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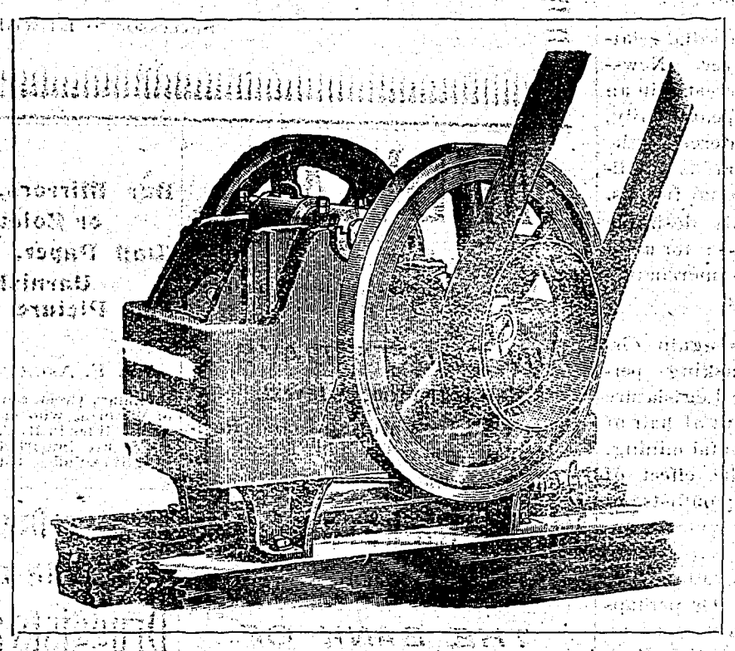

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GOEBEL WOUNDED

Was the Unsuccessful Candidate for Governor of Kentucky.

WOUND NOT THOUGHT FATAL

Tremendous Excitement Followed in the Grounds of the Capital Building. One Man Arrested.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 30.—William Goebel, the unsuccessful democratic candidate for governor in the late state election, and who is now contesting the election before the legislature, was shot and seriously injured at ten minutes after 1 o'clock today while passing through the state house yard on his way to the capitol building. Mr. Goebel, in company with Colonel Jack Chinn and Warden Ephraim Lillard of the Frankfort penitentiary, was walking up the sidewalk leading to the street to the capitol building, Goebel being on the right. When they were two-thirds of the distance from the street to the capitol building, a shot was fired from the third story of the building, occupied by the offices of the governor, the secretary of state, and other leading officials. The ball struck Mr. Goebel in the side and he instantly dropped to the pavement. Chinn and Lillard seized him, Chinn saying as he did so: "I guess they've got you, Goebel." "Yes," replied Goebel, "I guess they have got me for sure." While Chinn was holding the wounded man, supporting his head in his arms, four more shots were fired at the little party. All of them struck close, making the dust fly from the brick pavement. Neither Chinn nor Lillard moved until the firing ceased, then Lillard ran for help.

An examination made by Dr. Hume and several other physicians resulted in the announcement that the wound was not necessarily fatal and that Mr. Goebel had a chance to recover. The ball, it was found, had inflicted a wound which was somewhat of a glancing nature and had not gone through the lung in a direct line as Dr. Hume had thought upon the first examination. Had the ball struck the chest about half an inch to the right it would have caused certain death.

The house was in session when the shooting occurred, and the senate was to meet within twenty minutes. The capitol building was therefore filled with members of the legislature and to say that excitement followed is putting it mild. From both halls men ran wildly down the steps without hats or coats, and one member of the house came out carrying in his hand a bill on which he had been arguing when the shooting occurred. By the time the members of the legislature had reached the lower floor, however, Goepel was on his way to the office of Dr. Hume. The members hastily rushed back to their desks, adjourned with most unceremonious haste and poured down into the streets again. In a few minutes the crowd was hastening toward the capitol from every direction. Within three minutes after the shooting a line of men was thrown around the building whence the shots had come.

John W. Miles, an aged citizen of Frankfort, was standing at the foot of the stairway leading from the first floor of the office when a man, evidently a mountaineer, came rushing down the steps. Miles instantly threw his arms around the man's body and held him until help came. Men closed around the prisoner on every side with drawn revolvers and the slightest attempt at resistance would have resulted in his instant death. He submitted to arrest very quietly, claiming again and again that he had nothing to do with the shooting. He gave his name as Harland Whittaker, and said he had been in the state office building when he heard the shots, and believing the long-predicted battle had come at last, had hastened out to see what was going on. He was searched at once and three large revolvers, all fully loaded, were taken from him. None of the cartridges were exploded and there was no sign of any of the weapons having been in use. He was hurried to the jail three blocks away, it being feared that an attempt might be made to lynch him if the crowd should be able to lay hands upon him. He was very quiet and did not lose his composure for an instant, notwithstanding the excitement around him. "I know no more about it than any of you," he said.

The republican officials acted with greatest promptitude. Adjutant General Collier at once telephoned to the armory on the hill, where all during the gubernatorial contest the local company of infantry had been held in reserve, and within 20 minutes a company of infantry had been drawn up in front of the capitol building. Guards were placed at every gate leading to the capitol grounds and nobody was permitted to enter or leave.

As soon as it had been noised around that Goeble had been shot, members of the legislature made a wild rush for the telegraph offices and filed voluminous messages to their constituents and within an hour replies began to pour in, the general run of them having one tenor, which was "We are coming." It was expected that fully 5,000 men would arrive in Frankfort during the evening. All of the military strength of the state was to be called out and hurried to Frankfort, it was said.

The democrats kept exceedingly close watch over the person of J. C. W. Beckham, the contestant for the position of lieutenant governor. In the event of the death of Goebel, he would be their only hope, and they declared with earnestness that if Goebel should die, there would be no governor but Beckham. He was kept in his room at the Capitol hotel and will be guarded very closely until the trouble is over. He declared that he needed no guard, but the democrats paid no attention to his remonstrations.

FRANKFORT, Jan. 30.—Dr. Hume announced late tonight that the chances had turned very much against the wounded man, and the probability was that he would die before morning.

FRANKFORT, Jan. 30.—While William Goebel lay at the point of death in his room as the result of an assassin's bullet, the contesting boards which, for two weeks, had been listening to the evidence in his contest for the governor's chair, declared him entitled to the seat. The vote was a strictly party one of 10 to 1, and William Goepel was declared to have been legally elected governor of Kentucky.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 31.—William Goebel was shortly before 9 o'clock tonight sworn in as governor of Kentucky, and J. C. W. Beckham, a few minutes later, took the oath of lieutenant governor.

All day the shadow of death hung over Mr. Goebel at the Capitol hotel. At noon it was declared that he could live but a short time, and at 1 o'clock it was said that death was upon him. This evening he called for a clergyman, and a clerical friend responding, came in and remained for an hour at his bedside. The physicians declare that there is nothing that could keep him so long but his wonderful nerve and will power. There is absolutely no hope, and they say death cannot be away more than a few hours.

Frankfort was quiet in the extreme today. There was excitement sufficient for anybody, but not the slightest sign of disorder.

PEOPLE'S FORUM.

TO THE EDITOR: It is not my wish to protract controversy in the press, so far as the letter in last Sunday's Times is concerned, I make it a rule to take no notice of anonymus letters. I know a man who attacked an unknown creature and found it to be a skunk. I may be allowed a word in view of your editorial of the same issue. It is not for me to defend ministers of Greenwood against insult. No doubt they are all aware that much the greater part of world's work in all departments, even that of editing papers, is done by very commonplace men, and it would be needless presumption on their part to pretend to be anything more. I need not take up the defense of the church. On the principles of political economy no institution has a stronger defence. Church abusing is a story nineteen centuries long, and is likely to be a great deal longer before many are wise enough to cease tripping over pebbles. One thing the founder of Christianity never attempted, was to provide amusement for the world or go the music hall one better. His Christianity may have been useless and impractical in the light of the Times office, but wisdom is justified of her children. My purpose at present is to state again the point of my former letter which you seem to have missed. I was not pleading the cause of the church, I was not condemning places of amusement, but only suggested that any place of amusement holding a license from the city should not be immoral. I have spent five years, mostly in the mining camps of the country, and am not yet convinced but that a very large majority of the men in camps and about the streets are capable of enjoying, and prefer a place of amusement that is free from vice. I did not suspect that the daily press would support a lower standard.

Most sincerely,

DUNCAN CAMPBELL.

P. S. I shall make no reply to any further communications at the present time.

The
Weekly Times.

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DUNCAN ROSS.....EDITOR.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1900.

SHOULD BE AT GREENWOOD.

The special from Victoria announcing the intention of the government to establish a registry office in the Boundary district. The necessity of the office is acknowledged by everyone acquainted with the growing importance of the district. If the government avails itself of the data in its possession and make further inquiry, it will come to the conclusion that Greenwood is the proper point for a registry office. The office should be established where it would meet the requirements of the greater number of people. Those who will have the largest volume of business with the office are the members of the legal profession. The legal centre of the Boundary is Greenwood. There are at least twelve lawyers engaged in active practice in the city. The only other towns that can claim the office are Midway and Grand Forks. There are only five or six lawyers in Grand Forks and none in Midway. The government will make a grave mistake if it establishes the office at any point other than Greenwood.

CONNECTION WITH COAST.

Discussing the proposed road to the Similkameen district, regarding which Messrs. A. Howse and James Anderson are now at the capital, the Columbian says:

It is hardly necessary to do more than hint at the immense benefits that would flow to New Westminster district and the coast cities, from being directly connected, by the cheap means of transportation of river and wagon road, with so rich a mining region, in process of rapid development, and the building up, in a few years, of a second Rossland or Green wood, or even a larger mining town. British Columbia has suffered the loss and humiliation of seeing the principal commercial benefits accruing from the development of the Rossland and Boundary districts go to swell the trade and fatten the producers of cities and agricultural districts south of the international boundary line. Here is a chance—that must, however, be improved, at once—to keep the trade of perhaps the richest mining region of the province for our own merchants and farmers.

MAKING CHAMPERTY LEGAL.

It will be remembered that a short time ago Hon. Jos. Martin was suspended by the bar association for practising champerty. The ex-attorney general will not be caught the same way again if he secures the passage of the bill which he has introduced in the house. The following is the chief clause:

Notwithstanding any law or usage to the contrary any solicitor or barrister in this Province may contract, either under seal or otherwise, with any person or persons or corporations whatsoever, as to the remuneration to be paid him for services rendered or to be rendered to any such person, persons or corporations in lieu of or in addition to the costs which by any tariff in force are allowed to the said solicitor or barrister, and the contract entered into may provide that such solicitor or barrister is to receive a portion of the proceeds of the subject matter of the action or suit in which any such solicitor or barrister is or is to be employed, or a portion of the moneys or property with regard to which such solicitor or barrister may be retained, whether an action or suit has been brought for the same or a defence has been entered, and such remuneration may also be in the way of commission or percentage on the amount recovered or defended, or on the value of the property about which any action, suit or transaction is concerned.

MR. CAMPBELL'S LETTER.

Rev. Mr. Campbell is wise in deciding not to continue a newspaper controversy. His two letters to the Times clearly show that if he were not better adapted for something else he would never rise above the level of the common place. The church needs to be defended more from those who use her as a stalking horse behind which they discuss matters about which they know little, rather than those who occassionally are driven to tell her some unpalatable truths. The Times and Mr. Campbell agree on several points. Mr. Campbell does not defend the music hall; neither does the Times. Mr. Campbell believes that the majority of men in camps and about the streets are capable of enjoying a place of amusement that is free from vice; so does the Times. We are in full consonance with his views to that extent, but we quarrel with his wisdom in railing against an institution that secures a patronage because men in mining camps want recreation. If they cannot get that which comes up to their standard they take the best that is offered. The abolition of a music hall will only aggravate the evils which Mr. Campbell and every other earnest minister of the gospel war against. We will not cavil at Mr. Campbell's statement regarding the founder of christianity, but we will go a little further, even if we are charged with heresy for doing so. We believe he was, or is, sufficiently versatile to do such things as will secure a firm hold on the masses. Mr. Campbell will remember that he did something more than rail against existing conditions when he discovered there was no wine for the wedding; he made wine.

TREACHERY IN GOVERNMENT.

If the insinuations contained in an editoral in the Colonist of recent date be true, the sooner dissolution is granted and an appeal made to the electors, the better in the interests of the province. If one of the ministers is making overtures to the opposition without consulting his colleagues, the people ought to be given an opportunity to show their disapproval of such contemptible tactics. The Colonist says:

The present uncertain balance of power by which the government of the province is maintained would, under ordinary circumstances, be remedied by a coalition of the diverse elements of the house, which differ only on what may be called fractional points. But in the present instance such a course is rendered impossible by the absolute distrust felt by the opposition towards one minister of the crown, without whose admission into a coalition ministry he, speaking for his party, declares coalition to be impossible. This distrust is accentuated by the fact that twice this minister has made a distinct and direct proposal to the opposition to initiate such a coalition, and on each occasion, as the opposition well know, but few of the members of his party were cognizant of the approach made by him to their opponents. To those who were not apprized of his attempt his conduct can only be described as extremely treacherous, and the opposition thoroughly realize that a man, who is ever ready to betray those who have placed him in power, would be liable to sacrifice when the psychological moment arrived, those who affiliate with him to keep him there.

The minister to whom reference is made is undoubtedly Mr. Cotton. He has been charged with sacrificing his political friends in the past and he has evidently not yet forsaken his bad practices.

A LESSON IN ECONOMICS.

Not long ago a certain merchant decided that because Spokane was a larger place stationery could be secured there cheaper and better than in Greenwood. He sent an order to a Spokane printing house, secured prices that were lower than those charged by Greenwood printing establishments, but when he paid out express and duty he found that his stationery cost him twenty-five per cent more than it would in Greenwood. He also came to the Times office and acknowledged that the work was not as satisfactory as that done by the home offices and that the experiment had completely convinced him that it was better to patronize offices in the city. The incident points a moral and adornes a tale. City fathers might take a hint.

OFFER ACCEPTED.

The offer of the British Columbia government to raise and equip one hundred men has been accepted. Recruiting stations have been established at Fort Steele, Revelstoke, Kamloops and Victoria. There are many more applications than will make up the number required, and the recruiting officers will have some difficulty in making selections from the many good men who are anxious to enlist. Applicants must be 5 feet six inches tall, 34 inches around the chest, of sound constitution, and be good riders and shots.

"STRATHCONA'S HORSE."

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No man could be less anxious than the high commissioner to magnify his own liberality or minimize the dignity of the Canadians who will enlist at his expense, and Strathcona's Horse is a name which would probably suit the patriotic creator of the force.—Toronto Telegram.

VACCINATION.

Now that smallpox is prevalent on the other side, all should take the precautionary measure of getting vaccinated. It is generally accepted that vaccination is the best safeguard against the dread disease. The cost is nominal, and the inconvenience from vaccination is only slight if ordinary precaution be used.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

IT is stated by the Boers that since the beginning of the war their losses in dead have been only 200. There is a suspicion that in addition to an ability for setting traps the burghers add also to that accomplishment easy extemporaneous prevarication.

ADVERTISING promotes cordial relations between seller and buyer. Newspaper readers become interested in an advertisement which appears daily, and quickly feel a like interest in the advertiser, speaking of him as familiarly as they do of personal friends. These relations are not only desirable but necessary in business; for upon them wholly depend the merchant's success.—Vancouver World.

MR. J. M. KELLIE has again distinguished himself by asking permission to introduce in the Legislature a bill to regulate the length of hair of men engaged in underground mining. The bill should have the effect of keeping the Chinese and populists out of the mines, for the Chinaman wears a queue and the populist is supposed to pride himself on the superabundance of his hirsute appendage. Or perhaps Mr. Kellie's bill may have some religious significance, for the New York Journal, after careful investigation, has arrived at the belief that dwellers in the heavenly kingdom do not wear whiskers. The London News, evidently an authority on the question, ventures the suggestion that "for climatic reasons there are no superfluous hairs on the heads or faces of the sojourners in the other place, either."—Nelson Economist.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

TO THE EDITOR: I see by your morning's issue of today that a Colonel Johnson is about (or within three months) to put gold dredgers, or to be more correct, dredgers, on the Kettle river to work on the auriferous bars of this river. Now, Mr. Editor, how is it that Americans get hold of all the good things in this country of ours? The answer is easy: Because they have more get-up, more enterprise and are quicker to get on to a dead sure thing. My object in writing this letter is to remind some ten men of my proposal to them about just one year ago on this very scheme of dredging the Kettle river. Mr. Alexander Dick was then in town. I told him what I knew of the value of the different bars on this river, and he was so taken with the project that we then and there put down 10 men to form a syndicate to take up 25 miles on lease of the Kettle river with the idea of ultimately forming a dredging company. Now, I wish to put on record the various rebuffs I got from the gentlemen to whom I put forth my idea in writing. These are the clever remarks I met with:

"You bald-headed idiot, you are crazy. Why, Ferguson, you are batty; old man, you are nutty. Ferguson, placer mining is played out."

"Old man, if there was anything in the Kettle river it would have been found long ago."

These are five replies I got to my proposition; from men supposed to have brains. These same men have put thousands into sinking shafts, running tunnels, etc., on claims, the surface showing of which have been $2 a ton and upwards, and in many cases only traces, against one pan of gravel that would produce 10 cents—with no necessity of hunting for a man to bond the claim, as it is now necessary. Most people know I have one and a half miles of Boundary creek leased from the government, and if I had the money I would put up $10,000 that in this one and a half miles there is more gold than there is in many of the properties floated for millions. Good luck to the colonel you designate as "A Colonel Johnson." Yours truly,

A. FERGUSON.

Card of Thanks,

GREENWOOD, B. C., 2nd Feb., 1900.

TO THE EDITOR: The committee in charge of the Pay! Pay! Pay! concert desire space in your paper to express our appreciation of the extreme kindness and patriotism displayed by the owners of the Alhambra Theatre in giving over the theatre Wednesday evening for the benefit of the widows and orphans' fund, and also to the public of Greenwood and surrounding district for their generous patronage and support. THE COMMITTEE.

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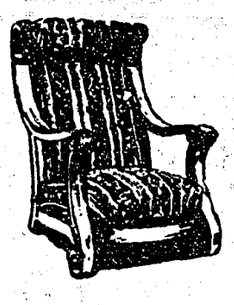

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BIG ORE CHUTE IN THE CARIBOO

Semi-Monthly Clean-Up on the Waterloo—Mammoth Showing Up Well—From the Records—Mining Briefs.

Fred M. Cummings returned recently from a visit to Camp McKinney. He reports that the camp is quite active and that mining development is proving its worth every day. To a Times man he said: "In the face of the west drift on the first level of the Waterloo they are working in a breast of four feet of solid quartz. This level is being continued to under the old or No. 1 shaft, where a connection will be made, and in time the No. 1 shaft will be made the main working outlet. When this connection is completed the company will install a new hoist, capable of sinking to a depth of at least 300 feet. The tramway connection from the No. 2 shaft will be taken down and replaced to connect with the mill from the No. 1 shaft. The mill is to be enlarged by an additional battery of five stamps. Hereafter the clean-up will be made semi-monthly. This property is bound to become a large dividend payer in the near future.

THE CARIBOO.

"The Cariboo Consolidated company is working 50 men. The old levels are now being continued through to the Okanagan on the east. It will be remembered that Jimmie Moran's remaining interest in this claim was recently purchased for the company for $20,000. At the present time I was informed that they were stoping one of the largest and richest bodies of ore ever found in the mine. The mine is now sending down concentrates here for shipment to the Hall Mines' smelter at Nelson.

MINNEHAHA MILL.

"The 10-stamp mill on the Minnehaha is about completed and should be pounding on ore in a few days. All that is to be done is a small amount of work in making the necessary flume connections to convey the water to the mill. The main shaft is being continued down. Ore for the mill will be stoped from the two levels already opened up.

THE KAMLOOPS.

"The Kamloops, on the same ledge as the Minnehaha, is also being developed by a shaft, which is to be sunk to a depth of 100 feet, when a crosscut will be run to a vein. Their new hoist is now installed and everything is running smoothly.

THE MAMMOTH.

"The Mammoth is looking well. This is one of the few properties owned by an assessable company, and as a consequence funds are always in hand to prosecute the development. It may be remembered that the Mammoth is one of the few tunnel sites in camp. The development work consists of tunneling on the vein. It is a big one, with four feet of quartz in the face, carrying good values. A recent sampling across the face gave a value of $25 in gold.

THE GEORGE HEARST.

"The Camp McKinney Gold Mining company, of Greenwood, has resumed work on the George Hearst claim. A message received by 'phone by the secretary of the company said that a vein three feet in width had been struck. The company intend doing considerable work on this property, which is one of a group of seven in the central part of the camp.

The Dayton claim in Camp McKinney was yesterday bonded for $54,000, to a syndicate of local mining capitalists. The bond was taken in name of James Kerr, of the mining brokerage firm of McEntire, McDonnell & Co. From him a Times representative obtained the following information: Associated with Mr. Kerr are Duncan McIntosh, George H. Collins, James McNicol, Thomas McDonnell, Pat Welch, and another party, whose name was, for personal reasons, withheld from publication. One thousand dollars cash was paid down yesterday; the next payment will be made in 60 days, and other payments extend over a period of nine months.

WORK TO START AT ONCE.

The syndicate will start the work of developing the claim on Monday. Supplies will go up to the camp today. A force of 10 men will be engaged, but no superintendent has as yet been decided upon. Under the terms of the bond the syndicate is bound to expend a large sum of money in opening up the claim.

WHERE SITUATED.

The Dayton is situated in the east end of Camp McKinney and came into prominence a few weeks ago on account of its splendid surface showing. But little surface work has been done on it. There are three open cuts exposing the ledge, but even its width is as yet unknown. It is fully five feet in places and the ore is an oxidized brown colored quartz, carrying visible gold. Assays of this ore have run up into fabulous figures. It was not an uncommon occurance to have samples of this decomposed quartz assayed that went over $1,000 in gold. Mr. Kerr says a conservative estimate of many samples would go $100 to the ton. It was not definitely decided yesterday what the new work will consist of. It is probable that more surface prospecting will be attempted, before the actual permanent development of the claim takes place.

THE LUCKY OWNERS.

The owners of the Dayton are Hughie Cameron, William Yonkin and Charles Hamilton of Camp McKinney and Harry McQuaid of this city. At one time it was said that unless a deal was made at the figures asked by the owners that Hughie Cameron himself would put up all the funds necessary to develop the mine and put it in shape for a stamp mill. The owners had the claim surveyed. As was stated in yesterday's Times, the sensational values obtained from the Dayton claim caused prospectors early in the winter to stake out all the available ground in the immediate vicinity of the claim. Most of these locations have been recently surveyed. It is known that at least 36 claims surround the new bonanza of the east end of Camp McKinney. The future development of the Dayton will be watched with keen interest on account of it passing into the hands of such a strong local syndicate as that which secured it yesterday.

CONCENTRATED MINING NEWS.

The machinery plant for the Pathfinder, on the north fork of the Kettle river, has arrived at the mine.

A carload of machinery, including the hoist, a part of the air compressor and the pump arrived at the depot for the Sunset mine in Deadwood camp. The balance of the machinery is expected here sometime today.

The end of last month found the long crosscut tunnel on the Golconda, in Smith's camp, in a distance of 170 feet. The rock work is now easier, being in porphyry. It is probable that after the 15th inst. a contract will be let to complete the tunnel.

Yesterday the McRae Copper Mines, Ltd., owning the Ah There, in Deadwood camp, placed an order with the Jenckes Machine company for a 35 horse power vertical tubular boiler; a 6x8 inch double cylinder drum hoisting engine with 400 feet of steel rope, and the necessary buckets, car, piping, etc.

The hoist is now working on the War Eagle, in Greenwood camp. It is hoped to have the compressor plant start today. A Cameron pump has also arrived and will be installed at once. The main shaft will be pushed down as rapidly as possible. It has already reached a depth of 30 feet. Six men are employed in sinking the shaft.

The order for the additional plant for the Mother Lode mine, in Deadwood camp, has been placed with the Jenckes Machine company and the Canadian Rand Drill company. It includes 20 3¼ Little Giant Rand drills and a 20x24 Corliss hoist, with two cages and cars. The order is to be delivered within four months and will cost in the neighborhood of $20,000. The machinery will be of a sufficient capacity to hoist 500 tons from a depth of 1,000 feet.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Records of Locations for the Period Ending January 31, 1900.

January 24.
Ida K, fractional, White's Bar camp, William Younkin.
Mayflower, fractional, Skylark camp, Charles Tye et al.

January 25.
Fly Trip, Greenwood camp, F. M Gains.

January 26.
Ontario, Eholt camp, J B Desoosiers et al.

January 27.
Ottawa, Beaver camp, Alex Robinson.
Coldstream, Beaver camp, Alex Robinson.

January 29.
Machias, Camp McKinney, A G Swanland.
Legal Tender, Camp McKinney, A G Swanland.

January 30.
Astoria, Skylark camp, S. N. Johnson.
Standard, Long Lake camp, C C Edwards.

Transfers.

January 23.
Golden Eagle, ¼ interest, D E Cameron to W R Williams.

January 24.
Justina, ½ interest, W E McByer to Edward Mortimer.
A G, fractional, all interest, Thos Dobie to Carl Bender.

January 25.
Tuck and Boomerang, ¼ interest each, Iconoclast and Belzac, and Chaperon, ¼ interest each, Lena Peterson to Peter W Lover.
Bengal, Bristol and Badger, all interest, John R. Massam to H I Machin.

January 26.
Boldiming, all interest, J. J. Harris to J B Desrosiers.

January 27.
Butcher Boy, all interest, J E Tormey et al to Butcher Boy Gold and Copper company.

January 29.
Tiger, 1-6 interest, Thomas Murray to Fred N Eden.
Dominion, ½ interest, E Pope to Sanfred Dixon.
Jennie, fractional, ½ interest. John Lucy to C R Pittock.

January 30.
Astoria, all interest, S N Johnson to Harry H Shallenberger.

Certificates of Work.

January 24.
Justina, W E McByer.
Mayflower, George Foulds.

January 26.
Idaho, John McLean.

January 27.
Great Hopes, fractional, James Drum.

January 29.
Hanover, C L Werner.
Ballard, C L Werner.

January 30.
Myrtle, fractional, R M McIntyre.
Grey Fox, W E George.
St Dunstan, James Fisher.
St Eugene, James Fisher.

Certificates of Improvements.

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AROUND EHOLT.

The Shaft on the Strawberry is down 100 Feet.

EHOLT, Feb. 2.—[Special Correspondence to The Times.]—The Strawberry on the North Fork of Kettle river, is down 100 feet, and has 16 feet of fine ore, copper and gold. There is reported a good strike on the Rathmullen group, they are putting on more miners and intend shipping shortly. The Rambler has a fine showing, the shaft is down 40 feet and in good ore. Mr. Pelkey blacksmith at the B. C. mine was unfortunate to get a piece of steel in his eye and for a time thought he would loose it. Under careful treatment of Dr. Kingston his sight is improving and the doctor says he will save his eye.

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VICTORIA, Feb. 2—[Special to The Times].—The government has decided to establish a registry office at Greenwood, Grand Forks or some other point on the Columbia and Western extension. The act will also fix supreme court sittings at Nelson and Rossland twice a year. The choice of a registry office is left to the lieutenant-governor-in-council and will be determined by the relative importance of the cities in the Boundary district when the appointment is made.

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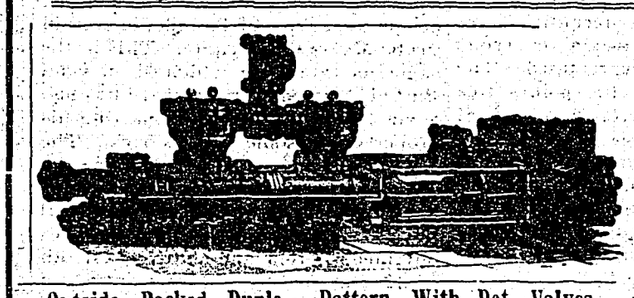

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A GREAT SUCCESS

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THE ABSENT MINDED BEGGAR

Was Not Forgotten—The Alhambra was Packed—Amateurs and Professionals Receive Great Applause.

Greenwood did herself proud last night and remembered "the absent minded beggar" at the front, in a patriotic and financially a most substantial manner. It was impossible to get the correct amount of the proceeds of the entertainment, as the treasurer had not obtained a report of the tickets sold previous to last night. It is certain to be over $500. The concert given last night at the Alhambra theatre in aid of the Mansion House fund was an unqualified success. The theatre was simply packed to the roof, and the committee in charge of the arrangements deserve the highest praise for the manner in which the programme was carried out, not a little credit being due Delphos Laurence, the stage manager of the theatre, for helping the committee and making the announcements. With the exception of two numbers the performance was given wholly by amateur talent, but on account of a change found necessary at the last moment in carrying out the programme the assistance of Miss Alice Hamilton and Miss Celia De Lacy of the Alhambra staff was requisitioned and they very cordially responded.

The programme was a lengthy one. From 8:30 to nearly midnight the large audience were kept amused and applauded enthusiastically every number. The singing of the "Soldiers of the Queen" by Miss De Lacey stirred the house to such a pitch that it was not quieted down until the chorus had been repeated five times. Too much praise cannot be given Neville Lees and J. E. Hooper, for besides taking the leading numbers on the programme they have worked for weeks past to make the entertainment what it was—a decided success. Prof. Con Meich and the orchestra also deserve words of praise. In fact, every one who took part last night did their utmost, and the citizens of Greenwood and the surrounding camps were unstinted in their appreciation or pocketbook. The "Pay, Pay, Pay," concert was responded to as its most sanguine promoters wished.

It would take much space to credit at any length the merits of the different performers; all received encores, for it was an appreciative audience. The programme opened with a comic song by F. Lewin. His rendition of "For me, For me," was a good starter. T. Murray followed in a song and dance. C. W. H. Sanson created laughter in his song "And the verdict was." C. Strong was next with "The two grenadiers." "He wanted something to play with," by J. E. Hooper, made a tremendous hit. It was rendered in his best style and introducing, as the song did, a lot of local hits it was deservedly appreciated. W. W. Howe's comic song, "Brown of Colorado," was also laughable. A. G. Simpson of Phoenix, first song was, "It's-a-kind-of-a'-sort of a'," and in the second half, "The bugler serenade;" he too received big applause. Evan Morgan was clever in Indian club and axe swinging. A musical monologue, "The gentleman ranker," or "Ordered to the front," the music of which was especially composed for the occasion by J. E. Hooper, was given in truly military style and dash by Neville Lees in his impersonation of Corporal Tom Charleymayne. It was unique and popular, and his singing of the "Absent Minded Beggar" was fruitful of excellent financial results, as the audience became intensely patriotic and showered down money on an outstretched flag. The piece concluded the first portion of the programme. After a short interval the second half opened by a three round sparring contest between Woods and Needham, followed by another three round go between Peter Jackson and Charley Mitchell. Evan Morgan refereed both contests. The last was the most amusing feature of the evening. At the close Peter Jackson brought the house down by taking one clip at the referee's face, leaving it covered with black from the gloves. Miss Alice Hamilton, of the Alhambra gave in her usual finished manner "The Death of Nelson" and in answer to an enchore greatly pleased everyone with her sweet singing "Coming Through the Rye." Immediately after came Miss Celia De Lacy, she was in splendid voice and the house grew enthusiastic recalling her four times. Messrs. Hooper and Leese, with the assistance of Mr. Sansom gave a most laughable skit. Their "Round the Town" duet being exceeingly funny. The performance was brought to a close by two exhibitions of the Cornish style of wrestling. The first bout brought out A. D. McLeod and Ed. Richard, and the second James Tregillis and Tom Watters. Both exhibitions were well contested. At the end the audience all joined in the National Anthem, bringing to a close one of the most memorial evenings in the history of Greenwood. The Pay, Pay, Pay concert will help swell the fund for those who are dependent on the brave fellows fighting for her majesty the queen in the Transvaal. Greenwood has done herself proud.

AS TOLD TO THE INTERVIEWER.

Thomas McDonnell, who returned with his wife from Spokane on Tuesday, was seen yesterday regarding the prevalence of smallpox in the Falls city. He said: "The epidemic in Spokane is only a mild one. There are some 50 odd cases in the pest house, but not one, I was informed, of a violent nature. Great precautions are being taken and in Rossland everyone was rushing to get vaccinated. The city is giving the vaccine points free to the doctors. who charge a fee of $1 for administering same. The trouble with the mails is about all over. There is no excitement in Spokane. The health department of the city is taking every care to prevent the spread of smallpox and its isolation hospital is being properly attended to."

F. M. Munn, proprietor of the Northern hotel, Eholt, was in the city yesterday on a flying visit. "I came down to see a few of my friends here and to let them know that things at Eholt were prosperous. We appreciate getting the Times. I want to tell you it' the best paper for its size in the province." But the reporter was more interested in obtaining news and switched the subject by asking how things were in the mines. "Well, business is good." Mr. Munn continued: ". his is due to most encouraging reports coming from the mines surrounding Eholt. There is quite a force at the B. C. mine, and I understand they are taking out good ore from the new crosscut at the 250-foot level. Their machinery plant will soon be at the mine. By the way, a carload of machinery for the Jewel has arrived and this will shortly be installed. Good strikes are reported on the Silver Plume, Red Eagle and the Twenty-One claims. There are quite a number of properties being opened up, but I did not come down prepared for an interview, its something new to me; but the next time—well, I'll bring a pocketful of notes," he laughingly concluded.

Dr. Schon, medical officer of health, said yesterday that at a meeting of the physicians of the city held in his office, they had agreed, in view of a possible visitation of smallpox and in order to secure an efficient precaution against it, to ask everyone to be vaccinated. A nominal fee of $1 will be charged for vaccination. He said that Dr. C. J. Fagan of Victoria, secretary of the provincial board of health, had asked to have the public strongly urged to take all necessary precaution against the likelihood of the spread of the contagion here. Dr. Fagan left here yesterday for Spokane to investigate the epidemic in that city. A circular on vaccination adopted by the provincial board of health says: "Vaccination, recently and properly done, will prevent, almost without exception, the contraction of smallpox, no matter how great the exposure." In proof of this statement the circular quotes the report of the royal commission as saying that of 10,403 patients 61 were well vaccinated children under five years of age, with no deaths; 182 were imperfectly vaccinated, with 21 deaths; 118 were doubtfully vaccinated, with 47 deaths; 677 were confessedly not vaccinated, and among them 383 deaths. In the year 1771, 110 persons were engaged in the Homerton fever hospital in attendance on the smallpox sick. All but two were re-vaccinated and all but these two escaped the disease. Of 734 nurses and attendants on smallpox cases in London hospitals, 79 had had smallpox and these escaped; 645 were re-vaccinated on entrance and not one took smallpox; 10 escaped vaccination and all took smallpox.

CONCENTRATED MINING NEWS.

Fifty-two men are on the pay-roll of the B. C. Chartered company, limited. S. F. Parrish is the general manager. The mine is shipping daily to the Trail smelter from 60 to 70 tons. The greater portion of this is being taken from the dumps, as little ore is at present being broken. The new machinery plant coming from Montreal will be at the mine this month. At the 250-foot level the drift has cut the vein on its dip for a distance of 40 feet.

W. Y. Williams, superintendent of the different properties under Jay P. Graves, management, arrived in the city yesterday from the City of Paris and Lincoln mine, in Central camp. To a Times man he said that they were making preparations to send down ore from that mine to the Granby smelter at Grand Forks. This mine will be the first one to ship ore to that smelter. Shipments would have been made a month ago but there has never been sufficient snow to haul the ore down by sleighs. Even now the ore will only be hauled to Fourth of July creek by sleighs when it will be transfered to wheels, and hauled the balance of the distance that way. There are 500 tons of ore now ready for shipment, and between three and four thousand tons will be shipped this winter to the smelter. This last ore is ready to be stoped. The mine is developed by a cross-cut tunnel to the ore body, 1,000 feet in length, with drifts on the ore body running north and south. The north drift is in 600 feet and is connected by a raise to the surface 300 feet. In the south drift the work has progressed about 500 feet. A connection is now being made between this drift and the old Lincoln shaft.

Robert Donagin is in the city from Chesaw. He owns the C. O. D. claim, on the west slope of Thunder mountain in the Myers Creek camp. This is the same mountain on which the Crystal Butte is located. Mr. Donagin has had a small force of men prospecting his property for some months back. The work has been in opening the vein by a number of small shafts and considerable surface cross-cutting. He is well pleased with the results, and values obtained. From one shaft, at a depth of 12 feet he says the ore went $29 in gold and eight ounces in silver. He speaks highly of the splendid showing on the Mountain Chief. This mine is owned by a Greenwood company. The work consists of sinking a shaft to a depth of 100 feet. It was down when he left 30 feet in good quartz. The ledge measures from 8 to 10 feet, at a most conservative estimate. Work is progressing satisfactorily on the Poland China and the Review mines. Just before coming out he heard there had been quite a fracas over the Chesaw townsite. Someone had attempted to jump the townsite and as a consequence a number of promient people got mixed up in the affray and for a short time there was a likelyhood of gun play. However, matters he believed, had been smoothed over.

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By Order of the Board.

H. CAMPBELL OSWALD,
Secretary.

Montreal, 17th November, 1899. 12-21

Mineral Act, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

COPPEROPOLIS and MAGNOLIA Mineral Claims, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Copper camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George Riter Free Miner's Certificate No. B6585, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 11th day of January, 1900.

GEORGE RITER.

NOTICE OF PRIVATE BILL.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, equip, maintain and operate Telephone and Telegraph lines within and throughout the Province of British Columbia and to construct, erect and maintain such and so many poles and other works and devices as the Company deem necessary for making, completing, supporting, using, working, operating and maintaining the system of communication by telephone and telegraph and to open or break up any part or parts of the said highways or streets as often as the said Company, its agents, officers or workmen think proper and for the purpose of the undertaking, to purchase acquire or lease and hold and sell and dispose of lands, buildings or tenements within the limits aforesaid and to purchase or lease for any term of years any telephone or telegraph line established to be established in British Columbia, connected or to be connected with the line which the Company may construct and to amalgamate with or lease its line or lines or any portion or portions thereof to any company possessing as proprietor, any line of telephone or telegraph communication connecting or to be connected with the said company's line or lines, and to borrow money for the purposes of the Company and to pledge or mortgage any of the Company's assets for that purpose and to receive bonuses or privileges for any person or body corporate and with all other usual, necessary or incidental rights, powers or privileges as may be necessary or incidental to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

Dated this 15th day of December, 899

J. R. BROWN,
Solicitor for the Applicant.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

SYLVESTER K. Mineral Claim, situate in Greenwood camp, Kettle River Mining division of Yale district. Where located: North of and adjoining the Cimeron mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, A. M. Whiteside, as agent for L. I. Ostroski, free miner's certificate No. 18596A, C. Scott Galloway, free miner's certificate No. B7777, J. Circu, free miner's certificate No. B6350, P. W. Dillon, free miner's certificate No. 18597A, D. Moylan, free miner's certificate No. B6146, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpoe of obtaining a Crown Grant for the above mineral claim.

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

Dated this 15th day of January, A. D. 1909.

A. M. WHITESIDE.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

MOUNTAIN VIEW Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Skylark camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for George Arthur Rendell, free miner's certificate No. B7731; George Smith, free miner's certificate No. 19767A; George B. Taylor, free miner's certificate No. 161, and Justin C. Sears, free miner's certificate No. B7036, 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 20th day of November, 1899.

I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

THE RUBY mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Smith's camp, about half a mile north easterly from Boundary Falls.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George Cook, Free Miner's Certificate No. D6519, for myself and as agent for William Graham McMynn, Free Miner's Certificate No. B6301, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 20th day of December, 1899.

GEORGE COOK.

Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

CRESCENT Mineral Claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale district. Where located: In Skylark camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Charles Sweeny, free miner's certificate No. 34821 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 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 7th day of November, 1899.

5-11-9-9. I. H. HALLETT.

Mineral Act 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

"SHOO FLY" mineral claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Rock Creek at the mouth of Baker Creek.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby as agent for Geo. E. Drew Free Miner's Certificate No. 59184 "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 1st day of November, 1899.

FORBES M. KERBY.

Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Mountain View, Nightingale, and Clipper Fractional Mineral claims, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Skylark camp.

TAKE notice that we, E. C. Cargill, Free Miners' certificate No. B, 28176 and E. T. Wickwire, Free Miners' certificate No. B, 6025, intend sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown Grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1899.

Mineral Act, 1896.
CERTIEICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

C. O. D. Mineral claim situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: In Long Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Arthur Murdoch Whiteside, acting as agent on behalf of Thomas Miller, Free Miner's Certificate No. 5934 H. J. Cole, Free Miner's Certificate No. 19521A, and C. M. Collins, Free Miner's Certificate No. 19729 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 2nd day of December 1899.

A. M. WHITESIDE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the first meeting of the License Commissioners for the City of Greenwood held after 30 days from this date the undersigned will apply for a transfer from the undersigned to J. T. Bedard of the Hotel License now held by them for the St. Charles Hotel, situated on Copper street in this city.

BERGER & BEDARD.

Greenwood, B. C. Dec. 15th, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session to incorporate a company, with power to construct, maintain and operate a railway in Yale district, in the Province of British Columbia, of either standard or narrow gauge, and utilizing steam, electric and other motive power, from a point on the international boundary line at or near Carson city, where Kettle river intersects the said international boundary line; thence by the best available route in a general northerly direction in the vicinity of Fourth of July creek to a point at or near the junction of the East and West Forks of the said creek; thence in a general westerly course to the Phoenix Mining camp; with power to construct, maintain and operate a branch line from the starting point above mentioned easterly to some point on the Columbia and Western railway between the said starting point and Grand Forks or easterly thereof; with power also to construct maintain and operate branch lines from the, said line of railway to the Central (or White's) mining camp, the Wellington camp, the Skylark mining camp, the Summit mining camp, and the City of Greenwood; with power also to construct, maintain and operate telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and for other purposes; with power also to construct, erect, maintain, and operate smelters, reduction and other works for raising, crushing, smelting, reducing, refining and amalgamating all kinds of ores, metals and minerals and their products and to render the same merchantable and fit for use; with power also to acquire, construct, own, maintain and operate steamers, barges, ferries and other vessels on Kettle river and its tributaries and elsewhere in connection with the said railway and otherwise; with power also to acquire, construct, maintain, own and use wharves, piers, docks and landing places in connection with the said undertaking; with power also to acquire, construct, own, maintain and use water powers for any of the purposes herein mentioned; with power also to acquire, construct, erect, own, maintain and operate electrical and other works for the purpose of transmitting electricity, heat, light, and power, to be be used in connection with the said undertaking and for the raising, crushing, washing, osmelting, reducing, refining and amalgamating ores, metals, minerals and their products and to sell and lease electric power and otherwise; with power also to acquire, take on lease or agreement, or by grant, and to make traffic arrangements with any railway, steamboat and other companies for running powers over any railways, tramways, waterways, and other roads or ways which are now or may hereafter be constructed and operated to carry freight, passengers, and other traffic to and from mining camps and other places situate south of the boundary line; and also to acquire all other necessary rights and privileges and to do all things requisite for the purpose of carrying out the object and intention of the said company.

S. C. BIGGS,
Solicitor for Applicants.

Toronto, January 10, 1900. 185-9.

Certificate of the Registration of an Extra-Provincial Company.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

"The No. 7 Mining Company, Limited."

Registered the 12th day of December, 1899.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered "The No. 7. Mining Company, Limited," as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies' Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in the City of New York, State of New York, U. S. A.

The amount of the capital of the Company is $1,000,000, divided into 200,000 shares of $5.00 each.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Anaconda, and Frederic Keffer, mining engineer, whose address is Anaconda aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

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

Acquiring, by purchase, lease or otherwise, mineral lands or mineral rights, including gold, silver, copper and other minerals (except coal), and any and every other form and kind of mineral lands, and lands, estates and properties of any tenure whatsoever, in either or all of the States and Territories of the United States of America, the Dominion of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, or any or either one of the Provinces of British North America; and to hold, improve, develop, convey, lease, sell, dispose of, or mortgage all the same, or any part or parts whatsoever; to purchase, or otherwise acquire, to sell, dispose of, and deal in and with mines, mining properties, mining claims, mining rights, mills, smelters, plants and machinery or works for the treatment of ores and minerals, and all grants and undertakings connected therewith; and to buy, treat and sell ores and minerals of any kind or description: to acquire the holdings or lien of any corporation or individual owning or holding mining or other property necessary for the objects and business of the Company; to discover, lay out and locate, take on lease or bond, or otherwise acquire and develop, manage, improve and operate mines, mining claims, tunnels, mill sites, furnace sites, water rights, mills, plants, machinery or works, and such any and other estates and interests as are necessary and expedient for the interests of the Company; to join with, or consolidate with, any person, firm or corporation for the purpose of prospecting, locating, laying out, developing, improving and operating any mine, mining property; to acquire by purchase or otherwise, wise, build, construct, equip, maintain, work, manage, carry out or control the necessary railway and railroad facilities, branches, sidings and bridges, reservoirs, watercourses, manufactories, sawmills, artificial and natural lighting and power plants, warehouses, shops, stores, and other works, plants and conveniences that are necessary and that seem calculated to inure to the benefit of and advance the interests of the Company, and to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of all or any part or interests that may be so acquired by the Company, as above set forth or relating thereto; and generally to engage in any and all lawful business of the Company, and for the purposes appertaining thereto, and any or every act or acts, thing or things incident to, growing out of, or connected with said business, or any part or parts thereof; so far as authorized or permitted by law, to purchase and sell shares of the capital stock and mortgage bonds and other evidence of indebtedness of other corporations, and to purchase and sell the bonds, deeds and notes and other evidences of indebtedness of individuals and firms, and to negotiate for and borrow all money necessary for the conduct of the business of the Company by bond and other evidences of indebtedness therefore, as may be necessary for the proper conduct and operation of the business of the Company; to cause the Company to be registered as an Extra-Provincial Company in the Province of British Columbia; to acquire a domicile and conduct any or all of its business in the Dominion of Canada, the Province of British Columbia, or any or either one of the other Provinces of British North America.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 12th day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS
NOTIC.

QUEEN OF SHEBA Mineral claim, situated in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Deadwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George Andrews, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 7726 for myself and as agent for Loria A. Smith, Free Miner's Certificate No. 157, 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 3rd day of January, 1900.

GEORGE ANDREWS,