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BY TELEGRAPH

CLINTON.

Clinton, May 12—Barnard's Express stage and an extra arrived yesterday evening from below with the following passengers:—Wm Fleming, Cold Spring House; J. Donnelly and Alex Maguire, Barkerville; Alex. Oliver, E. Munro, and P. Polston, Quesnelmouth; Mrs Sebastion, 111 mile post; Mr Johnston and W. H. Wright, Clinton. The up stage and extra both left at 4 a.m., and the down stage at the same time.

SODA CREEK.

Soda Creek, 12th—Barnard's up Express, with the mails, will leave here for Quesnelmouth to-morrow.

QUESNELMOUTH.

Quesnelmouth, 12th—Lewis, the Omineca Expressman, returned last evening. He got as far as Blackwater and found the bridge completely washed away. He made several attempts to cross with a raft, but finding it impossible, and being exhausted, he returned. He will start again in two or three days with help, and by that time the current will be less rapid. He anticipates a fearful trip.

WRECK OF A STEAMSHIP—GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

London, May 8—The Eagle Line steamer Schiller, Captain Thomas, which sailed from New York April 28th for Hamburgh by way of Plymouth and Cherbourg has been wrecked off Scilly Islands. It is reported 200 persons have perished.

New York, 8th—The Schiller sailed hence with 145 cabin passengers.

London, 8th—Additional particulars have been received of the wreck of the Schiller. The disaster is terrible. The accident occurred at 10 o'clock last night, at which hour the steamer struck on the dangerous Retarrier ledge near Bishop's Rock. A fog prevailed at the time. A fearful sea is raging, and it is scarcely possible for the parties engaged in searching for survivors to live. The Scilly life-boat has put off for the wreck. The wreck of the Schiller causes great excitement in this city. The dimensions of the Schiller were—length, 375 feet; beam, 40; depth of hold, 32 feet; 3400 tons burthen. She was full brig rigged, and had eight large life boats and three iron decks. Her engines could drive the vessel 14 or 15 miles per hour. She was one of the newest and best boats in the service, was valued at $700,000, and insured for the same value. The steamer possessed every known appliance for safety. Her crew consisted of 124 men, including officers. She had $300,000 in gold on board, shipped by Ballin & Co., of Paris, and 2,000 mail bags containing the entire Continental mail, together with a large Australian mail.

London, 8th, 5 p.m.—Twenty six of the persons who were on board the Schiller, in addition to those reported saved, have been landed at Bisco and Briar Islands of the Scilly group. Among these are the 2d, 3d and 4th officers. The captain is drowned. The steerage passenger list comprises 100 adults, 4 children, and 4 infants.

EUROPE.

London, May 6—A reduction of 50 per ct. in cable rate to America went into effect on May 1st.

Bombay, May 6—Cholera prevails in the city of Baroda.

London, 6th—The Presbyterian Synod now sitting here adjourned to-day by unanimous vote to attend the Christian Convention, which has been in session since yesterday, for the purpose of considering the best means of continuing the revival work in England. The Convention is a great success.

London, 6th—In the Commons to-night, the Marquis of Hartington asked when the discussion of the Budget would be resumed.—Disraeli said there was no immediate prospect of resuming the debate.

London, 6th—Disraeli said in Commons to-day, in response to an inquiry by the Marquis of Hartington, that there was no immediate prospect of resuming the debate which was unexpectedly terminated on Tuesday night. On the subject of the privilege of the House, he intended, however, when attention was again called to the presence of strangers, that a division be taken to decide whether the galleries should be cleared. The Government was charged with wasting time over the question of privilege, but opposition to the Irish Peace Preservation Bill was the real obstruction. Irish members were justified in opposing it, and the Government equally justified in seeking to have it passed. He believed it would be possible to prorogue Parliament in July. Government had determined to pass its measures, even if in order to do so, it should find it to be its duty to advise the Queen not to prorogue the session until all of them had received the Royal sanction.

Gladstone said he regretted the tone of Disraeli's resolution. The House was entitled to respectful treatment even from the Premier. Never before had he heard such a statement as that relative to the passing of Government measures. The right hon. gentleman threatened to keep the House in session until a number of unspecified bills were passed. Was that a becoming mode of procedure on the part of the head of her Majesty's Government? If such a tone was again adopted he (Gladstone) would avail himself of his privilege as a member. He protested with emphasis against the morning discussion of the Budget.

Disraeli consented to take up the Budget in the evening session.

The discussion of the Irish Peace Preservation Act, which has been nine days under debate, was resumed in the Commons. The bill was passed in committee with important amendments by which the penalty for unlawful possession of arms was reduced, and the right to search houses for arms limited to the day time. The House has yet to take action on the bill.

London, 7th—In the Commons last night, in the discussion on the Budget, Gladstone censured the method of stating the Treasury accounts, whereby, he said, deficits were concealed. He pointed out that the expenditure had increased during the year of Conservative Government £130,000. He contended, counting interest on loans, interest on deficiencies in the Savings' Banks and Friendly Societies' accounts, which are not mentioned in the Budget, the Educational charge, &c., that no surplus existed.

Robert Lowe said a Budget of that character was unworthy the confidence of the House. Northcote had manipulated the accounts and produced a fictitious surplus. He said the Liberals had paid thirty millions of pounds of the public debt and left a surplus in the Treasury which the present Government has squandered. That deficit was a national calamity; there ought to be a surplus.

The House of Commons will adjourn from the 13th to the 20th for Whitsuntide.

London, 6th—The Christian Convention brought its session to a close to-night. Mr Sankey, Major Cole of Chicago, and many English and Scotch ministers, made speeches

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THE CARIBOO SENTINEL

SATURDAY, MAY 15, 1875.

THE NEW QUALIFICATION AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS' ACT.

We publish, for the information of the people of this district, the principal sections of the Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act passed last session of the Legislature, rendered necessary in consequence of the disallowance by the Dominion Government of the Act previously in force. Manhood suffrage is established under the new law, provided certain stipulations are complied with, namely—In gold mining towns and districts—The holding of a Free Miner's certificate for three months previous to sending in a claim to vote; or having leasehold estate in possession of the annual value of $100; or having resided continuously in the district for six months previous to making application to be placed on the Register of Voters. Parties claiming the franchise are also required to subscribe to the declaration that they are British subjects, of the full age of 21 years. The declaration is to be made and subscribed to before a Stipendiary Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or Collector of Votes, who are required to take the same without charging any fee for so doing. Very little trouble is therefore necessary in order to be placed on the Register of Voters. The most careful provision is made to guard this liberal franchise from being taken advantage of to the detriment of permanent residents, who must alone be considered to have a lasting interest in the welfare of the Province. To effect this is the object of the section of the Act requiring "stated residence" in the district in which the claim is made to vote—six months continuous residence being necessary in every district of the Province, except Victoria City District and New Westminster City District, where a residence of twelve months in the Province and six months continuous residence in the district is necessary. Some few people may object to this continuous residence proviso, but it is apparent that the provision is a wise and necessary one, and will protect the local interests of the several districts and the general interests of the Province at large. People require to be residents of a district for some time before they can be in a position to intelligently comprehend the wants and requirements of such district; and, in case of large bodies of men being temporarily employed on public works in any district at the time of an election, without a stated residence was required, the votes of these men might be used to swamp the suffrages of permanent residents. It is no secret that such a contingency is threatened The opponents of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Canada have hired tools at work in this Province who are bound, in return for considerations in the shape of contracts, offices of emolument, &c., to do their utmost in returning members to serve in the next Parliament of British Columbia who will cringe and bow to the present Dominion Government and pass any measures which Mr. Mackenzie may desire in order to still further retard the commencement of railway construction. In the Electoral Districts of the Mainland the time for receiving claims to vote has been extended for the present year one month, and residents of this district can send in their claims up to the first day of July next. The necessary Forms will be furnished by the different Collectors of Votes without charge. We would urge upon all persons in Cariboo entitled to claim votes the duty of sending in their applications without delay.

LICENSE AMENDMENT ACT, 1875.

The attention of Publicans is called to the provisions of the new License Law. No license will in future be granted for the sale of wines, spirits beer, or other fermented liquor by retail unless (in addition to the requirements and provisions in that behalf of the "Licenses Amendment Act, 1874,") upon the certificate in writing of at least two Justices of the Peace, granted in open Court. Applications for licenses must be made by petition fifteen days before the sitting of the Licensing Court to two Justices of the Peace in the district in which such applicant resides and for the purpose of hearing such applications and granting such certificates as aforesaid a Licensing Court shall be held in every year on the 15th day of June and the 15th day of December. One month's notice in writing shall be given by the petitioner to two Justices of the Peace in the district of his intention to petition for a license, and a copy of such notice shall be posted by the petitioner on the outer door of the Court House nearest to the place in respect of which such petition is made one month at least before the sitting of the Court. Any person may appear at such Licensing Court and oppose the granting of the certificate aforesaid to the petitioner.

Parties wishing to renew their retail liquor licenses will have to comply with the above-mentioned requirements of the new Act. That is to say, they will have to get a certificate in writing from two Justices of the Peace, application for which must be made fifteen days before the sitting of the Licensing Court; and one month's notice must be given in writing by the petitioner to two Justices of the Peace in the district of the intention to apply for a license, and a copy of such notice must be posted on the door of the Court House nearest to the place in respect of which such petition is made one month before the sitting of the Licensing Court. In addition to this procedure, parties applying for new licenses will require, in accordance with the Licenses Amendment Act, 1874, to present a requisition or petition signed by at least two-thirds of the white residents in the town, village or settlement in which they resid A Licensing Court is advertised to be held at Richfield on the 15th June next.

MINING NEWS.—This being "high-water" season, mining news is, of course, a scarce article. The Ontario co., on Conklin gulch, had 63 oz. last week, and 20 oz. up to Wednesday. On Lightning Creek, the VanWinkle co, had 157 oz. on Thursday for 2½ days' work. The Eleven of England co. have sunk their shaft 166 feet, and will probably commence to drive out on Monday. The company prospecting on Peters Creek, at latest advices, had two feet of rock in the face—tight gravel and heavy wash.

LIGHTNING EXPRESS.—Wilmot is still running his Express between Barkerville and Stanley under the greatest difficulties, managing to make the round trip pretty regularly. The Pioneer Lightning Expressman is hard to beat in piloting a team over a mountain road through depths of soft snow.

PROSPECTING PARTY.—Messrs. Geo. Cowan John Hudson, and Joseph Pascoe left Barkerville on Wednesday to prospect on a creek about four miles this side of Hardscrabble, and in which good prospects have been previously obtained.

NEW ADVERTISEMETS.

Gold Commissioner's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the expiration of the LAYING OVER SEASON for Mining Claims has been extended to the

1st day of June, 1875.

H. M. BALL,
Gold Commissioner.

Richfield, 15th May, 1875. 15

Licensing Court.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a LICENSING COURT will be held on

TUESDAY, THE FIFTEENTH JUNE, proximo,

AT THE COURT HOUSE, RICHFIELD,

for the granting of Spirit Licenses under the provisions of the License Amendment Act, 1875.

H. M. BALL, Stipendiary Magistrate.
J. NUPT, J.P.

Barkerville, 13th May, 1875. my15

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NOTICE.

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THOMAS R. PATTULLO.

Barkerville, May 6, 1875. my8 1m

NOTICE.

Estate of Cohen & Hoffman

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against COHEN & HOFFMAN, Merchants, of BARKERVILLE AND QUESNELLE,

take notice that said claims must be handed in to the undersigned within one month from this date, otherwise they will not be entertained.

THOMAS EARLE,
THOMAS L. BRIGGS,
Creditors' Assignees to the Estate of Cohen & Hoffman.

Victoria, B.C., April 23d, 1875 my8

COUNTY COURT.

A COUNTY COURT

WILL BE HELD AT

RICHFIELD,

On Monday, May 31, 1875.

By order.

JAMES LINDSAY,
Registrar County Court.

Richfield, 5th April, 1875. my8

NOTICE.

Spring Circuit.

A Court of General Assize

AND GAOL DELIVERY AND OF NISI PRIUS will be held at each of the undermentioned places as follows, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat;

New Westminster, Thursday, 13th May.
Yale, Tuesday, 18th May.
Lytton, Friday, 21st May.
Kamloops, Thursday, 27th May.
Clinton, Tuesday, 1st June.
Quesnelle, Saturday, 5th June.
Richfield, Wednesday, 16th June.

The Full Assizes, and any other Assizes as occasion may require, will hereafter be fixed.

Dated 16th day of April, 1875.

By command.

JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

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Appointments.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1875.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to place THOMAS SEWARD, of Lytton, Esquire, on the Commission of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia.

By command.

JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1875.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint JOHN CHIPP, Esquire, to be Coroner for the Lightning, Quesnelmouth, and Richfield Polling Divisions of the Electoral District of Cariboo, in the place of Thomas Bell, Esquire, deceased.

By command.

JOHN ASH,
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SATURDAY, MAY 15 1875.

BY TELEGRAPH

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THE LOSS OF THE SCHILLER.

New York, May 8, 3 p m.—The Schiller is a total loss. The first and third officers, with four of the passengers and crew, are known to be saved. Two life boats are wrecked. Names of survivors not ascertained. A violent sea is still beating on the merciless shoal, thus preventing the rendering of effectual aid. When at last the boats reached the neighborhood of the ledge the last mast of the Schiller went overboard, and scores of people who were clinging to it were drowned, after having endured the most agonizing sufferings during the night. At a late hour to-day three bodies, one a female, were found. Forty-three persons are known to have been saved. Seventy-nine bodies have been recovered.

London, 9th—The following additional particulars have been received:

A heavy fog prevented observations on the Schiller since Saturday. The engines were put at half speed and sail reduced at 9 o'clock on Friday night. At 10 o'clock same night the ship struck the ledge. A great panic prevailed. Capt. Thomas is highly praised for his conduct during the terrible scenes which followed. Two boats were filled with men, who refused to come out. The captain fired his revolver over their heads to drive them out, and then fired at them, but without effect. Afterwards the ship was washed ashore, broadside to the sea, and all on board these boats perished, the tackle at the stern having been released too soon, leaving them suspended by the bows. Three boats got away; one, a life boat, was so badly injured that she sank, but 11 of the people on board of her were rescued by the other boats. The fog lifted an hour after the ship struck, and lights were plainly visible. Two of the boats on the steamer were crushed by a falling funnel, and the deck, which was crowded with people, was swept away at 2 a.m. The rigging, which remained above water, was crowded with passengers all night. The mainmast fell at 7.30 a.m. and being of iron sank with all on it. The foremast gave way soon afterwards. Boats from St. Agnes were unable to approach the steamer on account of the shoals, but picked up stragglers in the water.

London 10th 5.30 a.m.—Fifty corpses from the Schiller have come ashore or been landed at St. Marys alone. The dead are much mutilated.

6 a.m.—Mr Darnier Smith, of Scilly Island, writes the Times that many additional lives were lost because the guns and rockets fired from the Schiller were thought to be merely the ordinary signals of arrival, which frequently have been the cause of false alarms.

London, 10th—Boats cruising in the vicinity of the wreck of the Schiller continue picking up the bodies of the drowned. When the steamer left St. Marys 50 bodies had been found.

The following was received at the office of the agent of the Eagle Line this morning from Plymouth:—Only 15 passengers saved from the Schiller. We are doing everything to recover and identify bodies.

London, 10th—The steamship Calais was lost near Brest while on a voyage from Lisbon to this city. Sixteen persons were drowned.

EUROPE.

London, 8th—The report that Sir John Walker had accepted a Judgeship in the Court of Exchequer, made vacant by the death of Baron Pigot, is denied.

London, 8th—The swinging saloon steamer Bessemer made the trial trip to-day from Dover to Calais in two hours and a half. The saloon, being unfinished, was not worked. When the steamer was entering Calais harbor she refused to answer her helm and struck the south pier, carrying away 50 yards of it.

Paris, 9th—A claim is made by the Calais Municipality for damage done by the steamer Bessemer of 70,000 francs.

Berlin, 9th—In the Lower House of the Diet the bill for the suppression of Religious Orders was read a second time without amendment, and the bill giving the Old Catholics a share of Roman Catholic church property passed its third reading by a vote of 202 to 75. Instructions have been sent to the provincial authorities of Prussia to treat the collection of money for priests who have been subjected to legal penalties as a punishable offence.

Brussels, 9th—The Chamber of Representatives, after a long debate, adopted the resolution approving of the Government's conduct of the negotiations with Germany.

In the Chamber of Deputies Monzetti, the present Minister of Foreign Affairs, stated that the relation of Italy with Germany has always been excellent. A motion approving the ecclesiastical policy of the Government passed.

Berlin, 6th—Six thousand German families are preparing to emigrate from Prussia on account of the oppressive conscriptions.

A dispatch from Berlin says the police have redoubled their vigilance, having received notices of plots against Bismark and Minister Falk. A special staff of 14 detectives have been armed for their protection.

London, 7th—Capt. Osborne, of the Royal Navy, is dead. The race for the Cheshire Stakes, ran to-day, was won by Thunder; Chivalrous second, and Tam o' Shanter third.

Brussells, 7th—The Belgian Chamber of Representatives to-day debated on the reply to the German note. Monsieur Osborne was the principal speaker. He approved of the terms of the last answer to Germany, and considered all grounds for apprehension respecting the independence of the country, the integrity of its institutions, and the liberty of the press had disappeared. At the same time the neutral position of Belgium did not exonerate her from obligations to her neighbors. It was a question whether the Government had done its duty to Germany in the Duchesne affair.

The Minister of Justice denied that the Government had been inactive in prosecuting their investigations.

The Post considers the reply of Belgium to the last German note unsatisfactory, and believes Germany is placed in such a position that to let the matter rest will be an impossibility.

Berlin, 7th—Proceedings against the Prince Bishop of Breslau for violation of the Ecclesiastical Law resulted in his removal. He has been conducted to the frontier.

Paris, 7th—The French journals treat the reports of alarmists about war with Germany as unfounded, and otherwise consider them greatly exaggerated. They are confident the Czar is in favor of peace.

CHINA.

Shanghai, 7th—The American Methodist chapel at Quickang was destroyed by a mob. The authorities have offered immediate reparation.

UNITED STATES.

Chicago, 10th—At Nevada, Iowa, yesterday, a mob of masked men took George H. Fallmun from his house and hanged him. The only reason for the outrage was that he was suspected of having set fire to his father-in-law's barn.

Toledo, Ohio, 10th—A tornado passed over the town of Green Springs, Ohio, yesterday afternoon, blowing down three houses killing two children and demolishing every chimney in the place. Several houses and barns between Green Springs and Clyde were blown down and trees and fences demolished between Clyde and Bellere. On the line of the lake shore railroad scarcely a building escaped damage. The track of the storm was about two miles wide.

Washington, 9th—A private letter from Havana says the continuance of Spanish rule seems to be a question of very short time. Valemazedas' offer of free pardon to all insurgents laying down arms is deemed significant of speedy exhaustion of power. The patriots have all the Eastern and central portions of the island as a source of supply, and are pressing the Royal forces to the westward, and the siege of Havana is talked of as a possible thing.

QUALIFICATION AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS' ACT, 1875.

Every male of the full age of 21 years being entitled within this Province to the privileges of a natural born British subject, having been a stated resident as defined by section 28 of this Act, and having made and signed the declaration provided, and being duly registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to vote at the election of a member or members of the Legislative Assembly.

No person shall be capable of being elected a member of the Legislature who shall not be duly registered or entered on the Register of Voters for some Electoral District of the Province; no minister of any religious denomination capable of being elected a member.

Judges, Stipendiary Magistrates, Constables and Returning Officers not entitled to vot .

Existing Polling Divisions shall be continued until altered or varied by the authority of this Act.

Every person entitled to vote at the election of a member of the Legislative Assembly is required to give or send to the Collector of Votes, on or before the first day of June then next ensuing, a notice in writing by him signed of his claim to vote, according to one of the Forms in the schedule of the Act, accompanied by a declaration as hereinafter mentioned.

The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may exempt any and every Electoral District from the necessity of sending to the Collector notice of their claim to vote in each year, and extend the time for doing so to any period. Any person not already on the Register of Voters in exempted districts can send in a notice of his claim to vote between the first day of January and the first day of June in any year.

All persons giving or sending to the Collector a claim to vote under this Act shall give or send therewith a declaration made and subscribed before a Stipendiary Magistrate or a Justice of the Peace, or Collector, who is hereby authorized and required to take the same. Persons making a false declaration shall, upon summary conviction thereof, be liable to a fine not exceeding $200, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding twelve months.

Claims unaccompanied by the declaration, shall not be entered in the list of voters.

A List of persons claiming to vote shall be made out and posted by the Collector on or before the 10th day of June in each year. When the word "objected" shall have been written by and at the instance of the Collector he shall forthwith send a notice thereof to the person whose name is objected to; written objections can also be sent in to the Collector by any elector.

The Collector shall hold a Court of Revision on the 1st day of August in each year, striking off the names of persons not entitled to vote. The Revised List of Voters shall come in force on the 15th day of August in each year.

Any person dissatisfied with the decision of the Collector may have the same reviewed before any County Court.

The Collector shall furnish to any one applying for the same any of the necessary Forms, without charge.

Any person whose name shall be upon the Register of Voters for any Electoral District, or Polling Division thereof, may vote in any one (but in no other) Polling Division of such Electoral District; no person shall be entitled to vote in more than one Electoral District; and persons so voting shall be liable to fine or imprisonment.

Any person who shall permit his name to remain upon the Register of Voters of two or more Electoral Districts shall have no right to vote; and if such person shall vote, his vote shall not be counted, and he shall be liable to fine and imprisonment.

The Collector of any Electoral District or Polling Division thereof shall remove the name of any person at the written request of such person and proof that such request was deposited in the Post Office in a prepaid letter addressed to the Collector.

Provided, that for the year 1875, in every Electoral District on the Mainland, the time fixed for the Collector to give notice calling upon persons claiming to vote to send in their claims, shall be extended to a period not exceeding one month; and the time fixed by this Act for doing all intermediate acts to the signing of the Register of Voters shall be likewise extended to a period not exceeding one month.

The words "stated resident" shall mean:

IN GOLD MINING TOWNS AND CAMPS,

1. A person who holds and has held for three months previous to sending in his claim to vote a Free Miner's Certificate or renewal thereof, or a Licence issued in the District under the "Licences Ordinance, 1867," and amendments.
2. Or shall have a leasehold estate in possession, situate as aforesaid, of the annual value of $100.
3. Or shall be a householder, situate as aforesaid, occupying any house, warehouse, counting house, office, shop, or other building or premises, and paying therefor the clear annual rent of $100.
4. Or shall have continuously resided in the District for six months.

IN ALL OTHER PARTS OF THE PROVINCE,

A person having for six months previous to sending in his claim to vote, and being at the time of sending in his claim to vote possessed of any of the following qualifications:

1. Having a freehold estate in possession in the district for which he claims to vote of the value of $100.
2. Or a leasehold estate in possession, situate as aforesaid, of the annual value of $20.
3. Or be a holder and occupier, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Ordinance or Act under which he recorded a pre-emption claim of not less than 100 acres; or be a recorded settler or homestead settler upon Crown Land.
4. Or who shall have continuously resided for a period of a year in the Province, and for three months of that period in the district.
5. Or who shall have paid an instalment of the purchase money for any Crown lands in the Electoral district.
6. Or shall be a householder, occupying any house, &c., and paying therefor the clear annual rent of $25.
7. Or who holds a license issued in the District under the Licences Ordinance, 1867, and amendments, other than a Mining Licence.

INFORMATION WANTED.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—We would like to know if any person can give us information regarding the whereabouts of Mr. Saul, the Superintendent of Roads for Cariboo District, as we would like to bring under his observation the state of the trail between the 150 mile House and Keithley Creek. Mr Saul was expected through that district last fall, but he has never put in an appearance up to the present time, although animals are expected through every day. There is no sign of Saul even making any inquiry whether the trail is blocked by fallen timber or not.

I may here remark that the Beaver Lake bridge has been carried away by the freshet. We are glad to see that the Government Agent at the Forks of Quesnel has taken upon himself the responsibility of sending out two men to chop the timber out of the trail. Such prompt action on his part will be appreciated by the public.

Vegetation at the Forks of Quesnel is coming on very rapidly. Cabbage plants may be seen that will be large enough to plant out in another week, and the green peas are making the dirt fly coming through the ground.

—Mining in the wing-dam claims on the South Fork has been very short this season owing to the sudden rise of the river; but although the claims only worked seven days after their wing dams were completed, they made as high as twenty dollars per day to the hand.

There is new fallen snow to the depth of from six to eight inches on the divide between Harvey and Cunningham Creeks. How is that for salubrious climate on the 7th of May?

MINER.

Harvey Creek, May 8, 1875.

TERRIBLE DISASTER.—The details of a terrible marine disaster will be found in our telegraphic report. The ocean steamship Schiller, while on the voyage from New York to Hamburg, strikes on the dreaded rocks of Scilly in the night during a dense fog, and out of the 377 souls on board the vessel only a few are saved,—the precise number was not known up to the date of the last published dispatches from the scene of the disaster. The Scilly Islands comprise a cluster of 33 isles and numerous rocks at the entrance to the English and St. George's channels, lying almost 10 leagues west of the Land's End in Cornwall. The rocks of Scilly have been fatal to many ships entering the English channel. One of the most disastrous events of this kind happened in 1707, when three English men-of-war perished, with Admiral Sir Cloudesley Shovel and all their crews. There is also a group of isles or shoals, called, by the same name, in the Pacific ocean, described as very dangerous to navigators.

FIRE PREVENTION.—We have been requested by the Fire Wardens to call the attention of householders to the necessity of clearing the roofs of their houses of the light vegetable matter which forms during the winter, and which is highly inflammable. The roof of a building in Barkerville was set on fire this week by sparks falling among this fuzzy matter, but fortunately it was observed in time and extinguished before any damage was done. In some parts of Canada, it has been found that painting the shingles is a good preventative against this danger; and where paint is too expensive—as it would be in Cariboo—well-sized whitewash is used as a substitute and found to answer the same purpose. This is a matter deserving the consideration of all concerned.

MINERS will observe by the notice published in our advertising columns, that all mining claims in the Cariboo District are laid over until the 1st day of June next, by order of Gold Commissioner Ball, who will not be here until the 29th inst.

THE Superintendent of Education, J. Jessop, Esq., will visit Barkerville on Saturday, 22d inst. He will examine the school in the afternoon, and deliver a free lecture on "Education" in the Methodist Church at 7.30 p.m.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.—Her Majesty's Birthday will be duly honored by the citizens of Barkerville. A committee is now arranging a programme of sports.

HEAVY RAINS during the past 24 hours have raised the water in William Creek considerably.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. Mr Thompson will preach (D.V.) in Barkerville to-morrow evening, at the usual hour.

THE Telegraph Line between VanWinkle and Quesnelmouth being down, no news of the mail stage can be obtained.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following land in New Westminster District are hereby reserved until further notice:

TOWNSHIP NO. 1.

Block No. 1 North, Range 1 West, Sections 25, 26, 36 of Section 1.
Block 1 North, Range 1 West, Section 27 of Sec. 2.
Northeast fractional quarter of Section 28, known as Lot 17.

TOWNSHIP NO. 4.

Southeast quarter of Section 6.
Southwest quarter of Section 6.

TOWNSHIP NO. 5.

Group 2, Lot 169.

R. BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, Feb. 12, 1875.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1874," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been subdivided by survey, and the Map thereof has been deposited in the office of Mr H. V. Edmonds, New Westminster:

TOWNSHIP NO. 13.

Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 34, 35, and 36.

TOWNSHIP NO. 14.

Sections 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 31 and 32.

TOWNSHIP NO. 18.

West half of Section 1.
East half of Section 2.
West half of Section 12.
East half of Section 11.
Southwest quarter of Section 13.
Southeast quarter of Section 14.

GROUP III.

Lots 6 and 8 on Burton's Prairie, in Township No. 18.

GROUP I.

Lots 233, 238, and 235, near Port Moody.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 Land Act, 1874.

Forms of Proof and Declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works

Lands and Works Office.
Victoria, Dec. 24, 1874.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND,

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1874," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of H. V. Edmonds, Commissioner, New Westminster:

GROUP I.

Lots 301 and 302.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21, Land Act, 1874.

Forms of proof and declarations can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 3d April, 1875. ap24

Notice to claimants of Land

IN TOWNSHIP NO. 9,
OSOYOOS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1874, that the following lands situate in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof has been forwarded to the office of J. C. Haynes, Commissioner, Osoyoos:

Township No. 9,

Section 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove their claims in accordance with Clause 21, Land Act, 1874.

Forms of proof and declarations can be obtained at the Office of the Commissioner, Osoyoos

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 2, 1875. ap24

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the reservation of Land in the New Westminster District, dated 18th July, 25th July, and 2d December, 1871, so far as applicable to land included within the boundaries of Townships No. 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, including Westham, Tilbury, and Dean Islands, Block 3 North, Range 6 West, and the block of land situate between Lots 129, 132, 135, 138, 141, 147, Group 1, and now known as Lots 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, Group 1, has been rescinded.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works

Lands and Works Department,
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NOTICES

Notice to Claimants of Land.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

TOWNSHIP NO.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1874," the following lands situate in the District of Lillooet, opposite Big Dog Creek, right bank of Fraser River, have been subdivided by Surveys, and Maps thereof have been deposited in the Office of C. E. Pope, Esq., Clinton:

Sections 1, 2, 3.
East half of Section 4.
" 9.
Sections 10, 11, and 12.
Fractional Sections 13, 14.
West half of Section 15.
North half of Section 16.
Sections 20, 21, 22.
Fractional Section 23.
Sections 26, 27, 28, 29, 34.
South half of Section 25.
Fractional Section 36.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21, "Land Act, 1874."

Forms of proof and declarations can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, Clinton.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, Dec. 19, 1874. ja7

ROAD TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a List of all persons within the

KEITHLEY CREEK POLLING DIVISION

of the Cariboo District of Barkerville, who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1875 has been posted at the following places:

Mr Smith's old Store, Harvey Creek.
Messrs. Veith & Co.'s, Keithley.
Government Office, Forks of Quesnel.

CLIVER HARE,
Collector

Forks of Quesnel, Jan. 1, 1875.

ROAD TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a List of all persons within the

LILLOOET DIVISION

of the Lillooet District who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1875 can be seen at my office daily.

A. W. SMITH,
Assessor and Collector.

Lillooet, Jan. 9, 1875.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a List of all persons within the District of Clinton and Williams Lake Division of the Cariboo District who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1875 has been posted at the following places:

Court House, Clinton.
Mr Yeates', Soda Creek.
Post Office, 150 Mile House.
Post Office, Dog Creek.

C. E. POPE,
Collector.

Clinton, Jan. 18, 1875.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a List of all persons within the Richfield, Lightning, and Quesnelmouth Polling Divisions of the Cariboo District who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1875 can be seen at the following places:

Court House, Richfield.
Telegraph Office, VanWinkle.
Post Office, Quesnelmouth.

JAMES LINDSAY,
Collector.

Barkerville, Feb. 8th, 1875.

Appointments.

Private Secretary's Office,
17th December, 1874.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Esquire, a Barrister of British Columbia, to be a Notary Public.

Private Secretary's Office.
10th December, 1874.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor was on the 9th June, 1873, pleased to appoint HENRY CLARSON COURTNEY, Esquire, Attorney and Solicitor in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, to be a Notary Public.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint ALLAN GRAHAM, of Manson Creek, Esquire, to be Coroner in and for the District of Omineca.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SAMUEL SMITH,

STANLY, LIGHTNING CREEK,

Has on hand a choice stock of

Prvisions, Groceries,

LIQUORS, CIGARS, CLOTHING, &C.

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CHILDREN'S MITTS & GLOVES.
LADIES' HOODS & CLOUDS, BLACK VELVET HATS, HOSE, &c. &c.

I will during the winter receive other Goods selected from the best Houses in Victoria.

All orders from outlying districts promptly attended to and thankfully received.

All the above Goods Cheap for cash.

W. D. MOSES.

Barkerville, Dec. 5. de5

Public Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

LANDS IN THE NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

offered for sale by Public Auction on the 8th March and unsold, are now open for sale at the rate of

ONE DOLLAR PER ACRE,

on the following terms, viz.: A deposit of 20 cents per acre to be paid on application, and the balance in twelve months.

ROBERT BEAVEN.
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, March 20, 1875. ap10

Government Assay Office

BARKERVILLE.

FROM THIS DATE THE ASSAY Charge for lots of Gold Dust of Fifteen Ounces or under is

REDUCED TO TWO DOLLARS,

and for

MINERAL ASSAYS TO FIVE DOLLARS,

the latter payable in advance.

Au [illegible] 1874. JW. HITCHCOCK.

NOTICES

Notice to claimants of Land

KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1874, that the following lands situate in the Kamloops Division of Yale District have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof has been forwarded to the office of Mr John Boyd, Commissioner, Kamloops.

Portions of Townships 87, 89, 90, 91, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 99, 100, 106, 107, 108, and 109.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21, Land Act, 1874.

Forms of Proof and Declarations can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, Kamloops

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, March 20, 1875. ap24

Notice to claimants of Land

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1874, that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of H. V. Edmonds, Commissioner, New Westminster:

Group 1.
Lot 237.

Group 2.
Lots 198, 199, and 200.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, March 20, 1874. ap24

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dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitant of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:

"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep, and a good appetite. This is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.

"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."

To the Proprietors of

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CAPT. G. S. [illegible] AILLOT.