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R. M. R. ENCAMPMENT

According to a message received by Capt. Fraser, satisfactory arrangement have been arrived at, and the R. M. R. will be here on Sunday evening, June 29. The following is a list of the prizes to be shot for at the meet to be held on Monday, June 30:

Nursery Match—Open to all members of military or civilian rifle associations who have never won a prize to the value of \$3 or upwards in any military rifle association. First prize \$5, second \$4, third \$3, four prizes of \$2, five prizes of \$1. Entrance fee 50c, including sighting shot. Range 200 yards; seven shots; position, prone.

Grand Forks Corporation Match—Open to all members of civilian or military associations. Cup, presented by the corporation of the city of Grand Forks, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice out of three consecutive matches, or three times in all. First prize cup and \$10, second \$8, third \$7, fourth \$6, fifth \$5, sixth \$4, seventh \$3, three prizes of \$2, five prizes of \$1. Entrance fee 75c, including sighting shot. Ranges 200, 500 and 600 yards; seven shots at each range. Position at 200 yards, kneeling; at 500 and 600, any with head to target.

Team Match—Open to all members of any military or civilian rifle association, teams to be of four men resident in any one town or district. First prize cup and \$20, second \$16, third \$12, fourth \$8. Entrance fee \$1 per man. Ranges 200, 500 and 600 yards; seven shots at each. Position at 200, prone; at 500 and 600, any with head to target.

R. M. R. Skirmishing Match—By sections of eight men and man in charge. First prize shield and \$18, second \$9. The shield is presented by the Kettle River Valley Rifle Association, to become the property of any competing team winning it twice out of three consecutive matches, or three times in all. Team to form up in single rank; at given signal to advance from some point beyond 600 yard range and extend, after which target will appear and firing to commence. Any position. No entrance fee.

Extra Series Matches—At 200, 500 and 600 yards respectively, will be fired as targets are vacant. The number of entries will be unlimited, but no competitor to take more than one prize at each range. Entrance fee 25 cents each entry. Position, any with head to target. First prize, 30 per cent of entrance fee; second, 20 per cent; third, 10 per cent; fourth, 5 per cent; fifth, 5 per cent; sixth, 5 per cent.

REGULATIONS.

Lee-Enfield or Lee-Metford rifles to be used in all competitions, and all shooting to be governed by the Dominion Rifle association rules.

Ammunition will be supplied at 25c per packet when required.

Entries to be made with the secretary before the match commences.

Extra series matches will be shot when targets are vacant.

Ties for trophies to be shot off. Other ties to be settled as laid down in Dominion Rifle association's rules.

One sighting shot at each range is allowed, and must be fired.

Challenges may be made on deposit of 50c with the range officer. This shall be forfeited if after examination the marking is judged to be correct.

Firing tickets will be issued by the secretary, and must be handed in to the register keeper before firing.

The first match will begin at 8 a.m. Monday, June 30.

Officers—Captain, Geo. A. Fraser; secretary, T. A. Kennion; range committee, Fred Cooper, T. Wright, J. Hardy, Capt. H. E. Macdonnell. Range officer will be appointed later.

TOPICS OF THE TOWN

Meeting of the Kettle River Valley Rifle association will be held on their range tomorrow from 6 to 9 a.m. and from 4 to 7 p.m. Ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards. Rounds, seven at each range. Entrance fee 25 cents, 75 per cent of the entrance fees to be divided into prizes for the best first and second scores in the aggregate. Sighting shots must be fired at each range. Marker and scorer will be provided.

The meeting held in Alberta hall last Friday evening for the purpose of organizing a bicycle club was well attended, and much enthusiasm was displayed in the project. A temporary organization was effected, with the following officers: Chairman, A. A. Freschette; secretary, E. W. Buckley. A committee consisting of T. Brennan, Peter A. Z. Pare and Robert Pribilsky was appointed to interview the directors of the race track association in reference to a bicycle track at the park, and also to arrange for wheelmen's races during the Dominion day celebration. Another meeting will be held tonight, when permanent officers will be elected. All wheelmen are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies' Aid of the Catholic church gave a very successful lawn ice cream social on the vacant lots on upper Bridge street last Saturday evening. The number of people in attendance was so great that the ladies sold all the ice cream and strawberries that could be procured. The grounds were prettily decorated.

John Peterson, of the Columbia hotel, gave an enjoyable dance Saturday evening to a few invited guests.

The Grand Forks and Granby smelter baseball clubs initiated the new diamond at the Driving and Athletic park Sunday afternoon with a rattling good game. At the end of the fifth inning the score stood 2 to 2, but after that the Grand Forks boys put on their slugging clothes and at the end of the ninth they had batted out a 9 to 3 victory.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 1902

The United States senate has decided in favor of the Panama route for an isthmian canal. Now if that august body would only decide to start construction work at once, the people of the two Americas would feel duly grateful.

The newspapers of the province appear to be unanimous in the opinion that the session of the legislature just closed was the most useless ever held. Yet it established one record. It lasted 120 days—the longest session since confederation.

Mount Pelee is throwing out rivers of mud. Mr. Pelee would make an able yellow journalist.

From the number of active volcanoes that have lately sprung into existence, one would be led to believe that a few our late legislators had crawled underground and were talking against time.

TOPICS OF THE TOWN

The Columbia city council held a meeting at 11 o'clock this morning, and passed a resolution agreeing to bring the 8 inch main up Winnipeg avenue in accordance with the by-law passed by the Grand Forks council last night. Steps were also taken towards obtaining estimates for the proposed improvements, with a view of an early start of actual work.

The Kettle River Valley Rifle association held a meeting last night and transacted routine business. Another meeting is called for tonight, at which important matters in connection with the military encampment during the Dominion day celebration will come up for consideration.

The University of California baseball club play the Grand Forks nine a match game at the race track park this afternoon.

The consulting engineer of the Mother Lode mine, W. H. Thomas, has arrived from New York, and will spend several weeks in the Boundary.

T. P. Coffee and wife arrived in the city from Vancouver yesterday.

J. B. Henderson, of this city, has been appointed architect of the new \$18,000 school house to be erected in Revelstoke. This is a high honor paid Mr. Henderson.

The meeting for the purpose of organizing a provincial labor party, held in Alberta hall last night, was poorly attended, doubtless owing to lack of advertising.

The accommodation train on the V., V. & E. will hereafter arrive and leave opposite the city as follows: Arrive from Spokane and all southern points, at 3:30 p. m.; leave for Spokane, at 5:30 p. m. Stops will be made at this point for passengers.

POSTPONED

Coronation of King Edward Will Not Take Place on the 26th.

A special dispatch to The Evening Sun states that the coronation of King Edward VII. has been postponed indefinitely on account of His Majesty undergoing a surgical operation.

A later dispatch says that the operation was successful, and that the king is now sleeping peacefully.

A special dispatch to The Evening Sun from Rossland says that the coronation celebration in that city will not be postponed on account of the king's illness, but will be held on the 26th as advertised. The dispatch is signed by Mayor Clute.

HEART FAILURE

A particularly sad death occurred at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Lequime's planing mill. While calling on his son, who is employed at the mill, George Addison, late of Manitoba, suddenly staggered and fell backward, and in a moments he had expired. Dr. Northrop was called, who pronounced the cause of death to be due to heart failure.

Deceased was 64 years of age, and had been a resident of Grand Forks for but two months. Prior to coming here he had been a guard in the Manitoba penitentiary for twenty years. He leaves a wife, two daughters and a son to mourn his sudden death. Universal sympathy is extended the sorrowing family and relatives.

The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning from the family residence.

GRAND FORKS COUNCIL

There was a full attendance at the Grand Forks city council last night, Mayor Holland presiding.

All bills properly endorsed were ordered paid.

Ald. Harvey moved, seconded by Ald. Donaldson, that the agreement with Columbia in reference to bringing the 8-inch water main up Main and Water streets be ratified. Ald. Hammar offered an amendment, seconded by Ald. Gaw, that the route for the main be via Winnipeg avenue. The amendment was carried. On motion, the by-law, as amended, was finally passed, Mayor Holland casting the deciding vote. The city clerk was authorized to execute the agreement.

On motion of Ald. Sheads, seconded by Ald. Hammar, the licence for Gentry Bros.' show was reduced from \$100 to \$50 on account of it being a small circus.

A resolution by Ald. Sheads, sec-

onded by Ald. Matheson, was passed allowing Mr. Royer to move his weigh scales from Bridge street to his livery stable on Second street, on the understanding that he place Bridge street in good condition after their removal.

Steps were also taken by the council to have the Winnipeg avenue bridge near the C. P. R. tracks repaired.

A. D. Morrison, the jeweler, has just received a limited number of coronation medals and souvenir spoons, which he is disposing of very rapidly. The medals are of two kinds—bronze and white metal. The spoons are very hand-some, and make an especially valuable souvenir of next Thursday's imposing event.

The body found on the sandbar above this city last Friday afternoon was that of Bob Murray, a Nelson rancher.

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Situation, Environments and General Resources.

The City of Columbia is situated near the junction of the North Forks of the Kettle river with the main Kettle river, and is distant about 300 miles east of Vancouver.

The natural situation of the city for beauty is not excelled in America. A verdure-clad and flower-bespangled rolling prairie, traversed by a river of bright, sparkling water, fringed with forest trees and surrounded by mountains, forming a charming combination of picturesqueness 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, Victoria & Eastern Railway company, has located its depot, freight sheds and yards along the east line of the corporation, thus giving the city connections with two transcontinental lines.

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

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A. H. MACNEILL,
Solicitor for V., V. & E. R. & N. Co.

APPLICATION FOR COAL AND OIL PROSPECTOR'S LICENCE.

GRAND FORKS, B. C., June 10th, 1902.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, the undersigned, intend, 30 days after date, to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and oil on the coal claim situated about fifty-four miles from Grand Forks on the east bank of the west fork of North Fork of Kettle River in Yale district, in British Columbia, said claim consisting of 640 acres.

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The "standing room only" sign was not hung out at the Gentry Bros. show last night, but it was only because people are not allowed to stand in their big show tent, and so get in the way of others who have paid for their seats. And it so happened that those who came too late could not get in, and several hundred were turned away from the tent door and missed a most interesting and pleasant evening, and all this despite the fact that in the tired seats around the ring there is room for upwards of 3000 spectators. From start to finish, however, the show itself was replete with features at once interesting and novel. The sixty-pony pyramid act, with its marchings and counter marchings, which opened the performance, was a splendid introduction to the pony world, the intelligent little fellows, part Welsh part Shetland, looking so well kept and cared for, and being such splendid specimens of their race, making everyone feel at once that the show was going to make good all its promises and would prove full of interest throughout. And so it was.—Victoria Colonist.

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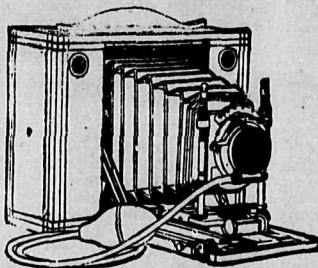
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