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OUR RIGHTS SAFE

Minister of Finance Objects to Infringing Upon Provincial Jurisdiction

The Conservatives, Aided by Bourassa, Oppose Provincial Subsidies

Special Correspondence of The Sun.

OTTAWA, May 3.—The closing week of parliament was characterized by two most striking instances of inconsistency on the part of the opposition.

The first incident arose with respect to a bill introduced into the house, and known as the Hamilton Radial Electric company. This company has already secured legislation from the provincial government, but, having been declared to be a work for the general advantage of Canada, it passes, under the terms of Section 92 of the British North America Act, under the control of the federal parliament.

This is the law and the constitution, and to argue that any interference by the Dominion house is an infringement of provincial rights is to disregard the law and violate the constitution.

These considerations, however, did not weigh with the opposition—an opportunity presented itself to raise the political cry of "invasion of provincial right by the Dominiou house," and the bill, a very important and necessary measure, was withdrawn by the government.

Conservatives attempt to create political capital upon all occasions by alleged attempts to prove that the Liberal government encroaches upon provincial rights. When it so happens that the government makes proposals in the interest of the provinces, then the Conservatives advocate the contrary side of the question. This condition occurred in the debate on the provincial subsidies. It suited the opposition tactics to oppose provincial rights on that occasion, although the provincial premiers had agreed together upon the subsidies which each should receive.

In this attempt to injure provincial rights they were assisted by Mr. Bourassa, who in the course of his remarks showed a lamentable ignorance of the terms of the British North America Act. Fortunately for the house, but unfortunately for Mr. Bourassa, the minister of justice, Hon. Mr. Aylesworth, was present, and put him right. In consequence of Mr. Bourassa not being familiar with the question, his remarks lacked interest and weight.

After a number of Conservatives had addressed themselves to the plea of provincial rights being invaded, Hon. W. Aylesworth advanced his reasons for dealing with the bill, and in clear and unmistakable manner demonstrated to the house that any work which had been at any time declared to be for the general advantage of Canadado was thenceforward subject not to the legislative authority of the provinces but to the exclusive legislative authority of the Dominion parliament.

The Hamilton Radial road had crossed the tracks of the Grand Trunk railway, and in accordance with the law in force at that time, became at once a work for the general advantage of Canada, and from that time forth subject to Dominion control and legislation.

This condition of affairs continued until the present parliament, in 1903, passed the Railway Act, in which occurred the following clause:

"That every railway, steam or electric street railway, or tramway, now crossing a railway which is subject to the legislative authority of the parliament of Canada, is hereby declared to be a work for the general advantage of Canada, in respect only to such connection or crossing, or to through traffic thereon."

Now the question arose as to whether a railway that had been subject only to the jurisdiction of the Dominion parliament for ten years could be referred to the provincial legislature for legislative purposes.

Here again the British North America Act provides far just such an emergency as the one under discussion. Section 92 reads:

"That such works as have at any time been declared to be for the general advantage of Canada shall thenceforward be subject to the Dominion control only."

The position of this bill is that having once been declared a work for the general advantage of Canada, it must remain so.

This whole case is simple when the plain facts are related, but the opposition in the house raised the cry of provincial rights, and the party press circulated biased and unreliable reports of what occurred, and the result is that the minds of the people have been prejudiced without cause, and no credit is given the Liberal government for their action in the matter.

In consequence of a doubt as to whether the Dominion government could divest or denude itself of rights once acquired to legislate on a case of this character,and to remove all doubts as to whether there was an infraction of provincial rights, the government did not press the bill, and it was dropped.

In the railway committee Mr. Fielding called attention to the difficulty, and remarked that by passing the bill the house might encroach upon provincial rights; and Mr. Aylesworth concludes his speech by expressing the same doubts. Here was a case in which the government distinctly avoided any infringement of provincial rights in a very doubtful case, and the Conservative party was willing to sacrifice the public interest for party expediency.

Hon. Mr. Fielding announced to the house that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had intended before he left to introduce a bill providing for a substantial sum towards celebrating the 300th anniversary of the founding of Ruebec by Champlain, making the occasion one of a national character, but his absence interfered with the program, but the bill would be brought down next session.

Hon. Wm. Paterson,minister of customs, and war horse of the Liberal party,whose stentorian tones have sent dismay into the Tory ranks on many occasions, addressed the house on the subject of revenue, in response to some idle observations by Mr. Foster. The minister of customs displayed all his old-time vigor, and cheers went through the building as he described the benefit of the Liberal tariff, which produced revenue, as against the prohibitive tariff of the Conservatives when in office—which produced little revenue but ruined the commerce of the country.

Under the Conservatives trade increased in ten years by $37,000,000, under the Liberals trade has increased by $311,000,000. Speaking of imports, the honorable gentleman said the imports during 1887 were $112,000,000; in 1895 they were $110,000,000. The Conservatives had decreased them $2,000,000. Under the Liberals the imports have reached the colossai figure of $294,000,000, and

"We have not adopted the prohibitive tariff of the Conseratives," said Hon. Mr. Paterson; but we have adopted a revenue tariff, and as an incident thereto there is ample protectiofl to all industries.

After this vigorous, cyclonic speech from the minister of customs, Mr. Foster glared through his spectacles, but he was like the man who had not on a wedding garment—speechless.

The government is giving every reasonable assistance to Montreal and Quebec for the purpose of improving the harbor facilities. The idea is to put into eflect as soon as may be a comprehensive scheme having for its

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SIGN AGREEMENT

New Arrangement Effective for Two Years Increases Miners' Wages

Work in East Kootenay Coal Mines to Be Resumed Immediately

It is undoubtedly due to the untiring efforts of Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor, that the agreement given below has been finally signed and settled upon. He has worked unceasingly early and late to bring these parties together, and the strain, which has been intense, has told upon him to a visible extent. When the welcome news was given to the press by Mr. King, handshaking and rejoicing is reported to have become general in Fernie, and faces that have for the past while had a worried expression broke into smiles. The men will go back to work on an increased scale of wages for at least two years. The executive board of the U. M. W. of A. have wired to all outlying camps, and notices were also posted in Fernie reading as follows:

"To the Officers and Members of the U. M. W. of A., District No. 18:—The result of the voting upon the new agreement is as follows: For, 1124; against, 747; majority for agreement, 377. The agreement has been duly signed again,and all members are requested to end their vacation and resume work at all mines immediately.

"(Signed) F. H. SHERMAN,
"District Pres. U. M. W. of A."

The feeling of the men is strongly in favor of this return to work, though they feel strongly against Sherman, for they realize now that work should never have ceased and that they could have reached the same agreement without the loss of a day's work. Work is to be resumed almost at once, though the operators state it will be several days before the mines can be opened to their full capacity.

The following is a summary of the agreement decided upon:

The agreement occupies four pages of typewritten matter, and the accompanying schedules take up eight more. The parties are the Western Coal Operators' association, consisting of seven companies operating in that district, and the employees of these companies, as represented by the United Mine Workers of America, District No. 18. By it the provision of agreement existing prior to April 1, 1907, are confirmed for a further period of two years, excepting in so far as they are changed by provisions of the new agreement. Sixty days before expiration of the new agreement conferences will be held by the parties to discuss a renewal. All persons accepting employment at mines, coke ovens and outside plants are to be governed by rules laid down in the agreement. In the event of a local dispute the man with a grievance will subject his complaint to the pit boss. If the pit boss and employees fail to agree the matter shall go before the pit committee and mine superintendent. If they fail to agree, it shall be referred to the general manager or general superintendent of the company concerned and the members of the district board. Should they fail to agree the dispute shall be re erred to a joint committee comprising three operators appointed by the Western Coal Operators' association and three miners appointed by District No. 18 of the U. M. W. of A. If this committee is unable to agree it shall endeavor to choose an independent chairman. If it cannot do so, the minister of labor shall be asked to appoint such chairman. The decision of the committee thus constituted shall be binding upon both parties. While the dispute is being considered the men must remain at work. In the event of an employee being discharged he shall not remain in the employ of the company while the case is being investigated. If the claim is made for lost time, the joint committee shall determine the amount of compensation, if any. One important subsection reads as follows:

"Any breach of this agreement by any of the parties hereto is not to void the said agreement,but thesame is to continue in full force and effect. It is not inteded, however, by this subsection to abridge the right of the men to suspend work after final settlement as herein provided, if any operator or operators refuse to be bound by any dcision given against them under this article. Payment for new work which may arise is to be on the basis of day wages until wage has been fixed by the joint committee."

The article referred to is,of course, that arranging for settlement of disputes.

The promise of Hon. W. H.Cushing, minister of public works for Alberta, that his government would introduce legislation for enacting an eight-hour bank-to-bank day has apparently been considered in the section relating to hours of work. This clause reads:

"It is understood that nothing shall be held to afford any grounds against the enactment of legislation respecting hours of labor in the province of Alberta."

The balance of the agreement proper deals with the rate of wages. It provides that there shall be a 5 per cent increase on contract mining rates at the following mines: No. 9 mine, Coal Creek; No. 3 mine, Michel, Lunbreck and Canmore. There shall be added on outside labor an increase of 25 cents per day on all $2 rates, and an increase of 5 per cent to all rates of $2.50 and over. There shall be added an increase of 25 per cent per day to drivers, tail rope riders and hoist men. It provides that at Canmore, Bankhead, Lundbreck and Lille an increase of 5 per cent shall be added to all other transportation men and those connected with the handling of coal, this increase being given on account of the longer hours of work at those mines. Schedules are four in number, and give details of rates to be paid to contract miners in various mines and to outside employees, whether inside or outside laborers, in all camps. Schedule rates under agreement are to be minimum rates paid, but nothing in the agreement shall be construed to prevent the companies from paying higher rates should they so desire. It is also understood that where higher rates have prevailed no reduction is to take place. The custom of Canmore mine of W. H. MacNeill, Ltd., of deducting 2 per cent from wages to cover mine expenses shall be discontinued, and in lieu thereof shall be substituted a deduction of 5 cents per month for blacksmithing and sharpening of tools. Explosives shall be paid for by the men. The agreement is dated May 4, 1907, and is signed by the Western Coal Operators' association, G. G. S. Lindsey, president; Lewis Stockett, vice-president; W. F. Little, secretary; Pacific Coal Co., Ltd., L. Stockett, general manager, and W. H. MacNeill.

The men appeared to be anxious to return to work, and the mines have all resumed operations,

COUNCIL MEETING

A short session of the city council was held in the council chamber Monday evening, those present being Ald. Hardy, McCallum, McIntosh and Woodland. In the absence of the mayor, Ald. McCallum was voted to the chair.

A communication was read from A. L. Clements, local C.P.R. agent. Mr. Clements said the rate submitted by the council for city water, viz., $75 for the tank and $1 per tap per month, was unreasonable, and if that was the best figure they could give the company would be compelled to install its own pumping plant. He added, however, that he would be glad to confer with a committee from the council in regard to the matter. The council left the matter in the hands of the water and light committee, with instructions to act as soon as possible.

In a communication to the council, Dave Woodhead wished to know why he had been paid at the rate of $2.70 instead of $3 per day for his last month's work. On motion of Ald. Woodland, the council decided to make the wage scale $3 per day in future for nine hours' work.

Figures were submitted for painting the power house by J. Manly. On motion, the council decided to call for tenders for giving the building two coats of paint, inside and out, and one coat on the roof.

Some of the residents on Garden and Cecil streets made a request for a four-inch main, as they claimed the present one is too small to supply all the consumers with water. On motion, a committee was appointed to inspect the ground, and they were also authorized to act in the premises.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the board of works to have a pair of stairs constructed from the new Fourth street bridge to the power house.

The council then adjourned till next Monday night.

Robert H. Cosgrove, secretary of the Spokane Interstate Fair associaciation, announces that purses aggregating $1250 will be awarded for two rock drilling ctntests at the fair in Spokane, September 23 to October 5; also that several trophy cups, cash prizes and diplomas will be given for camp and district exhibits. More space will be devoted to mineral displays than ever before in the history of the fair, the purpose being to show the resources of the country. The association will pay freight charges on ore samples allowed to remain in the permanent mineral display. The display will be at the fair grounds each year, and exhibited in the rooms of the Spokane chamber of commerce.

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Publisher's Notice

In consequence of new postal regulations between Canada and the United States, the price of The Sun to subscribers in the latter country will in future be $1.50 per year, strictly in advance. All subscriptions in the States not paid in advance will be discontinued after this issue.

As predicted by The Sun last week, the strike of the coal miners in East Kootenay was of short duration. This province owes a great debt to Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor, for his untiring efforts in bringing about a settlement of the difficulty.

No news has yet been received from Premier McBride at the "foot of the throne." No apprehension need therefore be felt that he has ascended the throne.

We believe the postoffice department made a mistake in increasing the postage on Canadian papers mailed to the United States. The sooner the regulation of the new postal convention is abrogated the better it will be for the federal government. The plea of cheaper English periodicals will not avail, because very few people take an interest in them after they reach here, as their contents savors to much of ancient history.

MINING RECORDS

Following are the locations, certificates of work, bills of sale, etc., recorded in the Government office at Grand Forks, B. C., of the Grand Forks mining division, from April 17 to May 6, inclusive.

CROWN GRANTS

Pinto, Gloucester camp, Thomas Newby; Derby, Brown's camp, C.M. Kingston; North Star,Summit camp, Isaac H. Hallett and I. H. Hallett as administrator of the estate of Archibald M. Conner.

RECORDS OF LOCATIONS

Grand Forks fraction, relocation of Iron Horse, Seattle camp, Peter Arena; Edwin M., relocation of Gladstone, Morrissey creek, E. M. George; Pitsfield, Franklin camp, D. A. McLeod; Copper Crown, relocation of part Walter L. and Salvador, Pathfinder camp, Henry Eyre.

CERTIFICATE OF WORK

Senator, Summit camp, H. Hoffman; Fremont fraction, Summit camp, C. M. Tobiassen; Paper Dollar, Franklin camp, Johnson et al.; Maple Leaf fraction, Franklin camp, Johnson et al.; Tiger fraction, Gloucester camp, Thomas Newby; Bay Horse, Greenwood camp, Eric E. Jackson; Early Dawn fraction, Greenwood camp, Eric E. Sackson; Josie, Summit camp, Lake D. Wolfard; Josie fraction, Summit camp, L. D. Wolfard; Copper, White Tail and White Tail fraction, Franklin camp, Gelinas et al.; Big Raymond, east fork of north fork of Kettle river, Bonacci et al.; Dreadnaught, Franklin camp, Murdock McQuarrie; Dreadnaught fraction, Franklin camp, Murdock McQuarrie; June, Brown's camp, A. E. Savage; Wave, Wellington camp, R. W. Yuill; Magdelene, Gloucester camp, M. Fritz; Nellie, Franklin camp, Mack et al.; Last Chance, Franklin camp, Ballew et al., survey; Burlington fraction, Greenwood camp, John Mulligan; Tiger fraction, Greenwood camp, Wm. Hanna; London Mo. 2, survey, B. C. Copper Co., Ltd.; B. C. Fraction No. 2, survey, B. C. Copper Co., Ltd.; Monitor fraction, Summit camp, Geo. W. Averill; Goldfield, Wellington camp, Pat Walsh.

CONVEYANCES.

B. C. Fraction No. 2, Summit camp, R. H. Anderson to C. E. L. Portears; London Fraction No. 2, Summit camp, R. H. Anderson to C. E. L. Portears; B. C. Fraction No. 2 and London Fraction No. 2, Summit camp, C. E. L. Portears to B. C. Copper Co., Ltd.

CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENT

Norton fraction, Summit camp, James F. Cunningham; Saloon fraction, Summit camp, James F. Cunningham.

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object the improvement of the waterways and harbors of Canada. At the moment very necessary work is being pushed along at Quebec and Montreal, as they are the two points in which the rest of Canada is mainly interested. The immense grain shipments from the west, and the enormous increase of imports, is evidence of the expansion of the trade of the country, and any improvement in these two great national shipping points is reflected throughout the other parts of the Dominion.

In reply to some questions by Mr. Borden, Mr. Fisher explained the scheme of the government, saying in part, the comprehensive scheme the honorable gentleman will find in the practical working out of it, if he will but look at it. The scheme dealt with by the transportation commission was one for the transportation of our products, especially from the plains of the northwest to the seaboard for the purpose of export to Europe. We have been doing that in the most practical and effective way. We have dealt with the necessity of a great port at the head of Lake Superior, to which the products of our western plains could be brought.

That port is being provided for by the expenditure, altogether, of over $1,000,000, the money being given for dredging breakwaters and other improvements at Port Arthur. Facilities for the bringing of the grain to this port are being provided, and not only by the assistance given to the building of the Canadian Northern, but also by the assistance given to the national transcontinental or Grand Trunk Pacific. These lines will afford better facilities than ever were given before for the transportation of these products to the port at the head of Lake Superior. We have done work on the Georgian Bay ports.

We have effected great improvements at Port Colberne to enable the grain brought down from the upper lakes to be transhipped in barges for transportation farther east. We have improved the harbors on the lower lakes and St. Lawrence, not only between Kingston and Montreal and at the great harbor of Montreal itself, but between Montreal and Quebec and eastward to the gulf. Part of this scheme is work that we have been doing in Quebec. The honorable gentleman wants that work defined in an elaborate scheme. But the general scheme can easily by understood.

We have carried it out piecemeal, but, as the minister of finance has said, we are taking first those pieces which are most urgent and necessary and the accomplishment of which will do the greatest good at this time, besides helping the carrying out of the general scheme.

Another attempt was made by the Conservatives to turn to political account the big military camp which the Dominion government has established at Petawawa. Under the terms of the British North America Act, any lands or public property may be assumed by the Dominion if required for purposes of fortifications or for the defence of the country.

This being so, application was made to the province of Ontario for a grant of certain lands for the purposes named, and everything seemed to be going along smoothly until the Ontario government suddenly changed front and cried out that their rights were being invaded.

Mr. E. M. Macdonald, of Picton, made a whirlwind address,one of those utterances which are effective because of their brevity, and convincing on account of their logic. "What has caused the sudden change in Ontario's attitude?" said he. "There was no word of licenses, no word of the rights of anybody else, no suggestion that any invasion was being made of the rights of the province which would warrant resolutions of the legislature against the ruthless acts of the federal government. On the contrary,down to May 15, 1906, what was the position taken by Mr. Whitney? He says, writing to dear Sir Frederick Borden: 'We have decided that as soon as you have completed your settlement with the timber licensees we will grant leases of 52,000 acres owned by the province for 99 cents, at an annual rental of $10 for the whole quantity of land.'"

So the Hon. J. P. Whitney, less than a year ago, wrote to the minister of militia declaring that he was willing to give this whole 52,000 acres of land to the federal government for a nominal rental of $10 a year, and on this basis he asks the legislature of Ontario to present an address to the lieutenant governor asking him to protest against this invasion of the rights of the people of that province by the federal government.

Mr. R. L. Borden—Why didn't they accept it?

Mr. E. M. Macdonald—Because the premier of Ontario said to the minister of militia and defence: There are some political friends down there that have some timber licenses, and as soon as you settle with my political friends in the county of Renfrew and have given them the amount they are asking, then I will come around and do business with you.

Mr. R. L. Borden—The letter to which he alludes speaks of the rights of the licensees, does it not; the letter which you have just read?

Mr. E. M. Macdonald—I will read it again. This is the position taken by Mr. Whitney on May 16, 1906, speaking on behalf of his government: We have decided that as soon as you have completed your settlement with the timber licensees; that is, as soon as you have settled with my political friends in the county of Renfrew, we will give you a lease of the the 52,000 acres of land for $10 a year. These are the facts disclosed in the correspondence.

Mr. Sproule—How does the honorable gentleman know they are his political friends?

Mr. E. M. Macdonald—My honorable friend need only turn to the honorable gentleman who sits behind him to get his answer. If he wants to know who they are, he had better ask the honorable member for North Renfrew,who sits behind him (Mr.White); he knows. I am not here to make insinuations, but to discuss the facts found in the papers. I am here to say that the hysterical action on the part of the Conservative government of Ontario in passing this silly resolution, followed up as it is by this resolution in the house, is a burlesque on free government in this country.

Now, to sum up briefly, the Ontario government places a value of $10 a year on these lands, which, by resolutions passed in their legislature, they assert that this government is filching from them. This vast domain of incalculable value, according to the letter to the Hon. Mr. Whitney, they consider worth $10 a year.

Mr. Macdonald concluded his speech in these words: "So it seems to me, Mr. Speaker, that in the light of these facts the attitude of the provincial government in asking the lieutenant governor to protest against the action taken by the federal government, is to the last degree fatuous and absurd."

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NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date hereof I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the right to purchase the following described lands on the North Fork of Kettle River, that is to say: Commencing at a post planted at southeast corner of R. D. Jones' land pre-emption; thence 80 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains east to place of beginning, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated at Grand Forks this 5th day of April, A. D. 1907.

M. D. WHITE.

ABARGAIN—House and lot in North addition. Enquire at Sun office.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date hereof I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the right to purchase the following described lands on the North Fork of Kettle River, that is to say: Commencing at a post planted at the North East corner of R. D. Jones' old land pre-emption; thence 40 chains north; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated at Grand Forks this 12th day of April, 1907.

H. P. WHITE.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE.

"Waverley" Mineral Claim, situate in the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District.

Where located: In Franklin camp, lying east of and adjoining the "Lost" mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George E. Massie, free miner's certificate No. B92057 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 claim.

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

Dated this 12th day of March, A. D. 1907.

[GEORGE E MASSIE

CASCADE POWER

West Kootenay Company Purchases the Plant and Assets

And That Concern Now Controls the Power Supply of This District

Advices from Rossland state that the West Kootenay Power & Light company has purchased the plant and other assets of the Cascade Water Power company in order to be able to supply its customers in the Boundary with electric power.

The Cascade Power company began to furnish power in this district in 1901, and has done so ever since, but the power was inadequate to the needs of the mines, smelters and towns of the Boundary section. At the request of the mine and smelter managers, the West Kootenay Power & Light Company erected an additional power plant and extended pole lines from Bonnington to this city, Phoenix, Greenwood and other points in the Boundary at a cost of over a million dollars. It asked the legislature of 1906 to give it permission to extend its lines farther west, but was refused on the ground that the Cascade Water Power company had exclusive rights within a certain radius of their works at Cascade. Negotiations were then begun for the purchase of the plant and other assets of the Cascade Water Power company by the West Kootenay Power & Light company, which has just been concluded. The purchase gives the West Kootenay Power & Light company control of the right to sell electric power in two of the largest mining districts in British Columbia, and its future prosperity should be very great.

The purchase price is withheld. The transfer takes effect at once. The West Kootenay Power & Light company with its new plant in operation, capable of generating 30,000 horsepower, can supply all the present and prospective needs of its whole territory, which now includes a 50-mile radius from Bonnington Falls and a 40-mile radius from Cascade.

A report from Nelson states that the Cascade plant will shortly be closed down and eventually dismantled.

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TOPICS OF THE TOWN

A. B. W. Hodges, general superintendent of the Granby Consolidated, and J. E. MacAllister, of the B. C. Copper company, Greenwood, left Sunday morning for New York.

The Grand Forks fire department will celebrate the 24th of May at the driving park. An excellent program of sports has been arranged, and the various committees are working hard to make the event a success and to provide pleasant and exciting entertainment for those who attend.

An important strike is reported this week from the Little Bertha mine, located a short distance up the North Fork, a four-foot vein of rich ore having been encountered in the tunnel.

A large number of smeltermen have left the city during the past week for other mining centres in Canada and the United States. Some intend to locate elsewhere, while others will return on the resumption of operations by the Granby.

Geo. H. Murphy, who has been in the employ of the Granby as carpenter for the past six years, will leave tomorrow for the coast, where he intends to remain permanently.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

R. R. Gilpin, customs officer at this port, makes the following detailed report of the customs receipts at the various sub-customs offices, as reported to the chief office in this city, for the month of April:

Grand Forks	$2,163.23
*Greenwood	1,967.43
Phoenix	1,536.63
Keremeos	107.55
Carson	75.86
*Midway	73.38
*Sidley	47.50
Cascade	43.09
*Osoyoos	25.34
Total	$6,040.02

*Now under Port of Greenwood.

Roman Catholic Church

His Lordship, D. D. Dontenwill, Bishop of New Westminster, will arrive in the city by the C.P.R. train at 4 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, May 11 Sunday morning His Lordship will say Mass at 10 o'clock, and administer the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Roman Catholic church before High Mass, which will be sung by Rev. Father Bedard, who accompanies His Lordship. At 7:30 Sunday evening Rev. Father Hartmann, Rector of the parish, will say the Rosary, after which His Lordship will preach and give benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

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GRAND FORKS WON

Degree Competitive Team Defeats Nelson in Pythian Contest

Prize of $100 Comes to This City---Win by 102 1-4 to 93 3-4 Points

At an early hour yesterday morning the judges in the degree work competition at the Pythian Grand Lodge convention, in Nelson, announced their finding, deciding in favor of Grand Forks, the points being 102¼ to 93¾. Grand Forks thus wins the $100 prize.

TOPICS OF THE TOWN

A. Erskine Smith & Co., proprietors of the Grand Forks-Franklin mail stage, this week resumed tri-weekly trips between this city and the North Fork camp. The stage leaves their office on Bridge street at 7 a.m. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, returning Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Travel to the camp is reported to be brisk. The road is in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gilpin visited friends in Greenwood last Saturday. The Ledge is authority for the statement that "Mr. Gilpin is the pioneer customs officer of the Boundary district, having come here when Boundary creek flowed into the North Fork and Twin creek had its outlet in Long lake."

Geo. A. MacLeod, of Spokane, one of the pioneer mining operators in Franklin camp, was a visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Neil Matheson, one of the oldest smeltermen in the city, is spending his vacation at the coast during the shut down of the Granby.

W. A. Williams, assistant superintendent of the Granby smelter, returned on Wednesday from a short business trip to Spokane.

His honor Judge Brown, of Greenwood, arrived in the city on Wednesday to hold a sitting of the county court. The only business transacted at the session was the granting of naturalization papers to an alien, after which court adjourned until the 30th inst.

The water in the Norlh Fork is steadily rising. The work of sending the sawlogs for the Yale-Columbia Lumber company through the log chute over the smelter dam was commenced last Wednesday.

John Benson, owner of the Butcher Boy mine, near Chesaw, was a visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Mayor Jeffery Hammar and Geo. Chapple, who are officers of the Grand Lodge of Britirh Columbia, left for Nelson last Monday to attend the 18th annual convention of the Knights of Pythias. Representative G. H. Hull, the competitive degree team and a large number of knights followed on Tuesday. A large number of those are attending the convention are accompanied by their wives.

Although the coal mines in East Kootenay have resumed operations, nothing is yet known as to the time when the Granby smelter will be blown in again, and no definite date is liable to fixed upon until Superintendent Hodges returns to the city. Even if an amicable adjustment is made respecting the changes in the scale of wages, it is generally believed that it will take three or four weeks to accumulate sufficient coke to start the plant. There was a report in circulation a couple of days ago that the carpentering force would return to work next Monday, but this has not been confirmed.

There was a wild report in circulation last Wednesday to the effect that the Kettle Valley line track layers had been held up at the point of a rifle by a rancher up the North Fork. The facts proved to be that Peter Arena had constructed a two-rail fence across the grade, and watched the steel gang rather suspiciously as they neared the obstruction. Whether or not he had any concealed weapons is not known. Chief Engineer Warrington went up and settled the difficulty.

Col. R. T. Lowery, the veteran newspaper man, has disposed of the Greenwood Ledge on account of ill health. James W. Grier is now the publisher of that family journal. Mr. Grier is a first-class journalist, and he is printing an excellent newspaper.

There are not over 20 men on the Granby mine force now, out of nearly 500 a couple of weeks ago. The present force includes the compressor men, boiler men and pump men.

Mining Stock Quotations

	Bid.	Asked
Alberta Coke & Goal.	.28	.31
American Boy.....	.01	.01⅝
B. C. Copper.....	7.00	7.87½
Cons. Smelters.....	100.00	140.00
Cariboo-McKinney...	.03	.03½
Dominion Copper.....	6.25	7.00
Echo.....	.04	.05
Furnace Creek.....	1.00	1.40
Gertie.....	.16½	.17¼
Granby.....	130.00	150.00
Happy Day.....	.04½	.04½
Hecla.....	3.99	.....
International Coal...	58.	.60½
Oom Paul.....	.26	.27
Rambler-Cariboo.....	.32½	.33¾
Snowshoe	.47½	.49½
Snowstorm.....	3.00	3.03
Stewart.....	2.35	2.50
Sullivan.....	.07	.08½
Tamarck & Chesapk.	1.50	1.55

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Geo. Henderson, an old furnaceman at the Granby, left on Monday for the coast, where he intends to locate permanently.

Many Children Sick

Get their feet wet, catch cold or cramps, and give mothers an anxious time. With the first shiver or sneeze rub the little one's chest with Nerviline, gargle the throat, and give ten drops in hot water at bed-time. Next morning all is well. No cold, no time lost at school. If Polson's Nerviline isn't in your home get it there at once. Dealers sell it in large 25c bottles.

CHURCH SERVICES

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sabbath services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:30 p.m.; Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Monday, 7:30 p.m. All are cordially invited; seats free.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. F. W. Auvache, pastor.—Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m.

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TIMBER NOTICES

NOTICE.

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Dated May 6, 1907.

ROBERT GAW, Locator.
C. F. HARRIGAN, Agent.

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Dated May 6, 1907.

C. F. HARRIGAN.

LAND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the Similkameen Land Division of British Columbia: Commencing at a post marked "John Hansel's N. W. Corner," and being about thirty miles north of Grand Forks and near the North East corner of Lot 814s on the North Fork of Kettle River; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more of less.

JOHN WASHINGTON HANSEL,
Per K. L. BURNET, Agent.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1907.

BOUNDARY ORE SHIPMENTS

The following table gives the ore shipments of Boundary mines for 1905, 1906 and for the past week:

	1906	1907	Past Week
Granby Mines, Phoenix.....	801,404	196,380	13,922
Snowshoe, Phoenix.....	8,426	26,570	2,860
Mother Lode, Deadwood.....	104,120	62,388	5,650
B. C. Mine, Snmmit.....	1,345	1,370	.....
Emma, Summit.....	12,881	3,825	.....
Oro Denoro, Summit Camp.....	6,404	.....	.....
Bonnie Belle, Deadwood.....	1,345	....	.....
Brooklyn-Stemwinder, Phoenix.....	140,685	24,033	.....
Idaho, Phoenix.....	2,960	2,019	.....
Rawhide, Phoenix.....	26,032	20,149	.....
Sunset, Deadwood	48,390	7,758	.....
Mountain Rose, Summit.....	3,555	1,212	.....
Senator, Summit Camp.....	.....	.....	.....
Morrison, Deadwood.....	....	649	.....
Sulphur King, Summit.....	.....	.....	.....
Winnipeg, Wellington.....	.....	.....	.....
Big Copper, West Copper.....	586	.....	.....
Carmi, West Fork.....	30	.....	.....
Sally, West Fork.....	86	20	.....
Rambler, West Fork.....	76	.....	.....
Butcher Boy, West Fork.....	9	.....	.....
Providence, Greenwood.....	1,140	470	30
Elkhorn, Greenwood.....	40	20	.....
Strathmore, Providence.....	140	55	.....
Preston, Skylark.....	20	.....	.....
Prince Henry, Skylark.....	15	.....	.....
Skylark, Skylark Camp.....	589	204	....
Last Chance, Skylark Camp.....	.....	.....	.....
E. P. U. Mine, Skylark Camp.....	.....	.....	.....
Bay, Skylark.....	.....	.....	.....
Mavis, Skylark.....	.....	.....	.....
Don Pedro, Skylark.....	45	.....	.....
Crescent, Skylark.....	.....	.....	.....
Helen, Greenwood.....	.....	.....	.....
Republic, Boundary Falls	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	171	100	.....
Total, tons.....	1,158,991	356,211	22,532
Smelter Treatment—			
Granby Smelter	828,879	205,415	14,350
B. C. Copper Co.'s Smelter	121,031	94,683	9,144
Dominion Copper Co.'s Smelter.....	218,811	51,771	.....
Total treated.....	1,168,121	351,965	23,490

BOUNDARY DIVIDENDS.

Name of Company.	Authorized Capital.	Shares Issued.	Shares Par.	Dividends Paid 1906.	Dividends Total to Date.	Dividends Latest Date.	Dividends Per Share
Granby Consolidated—Copper.	$15,000,000	135,000	$100	$1,620,000	$2,158,630	Mar. 1907	$3.00
Cariboo McKinney—Gold.....	1,250,000	1,250,000	$1	.....	546,837	Feb. 1904	.04
Providence—Silver.....	200,000	31,000	$5	16,000	33,224	Sept. 1906	.50

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THEODORE MACFARLAIN KNAPPEN,
Per K. L. BURNET, Agent.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1907.

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Dated April 19th, 1907.

H. D. PRINGLE.

LAND NOTICE

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Dated April 18th, 1907.

HUGH B. CANNON.

LAND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the Similkameen Land Division of British Columbia: Commencing at a post marked L. A. Manly's south-west corner, which post has been planted about 20 chains west of F.W. Reid's north-west corner; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated April 20th, 1907.

L. A. MANLY.

LAND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the Similkameen Land Division of British Columbia: Commencing at a post marked William Waterston's south-east corner, which post has been planted at the north-east corner of the "Jumbo" mineral claim; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated April 24th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATERSTON.

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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

ANY available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt of British Columbia may be homesteaded by any person who is the head of a family, or any male over eighteen years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

Coal lands may be purchased at $10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorised publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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May 3, 1907.

M. D. WHITE.

Application for Transfer of Liquor License

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to apply, at the next meeting of the Board of License Commissioners of the Corporation of the City of Grand Forks, B.C., for the transfer of the license to sell liquors at retail on the premises known as the Queen's hotel, in block four (4), on Government avenue, Grand Forks, B.C., heretofore held by us, to P. D. McDonald.

Dated at Grand Forks, B. C., this 20th day of April, 1907.

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Per C. CUSSON.

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