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OLD SCALE AGAIN

Rossland Miners' Union Voluntarily Assent to a Reduction

Vote 2 to 1 in Favor of Reduction---No Shut Down Feared

The Rossland Miners' union by a referendum vote Tuesday consented to reduce the wage scale to that which was in effect prior to July 1. The old wage scale was $3.50 for machine men and $3.00 for shovellers, with the wages of the other employees about the mine in like proportion. The scale, which went into effect on July 1, was $4 for machine men and $3.25 for shovellers. Tuesday the mines closed down for the purpose of allowing the employees time to discuss and vote on the question of the reduction of wages. The union met at 10:30 a. m. and discussed the question earnestly until noon.

A resolution prepared at the morning meeting provided for going back to the old scale was then voted on. When the union reassembled at 2 o'clock a referendum vote was taken and the resolution carried by a two thirds majority. The mines therefore will not shut down as has been threatened for some time past, as the management declared there was no profit since metals went down, under the higher wage scale. And under the lowered scale it will now be possible to make a small profit.

There was a protracted meeting at Miners' union hall Tuesday morning that was very largely attended, as all the mines were closed down for the express purpose of allowing the miners to meet and fully discuss the situation before taking a vote.

Many speeches were made at this morning's meeting and it is understood that the majority of the speakers favored accepting a reduction of wages under known existing conditions.

Officials of Miners union when approached at noon today, declined to give out any statement as to what was said at this morning's meeting and after the vote was taken the same officials declined to give anything more than a general statement.

The voting commenced at 2 o'clock and closed at 6 p. m. A very large vote was cast and it is known that it stood at least two to one in favor of accepting a wage reduction.

It is understood that in future the wage scale will be that in force prior to July 1st last.

All the preceedings leading up to the vote today have been informal, the men deciding the matter upon their own initiative.

The mines will reopen tomorrow as usual and it is understood that no close down will now ensue as was feared some days ago.

Rossland people are greatly relieved at the peaceful solution of what but for the reasonable attitude of the miners, might have been a very serious problem.

The Sun and the Toronto Weekly Globe for $1 per year.

Metal Quotations

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Silver, 57⅞; lead, $4.75; electrolytic copper, 13¼@13¾; casting copper, 12½.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Lead, £16 15s.; silver, 26½.

Mining Stock Quotations

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The following are today's opening quotations for the stock mentioned:

	Asked.	*Bid*
Granby.....	75.00	65.00
Dominion Copper.....	1.87½	1.62½
B. C. Copper.....	3.75	3.50

THE BOUNDARY DISTRICT

The new crusher for the Mother Lode, which was shipped from Sherbrooke, Que., on October 26th, arrived at the Greenwood yards of the C. P. R. last Friday morning. Arrangements are being made to put it in position immediately. It is made by the Jencke's Machine Co. and has a jaw 30x42 inches.

Invitations have been extended to all sojourning craftsmen in the Boundary district to visit King Edward Lodge No. 36, of Phoenix, on Friday, December 6th, when D. D. G. M. Noble Binns will make his official visit to the lodge.

Recognizing the importance of the recent decision of Mr. Justice Clement, affecting all divorces granted in the province since confederation, attorney general Bowser has decided to appeal the case direct to the privy council to settle the question finally at the earliest possible moment. Leave to appeal will be asked at the next sitting of the privy council.

T. Johnston, of Nelson, has received a letter from R. M. Palmer, dated Nov. 8th, from London in which he says: "We have just had a very successful exhibit of B. C. fruit at Hereford, on the occasion of the Herefordshire annual exhibition. Our fruit was awarded a certificate of merit—the highest award given by the association."

Liberalism and the West

The manner in which the great West has been opened up is a monument to the sagacity of the government, and the results a marvel of the country. The land and water transportation problems of Canada have been solved in the interests of the Dominion as a whole. The National Transcontinental Railway, to build which the Government received a direct mandate from the people, is being rapidly pushed to completion, and very shortly Canada will have another line stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The finances of the country have been so ably and economically administered that each year of Liberal rule has found the debts of the country promptly discharged, no new debts created, and a handsome surplus remaining. Lower tariff, producing a greater revenue, has been less burdensome to the people and accomplished the purpose for which it was designed. The Post Office Department has been managed in a business-like manner, resulting in a surplus for the first time in the history of the country. Every department of the Government has been conducted upon business principles, in which honesty and economy have become apparent in the satisfactory results secured.

NEWS OF THE CITY

Movement on Foot to Turn Race Track Into an Agricultural Park

A Realistic Dream Results in the Baptism of Two Bankers

A movement is now under way whereby the Farmers' Institute will assume the liabilities of the race track and athletic grounds and turn it into an agricultural park, where fruit and agricultural exhibits could be held, The liabilities of the race track consist of fifty $100 shares, and it is confidedtly hoped that sufficient interest will be taken in the scheme by the business men and ranchers of the valley to take up this indebtedness. A number of Midway and Greenwood people are said to be very enthusiastic over the plan, as they realize that good agricultural exhibits in this neighborhood would benefit the whole valley.

Two bankers—or bank clerks—slept with their bedroom windows open last Tuesday night, and dreamt that the skating on the river was fine. The dream was very realistic, and on Wednesday morning they started out for a spin on the ice. After they had gotten a ducking in the water up to their necks, they concluded that the ice was of the same stuff that dreams are made of.

The engine that hauls the stub train from this city to Phoenix had a collision with a freight car in the Great Northern yards here last Thursday, and was so badly shattered that it had to be sent to the shops for repairs. None of the train crew were injured.

Gateway Lodge No. 45, I. O. O. F., at its meeting this week, elected the following officers for the coming term: N. G., John Kavanagh; V. G., R. Frache; Rec. Sec., W. R. Dewdney; P. M, W. B. Bower; Treas., Fred Clark.

The directors of the skating rink are making preparations to flood the rink at the first sign of a cold snap, and it is quite probable that the first skating will come as a Christmas gift.

A meeting of the Kettle Valley Farmers' Institute will be held in the city hall on December 17th for permanent organization. All the necessary papers and documents are now in the hands of the temporary officers, and it is desirable that all who are interested in the movement should be present and subscribe their names as members.

Mr. Hall has been selected as the custodian of the traveling provincial library, which recently arrived in the city, and he has installed it in the Dominion express office. The present instalment consists of about 100 standard works on mining, assaying, agriculture, horticulture, history, travel, science, art, fiction and poetry. The books are generally kept in one city about six months, after which they are exchanged for new ones. The membership fee is 50 cents per quarter, which entitles the member to read as many books as he desires.

A. Erskine Smith and E. H. C. Rawlinson returned on Wednesday from a six days' hunting expedition to the west fork of the north fork. Mr. Rawlinson brought back a dead cougar and a live bear story.

A meetiug of the police commissioners was held last Monday afternoon, Mayor McIntosh and Commissioners McCallum and McIntosh being present. The resolution passed at the last meeting os the city council, asking the board to dispense with the services of one policeman, was read. On motion of Commissioners McCallum and McIntosh, a resolution was adopted to the effect that the board did not consider it advisable at the present time to dispense with the services of one policeman.

J. Moe, of Nelson, district passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific railway, was a visitor in the city last Tuesday. Mr. Moe came here in response to the requisition sent by the railway committee of the 20,000 club to the head officials of the road, asking that through passenger trains be run from the east to Boundary points, thus obviating the stop-over in Nelson. In a conference with some of the members of the committee, Mr. Moe stated that he would do everything he could to bring about the desired change.

Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company gave a good rendition of the American classic to a crowded house at the opera house on Monday evening. The specialties between acts were the best that have been seen in this city within the memory of the "oldest inhabitant," the dancing being exceptionally fine. The majority of the artists were good enough to earn a lucrative salary in a metropolitan theatre.

The funeral of the late Russell M. Hill was held at 1:30 Sunday afternoon from Cooper's undertaking parlars, and was largely attended by the friends of the family of deceased. An impressive service was conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. Mr. Schlichter. Ipterment took place at the city cemetery.

A number of our local gunners went over to the Danville turkeyshoot on Wednesday last. It is reported that Messrs. A. B. W. Hodges, L. A. Manly, James McArdle, Miles Barrett and Fred Russell brought back twelve birds. It is feared that the people of Danville had nothing to eat but clearings-house certificates for their Thanksgiving dinner.

The case of Geo. Elliott, who made a desperate attempt to commit suicide last week while suffering from the effects of extreme alcoholism, came up before Judge Cochrane on Monday last. The judge sentenced Elliott to six months' confinement in the Nelson jail, in order to give him time to alter his determination in regard to leaving this world before his time comes. Chief of Police Savage went over to Nelson with the man last Tuesday.

Probably nearly 100 men have been let out by the C. P. R. and Great Northern on account of the temporary stoppage of mining and smelting operations in the Boundary in the last ten days.

COUNTY COURT

Judge Brown, in Chambers, Disposed of a Number of Cases Yesterday

Jury Case of Stewart vs. MacLeod et al. Being Argued Today

The following cases were disposed of by his honor Judge J. R. Brown, in chambers, at the November session of the county court at the government building in this city yesterday:

In re E. A. Hain estate, petition of administrator for order to distribute estate among the heirs. To distribute one-fifth; notice for a month in a Tacoma weekly paper.

In re Alexander Dawson estate, application of official administrator fer letters of administration. Order granted.

W. H. Covert vs. James Yoe, notice os motion for review of both plaintiffs's and defendant's costs. Judgment reduced $10, council fee to Cochrane increased $5; his client's costs reduced by $4. H. C. Hanington for plaintiff, W. B. Cochrane for defendant.

W. M. Wolverton vs. Chas. Sandner, judgement of garnishee set for the 28th inst.; will send judgement by mail. D. Whiteside for plaintiff, A. C. Sutton for defendant.

J. L. Wiseman vs. Thos. Graham; notice of motion for better answer to interrogatories, costs of motion to be plaintiff's costs in any event. H. C. Hanington for plaintiff, D. Whiteside for defendant.

The new jury case of J. A. Stewart vs. G. A. McLeod, W. C. Thomas and H. W. Warrington, which completes the docket; came up at 10 o'clock today, and will probably not be finished until tomorrow afternoon. This is an action to collect forwork done and money paid out to the sum of $198.65 on account of the Maple Leaf claim. H. C. Hanington for plaintiff, J. D. Spence for Thomas and D. Whiteside ior Warrington.

Chas. Anderson, a rancher living near Orient, was examined last week, at Republic, for his sanity before J. C. Kerley, court commissioner, and a jury consisting of Dr. S. H. Manly and J. W. Higgins. The defendant was declared insane and has been sent to Medical Lake. It is believed the man has been insane for the past year. He recently purchased a revolver and shot at two persons with whom he had no quarrel. He is a native of Sweden, and has a brother living in Brooklyn.

Fred Keffer, M. E. of Greenwood engineer in charge of the mines of the British Columbia Copper Company, Limited, and president of the Canadian Mining Institute, has written the various western members of the latter association of the branch be formed. He points out the fact that the meetings of the institute are usually held in the East, and that the formation of such a body would result to the benefit of all the members.

Holiday Greeting

The happy Christmas time is fast approaching, and again we take pleasure in inviting you to inspect our new and well selected line of Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Solid Silver and plated ware, Cut Glass, Hand Painted China, Umbrellas, Etc. Do not forget that we pride ourselves on our good goods and low prices. We make our reputation on such goods as Morrison's Silverware, the finest in the world. We carry a most complete line.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1907

The Nelson Canadian, commenting on the action of the Rossland Miners' union in voluntarily reducing the scale of wages, says: "The Rossland camp has probably been saved from a winter of idleness, depression and suffering by the good sense of a majority of the working miners, whose decision was recorded last night to accept a reduction of 50 cents a day. The eyes of the Kootenay are now on the camps of the Boundary district. If a similar proposal be made and adopted there the mining industry of the interior will be enabled to tide over the period of hard times. From every point of view it is better that such proposals should emanate from the men than be suggested by the management." We are not prepared to say from what source the Canadian derives its assurances that mining operations would be resumed in the Boundary by a reduction of the wage scale, but if this course would bring about the desired effect, we feel certain that it would meet with general approval in this district—by the laboring class as well as the public generally.

All Canada on Wednesday November 20th, extend congratulations to Sir Wilfred Lanrier on attaining his sixty-sixth birthday. This great French-Canadian statesman entered public life in 1871 as member for Drummond and Arthabaska. In 1887 he was chosen as the leader of the Liberal party, and in 1896 he led his party to victory. For the dignity of Canada, for the well-being of her teeming millions, for the furtherance of honest and economical government, all will unite in the hope that this brilliant statesman will long be spared to lead his party to greater conquests, and guide Canadian public affairs with the industry and wisdom which has distinguished his administration for the past eleven years.

The condition of the public debt is a good indication of the measure of prosperity enjoyed by the people. The public debt in 1896, after the Conservatives had been in office eighteen years, was $258,497,452. When they assumed power in 1878, the public debt was $140,362,069, so that in eighteen years they added to the burdens of the people the sum of $118,135,363, equivalent to an average increase of about six and a half millions per annum. During eleven years of Liberal rule there has positively been no addition to the public debt, but surpluses have been created amounting to over $90,000,000. Sir Wilfred Laurier once said, when speaking at Toronto, that it was not necessary to quote a long array of figures to prove the prosperity of the country, for, said he: You will feel the jingle of prosperity in your pockets." This prophesy has been remarkably fulfilled, for that the Canadian people have felt the jingle of prosperity in their pockets is everywhere acknowledged.

The policy of the Liberals to preserve the public domain for the settler is too well known to be enlarged upon, but it is interesting in this connection to remind the people that the Conservatives voted as subsidies to railroads no less than 56,087,072 acres. These are the people who accuse the Government of alienating the public lands and favoring the speculator at the expense of the settler. As a matter of fact, the lands alienated by the Conservatives were naturally selected along the right of way of the various railroads and were consequently of greater value (in respect to transportation of products) to the settler who was compelled to buy from the corporation at a high figure the land which he would otherwise have been entitled to take up free as a homestead. This is the manner in which the Conservative government protected the homeseeker of the West, by forcing him to buy from the railroad or locate so far from the line that it became of no service to him. What will the people think of the men who cry "the land for the settler" when they compelled the settler to purchase from the corporations at high figure, land which the corporations secured for nothing. If the settler is compelled to pay a high price for his land he owes it to a Conservative Government, which frittered away this heritage of the home-seeker. The evils of land bonus to wealthy monopolists must be laid to the Conservatives, and if the West suffers today in having land adapted to agriculture held at prohibitive prices, the blame must be placed where it properly belongs. The Liberal Government, appreciating that railways were necessary to the development of new territory, extended assistance by payment of a cash subsidy upon which interest was charged, thus the subsidy became practically a loan. The Liberal Government imposed other conditions with respect to rates charged the Government upon all subsidized railroads which effected a great saving each year. Had this policy been adopted by the Conservatives in the early history of railroad building, many millions of dollars a year of the people's money would have been saved.

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Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to the Postmaster at Ladysmith, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent [10 p. c.] of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,
FRED. GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, November 13, 1907.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Detention Building, Victoria, B.C.," will be received at this office until Monday, December 2, 1907, inclusive, for the construction of a Detention Building at Victoria, B.C.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to William Henderson, Esq., Resident Architect, Victoria, B.C.

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LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.

Similkameen Land District, District of Yale.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Herbert W. Gregory, of Grand Forks, B. C., occupation Smelterman, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Canyon Creek, three-quarters of a mile northeast of water tank on C. & W. Ry. at Coryell Siding; thence 40 chains south, thence 160 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 160 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

HERBERT W. GREGORY.
ALBERT B. SLOAN, Agent.

Dated November 1st, 1907.

LAND NOTICE.

Similkameen Land District, District of Yale.

TAKE NOTICE that Harvey Dyke Griswold and George Albert Cameron, of Paulson, B. C., occupation Miners, intend to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 300 feet north of the Gladstone and Rossland trail, and 40 chains east of water tank at Coryell, on C. & W. Ry., marked "N. W. Corner;" thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated September 20th, 1907.

HARVEY DYKE GRISWOLD.
GEORGE ALBERT CAMERON.

FORM NO. 9

LAND ACT.

TAKE NOTICE that Joseph Kirkpatrick Johnson, of Grand Forks, British Columbia, by occupation a Notary Public, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the Southeast corner of Frank Lutley's land pre-emption, on the North Fork of Kettle River; thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1907.

JOSEPH KIRKPATRICK JOHNSON.

NOTICE

"Black Eye No. 1" mineral claim, situate in the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District.

Where located: In Brown's camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Peter T. McCallum, acting as agent for Neil McCallum, Free Miner's Certificate No. B10584, and Donald Morrison, Free Miner's Certificate No. B10580, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 8th day of June, A.D. 1907.

PETER T. McCALLUM.

GENERAL NEWS

Stay away from Prince Rupert, says John Houston's paper, the Empire. Although Prince Rupert is a white man's town, until lots are placed on the market there is not likely to be any chance for white men to secure either business locations or employment as mechanics or clerks. Clearing the townsite will give employment for four months to 150 or 200 axemen. These men will be boarded and lodged by the men who have the clearing contracts, as there are no boarding or lodging houses on or near the townsite. The Empire understands the townsite will be opened in March or April, and it predicts that of the hundreds who will come here when it is opened many will go away disappointed at not being able to get hotel accommodations. Until there are hotel accommodations people should stay away from Prince Rupert. Stay away, even if by doing so the price of lots should be cut in two through lack of buyers.

As in former years British Columbia's fruit exhibited in the Old Land is carrying off prizes against all competitors. The department of agriculture has received news of additional winnings. These include the gold medal at Sheffield, and the highest certificate of merit at Tunbridge. A gold medal has been awarded the exhibit by the Scottish Horticultural Society.

As a result of reports submitted to the Provincial government by J. J. Davis on the Eagle lake district coal fields the provincial government has decided to operate the coal mine for the benefit of the settlers of the district. The action of the government is largely prompted by special circumstances of the case. The fuel problem in the district affected being one of the utmost importance and requiring immediate attention if settlers are not to leave the country. The government proposes to start operations for the establishment of the mine without delay and to get in active operation at the earliest possible moment. The point where the proposed mine is located is some 40 or 50 miles from the nearest survey line of railway and in a country quite barren of timber.

Horne Payne, speaking at a meeting in London last Saturday, of the British Columbia Electric Railways Company, said Canadians might point with pride to the fact that no serious monetary crisis had arisen there, and a debt of gratitude was due to the presidents and managers of the great Canadian banks whose foresight and strength of character had produced such results. Canada, he said, was possibly the most prosperous nation in the world.

An Ottawa dispatch states that the Dominion government has now under consideration a bill for placing under the railway commission the control of the telegraph and telephone companies in Canada.

A Great Big If

At a dinner given in his honor at the La Fontaine club in Montreal last Friday night, J. G. H. Bergeron, M. P., the famous Conservative end man, said Sir Wilfrid Laurier could not carry the country at the coming elections if the Conservatives of the province of Quebec do their duty.

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RANDOM REMARKS

Judging from the number of resolutions—good, bad and indifferent—that are being rescinded at every session of the city council, it is only natural to conclude that the members have gone into active training for the New Year's season.

All public bodies that legislate through spite, are narrow-minded, so to speak, and seldom consider the best interests of the community.

What a lot of misery must be endured by the man who thinks that everybody else is dishonest.

When a man is too busy to take time to laugh it is a sign that you would better be on your guard when you do business with him.

Two women talking across the back gate can stir up more neighborhood trouble than the Hague peace conference can settle.

Will some scientist explain why it is that when the light leaves begin falling, heavy coal begins rising?

Somehow or other it is easier to remember what real happiness was than to realize what happiness is.

A kit of burglar's tools is a "safe investment," and fully as honest as some that are offered to the public.

We are very apt to call that man an iconoclast who knocks one of our pet theories into smithereens.

For a long time politics has made strange bedfellows; is it not time that high finance made strange cellmates?

A good cause is never permanently advanced by truckling for the support of a vicious element.

The sound of a kind word soon dies, but its memory lives forever.

The first argument to use when you want to convince a hungry man is a square meal.

Dirty dollars are not cleansed by throwing one of them into the contribution box.

We would like to hear the apologies some men make to their conscience.

Some people carry their christianity in an undeposited church letter.

A lot of people cast their burdens on the Lord and then go away and forget them.

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.

METHODIST CHURCH, Rev Schlichter.—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p.m.; Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p.m. All are welcome.

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PERSONAL

Ernest Miller, barrister, is spending the present week at the coast cities on professional business.

H. W. Warrington, chief engineer of the Kettle Valley line, returned Sunday morning from a business trip to Repnblic.

Mrs. J. C. MacDonald and son returned home Sunday evening from a three months' visit with friends and relatives in Oregon and California. Mr. MacDonald went down to Spokane to meet his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mahan are visiting with friends in Spokane during the present week.

Jas. A. Harris, of Boundary Falls, formerly a resident of Grand Forks, was a visitor in the city this week.

Alex McQueen, of Kamloops, a former resident of this city, was a visitor here last Sunday.

G. C. Hodge, district superintendent of the British Columbia Telephone company, was in the city last Saturday on a tour of inspection.

J. D. Spence, the Greenwood barrister, has been in the city during the past two days attending the session of the county court.

W. C. Thomas, of Boundary Falls, local manager of the Dominion Copper company, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

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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—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1.00 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

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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 Nov. 2 to 26, inclusive.

CROWN GRANTS

Ida, Gloucester camp, James Newby; Uncle Sam, John Bull mountain, Wm. M. McKay.

CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENT

London No. 2 fraction, Summit camp, the British Columbia Copper Co., Ltd.; B. C. fraction, Summit camp, the Briti h Columbia Copper Co., Ltd.

RECORDS OF LOCATIONS

Lone Star fraction, South Wellington camp, George Cook; Mascal, South Wellington camp, George Burbank; Hot Air, Bentley's camp, relocation of Pennsylvania, A. E. Savage; Comstock, Goat mountain, Joe Trombley; C. P. R., Goat mountain, Joe Trombley; Granite, Goat mountain, Joe Trombley; Red Deer, Goat mountain, Joe Trombley; Bell, Summit camp, Frank Coote; Lookout, Summit camp, Valida Angregon.

CERTIFICATE OF WORK

No. 16, Greenwood camp, F. M. Kerby; No. 21 fraction Summit camp, Mulligan et al.; Alaska fraction, Franklin camp, H. J. Birnie; Doris fraction, Franklin camp, M. M. Kerman; Silverton fraction, Wellington fraction, N. A. Wolfard; St. Lawrence fraction, Wellington camp, A. L. Rogers; London No. 2 fraction, B. C. Copper Co. Ltd., three years; Ida, Brown's camp, Lindholm et al.; Belcher, Spraggett's ranch, C. F. Harrigan; Iron Chief fraction, Wellington camp, Simpson et al.; G. H. fraction, Gloucester camp, Merson et al.; Simcoe, Pass Creek camp, Morrison et al.; Twilight, Franklin camp, J. B. Fee; No. 19 fraction, Summit camp, Mulligan et al., survey; Silver Knott, Seattle camp, E. Clark; Evening Star, Franklin camp, A. L. Rogers, survey; Iron Hill fraction, Franklin camp, L. D. Wolfard, survey; Josie, Summit camp, L D. Wolfard; Josie fraction, Summit camp, L. D. Wolfard; Willis fraction, Summit camp, Alex Rogers; Golden Age, Franklin camp, H. C. Kerman; B. C. fraction, Summit camp, B. C. Copper Co., Ltd.

CONVEYANCES.

One eighth of Princess Louise and one-half of Colorado Boy, Summit camp, John A. McMaster to Sam Mc Ormond; one-tenth of M. S., Gloucester camp, A. Erskine Smith to J. A. McCallum one-half of Monitor fraction, Summit camp, Geo. W. Averill to Alex L. Rogers.

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Progress on V., V. & E.

Considering the force which has been working substantial progress has been made on the V., V. & E. grades between here and Keremeos. At No. 1 camp where the greater number of men have been emyloyed there has been a good show made both in completion of considerable portions of the grade and in preparation for the steam shovel which has been at Keremeos for several weeks awaiting horses to haul away the dirt. Trestling has been put in for the dump along the river above Webster's ferry and the grade on the long flat above is almost completed. Preparations are being made for putting in a temporary bridge to take the shovel across the river on completion of the cut near the ferry.

Across the river a gang is at work in a cut opposite the ditch camp. The clearing of right of way is also well advanced. Above Ashnola creek the right of way has been cleared from the point where the track re crosses the river, up to and along the greater part of the bushy bottom. From Squakim's up to Hedley grading is in progress in six or seven different places, and No. 2 camp opposite the mission is pretty well fixed up for the winter. Stables are being completed for the horses. Work on the rock cut is in progress.—Hedley Gazette.

LAND ACT

Similkameen Land Division, District of Yale.

TAKE NOTICE that A. Erskine Smith, of Grand Forks, British Columbia, occupation a Broker, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands, all situate in the Similkameen Division of Yale District, Province of British Columbia:

Location No. 1. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's S. W. corner," planted on the east bank of the West Fork of the North Fork of Kettle River, about eight miles north of the northern boundary of Lot 3635, Group 1, Similkameen Land Division, Yale District; thence east 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 40 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located October 22nd, 1907.

Location No. 2. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's S. W. corner," planted on the east bank of the West Fork of the North Fork of Kettle River, about 8½ miles north of the north boundary of said Lot 3635; thence east 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 40 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located October 22nd, 1907.

Location No. 3. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's S. W., corner," planted on the east bank of the said West Fork, about nine miles north of the said northerly boundary of said Lot 3635; thence east 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 40 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located October 22nd, 1907.

Location No. 4. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's S. W. corner," planted on the east bank of the said West Fork, about 9½ miles north of the northerly boundary of said Lot 3635; thence east 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 40 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located October 22nd, 1907.

Location No. 5. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's N. E. corner," planted on the west bank of the said West Fork, about ten miles north of the said *northerly boundary of said Lot 3635; thence* south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located 23rd day of October, 1907.

Location No. 6. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's N. E. corner," planted on the west bank of the said West Fork, about nine miles north of the north boundary of said Lot 3635; thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencemnet, containing 640 acres, more or less. *Located 23rd day of October*, 1907.

Location No. 7. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's S. W. corner," planted on the west bank of the said West Fork, about 12½ miles north of the north boundary of said Lot 3635; thence 160 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 160 chains west, thence 40 chains south to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located 24thof October, 1907.

Location No 8. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's N. W. corner," planted on the east bank of the said West Fork, about 14½ miles north of the north boundary of said Lot 3635; thence 160 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 160 chains west, thence 40 chains north to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located 25th October, 1907.

Location No. 9. Commencing at a post marked "A. Erskine Smith's S. E. corner," planted on the east bank of the said West Fork, about 16 miles north of the north boundary of said Lot 3635; thence 40 chains east thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains south to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. Located 25th October, 1907.

Dated at Grand Forks, B.C., this 16th day of November, 1907.

A. ERSKINE SMITH,
Applicant.

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	608,429	....
Snowshoe, Phoenix	8,426	136,139	.....
Mother Lode, Deadwood	104,120	199,863	.....
B. C. Mine, Snmmit	1,345	1,370	.....
Emma, Summit	12,881	15,941	.....
Oro Denoro, Summit Camp	6,404	6,314	.....
Bonnie Belle, Deadwood	1,345	....	.....
Brooklyn-Stemwinder, Phoenix	140,685	43,295	.....
Idaho, Phoenix	2,960	14,929	.....
Rawhide, Phoenix	26,032	65,623	.....
Sunset, Deadwood	48,390	31,270	.....
Mountain Rose, Summit	3,555	2,942	.....
Senator, Summit Camp	.....	.....	.....
Morrison, Deadwood	....	649	.....
Sulphur King, Summit	.....	.....	.....
Winnipeg, Wellington	.....	.....	.....
Big Copper, West Copper	586	.....	.....
Carmi, West Fork	30	.....	.....
Sally, West Fork	86	55	.....
Rambler, West Fork	76	.....	.....
Butcher Boy, West Fork	9	.....	.....
Providence, Greenwood	1,140	700	.....
Elkhorn, Greenwood	40	20	.....
Strathmore, Providence	140	55	.....
Preston, Skylark	20	.....	.....
Prince Henry, Skylark	15	.....	.....
Skylark, Skylark Camp	589	224	.....
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	130	.....
Total, tons	1,158,991	1,148,226	....
Smelter Treatment—			
Granby Smelter	828,879	611,250	.....
B. C. Copper Co.'s Smelter	121,031	341,283	.....
Dominion Copper Co.'s Smelter	218,811	157,327	.....
Total treated	1,168,121	1,110,860	.....

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	$2,968,620	Sept. 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	38,224	Sept. 1906	.50
B. C. Copper—Copper	3,000,000	503,000	$5	.....	201,200	Sept. 1907	.40

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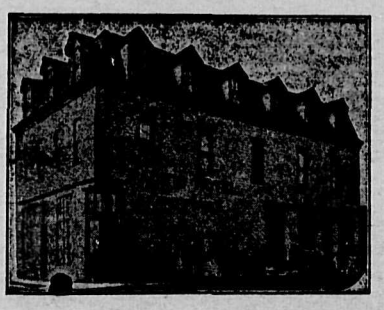

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