutely no cure for me, but that I should have to wait until I outgrew the disease."

"Finally my husband sent for a supply of Zam-Buk. We applied a small sample to a small patch of the disease. To our delight the portion treated with Zam-Buk very quickly healed. We then obtained a proper supply, and began the Zam-Buk treatment. I am now delighted to state that after having used a few boxes, I am free from the old trouble and completely cured! I will never be without Zam-Buk in the house as long as I live, and to all who are troubled with skin diseases in any form I would say, waste no time in obtaining a supply of Zam-Buk. Since proving it in my own case, I have obtained a supply for an old lady who had an ulcer on her leg for 30 years. Three boxes were sufficient to close the wound."

Zam-Buk cures cuts, burns, bruises, scalds and all skin injuries, as well as skin diseases. Applied to eczema, scalp sores, pimples, poisoned wounds, children's rashes, ulcers, boils, abscesses, itch, sore back, festering and discharging wounds, etc., it acts like a charm. Its antiseptic ingredients kill all germs and prevent inflammation and festering. Then its healing powers come into operation and build up new, healthy tissue. All druggists sell Zam-Buk at 50 cents per box, or obtainable from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Six boxes for \$2.50.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements
NOTICE

"Bell Flower" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Long Lake Camp

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Spencer Bennerman, Free Miner's Certificate No. 12122, 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 their interests in 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 31st day of December, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

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Mr. Herbert Bunting was sworn in as mayor of Greenwood by Magistrate Hallett on Saturday

M. M. Johnson, M. E., consulting engineer for the Dominion Copper Co., is registered at the Imperial.

Full line of cash books, ledgers and journals, also records, pocket and office diaries. Coles & Frith.

Twenty-five per cent off suits and overcoats. Good till February 15th. Russell-Law-Caulfield Co.

A. W. English of the Hunter-Kendrick company, has resigned his position there to accept a similar one with the Dominion Copper company.

Friends of Mrs. Joe Williamhurst will regret to hear of her illness in the hospital of pneumonia. It is sincerely hoped the attack will not be of a severe nature.

On Monday evening, February 17th, a fancy dress ball and carnival will be given in the Masonic hall, Government street, under the auspices of the Odd Fellows.

Mrs. Thos. Walsh, who has been visiting her old home in Pembroke, Ont., since last November, returned to Greenwood last Thursday, much improved in health. P. S.—Tom stays in at nights now.

Master Mechanic Wilkes of the B. C. Copper company, Greenwood, has resigned his position and with his family intends moving to Utah. A successor to his present position has not yet been named.

The total revenues from all sources of the Presbyterian church in Greenwood for 1906 was \$2,000.80, thus making it the most prosperous year in the history of the church since its establishment here.

The Greenwood curlers sent a strong team to the Cranbrook Bonspiel last Saturday. W. G. McMynn, the veteran skip, headed the team, C. Wilson mate, City Engineer Johnson plays second, while Mayor Bunting will play the lead stone.

Gorman West, the well known West Fork hotel man, is spending a few days in town. Recently he had the misfortune to injure one of his fingers, which, in spite of careful home treatment, developed into blood poisoning, and medical attention became a necessity. Dr. Spankie attended the case in the orthodox manner, tho Gorman's description of it can be classed as strictly unorthodox.

Raymond T. Wartman, an old and respected resident of Anaconda, father of James and Walter Wartman, the well known masons, died at the hospital Sunday morning, aged 73 years. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, many friends in Greenwood and Anaconda accompanying the remains to the cemetery, Rev. M. D. McKee conducting the service.

Charles Harrington, of Boundary Falls, met with a peculiar accident Wednesday night. While cutting some taffy out of a dish with his jack-knife, the weapon glanced from the hard surface of the candy and entered his left hand nearly in the center of the palm, and running upward toward the wrist came out on the opposite side. Mr. Bach of the Dominion Copper company, who happened to be passing, was hailed and kindly drove the sufferer to Greenwood, where Dr. Openheimer attended the wounded member. The main arteries were completely severed and ten stitches in the palm and two on the back of the hand were required to close the severe gashes inflicted.

Ben Perkins, the well known prospector of Rock creek, who only recently bonded his property for a large sum to P. J. Dermody and associates, died Wednesday morning in the Sisters' hospital of pneumonia. Deceased, who was aged 63 years, has prospectively over the greater part of Southern B. C., and was well known in Rossland, Greenwood and other camps, and, like many another hill veteran, crossed the great divide before benefitting from the results of his life's work. Little is known of his earlier history, and solicitor Hallett, who has charge of his affairs, is at present endeavoring to locate any heirs that may exist, with a view of winding up the estate.

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The Anaconda News made its appearance Wednesday after a month's retirement, due to cold weather and the illness of its enterprising editor, Mr. R. Keffer.

Many Greenwood people will regret to hear of the death of Mr. John Keffer, father of Mr. Fred Keffer, of the B. C. Copper company, which occurred lately at his home in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Keffer, who had reached the advanced age of 80, made many friends here during his visits to Greenwood.

The following are a list of those elected as officers of the various societies of St. Columba Presbyterian church: Y. P. S. C. E.—President, Mr. S. Belt; vice president, Mrs. M. D. McKee; secretary-treasurer, Miss J. Murray. Chairman of Look Out Committee—W. S. Graham. Prayer Meeting Committee—A. H. Hook. Social Committee—Miss B. McKenzie. Missionary Committee—Rev. M. D. McKee. The society is prospering and is looking forward to a successful year's work in 1907.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL

The carnival at the skating rink last night under the auspices of the Greenwood band, was largely attended and proved a great success from every point of view. Many of the costumes were exceedingly picturesque, and the judges, in some cases, had difficulty in deciding to whom the prize should be awarded. Among the ladies, Mrs. C. H. Fair as "Britania," and Mrs. Percy Hallett as "Indian Princess," tied for first prize, which, on a draw, resulted in favor of Mrs. Fair, the prize being a chatelaine watch donated by Logan & Co., Mrs. Hallett taking second, a sack of flour, donated by the Hunter-Kendrick Co.

Howard Huff as the "Dutchman," carried off the gentleman's prize, a gold headed umbrella, put up by P. W. George & Co.

Alice McMynn as "Indian Girl," captured the girl's prize, a leather hand bag, donated by Rendell & Co., while Worthington Fair as "Uncle Sam," secured the handsome pair of hockey skates from the Russell-Law-Caulfield Co.

A handsome mandolin and case from the Thomas Drug company went to Ralph Coutts, who as "Pots and Pans," took first place as the best comic costume, and for the most original, Miss Buckliss as the "Bat," won the prize, a sack of flour, donated by Galloway Bros.

The judges were Mr. A. Scott of Montreal, Mr. Kendall and Mr. Rousseau.

A SUDDEN CALL

Word has been received from Tekoa, Wash., of the death of A. O. Truax, well known among local mining men here, as the president of the Bay Mining Co.

It is only a short time since Mr. Truax was here in the best of health and spirits, and the news of his death was received with something like consternation by his fellow officers of the company of which he was the head.

A. O. Truax was one of the pioneers of the Tekoa district, a successful business man, and one universally respected and trusted by all who knew him. In him the Boundary has lost a good friend, as he had unbounded faith in the resources of this district and a practical way of letting that be known, as his investments here show.

Shortly after returning from his recent visit to Greenwood, he contracted pneumonia, which in two days terminated fatally.

It is probable that a meeting of the Bay directors will be held this week to elect his successor as president of the company.

Dangers of a Cold and How to Avoid Them.

More fatalities have their origin in or result from a cold than from any other cause. This fact alone should make people more careful as there is no danger whatever from a cold when it is properly treated in the beginning. For many years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been recognized as the most prompt and effectual medicine in use for this disease. It acts on nature's plan, loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all druggists.

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Ex-Commissioner Accused of Gross Corruption. Consternation in Conservative Ranks

The Vancouver Daily World, in its afternoon issue of Tuesday last, published what promises to be the biggest political sensation the McBride administration has yet produced. Briefly, the history of the transaction is as follows:

"In 1905 a company, called the Transcontinental Exploration Syndicate, applied to R. F. Green, then chief commissioner of lands and works, for leases of 32 sections of coal lands on Pine river, which, when the early construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway through that portion of British Columbia is considered, are certain to become of great and immediate value. Representing the Transcontinental Syndicate was Sir Adolph Caron, formerly a Conservative minister of the crown at Ottawa.

"The application was refused by Mr. Green, who alleged, as his reason, that the dominion government had not then selected the 3,500,000 acres of land in the northwest corner of this province which were conveyed to it by the terms of Settlement Act under which the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway was built. Later, a private arrangement was arrived at by R. F. Green, representing the B. C. government, and Sir Adolph Caron acting for the Transcontinental Exploration Syndicate, and the leases were granted.

"Caron had previously written to Green to name a friend who could be trusted to hold shares in the syndicate in his (Green's) interest. Green replied, thanking Caron for his beneficence and naming Mr. McKay, then Premier McBride's private secretary as a safe person in whom to vest the ownership of the shares. Caron wrote Green stating that the value of the shares which were to be given him as a free gift, and which were rated at £1 18s each, was \$37,000. Green replied, thanking Caron for his very great kindness. The leases were then issued by the chief commissioner to the Transcontinental Exploration Syndicate. Caron also secured leases for coal lands on Telqua river in the same section of the country, for which Green was given another share in the name of Neil McKay.

"Later on there was a hitch. Either Green thought he had not received a sufficiently large share of the plunder, or objection was raised by one of his colleagues. Be this as it may, two eminent Conservative lawyers, then

residing, and still residing in Vancouver, were retained by Caron to press his claims. Armed with the correspondence between Caron and Green, they interviewed the executive council. At that meeting all the members except Mr. Fulton were present. The lawyers were persistent in pressing Sir Adolph Caron's claims. Mr. Green put up a show of resistance, but was dumfounded when confronted by Sir Adolph Caron's letter and his own letter thanking Sir Adolph for his great kindness and instructing him to issue the shares in Neil McKay's name.

"The difficulties must have been smoothed away, for it was stated in the Province, a government organ printed in Vancouver, on the 10th of October last, that the Transcontinental Exploration Syndicate had been formed in London with a capital of \$400,000 to explore and develop the coal measures in Telqua valley. In the interval that elapsed between the granting of the lease and the mysterious and abrupt deposing of Mr. W. S. Gore from his position as deputy of the lands and works department, Mr. Neil McKay, the premier's private secretary and holder of \$37,000 worth of Transcontinental Exploration Syndicate shares, for the gift of which Mr. Green had thanked Sir Adolph Caron for his great kindness, was appointed deputy in Mr. Gore's place. It was probably felt that the custodian of the shares should be changed at any rate, and the name of Granville Cuppage, a junior clerk in the lands and works department at Victoria, appears in the Province of October 10th as one of the directors of this company that is about to spend \$400,000 in developing coal lands along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

"From whom Mr. Cuppage got his shares is not at present known, but there is reason to believe that the \$37,000 worth of stock which was originally conveyed to Neil McKay are the shares which Mr. Granville Cuppage represents, and by virtue of which he sits as a director of the company.

"The above is a plain narration of a most appalling instance of provincial government corruption. Readers will have no difficulty in arriving at a conclusion unfavorable to the government. The correspondence has been photographed, and Mr. Green's letter thanking Sir Rudolph for his munificence and requesting that the shares be

placed in Mr. McKay's name, is in Vancouver at this moment. Special attention will be directed to the fact that, although the executive council meeting at which Mr. Green's conduct was exposed was held in May last, the other ministers, immaculate Mr. Cotton included, continued to sit and act with Green until the 22nd of December, when the pressure from Vancouver conservatives became so great that he resigned from the lands and works department. He is now at Kaslo engaged in an effort to cover his official tracks by the return of Mr. Neil McKay, his former deputy, whom he plans to succeed him in the lands and works department.

ABOUT YOUR HEADACHE!

You Must Agree in This:

That headache does not necessarily mean there is anything wrong with your head! That being so, you must look to some other organ for the trouble. Is the ache in the forehead, does it cease if you press it? That is neuralgic headache. Is it on one side of the head only? That is what the doctors call "migrain." Both these forms arise from lack of tone in the system. Is your headache general and accompanied by sickness or foul breath or constipation? That kind of headache is due to liver and stomach disorder. Nine headaches in ten arise from these causes. There are two methods of treatment. One is to take headache powders. This is like trying to escape pain by taking chloroform. The other is to correct the organs which by their derangement are causing the trouble. That is the Bilean way! Bileans cure headache by their beneficial operation on the digestive system, the liver and the blood. Correct these properly and you will have no more headache.

Mrs. G. R. Black, of 35 Blevins Place, Toronto, says: "I suffered acutely from headache. The attacks were most violent and made me so ill I could hardly do anything. The headache was accompanied by digestive trouble, heartburn and constipation, and it seemed as if I was going from bad to worse. Until I tried Bileans I was unable to get anything which gave me relief. Bileans, however, acted like magic. They not only cured the headache, but also relieved me of the indigestion, heartburn and constipation. I have proved that a few doses of Bileans will remove the most violent headache, and as a cure for constipation there are absolutely unequalled. No family should be without a box of Bileans on the shelf."

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P. W. George & Co. will be pleased to show you how what "Semi-ready" tailoring profits the wearer.

THE NEW COUNCIL

The new council held its first meeting in the civic offices on Monday evening, the members present being Aldermen Sutherland, Nelson, Gully, Derosier and Wood, Alderman Sullivan being absent. The oath of office was administered by the police magistrate. Owing to the absence of Mayor Bunting, who is taking in the Cranbrook Bonspiel, little business was transacted.

The auditor's report was accepted by the old council and referred to the new for consideration, and two members recommended for seats on the boards of police and license commissioners, Alderman Sutherland being selected for the former and Alderman Derosier for the second named position.

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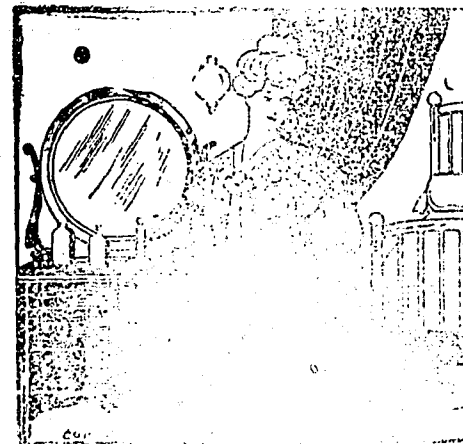
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