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M. K. RODGERS IN THE NORTH.

Visits Seattle and Goes Back with Party of Engineers.

(Seattle Times)

M. K. Rodgers, representing the eastern capitalists who are behind John Rosene in the Copper River and Northwestern Railroad project, sailed for Capella, Alaska, on the steamer Santa Clara. Mr. Rodgers is accompanied by an engineering party of sixteen and will make a survey of the harbor at Capella, which is on Controller Bay. He will also make a thorough investigation into the conditions existing in that section of Alaska so far as minerals and other sources of prospective wealth are concerned.

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RUSHING G. N. R. SURVEY.

Another Party Goes to Join Those On Roche River.

It begins to look as if the Coquihalla route for the V. V. & E. is doomed to be rejected, and that the route further south, via the Roche river, Cedar Flat and Silver Creek, is now more in favor, offering reduced mileage and not as expensive construction as that down the Coquihalla, which was said to involve heavy work.

On Saturday a party of Great Northern surveyors, in charge of W. F. Miliken, who have been engaged on the North Fork of Kettle River and also at Phoenix in connection with work on spurs, arrived in Hedley and stayed over-night at the Hotel Similkameen, on their way to Roche river.

The temporary delay on the North Fork and San Poil is relieving the engineering staff of the Great Northern so that a larger force can be spared for the V. V. & E. to finish up some of the more difficult portions of the southern route before winter sets in.

Great Northern survey camps are now established at Cedar Flat and other points along the route, and many miles of new trail have been cut by them to enable them to get in camp supplies, and the work of location is being prosecuted with vigor.

FAIRVIEW NOTES.

Henry Nicholson, of Camp McKinney, was in town on his way home from Vernon. He held a Court of Revision on Monday.

D. McDougall was in town over Sunday.

Services were held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, the Rev. E. D. McLaren, of Toronto, officiating. Messrs. Cameron and McLaren left on Sunday afternoon for Keremeos.

Hugh Megraw, of Camp McKinney, was in town last week.

The town is newly painted.

Chas. Richter, of Osoyoos, visited Fairview last week.

On Monday, an immigrant train from Washington passed through, enroute to the Bulkley Valley.

Mrs. C. A. R. Lambley gave an "at home" on the 8th. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bate, Miss Hazel McKenzie of Cliff Ranch, Miss Alice Maloan and Miss Pauline Campbell. A pleasant time was spent.

Master Arthur McCuddy is sorrowing because someone stole his picket rope, which had his saddle pony at one end and nothing at the other.

Val Haynes and H. W. Mainguy returned from Greenwood on Tuesday.

Master Joe Phelps was thrown from a horse on Saturday and dislocated his arm.

Dr. R. B. White and J. M. Christie, of Penticton, were in town the latter part of last week.

Jos. Graham has just finished an addition to his house.

Why not list your ranch in the Gazette. Its commissions are lower than any real estate agent's, and it can obtain the highest price.

J. R. Brown was visiting his family at Horn Lake on Sunday.

Hiram Ingles, of White Lake, is endeavoring to have the post office changed from his place to Mr. J. T. Taylor's, because a married man is ahead of a bachelor.

KEREMEOS NOTES.

Rev. Dr. McLaren, of Toronto, Supervisor and Director of Missions of the Presbyterian Church in British Columbia, paid Keremeos a visit. He came in on Sunday from Fairview with Rev. A. H. Cameron, and held service here, his able discourse being enjoyed by all who heard him. Although his office is in Toronto, Dr. McLaren is a westerner, in full sympathy with the needs and possibilities of the west, having been for 13 years pastor of St. Andrews church, Vancouver. While here he visited the fruit ranches of Frank Richter and others, which gave him a very high estimate of the possibilities of the Similkameen in fruit-growing. He left on Monday for Penticton.

Messrs. N. B. Ewart and Max Ewart, of town were in Hedley on Sunday.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

R. P. Green Killed Under Freight Wagon —Chinaman Seriously Injured.

On Monday evening at some time between six and seven o'clock, R. P. Green, better known as "Pinky" Green, who was driving one of D. M. McDougall's four-horse teams, came to his death on smelter flat, less than a mile out of town.

His wagon was loaded with about 5000 pounds of concentrates from the Daly Reduction Co's stamp mill, which he was hauling out to Penticton.

There was a Chinaman named Lee on the wagon with him at the time. It is not known for sure whether the Chinaman was on the seat or in the wagon, underneath the canopy, but everything points to the strong probability that he was not on the seat, but in the wagon. So far as known, it must have been about 6:15 p. m. when he left the weigh scales at the mill with his load, and he had only proceeded about three-fourths of a mile when he had evidently fallen off the seat while the wagon was going down a short grade. One wheel passed over him, breaking an arm and crushing in his chest, so that death must have been almost instantaneous. The momentum attained by the wagon on this grade would be slight, and in all probability the horses would be pulling again on the level road a few yards beyond the bottom of the grade, the Chinaman evidently unaware as yet that anything serious had happened. After hauling the load about 100 yards or more on level road and making the turn at the fence corner without a driver, they started down the long grade and side-cut leading to the Hedley Lumber Co's mill camp, when, with no one to guide them or apply the brake, the heavy load upset over the embankment about half-way down the grade. At this point they were noticed by Geo. R. Gordon, bookkeeper for the Hedley Lumber Co., who, on reaching the spot, heard cries from the Chinaman, but had to get assistance to move the sacks of concentrates to get him out, after which they proceeded to get the horses up. Another man from the saw mill brought word of the accident to W. Gillespie, who was camped on the flat a little below the mill and who rode to town for medical assistance, when Dr. Whillans proceeded to the scene of the mishap and found that Green was dead. Both deceased and the injured Chinaman were conveyed to the emergency hospital, after which local Chinamen removed their countryman to their own quarters. His back was badly injured.

Deceased has been in the district for about 13 years, coming here from Deep Creek, Wash., where his father and mother still reside. He has one sister, Mrs. D. M. McDougall, living in Fairview. He had been married and had three children. Mr. McDougall was communicated with at Penticton and came over next day.

The funeral was held yesterday at 10 o'clock, Rev. D. F. Smith officiating.

Oroville had a $5000 fire recently.

Hedley and Nighthawk expect to meet at Keremeos on Sunday to try conclusions in baseball.

Nighthawk is likely to contribute a strong baseball team and also a strong drilling team for Labor Day at Hedley

I. M. Stevens, of Manchester, England, is looking over the district. Mr. C. E Oliver, who is thoroughly conversant with the camp is lending assistance.

Mail between Greenwood and Phœnix travels at the rate of two miles per day. It takes three days to go six miles, and the Pioneer is rebuked by Mr. Ross for complaining.

Mrs. W. A. McLean, of Penticton accompanied by her daughter and Miss Edith Bradshaw, went to their ranch up the river on Sunday, where they will try the simple life for a while.

L. C. Wynne, wife and daughter have gone to Princeton, where Mr. Wynne will open a branch office for Claudet & Wynne. Mr. Wynne for a long time was assayer at the Le Roi, and later he embarked in business with H. H. Claudet. Mr. Wynne and his wife will be missed by a large circle of friends.—Rossland Miner.

THINGS ARE DOING.

Important Changes Expected in Connection With Nickel Plate

Important developments are looked for in connection with the operation of the Nickel Plate and other properties of the Daly Reduction Co. and Yale Mining Co., and the impression that it is something altogether out of the ordinary is heightened by the amount of reticence that is maintained concerning events that are transpiring.

Following the examination of the properties made by Walter Harvey Weed a few weeks ago, another contingent of noted mining experts who are understood to be acting in the interests of their principals in New York and Butte came in by special rig from Midway on Thursday last and proceeded directly to the mine, where they have taken up their temporary abode in one of the cottages belonging to the company, and are now engaged in making a thorough examination and sampling of the mine. The work is being done with such a degree of thoroughness that evidently the preparation of a report most minute in its details is contemplated; and while all attempt at obtaining information is most carefully headed off at all points, this sedulous maintenance of secrecy serves only to accentuate in a greater degree the impression that negotiations of far-reaching importance are in active progress.

It is well known that during the winter and early spring offers were made to purchase the property for a for a sum which was represented as being something over four millions. It is also known that the Daly Estate disposed of a mining property at Butte this year, and that since the death of the late Marcus Daly whose wonderful success as a mine operator made mining an attractive avenue of investment, the management of the estate with less familiarity with or genius for mining appear now to be more or less handicapped in conducting operations in their mines, and find other classes of industrials more to their liking.

While these circumstances lend color to the assumption that these samplings and examinations point to a probable sale, they may also be considered due to the prudent caution which the owners may be taking before deciding on some definite scheme for extension of the works.

THE SIDLEY LAND DEAL.

Details of Purchase Made by W. T. Hunter.

Rossland Miner.

W. T. Hunter, of Greenwood, acting for Messrs. Hunter Bros., completed a deal for the purchase of the R. G. Sidley ranch, on Anarchist mountain. The deal included some 2,080 acres of crown-granted land held by Sidley for some years, and 8500 acres of range and timber land chiefly recently acquired by Sidley from the Canadian Pacific Railway company. For the 2,080 acres of ranch land the consideration was $10 per acre, cash: the price paid for the other tract has not been made public. On the purchased area there is the finest body of timber to be found for many miles in any direction. Timber is in great demand in that section and Porter Bros. who have the timber contract for the V. V. & E. railway, are arranging to put a large force of men at work to take several millions of feet of lumber off the tract.

J. Gillan is dismantling the old sawmill camp up the river.

Charlie Dake, a printer on the staff of the Nelson News, was spending a month's holidays rusticating about Princeton. He returned last Thursday and paid the Gazette a friendly call on the way out. The Greenwood Ledge said he was looking up townsites in the west.

School opens on Monday, 20th inst. Mothers, you will save money by calling and seeing our line of Boys' Clothing, Shirts, Caps, Suspenders, etc., as we have the clothing at reasonable prices that will stand the rough wear the romping boys of Hedley give them.—CAMPBELL & SHIER.

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Advertisements will be changed once every month if advertiser desires, without any extra charge. For changes oftener than once a month the price of composition will be charged at regular rates.

Changes for contract advertisements should be in the office by noon on Tuesday to secure attention for that week's issue.

A MEGRAW,
Managing Editor.

Full Moon 4th. New Moon 19th
Last quar. 11th. First quar. 26th

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Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Manitoba and the territories, from all reports, are assured of the biggest crop this year that they have ever had, and all the railways have been preparing for months to handle the crop with the utmost expedition. American papers evidently are taking good care that as little be said about this as possible, and what they do say is not calculated to act as a boost for the country north of the forty-ninth parallel, unless it be on the principle that a knock is a boost. The Spokesman-Review is quite sure that the drought is severer in Canadian territory than it is to the south, and cautions American farmers to be careful and not leave a country where climatic conditions may be more favorable than those which they would get by the change. When farmers take upon themselves to decide the question of moving, the basis upon which they figure is the yearly profit that can be made, and just at present it is the farmer to the north who has the call for the longest money-bag.

How the times change! Students of military law have always been taught that desertion was one of the most heinous of military crimes, and one that under certain circumstances was to be punished only with the death penalty. It was a crime that had no statute of limitations, and for which no pardon was to be given except during a certain portion of the jubilee year of the reigning sovereign. Thus in 1887 a proclamation was made that all deserters from the British army and navy residing in any part of the world, who made application at the war office within a certain number of months, would be granted a free pardon. In the whole course of British history only two other sovereigns, besides Victoria, reigned for fifty years, so that as far as getting a pardon in jubilee year was concerned, the British deserter was up against it. But now we read the despatch that Prince Henry of Battenburg, commander of the British squadron which visited Canada and the United States a few months ago, has adopted an entirely different method of dealing with deserters. While in New York harbor, several British Jackies deserted from the squadron. Some of them were captured by civil authorities, and held until the Prince could be communicated with. His reply was to turn them loose. He said that the British navy didn't want men of their stamp, and that on no condition would they be taken back into the squadron. The Prince had evidently read about how Tom Sawyer painted the fence, and David Harum cured the baulky horse.

If the public had any doubts as to whether Fred Peters K.C., the commissioner appointed to hold the inquiry into the Pendray affair, was a Liberal, they had that point very effectively settled by the coat of whitewash which he spread over D. W. Higgins, the writer of the false charges in the Vancouver World which he was appointed to investigate. After stating in his report that the evidence had proven all Higgins' charges to be false, yet the commissioner showed that he was very loth to allow any blame to be attached to Higgins for making those false charges. And what about the costs of the inquiry? Here it is seen that false and baseless charges are made against the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works by Higgins who calls for an investigation and claims that he can make good all his charges. The Government take up his challenge for an investigation and give him an inquiry before a commissioner of his own political stripe, who is compelled by the evidence to place him with the falsifiers. Under such circumstances the total costs of the inquiry should be borne by Higgins, but all the same the province has to foot the bill, and the commissioner throws bouquets at the falsifier who is the cause of it all. That is the thanks the Government get for their magnanimity in appointing an opponent to conduct the inquiry.

British Columbia takes off its hat to Byron E. Walker. He is prepared to give this province its proper place in the Dominion, nor does he hesitate to tell effete easterners what that place is.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. E. Nelson and children are leaving to-day for Spokane. F. W. Revely will drive them as far as Oroville.

The trustees, owing to the intense heat of last week, extended the holidays for another week.

L. W. Shatford, M. P. P. went out on Monday morning's stage for Fairview and before returning expected to go over to Rock Creek.

Jas. Stott has some fine tomatoes in his garden, a beautiful ripe red, and yet they say that in this portion of the Similkameen tomatoes will not ripen.

Thos. Parker of Nelson, inspector of weights and measures, paid Hedley a visit last week and found that merchants and others dealing with the public were giving sixteen ounces to the pound and thirty-six inches to the yard.

Big Land Deal.

The B X ranch at Vernon was last week purchased by V. C. Maddock & Co., real estate dealers of Winnipeg from Alex McDonald for $70,000, and will be sub-divided. It is generally considered a good buy, for the property consists of 3,000 acres, most of which is choice land.

The seller, Mr. Alex. McDonald, bought the ranch about five years ago from Frank Barnard for $20,000 and has cleared big profits on it every year since. So it is seen to have been a gilt-edged investment for him too.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending August 11th:

AT THE MINE.

	Maximum	Minimum
Aug 5	68	43
6	77	42
7	76	52
8	78	48
9	79	42
10	80	38
11	81	53

AT THE MILL.

	Maximum	Minimum
5	88	52
6	94	51
7	93	54
8	81	51
9	93	56
10	94	54
11	94	58

SITUATION WANTED

WOMAN COOK wants situation in hotel or on ranch. Address this office. 31-3

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situate on the east side of Okanagan Lake B. C. Commencing at the south east corner post of M. L. Crichton's purchase land, running thence south 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; comprising the south half of the south west quarter of section 15, tp. 28, and the south half of the south east quarter of section 16, tp. 28.

ELIZA MAIR.

Dated August 2nd, 1906. 30—9

NOTICE

SIXTY days from date hereof I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for pasture purposes the unoccupied parts of Sec. 35 & 36, Tp. 89 Similkameen Dist. containing 720 acres more or less.

CHAS. DE B. GREEN

Dated Aug. 1st, 1906. 30—9

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for School-house" will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Thursday, the 16th August, 1906, for the erection and completion of a two-room frame school-house at Hedley, Similkameen Electoral District, B. C.

Plans, Specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after August 7th 1906, at the offices of the Government Agent, Fairview, of S. L. Smith, Esq., Secretary of the School Board, Hedley, and at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by cash or an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the undersigned, in the sum of $100, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cash, cheques or certificate of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a bond, himself and two sureties in the sum of $1,500 each for the due fulfilment of the work contracted for to the satisfaction of the Honourable the Chief Commissioner. Upon the execution of the bond the cash cheque or certificate of deposit above mentioned will be refunded to the contractor.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, and signed with the actual signature of the tenderer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

NEIL F. MACKAY,
Deputy Commissioner of Land & Works.

Lands and Works Department
Victoria, B. C. 1st August, 1906.
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NOTICE

Certificate of Improvements.

BONES FRACTION Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:- Camp Hedley

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. deBlois Green, as agent for Peter Scott, Free Miner's Certificate No B5435, 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 issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 18th day of July, A. D. 1906.

28—9 C. de B. Green

NOTICE.

Ambrose McDermott intends to apply to the Board of Licence Commissioners for the Nicola Licence District, for permission to transfer the licence for the Commercial Hotel to Cawston & Edmond. 28-4

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and works for permission to purchase 40 acres of land, situated in the Yale Division of Yale District, commencing at the northeast corner of lot 361 and running 20 chains east, 20 chains south, 20 chains west and 20 chains north to point of commencement, for grazing purposes.

CHARLES DEBARROW.

Granite Creek, 6th June, 1906. P. RUSSELL, Agent. 26-31

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres in the north east corner of Section 35, Township 55, Similkameen District. Required for range.

23—9 SAMUEL D. HINE.

Fairview, B. C. June 11, 1906.

NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

SPOKANE Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:- Camp Hedley.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles de Blois Green, Free Miner's Certificate No. B5623, for myself and as agent for J. Cory, Free Miner's Certificate No. B5621, 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 21st day of June, A.D. 1906.

C de B. GREEN

Tenders Wanted.

The undersigned will receive tenders up to noon on August 20th for build- of hospital in Hedley.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Shatfords Limited Tenders are to be accompanied with cash or bank cheque in the sum of $100 as a guarantee of good faith. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a bond, himself and two sureties in $500 each, for due fulfilment of the work.

F. H. FRENCH
30-2 Secretary

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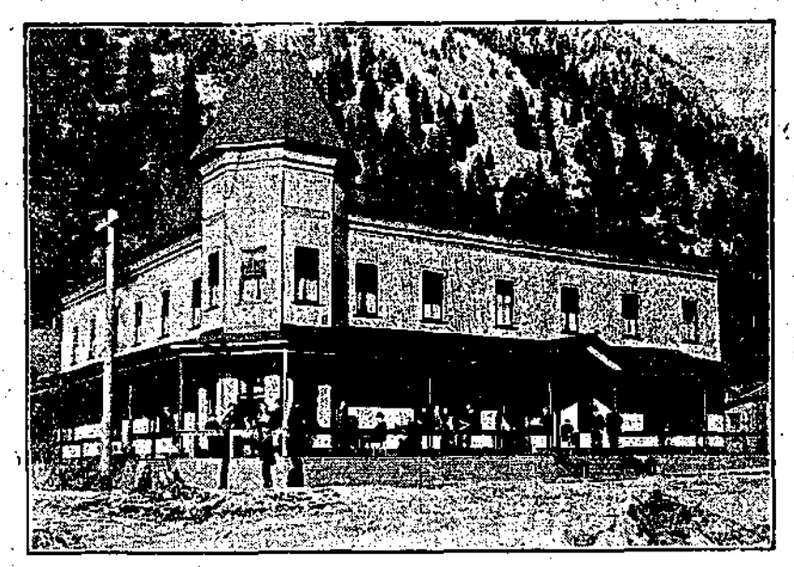

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NOTICE.

THE PONTIAC COPPER MINES, LIMITED (Non-personal liability) hereby gives notice that it intends after three months from the date hereof to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor for an Order-in-Council changing the name of the said Company to the "Keremeos-Pontiac Mines, Limited," (Non-personal liability).

Dated at Rossland, B. C., 23rd May 1906.

19-3m WM. H. DANBY
SECRETARY

County Court Of Yale.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Yale will be held in Fraternity Hall, Hedley, on October 22nd, and in the Court House, at Princeton, on October 25th. By Order

HUGH HUNTER
30-td Registrar

Town and District.

Mrs. Frank Bragg went up on the hill last week to escape the heat.

J. Gladden is doing survey work for Messrs Wilmott and Constant up at the Nickel Plate.

J. H. McDonald of the Hotel Hedley is going over to Cranbrook and left by stage yesterday morning.

Ernest Thomas of Penticton who has been spending several weeks in Princeton returned last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McDougall of Fairview came in on Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late R. P. Green.

Frank Logsden, sawyer for the Hedley Lumber Co., moved down this week, to his new house near the mill.

The Hedley Lumber Co's drive is getting close to town, but the very low water makes it much harder to get along than it otherwise would be.

T. D. Pickard was in town last week having come in on a business trip to meet his partner, Mr. Duffy who is doing development work up Twenty mile Creek.

An Indian boy, son of Francois of Keremeos Creek, met with an injury by falling out of a tree which he had been climbing, and was brought to town on Monday morning for treatment.

Nick Pickard made a location last week on a discovery at the head of Shoemaker Creek. The rock showed considerable arsenopyrite in quartz and looked sufficiently inviting to warrant some development work.

The Labor Day sports committee are sanguine of the success of the celebration here on Sept. 3rd. and 4th. They are at work on the programme and have sufficient cash in hand to ensure good prizes for the principal events.

Messrs Wilmot of Butte, and Constant of New York, are this week making a thorough examination and sampling of the Nickel Plate. Their work is said to be on behalf of stockholders in New York with a view to the extension of the works.

It was reported in town last week that the Oroville Labor Day Celebration had been called off. The fact that no mention of the celebration either by ad or news item was made in last issue of the Oroville Gazette seems to bear out the correctness of the report.

Rattlesnakes appear to be more plentiful this summer than they have been for some time. Up on Ed. Burr's ranch they have already killed about a dozen and are still killing; but the rattlers are nearer home than that, for on Friday morning last Ambie McDermott killed one in his hen yard at the hotel Similkameen.

Rev. A. H. Cameron of Keremeos was honored in a visit from Rev. Dr. McLaren, and his congregations at Fairview and Keremeos had the opportunity of hearing the distinguished visitor. In addition to the common ground of church interest, both are ardent free masons, Rev Dr. McLaren being a Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia.

On Sunday, Mr. T. T. Freeman, of London, Eng., accompanied by his daughter, were in Hedley on their way to Princeton, and were accompanied by Mr. Hickling. Mr. Freeman is one of the heaviest stock-holders in the Vermillion Forks Mining Co., owning coal lands at Princeton, and his visit at the present time is regarded as indicating a more vigorous policy than has yet been pursued by the company in opening up the coal deposits at that point.

Mr. Bradshaw reports bears more plentiful this year than they have been any season yet. Bears have been seen at all points, some of them as big as cayuses. Mr. Bradshaw, himself, with malice aforethought and only two cartridges in his possession, sent a bullet chasing after one big fellow down on brushy bottom, who was pulling the bushes down to him with his fore paws. The bullet evidently hit him in the fore-leg, as he went off holding the injured member in his mouth and getting along on three legs.

Mr. Irwin, Indian Agent, of Kamloops, came in on Tuesday's stage. Mr. Irwin has not been in good health lately, and no doubt finds his long trip around the reservations rather trying.

Mr. S. Potts, of Minneapolis, came in on Saturdays stage and is looking over properties on the mountain, taking in Apex Camp and adjoining camps. Mr. Potts has been interested in properties in Deadwood Camp, and has a high opinion of the Boundary as a producing camp that has profit and permanency both assured. A careful examination of Nickel Plate Mountain will doubtless show him that the same obtains in Camp Hedley.

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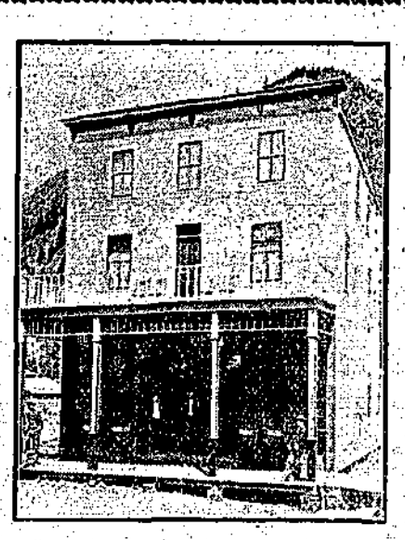

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The Circulating Library.

Although the Twentieth Century Club, which formerly took charge of the circulating library and financed all transportation charges, has been in a quiescent state during the past year, the surviving officers thereof have acted wisely in using the balance of the funds in paying the freight on another instalment which came to hand a short time ago.

As the Twentieth Century Club are without funds to pay for the services of a librarian as formerly, the town is indebted to Rev. R. W. Hibbert, who has kindly consented to take charge of the library and give out books to those who may desire to procure them. Mr. Hibbert receives nothing for his services in doing this work, and cannot be expected to tie himself down to any special hours to be in attendance. The library is kept in its former quarters in the rear of the Methodist church, but no attempt will be made to keep the place open as a reading room until some life is re-galvanized into the Twentieth Century Club or some other means are devised to provide funds to carry the affair on in the way that it was before. It is very unfortunate that interest waned in attendance at the monthly meetings of the club and that members quit paying up their quarterly dues, a remissness which has left the club practically stranded. While it is very kind of Mr. Hibbert to volunteer his services in undertaking this labor and responsibility, it is not creditable to the town to ask him to do so, and we hope that those who avail themselves of this opportunity to obtain books will endeavor to consult his convenience as much as possible and not make the task greater than it need be. Any time that Mr. Hibbert is at home in afternoon or evening, he will permit readers to exchange books.

The present instalment contains the following books:

SOCIAL SCIENCE.

Anglo-Saxon Superiority, by Edmond Demolins.
Year Book of British Columbia, 1897, by R. E. Gosnell.
Street Types of Great American Cities, by S. Krausz.
How to Co-operate, Myrick Herbert.
The Great Dominion, G. R. Parkin.
Parliamentary Government in the British Colonies, by Alpheus Todd.

NATURAL SCIENCE.

First Studies of Plant Life, by G. F. Atkinson.
Guide to Nature Study, by M. R. Crawford.
Romance of Natural History, by P. H. Gosse.
Darwinism and Race Progress, by J. B. Haycraft.
School of the Woods, by W. J. Long.
The Brook Book, by M. R. Miller.
Nature Biographies, by C. M. Weed.

USEFUL ARTS.

Asparagus Culture, by Jas. Barnes and William Robinson.
Cider and Perry, by C. W. R. Cooke.
Poultry Culture, by I. K. Felch.
Peach Culture, by J. A. Fulton.
Practical Farm Chemistry, by T. Grenier.
Harris on the Pig, by Joseph Harris.
Fences, Gates and Bridges, by G. A. Martin.
Sugar, by Herbert Myrick.
Hedges, Windbreaks, Shelters, and Live Fences, by E. P. Powell.
Practical Horseshoer, by T. M. Richardson.
Study of Breeds, by Thomas Shaw.
Dairyman's Manual, Henry Stewart.
Our Farming, by T. B. Terry.
Fertilizers, by E. B. Voorhees.

LITERATURE.

Rambles in Dickens' Land, by Robt. Allbut.
Dante's Dream, by Alighieri Dante.
Journal of the Plague Year, by D. Defoe.
Ideal Commonwealths, H. Morley.
Adventures of Gil Blas, by A. R. LeSage.
Courtship of Miles Standish, by H. W. Longfellow.
The Use of Life, Sir John Lubbock.
Meditations, by Aurelius Marcus.
Poems, by C. G. D. Roberts.
Essays, by Adam Smith.

DESCRIPTION AND TRAVEL.

With Peary Near the Pole, by Astrup Eivind.
Land of the Pigmies, Guy Burrows.
Cooke's Voyages of Discovery, by Captain James Cooke.
Constantinople and its Problems, by H. O. Dwight.
From Capetown to Ladysmith, by G. W. Steevens.
With Kitchener to Khartoum, by G. W. Steevens.

FICTION.

Reign of Law, by J. L. Allen.
Sentimental Tommy, J. M. Barrie.
The Wizard's Knot, by Wm. Barrie.
Lady of Lynn, by Walter Besant.
Clara Vaughan, by R. D. Blackmore.
The Miner's Right, Rolf Boldrewood.
The Curse of the Snake, by Guy Boothby.
The Bondman, by Hall Caine.
Wormwood, by Marie Corelli.
Children of the King, F. M. Crawford.
The Ralstons, by F. M. Crawford.
Cinderella, by S. R. Crockett.
The Leopard's Spots, Thos. Dixon.
Rocky Mountain Adventures, by Edwin Bryant.
Le Chevalier de Maison-Rouge, by Alexandre Dumas.
Uarda, by Georg. Ebers.
Luck of Roaring Camp, Bret. Harte.
The Scarlet Letter, N. Hawthorne.
Why Not, Sweetheart, by J. W. Henshaw.
New Canterbury Tales, M. Hewlett.
School for Saints, by J. O. Hobbes.
Birthright, by Joseph Hocking.
The Skipper's Wooing, W. W. Jacobs
The Mountain Kingdom, by D. L. Johnstone.
Wolfville, by A. H. Lewis.
Grace O'Malley, Ruari Macdonald.
The Lady with the Rubies, by E. Marlitt.
Adventures of Cyrano de Bergerac, by H. E. Miller.
Story of the Treasure Seekers, by E. Nesbit.
Captain Kidd's Millions, Alan Oscar.
Under Two Flags, by "Ouida."
On Peter's Island, by A. R. and M. E. Ropes.
Empress Octavia, by M. J. Safford.
Voices in the Night, by F. A. Steel.
King of Honey Island, by Maurice Thompson.
When a Witch is Young, ———

JUVENILE BOOKS.

Mobsley's Mohicans, Harold Avery.
Robinson Crusoe, by Daniel Defoe.
Fairy Tales, by Grimm Bros.
The Dragon and the Raven, by G. A. Henty.
Rangers and Regulators, Mayne Reid
My Kalulu, by H. M. Stanley.

BIOGRAPHY.

Marie Antoinette, by Sarah Tyler.
Gaspard de Coligny, by W. Besant.
Life of Charles Dickens, Jno. Foster.
Sir John Franklin, by A. H. Beesley.
Story of Gladstone's Life, by Justin McArthy.
Heroes of the Great Republic.
Life of Johnson, by James Boswell.
Judas Maccabaeus, by C. R. Condor.
History of Wm. Penn, W. H. Dixon.

HISTORY.

Three Years War, C. R. DeWet.
Astoria, by Washington Irving.
Royal Edinburgh, by Mrs. Oliphant.
History of the Reigns of Ferdinand and Isabella, Vols. 1 and 2, by W. H. Prescott.

REFERENCE.

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