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CHRISTMAS SERVICES

The following services will be held in Holy Trinity church, Grand Forks, Christmas day:

Holy communion, 8 a. m.

Processional hymn, "Christians Awake," No. 61.

Recessional hymn, "While Shepherds Watch," No. 62.

Matins and holy communion, 11 a. m.

Processional hymn, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," No. 59.

Venite—Battishill—No. 11.

Special psalms—19, 45, 85.

Te Deum—Boskerck.

Jubilate—Turner—No. 32.

Athanasian Creed.

Hymn, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," No. 60.

Pro-anaphora.

Kyrie Eleison — Mendelsson — No. 92.

Gloria tibi—Tallis—No. 97.

Nicene Creed—Marbeck—No. 257

Hymn, "Angels from the Realm of Glory," No. 482.

Sermon.

Anthem, "Nazareth."

Offertory, "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow."

Anaphora.

Sanctus—Camidge—No. 200.

Agnus Dei—T. Adams—No. 261.

Gloria in Excelsis—Old chant—No. 99.

Recessional hymn, "Now Thank We All Our God," No. 379.

Special music has been prepared for the midnight mass in the Catholic church. Rev. Father Bruoker, the pastor, will officiate. The program follows: High mass, Peters; Kyrie, Gloria, Credo; Qui Tollis Sanctus, Agnus Dei Dona Nobis; Adeste Fidelis, choir, Rosewig; solo, "Night of Nights," Sandewaker, Mr. Joseph Hill; soloists, Mass, Misses Farrell, McDonald, Haverty and Mr. Hill.

Special services will be held in the Methodist church Christmas day at 11 a. m.

SUNSET SAUNTERINGS

Rev. Dr. Wright, of Nelson, B. C., arrived in the city today, and will occupy Rev. Calder's pulpit in Presbyterian hall next Sunday, morning and evening.

A special meeting of the members of the local lodge of I. O. O. F. will be held Friday evening, Dec. 26th. A full attendance is requested.

Attention is drawn to the advertisements of R. F. Petrie and Martin Burrell in this issue of THE SUN.

The Knox Presbyterian church manse is nearing completion. It will be a commodious and substantial building, and one that will reflect much credit on the congregation.

Mrs. John A. Manly is organizing a benefit concert in behalf of Mrs. Robinson, an aged and destitute woman, who is paralyzed and unable to work. Good local talent has been secured. Those who will take part are Mrs. Manly, Miss Josephine Ainsley, Mrs. Miller, little Daisy Hodges, Prof. Richards, little Mamie Fraser, Mr. Harris of Greenwood, Miss Manly and Miss Ayre. The concert will be held in the Biden opera house on Tuesday evening, Dec. 30th.

Addison & Knapp have successfully completed their contract for the erection of the V., V. & E. passenger depot in this city, and have performed the work in a very satisfactory manner. The building was taken over by the railway company last Saturday. The freight shed is nearing completion, and will be finished by the end of this week.

The ladies of the Methdist congregation will hold an "at home" in the church New Year's day from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Refreshments will be served free of charge, and various social games will be indulged in. Everybody welcome, especially those who away from home.

The grand Christmas ball to be given by the smelter boys in Biden's opera house on Thursday evening, Dec. 25, promises to be a successful affair. A first-class orchestra has been engaged. Supper will be served at the Clarendon and Victoria restaurants. The reputable public is cordially invited to attend.

Born—Dec. 18, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilpeau, a daughter.

Mrs. Cochrane, of Vernon, is visiting her son-in-law, H. S. Cayley, in this city.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1902

MERRY Christmas!

PEOPLE who reside in glass houses should refrain from throwing stones. If they persist in doing so, they are liable to damage their own brittle fronts.

THE pliability of some of Grand Fork's aldermen was well illustrated last night. The mayor turned Mr. Hammar and Mr. Sheads around as easily as a shifting wind turns a weathercock. Without passing judgment on the merit or demirit of Mr. Cumings' proposition to open up Bridge street, THE SUN thinks i s about time for Grand Forks to elect men to the council who will do their own thinking.

THERE is a tendency on the part of some of our citizens to "hold up" the V., V. & E. in its effort to seeure a right-of-way for the Granby smelter spur. Some owners of valueless rock heaps are asking good-sized fortunes for permitting the road to pass through them. It is this policy of greed that is the cause of the delay in actual construction work. For the good of the community, these people should be reasonable. The road does not object to paying a fair price, but it naturally baulks at extortion.

OUR candidates for public office shouldn't spare the turkey on Christmas day, because a number of them will have to gorge tnemselves on crow the day after election.

THE electors may soon want to know how the candidates stand on the "wide-open" policy.

PEACE on earth: good will to all men.

Dr. C. M. Kingston left last Sunday for Vancouver, where he will spend the holinays with friends.

A rearrangement of the pulpit and the choir platform for the mutual convenience of the pastor and the choir is being made by the Knox church board.

A ping-pong tournament will be held in the near future by the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian church.

The Grand Forks skating rink has been completed, and it was thrown open to the public today for the first time.

A GRAND SUCCESS

Sunday School Entertainment Last Night Was Well Attended.

The Christmas tree and literary entertainment of the Columbia Presbyterian Church Sunday school, held in the Baptist church last night, proved a flattering success. The church, which was very prettily decorated, was filled to overflowing with children and their parents.

An excellent program, consisting of songs, recitations and dialogues, was rendered in a pleasing manner by the scholars of the school. A great deal of credit is due Mrs. D. McIntyre and Miss Lucy Donan, who have devoted considerable time to training the young folks, for the gratifying success of the entertainment. The children had been well schooled, and all acquitted themselves with credit in the rendition of their parts.

At the conclusion of the program Santa Claus made his appearance, and the presents he distributed were numerous and handsome, including a rag baby to a prominent bachelor.

A vote of thanks was unanimously tendered Rev. R. W. Trotter for the use of the church. An appetizing lunch was then served by the ladies of the congregation, after which everybody went home, well pleased with the evening's amusement.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT

Another accident occurred to the Cascade power last Saturday morning. Three motors and the primary coil in one of the transformers at the Granby were burned out, necessitating the closing down of the two furnaces that had been blown in on the previous day.

Chief Electrician Lane made a hurried trip to Phoenix after the mishap had occurred. There he secured the inside of a transformer at the company's mines and brought it to this city. By expeditious work the damaged smelter transformer has been rewound, and the power was turned on today. It is expected that the two furnaces will again be blown in tomorrow.

President James J. Hill, of the Great Northern railway, in an interview in Spokane the other day, said that he would immediately begin the construction of the new railroad through the Okanogan country to Midway, and from the latter point up the Similkameen river the entire length of the valley. He declared that all of the energies of this part of the country would be centered in the building of this road during the coming summer. As soon as spring comes the work is to be pushed with vigor, he said, and as soon as the road was down all energies would be deyoted to opening up that wonderful country.

A number of series of the latest styles in type faces have lately been added to THE EVENING SUN job department.

Another consignment of colored billheads and statement has just been received at THE EVENING SUN job office. Start the new year by laying in a supply of neat, well printed stationery.

GRAND FORKS COUNCIL

The regular weekly meeting of the Grand Forks city council was held last evening, Mayor Holland presiding.

Present: Ald. Gaw, Hammar, Matheson and Sheads.

The usual number of bills were ordered paid.

A large delegation of saloonkeepers was present, and asked the council that the liquor licence in the city for the ensuing term of six months be made to conform with the licence now paid in Columbia. On motion of Ald. Hammar, seconded by Ald. Gaw, a resolution was passed making the licence $100 for the next six months. The city solicitor was instructed to draft a bylaw to this effect, which he did forthwith. Under a suspension of the rules the bylaw passed its first and second readings; was considered and approved in committee of the whole, after which it passed its third reading. It will come up for final action at the next meeting.

Mayor Holland stated that he wished to enter an objection to the action taken by the council a short time ago in regard to giving Chas. Cumings the contract for opening up Bridge street in the event that certain railway debentures were turned over to him. The mayor said he had done a bit of figuring lately in regard to the matter, and had found that Mr. Cnmings would make from $8,000 to $10,000 out of the transaction. Besides, the city had no funds at present for securing the right of way. When the street is opened up, he favored having it done by the lowest tender. He therefore vetoed the contract entered into by the council with Mr. Cumings. Ald. Hammar said the Great Northern right af way agent had assured him that the railway company would not give up the bonds to any private individual in order permit him to work schemes for his personal benefit. Ald. Sheads also arose to explain that when he voted for the Cumings contract he had no idea that the railway company would surrounder the bonds. On motion of Ald. Hammar, seconded by Ald. Gaw, the mayor's veto was sustained. It will be remembered that Ald. Hammar was the prime mover in getting the Cummings contract through the council.

The Grand Forks hotel, the oldest hotel in the city, has a capacity for 70 people. Everything up to date. Rates, $1 and $1.50 per day.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the map or plan profile and book of reference of a section from Carson to Phoenix, duly sanctioned by the Department of Railways and Canals, has been deposited in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in Kamloops, British Columbia.

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The natural situation of the city for beauty is not excelled in Ameriea. A verdure clad and flower-bespangled rolling prairie, traversed by a river of bright, sparkling waier, fringed with forest trees and surrounded by mountains, forming a charming combination of picturesquesness and grandeur.

The Columbia & Western railway, which was constructed by the Canadian Pacific Railway company, has its station, freight warehouse and yards in the center of Columbia, and the Vancouver, Victora & Eastern Railway company, has located its depot, freight sheds and yards along the east line of the corporatiou, thus giving the city connections with twe transcontinental lines.

The Canadian Pacifie railway company has large interests in the city, having selected the site on account of the superior natural advantages as a railway centre.

The climate, taken all the year around, is the best in Canada—part of the summer is rather hot and dry, but the rest of the year is enjoyable.

Throughout the Kettle River valley there is an extent of fertile agricultural land, part of which is now being cultivated.

Apples, plums, pears, prunes, cherries and all the small fruits grow abundantly. The valley surrounding Columbia, divided into small fruit and vegetable farms, will sustain a large population.

Building material is plentiful in the district. Lumber can be procured at fair prices, and brick lime and stone of good quality can always be obtained when required.

The mining interests areof the first importance to this country, and will do much to build up Columbia. Large mineral lodes have been discovered throughout the mountains adjacent to the city, and what were mere prospects a short time since are now large paying mines.

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BOUNDARY MINES AND SMELTERS

Ore shipments last week: Granby mines, Phoenix, 4546 tons; Snowshoe, Phoenix, 1200 tons; Mother Lode, Deadwood, 3875 tons; Sunset, Deadwood, 350 tons; B. C. mine, Summit camp, 750 tons; Emma, Summit camp, 690 tons; total for past week, 11,501 tons; total for 1902, 483,037 tons.

The Granby smelter last week treated 5362 tons of ore. Total for 1902, 279,595 tons.

The ore shipments from Republic to the Granby smelter tast week were: Lone Pine-Surprise, 108 tons; Morning Glory, 27 tons; Quilp, 241 tons; total, 377 tons.

Last week G. A. M acLeod returned from a business trip to Nelson, B. C., in connection with the famous North Fork galena group in which he is interested with Frank Fritz and C. W. Harrigan, of this city. The group is situated 100 miles north of here, and the ore assays 600 oz. silver and 15 per cent copper per ton. It is now under bond to Jas. Moran, of New Denver. The tunnel run in on the lead is 75 feet long and is being extended. The vein is gradually widening. During his stay in Nelson, Mr. MacLeod closed a deal whereby other parties secured an interest in the groug, which promises to become a famous mine.

D. McVicar and associates, who bonded the E Pluribus Unum and adjoining claims, immediately above the Gold Finch, near Greenwood, have struck it rich. In a shaft following the ore body, which is down about thirty feet, there is a vein of ore at least ten inches wide, the ore in which gives values of over $100 to the ton. Behind the ore is a stratum of decomposed porphyry, which is likely to develop into the ore as depth is attained. The ore is freely dotted with values in excess of that mentioned. The E Pluribus Unum and Lancashire Fraction were leased and bonded from C. R. Pattock, C. Werner and A. Sluggett. It looks as if the properties were going to make shippers.

An eastern syndicate which comprises a number of Toronto capitalists has acquired a large interest in the British Columbia Coal Co., Ltd., the owners of the North Fork coal fields. In accordance with the terms of an agreemnt, a minimum sum of $10,000 has been subscribed for the treasury and a limited amount of treasury stock will be placed on the market and the proceeds utilized for development work. A diamond drill plant will be installed in the spring. If transportation facilities existed the company could begin the immediate shipment of a high grade of coking coal from the four-foot seam exposed on the river bank where it was cut by the stream.

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