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GOLD BRICK

From Northwest Development Company's Mine

Judge Curtis, who is now in charge of the Northwest Development Company's mine at Goldfields, arrived from the south last night bringing with him the first gold brick from the company's mine. The brick was placed in the safe of the Hotel Revelstoke but Manager McDonnell had to open the safe frequently in the course of the evening to satisfy eager enquirers who were curious to see the genuine thing, which was on view in J. Guy Barber's window today.

The brick was 3⅜ inches in diameter and 2¼ inches deep. It weighed about 12 lbs. troy or 144 ozs. This brick was from 177 tons of quartz run through the company's mill, and is equivalent to 17¼ dwts., or $17.50 per ton, total value $2,880. Nor does this represent the actual gold value of the ore as the plates have not yet been cleaned and new plates absorb considerable gold. The concentrates also carry considerable values in gold not represented in the above return.

The return is most gratifying to all who have at heart the welfare of the free-gold properties of Fish creek, and should prove most cheering to the company's stockholders, for it is an absolute demonstration by practical test of the richness of the free-gold ores of Fish creek. This must also result in the revival of confidence in the company's enterprise and prospects of the property, and Northwest shares should show a substantial revival. We extend to Judge Curtis, the directors and shareholders of the company our hearty congratulations on the success thus shown to be attending their operations and we trust that the mine will continue to give such a good account of itself. The ore milled was taken from the Goldfinch claim and run down the aerial tram to the mill.

We are also glad to learn that the difficulties between J. A. Magee and the company have been amicably arranged and the writs withdrawn. Since Judge Curtis has been in the district he has earned the esteem of all who have met him and has inspired confidence in the company's operations.

W. B. Pool says: I consider the Northwest Development Syndicate have accomplished wonders in the time, and are deserving of great credit for their enterprise. They have had to build their mill and tramway and open the mine under great difficulties owing to the heavy snowfall, and the fact they have been able to get ore out, run their mill and produce such excellent results speaks volumes for the other free-gold properties around Camborne. I believe the Northwest Development Company's property is the richest in the camp today and I feel proud of it. Judge Curtis and his associates can shake hands with themselves over the results they have achieved."

Judge Curtis informs us the company will now continue taking out ore and running the mill right along. Hugh McIntosh is foreman at the mine and Messrs. McVay and Freeman, who are capable men, are in charge of the mill.

OYSTER CRITERION

Construction of Mill and Tram at Camborne Started.

W. B. Pool informs us he has started the construction of the mill and tramway at Camborne to operate the Oyster-Criterion. Three gangs, comprising 50 men, are now employed on the work. If the weather is favorable Mr. Pool hopes to have the mill and tram in operation in a short time, and convert gold bricks produced thereby into dividends for the shareholders of the Ophir-Lade Co.

McCULLOUGH

Creek Hydraulic Company Sells All Available Stock.

J. D. Sibbald, manager for the Revelstoke and McCullough Creek Hydraulic Company, feels elated over the fact that he has sold all the stock authorised to be issued for development purposes. The company is reserving 25,000 shares.

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THE LEGISLATURE

On the house resuming Monday the premier's address on the speech from the throne created a favorable impression. McBride wanted an adjournment but the premier insisted on the business of the country being gone on with, and the address-in-reply was adopted without further debate.

Hawthornthwaite introduced bills to provide for compulsory payment of miners' wages fortnightly and fixed tonnage, also to make it illegal to interfere with the right of men to join unions.

McBride's motion for Deadman's Island correspondence was agreed to.

Oliver's motion for committee to inquire into South-east Kootenay land grants was adopted. Chief commissioner said grants on these lands had been issued to Columbia and Western but subsequently cancelled.

Chief commissioner said benefits of South Africa land grant act would be extended to all who had gone to seat of war.

Provincial treasurer submitted, at request of Tatlow, statement of revenue and expenditure for half year, showing deficit of $503,000.

An amendment of license law was introduced to remove disabilities of women holding licenses.

The government appears to have a majority of 5 to 10. The opposition caucus was a frost.

In answer to Capt. Tatlow the finance minister said the budget would show, the first time since confederation, the expenditure had been kept within the revenue.

Committees were struck, Mr. Taylor being placed on mining and railway committees.

The bill on lines of Natal law, to stop Asiatic immigration, passed second reading, Joe Martin scoring Senator Templeman on his allegation that such bills had hitherto been disallowed at request of Imperial authorities.

SHAUN AROON.

"Shaun Aroon" is to be presented by the Revelstoke Amateur Dramatic Club under direction of Prof. Hepburn. Of its production at Medicine Hat under direction of the professor the News said:—

"On Tuesday evening an amateur presentation of 'Shaun Aroon,' an Irish Drama, was given in the Opera House, under the direction of Prof. Hepburn, supported by a cast of local talent. This attraction had been eagerly anticipated by all for some time past, and its production was greeted by an audience which completely filled the auditorium. The play was liberally punctuated with enthusiastic and merited applause, and everyone was more than satisfied with the entertainment provided.

"Of those who took part in the performance, it would be difficult to select the bright and particular star, which accompanies every play, as all shone with equal brilliancy. Shaun Aroon, the hero is a bright, good-natured, light-hearted Irishman, who is always on hand when wanted, and this part was excellently taken by Mr. ———, whose make-up was most comical. He made most of his opportunities and created much mirth and laughter. Mr. ——— looked liked a genuine English lord in his rich costume, and protrayed Lord Fermoy with an effect that made the title quite becoming. To effectively represent the villainy and rascality of Fergus Riordon, Fermoy's scheming agent, was a difficult task for Mr. ———, but it was done very creditably. The part of Dan O'Grady, the sturdy old farmer on whose good nature and generosity Riordon endeavored to impose, was admirably taken by Prof. Hepburn; while Mrs. ———, played the part of Dan's wife with such natural love and affection as to win her much appreciation. Mr. ———, ability as an actor was amply proved in his vigorous representation of O'Grady's son Tom; while his pugilistic capabilities were also exemplified in the scientific exhibition by himself and Riordon in the third act. A typical Irish waiter was provided in the person of Mr. ———, whose facial expression made the task of making him up an easy matter. He took the part exceedingly well, being always ready with a retort for many rebukes which had to be administered to him. Mr. ———, in his make-up of old Hennings, a close-fisted money-lender, was exceptionally good, and Mr. ——— made an efficient constable. An animated portrayal of Molly O'Grady's daughter was by Miss ——— who entered into the spirit of her part with great effect, while both she and Miss ———, who looked very chic as Maggie her maid, won much of the applause. The second act was worked up to a grand climax and called forth thunderous applause."

TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

This institute opens at Selkirk Hall Tuesday. In the hall and schoolroom magnificent exhibitions of school work are being arranged and will be open to the public and school children Monday evening.

The committee request citizens to lend any tables they can spare for the exhibition.

BIG MINING DEAL.

W. B. Pool Bonds Three Groups on Fish Creek.

Fish creek will be one of the banner mining camps of the province this year. The free-gold discoveries there have given the free-gold belt in the vicinity of Camborne a standing second to none in demand for mining investments. As the results of the favorable showing on the Oyster-Criterion, Eva, and Northwest Development Company's properties W. B. Pool has bonded for a large sum from McKay Bros., Strutt & Beaton, the Homestead, Idaho and Detroit groups on Pool creek, running from Mohawk towards the Beatrice. As each group contains four claims the bond covers twelve claims in all. The ores are mainly free gold, and assays run from $10 to $1,400 a ton. There are 15 ledges on the property all showing free gold.

Mr. Pool's associates in the Ophir-Jade Co. are with him in the deal. It is proposed to organise a new company to operate it. Mr. Pool considers himself fortunate in securing this property as it is considered by many the most promising on Fish creek. Several leading mining men have been after it for some time. The amount of the bond is about $100,000.

THE STRIKE.

President Estes at Revelstoke This Evening.

President Estes arrived this morning and will address a meeting at the opera house tonight. Reserved seats for ladies, who are specially invited.

The strikers got 42 Japs to quit at Vancouver and 14 carmen have left the Vancouver shops.

The company say they have decided to fill all vacancies permanently.

Though the men have lost ground at Revelstoke through the blacksmiths working with substitutes for striking helpers, they have made substantial gains at Vancouver and Winnipeg.

A. Marshall, of Winnipeg, a member of blacksmiths' executive, arrived Thursday and ordered men to work with any skilled mechanics the company chose to put in to replace strikers, and the men returned under a protest pending decision of executive.

The charge against President Estes of inciting the crew of the Charmer was dismissed. In giving his decision Magistrate Hall said: He had gone through the 250 pages of evidence, when alone and undisturbed, and had failed to find a single line of evidence against the accused. There was no evidence that Estes had incited anyone, or attempted to incite anyone. His efforts were more towards settlement than anything else, and in face of the positive and uncontradicted evidence that he is opposed to strikes, he failed to see how he would be justified in committing the accused for trial."

BOARD OF TRADE.

A meeting of board was held Monday to consider closing of C. P. R. shops here in the event of strike continuing. The president submitted letter from Supt. Kilpatrick confirming report. After a long discussion the president and Messrs. H. A. Brown and Haggen were appointed a committee to ascertain the position of the blacksmiths. The men said they could not work with scabs, as men would be who took places of helpers on strike.

The committee reported to adjourned meeting Tuesday when it was decided to ask Vancouver blacksmiths why they gave ruling.

COUNCIL MEETING.

On Thursday a council meeting was held when reports already published were received from delegations to Ottawa and Victoria.

It was resolved to place on record the board's approval of action of chief commissioner in constructing Canoe river trail and urging completion as soon as possible.

The estimates of government agent for work in riding this year were endorsed.

It was decided to recommend reduction of membership fee to $2.50.

Mr. Galliher, M. P., was instructed to see that public interest was protected in Columbia River Improvement bill.

The president and mayor were appointed delegation to wait on Supt. Kilpatrick to ascertain whether terms could be made to have new railway station placed on south side of track.

FIRE VALLEY.

From our own Correspondent.

Rev. Dr. Herdman is expected to arrive here on 12th inst. to open the Presbyterian church.

The Yale-Columbia Lumber Co. are making arrangements for a lumber camp to be put in at this point.

E. J. Bangs has charge of the government work of putting in two new bridges on the Fire Valley and Kettle River trail, work to be commenced right away.

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UNION LABEL

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1903.

It is to be hoped Revelstoke will take steps to celebrate the King's Birthday, May 24th, and Dominion Day, July 1st, with sports gatherings worthy of the city.

The House of Commons is to be congratulated on the step it is taking to end political corruption. Canada will never have satisfactory government till electors are permitted to exercise their votes free and untrammelled without hope of reward or punishment for doing their duty as citizens.

The City Council is to be congratulated on the steps taken at last meeting to apply the principle of the frontage tax. There are many absentees owning land in the city who do not improve their properties but these properties have an added value from the work of their improving neighbors, and it is right they should pay for it.

The statement going the rounds of the Canadian press, that the New Zealand conciliation and arbitration law is a failure, is untrue. The only trouble there is the labor organisations want the constitution of the board amended by removing the supreme court judge as chairman and allowing the arbitrators respectively representing employer and employe to choose their own chairman or umpire.

NUTS TO CRACK.

One feature of the strike which the C. P. R. sought to consider is that the Australian longshoremen will neither discharge nor load the Australian liners loaded by scab labor at the C. P. R. docks. The company is trying to work up its South Pacific freight, tourist and mail business. In Australia and New Zealand labor is king. So soon as it is known the C. P. R. is unfairly fighting its employes for their undoubted right of organization, so soon will these colonies send and receive their freight by the San Francisco lines, the tourist travel will go from the Canadian to the American route, and when the time comes for renewal of the mail subsidies these will probably be taken from the C. P. R. and its affiliated lines and given to Americans. These are nuts for the C. P. R. shareholders to crack if Manager McNicoll is to be permitted to squander the shareholders' money in gratifying his petty tyranny.

RAILWAY TARIFF REFORM.

Revelstoke ought to be to British Columbia what Spokane is to Washington. So it would be, had this city extended to it the same privileges that Spokane gets from the Great Northern. That Revelstoke has been badly treated by the C. P. R. there is no question. Six years ago this city could have been made a great wholesale point. A. McDonald & Co. put in their warehouse, and their manager, P. Chapman, fought the C. P. R. personally and through the Board of Trade for a square deal in regard to freight rates. He could not get it. Nelson got it. McDonald & Co. shifted their wholesale business from Revelstoke to Nelson—driven out by the C. P. R. The action of the local Liberal Association, in demanding an investigation of these facts and of the unfair discrimination exercised in the C. P. R. freight rates against Revelstoke, ought to be endorsed by every citizen and supported by the community to the utmost. Revelstoke asks justice—nothing more. We all feel that if this city is accorded the same freight rates accorded to other central distributing points it will soon become the most important commercial centre of the province.

THE PRIOR GOVERNMENT.

The Prior government has met the house with a policy calculated to meet the requirements of the province, and should have the support of the people and their representatives in the effort to carry through most of the measures proposed. The government intend to transact business in so expeditious a manner that if the session is prolonged the fault will not be theirs. Legislation will be directed to removing the principal causes of unrest and disaffection. In mining, there are the unsettled state of labor caused by strikes, the two per cent tax, and the mixed condition of the mining laws. The labor troubles extend to all industries alike. The most important measure, therefore, proposed by the government is that providing for the prevention of strikes and lockouts by conciliation and arbitration, following the lines of the New Zealand law. No more important legislation has ever been introduced by a government, and the government that places such a beneficent law on the statute book will receive the memory and gratitude of the people. The bill has been prepared by Hon. W. W. B. McInnes, provincial secretary, and as labor has no more loyal friend he will doubtless see that its provisions are fair to all parties.

The two per cent. tax has been a source of much complaint by investors, and a bill will be introduced to abolish the tax and substitute for it a method free from the objections urged against it.

Another splendid feature of the government policy is that for promoting settlement of the land by a system of surveys and the acquisition of large estates with a view to sub-dividing them and offering them to bona fide settlers on easy terms. This policy is specially applicable to the Okanagan valley. What settlement of the land and agriculture is doing for the North-west it will do for British Columbia, coupled with the greater resources of this province as a fruit growing country. What the province wants is better transportation, and this the government proposes to give by its railway bills, but until these are published the details of the government's policy in this respect will not be known. For the greater protection of the workers the coal mines act is to be amended. To emphasize the feeling of the province on Asiatic immigration the bills passed last session to exclude these undesirables will be re-enacted, though the increase by the dominion government of poll tax to $500 on Chinese should result in excluding them.

The government policy is, therefore, a wise, liberal, and progressive one. If adopted it cannot fail to establish peaceful industrial conditions, to improve the position of the workers, and to develop the mineral and agricultural conditions of the province. Every elector, having at heart the welfare of the province, must endorse such a policy as that we have outlined.

FUR MARKETS.

F. B. Wells reports on the fur market: Hudson Bay sales—black bear 20 per cent. lower than previous sale; brown bear 30 per cent lower, mink 10 per cent higher, lynx 50 per cent higher, wolf 5 per cent. lower. At the Lampson sales fisher was 20 per cent higher, otter 10 per cent higher, lynx 30 per cent higher, marten same as last March. Marten had been 122 per cent for the January sales but dropped back again in March to same price as at same month's sales last year. The sale reports show that more fur than usual was brought forward this year.

Lead dropped in London to £12, 12s., 6d.

THE ESTIMATES.

Works To Be Provided For In This Riding.

The estimates to be submitted by the Prior government will provide for the following works in this riding:—

Completion of

BIG BEND

trail from Revelstoke to Canoe river, extension of Downie creek trail, improvement of trail and bridging between Goldstream and Smith creek, road connecting upper and lower river past Death rapids and subsidy to Navigation Company for tramway.

REVELSTOKE.

Extension of road to give access to settlers south of Revelstoke, foot bridge across Columbia river at Revelstoke.

FIRE VALLEY.

Improvement of Fire Valley road.

GALENA BAY.

Construction of roads to connect Galena bay with Trout lake road via Galena bay.

CAMBORNE.

Improvement of road between Camborne and Beaton and Comaplix; protection of bridges at Camborne and Goldfields; trail on east bank of Fish creek between Lexington and Boyd creeks; sleigh road to Beatrice mine; mining record office and lock-up at Camborne; connect Sable and Isaac creek trails.

GARDEAU.

Improvement of road from Ferguson to Ten-Mile; sundry trails at Trout lake and Ferguson, including Canyon creek and American trails.

FISH HATCHING.

Interesting Sights at the Bon Accord Salmon Hatchery.

A visitor to the Bon Accord salmon hatchery writes:—

"It is really wonderful up there. First you see the eggs, then the eye of the fish, which appears first, and then the gradual changes in the fish till it is fully formed. When fully formed the fish are put into ponds, outside, and afterwards sent up the Harrison river. There are about nine million little fish there. They also raise trout. Some of the freaks are great. They have preserved Siamese twins, double headers, with five eyes, some double-tailed, and all sorts of freaks. One salmon will sometimes lay 4,000 eggs. One queer thing, which puzzles naturalists, has recently been placed there. It looks like a green egg on the outside, but scientists, who have examined it, say it is alive.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Ralph Smith has given notice of bill to promote safety of railway employees.

On Friday Ralph Smith moved appointment of a commission to go to British Columbia and take evidence under oath to ascertain the causes of labor troubles in the west, and report on the same. He thought that there should be "some authority to intercede and prevent this tyranny over men, merely because they combined together."

John Charlton called attention of Government to fact the great coal strike in the States was caused by operators refusing to recognize the union. Arbitration had decided they were wrong in this.

R. G. McPherson had received information from all classes in British Columbia, stating if a remedy were not soon forthcoming, the very existence of the province would be threatened. There was a strike in Vancouver because a company would not recognize workmen's rights. Parliament should do something to settle questions of this kind.

Sir William Mulock said he hoped public opinion would some day make government intervention possible. When his bill before the house was passed, it would enable the government to deal with the C. P. R. strike.

A bill to incorporate Kootenay-Cariboo & Pacific Railway was up. The company asks a charter from Golden, following the Columbia river, to Tete Jaune Cache, thence the Fraser river to Giscombe Portage and by Skeena river to Port Simpson, with branch to Barkerville. The promoters are residents of Fort Steele.

The minister of railways said the question of appointing an official to inquire into railway accidents was under consideration of government.

LABOR'S CALL.

Office of miners union at Ymir was broken into and papers destroyed.

At Toronto a union man was fined $75 and costs for calling a non-union man a scab.

Hague railway men have struck as the government passed its anti-strike coercive bill.

Appeal will be raised to appeal Judge Meredith's decision preventing picketing and boycotting.

The Ontario government has brought in a bill providing conciliation and arbitration of labor troubles.

President Roosevelt has sent A. S. Clark as delegate to New Zealand to report on the arbitration law.

Judge Meredith imposed a penalty of $100 on Berlin Woodworkers Union for boycotting and intimidation.

A sawmill firm at the coast refused to supply lumber to a contractor employing union labor during present strike of carpenters at coast.

The enquiry into the Crow's Nest coal troubles showed the lowest paid men averaged $2.88 to $3.70 a day and the best paid men $5.60 to $7 a day.

Reports from Australia state the compulsory arbitration and conciliation court there has been wonderfully successful. Australian law requires each union to register and prove the possession of a given monetary value. In this way the unions which break the laws may be punished financially in addition to the punishment meted out to the individual law-breakers.

Gladstone Miners' Union, Fernie, complains that, while it has to abide by the settlement, the wages and allowances are considerably reduced and the settlement is not fair to them.

The Crow's Nest Coal Company has to thank itself for much of the trouble at Fernie. Four years ago at Fernie all the mine labor was Canadian, today 75 per cent. is Slav, Dago and Chinese and it is this foreign element, unable to speak our language or understand our methods, which is causing the trouble.

As the result of the arbitration of the conciliation committee of the Provincial Mining Association on the Fernie strike the men won many important features of their demand, principal being better conditions as to cars, tracks and lumber, minimum wage scale of $3 a day, recognition of union, grounds for union halls, grievance committee to whom questions at issue may be referred.

The Prior government's conciliation and arbitration bill adopts features of the New Zealand statute, Sir William Mulock's suggested federal law, and suggestions presented by the American anthracite commission. The bill makes it illegal to declare a strike or lock-out without first submitting differences to the conciliation board. One portion of the latter's functions is to report as to the merits of the contentions so that public opinion may be influenced by a disinterested view.

Ralph Smith and A. W. Puttee, M. P's. headed a labor deputation to the Ottawa government asking more drastic alien labor law, safety appliances on railways, restriction of Oriental immigration, better wages for letter carriers, government mechanics to be paid weekly, no increases in tariff, government employees paid for holidays, increase in wages of checkers and truckers on Intercolonial, union labels to be legally registered. The government promised consideration, expressing sympathy with increase of wages of postal staff.

LOCAL INDUSTRIES.

Armstrong will put in an electric lighting and power plant.

S. McMahon turned out the iron-work for Williamson & Bennison's new bake oven.

J. McMahon is getting W. Fleming's Big Bend stage ready for running between the city and the boat landing at Eight-Mile.

A fourth transcontinental railway is proposed for Canada the Canada Central asking to build by Yellowhead Pass, Thomson and Fraser rivers to Vancouver.

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Uses minimum power.
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Takes from 2 to 2 H. P. to run the different size drills.
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Especially designed and adapted for economical work.
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Begin at once. Constant practice.
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Opposite Hotel Vancouver.

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From Purebred Golden Buff Orpingtons.....$3.00 for 13
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Only a few Cockerels left.
100 egg incubator and brooder for sale cheap—made by Geo. H. Stahl, Quincy, Ill.

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Penticton, B. C.

For Sale.

750 shares in Beatrice mine. Will sell whole or part. For particulars apply at office of KOOTENAY MAIL.

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Twenty-five cash prizes will be awarded in order of merit to those sending in the best advertisements for Blue Ribbon Tea.

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1st. No professional ad. writer, nor any one connected directly or indirectly with the Blue Ribbon Tea Co. may compete.

2nd. Advertisements must not contain more than 50 words, and shorter ones are preferable.

Competitors should be careful to write name and address plainly on each ad.

3rd. Cut the labels off the ends of the packet and enclose them with each batch of advertisements.

4th. The competition closes June 1, 1903, and all competing advertisements must reach one of the following addresses on or before that date.

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Blue Ribbon Tea Co., Toronto, Ont.
Blue Ribbon Tea Co., Vancouver, B. C.

5th. No one person shall be awarded more than one of the main prizes, but the same advertisements may win a weekly and afterwards a main prize.

6th. In case of a tie, decision will be based on all the advertisements submitted by the competitors in question.

Mr. H. M. E. Evans, of the Winnipeg Telegram, has kindly consented to judge the advertisements and award the prizes.

All advertisements that fail to win a prize, but which are good enough to be accepted for publication will be paid for at the rate of $1.00 each.

Unless expressly requested to the contrary, we will consider ourselves at liberty to publish the names of prize winners.

A good advertisement should be truthful and contain an idea brightly and forcibly expressed. A bona fide signed letter with address and date from one who has tested the tea is a good form. An advertisement for an article of food should not associate with it, even by contrast, any unpleasant idea. The best advertisement is the one that will induce the most people to try the article advertised.

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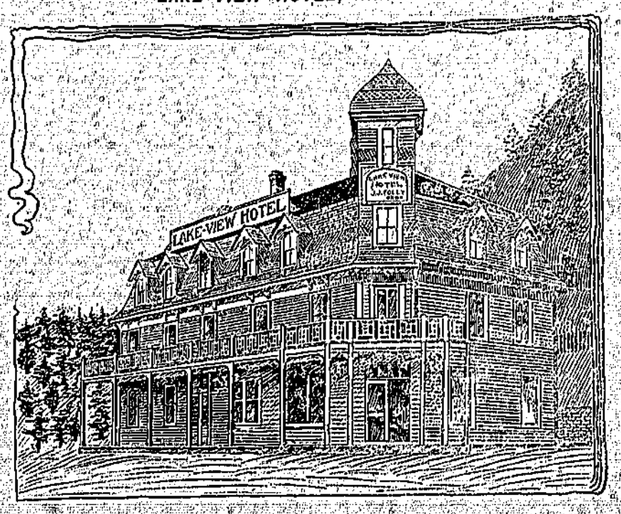

Things will boom in Arrowhead this season. With two large sawmills about to be erected business men are having an eye on this coming lumbering centre. Already Caley Bros., of Revelstoke, have secured a site for a hotel opposite the railway station. The principal building at the present time is the Lake View Hotel, owned by J. J. Foley, a former resident of Revelstoke. A sketch of the hotel is published herewith.

NAKUSP.

From our own Correspondent.

R. Maxwell was in town on Monday from the ranch.

R. Abbie has returned from Nelson after a week's vacation.

Rev. T. S. Glassford preached his first sermon on Tuesday evening, April 7th.

The C. P. R. has brought in about 40 Italians here to do some extra work in filling in bridges.

The passenger train from Sandon arrived 1st April for first time that week on account of slides.

McKissic & Son are getting along with the first tug for the Yale-Columbia Lumber Co. They have her nearly ready to launch.

A social and dance will be given in the Leland House on Easter Monday. There will be good music and a good time is expected.

The C. P. R. tug Columbia, which has been out for logs for the Yale-Columbia Lumber Co., came in with a large boom on Tuesday.

Rev. E. C. W. MacColl passed through here on his way to Trout Lake and Ferguson, where he will fill the Presbyterian pulpit.

Capt. Kane came in from the Narrows with the dredge on the 1st, there being something wrong with the dipper. He returned on Sunday with part of a new crew.

MALAKWA.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. E. Baynes returned from Kamloops last week.

Some of our settlers took a run up to the Arm last week.

The winter work, such as wood cutting, etc., is drawing to a close.

Mrs. E. Erickson has gone to Revelstoke, to meet her brother from Sweden.

The Columbia River Lumber Co. have cut two million feet besides lots of miscellaneous other orders.

Our weather is the same as Paddy said when asked what kind of weather they had in America. Why, "it's all kinds."

We are sorry to hear we are going to lose one of our best settlers, Gus Anderson and family. They are going to move into Revelstoke.

TROUT LAKE.

George Johnston, of P. Burns & Co. got out from Trout Lake Wednesday. He reports traffic having been blocked to such an extent by deep snow and soft state of the road that no mail could be got in for three weeks. The only way of getting it in at last was by putting snowshoes on eight horses and using toboggans. The Archer is running a daily trip again, but as Beaton is cut off by ice for the present the landing is at mouth of Fish river. There is no beef or butter at Trout Lake or Ferguson, so the people there are on short commons. Supt. Downie has a staff of men endeavoring to open a channel across Trout lake from Gerard so the boat can run and get in supplies, but it is feared the ice is still too thick.

LUMBERING.

While there is a shortage of shingles in B. C. there is such surplus in the States it is proposed to shut down the mills for 30 days.

D. C. Cameron M. P. P. of Rat Portage, says that between 75 and 80 per cent. of the American timber used in Manitoba enters the country free of duty, and the remainder is subject to a duty of 25 per cent. when imported as matched lumber.

Walter Scott, M. P., asks an enquirey with a view of applying the provisions of the anti-combine clause of the tariff act, or section 520 of the criminal code, directed against combination for restraint of trade. He alleges lumber prices unduly high as result of agreement or combination of dealers and manufacturers, and says they will only sell to certain men.

Hon. W. C. Wells, chief commissioner says it is the desire and intention of his department to make the fulfilment of the provisions of the new regulations respecting the survey of the timber limits held under special license as easy as possible to the licensees. Licenses will be granted to applicants whose notices in the Gazette are dated priod to the 26th March, 1903, the date upon which the new regulation took effect, and renewals will be granted in cases where the time of the old license expired prior to the 26th March. Applicants for renewals after date will be allowed up to six month's time in which to survey the limits applied for.

A deputation representing Kootenay lumbermen, including Messrs. Landmark, of Revelstoke, and J. F. Billings of Nakusp, interviewed government and recommended licenses be renewable at option of holders from year to year, holders must cut one thousand feet B. M. daily for every license held for eight months in year and licensees may take up any number of licenses; licenses, to be transferable; no increase in the fee issued over lands east of the Cascades, approve surveys but in view of difficulty in having surveys made, reasonable extensions be allowed before cancellation of licenses for failure to survey.

THE MINES.

A. Ward sold interest in Rufled Grouse for $1,000.

The Fernie strike cost the Granby Company $10,000.

Rich ore has been found on sixth level of Centre Star.

Kettle River is the new name for Dale Mining Division.

Crofton smelter blew in Sunday with a year's supply of ore.

St. Elmo claim, Great Northern mountain, is being bonded.

The Sullivan will issue bonds for $250,000 to complete smelter.

The silver-lead delegation is again at Ottawa urging higher duties.

Granby stock is to be quoted on the New York and Boston exchanges.

The Lanark Consolidated will dispose of its property prior to winding up.

Wild Horse placers are to be worked on a large scale this season by hydraulicing.

The Montreal-Boston Copper Co. will install a converter at Sunset smelter in Boundary.

A change has been made in the management of the Metropolitan Company, McCrossan being retired.

"In the history of the mining industry this year will be recorded as a memorable one."—Mining Review.

It is reported the Northwest Development Company made another clean-up but the result is kept secret.

J. F. Musselman, manager of the Calumet & B. C., has been at Arrowhead rushing in the machinery for the Eva mine.

The Laborers Co-operative, of Golden, proposes to increase its capital to $500,000 by issue of 3,500,000 shares at 10 cents.

W. B. Pool, manager of the Oyster-Criterion, is putting in a dam on Pool creek to provide water power for the company's stamp mill.

The Seattle claim, on north fork of Kettle river, bonded to Trail smelter, is developing well and a 5-drill compressor is to be put in. The ore runs $40 to $50.

A deal is again on for the old Donald claim near Illecillewaet, and in which Mrs. Caldwell and D. Woolsey are interested, the bondee being Mr. Jewell, of England. The ore runs high in zinc.

The following have been elected directors of Northwest Coal and Coke Co.: L. Ernst, J. McLatchie, J. L. Stamford and B. B. Mighton, of Nelson; F. C. Elliott, Trout Lake; and G. H. Bradbury, Ottawa.

D. Woolsey and G. S. McCarter have a carload of ore ready to ship from their property on the north fork of the Illecillewaet above Albert Canyon. The ore is high-grade, running 960 ozs. silver, $7 gold and 8 per cent copper.

The Revelstoke and McCullough Creek Hydraulic Company will start work as soon as it is possible to get plant and supplies on the ground at McCullough creek. A sawmill plant has been ordered from E. G. Prior & Co., Limited; pipe, giant and gates from the Vancouver Engineering Works, and other supplies from Hendy & Co., of San Francisco.

Much interest attaches to the coming season's hydraulic and deep lead operations in Caribou. At Bullion, J. B. Hobson, manager of the Caribou Hydraulic, has things in excellent shape for work and good returns may be expected in the shape of a brick or two rivalling that turned out three years ago. The New York mint said it was the largest gold brick they had ever seen, and requested Mr. Hobson not to cast his gold bricks so large in future as they could not handle them. Mr. Hobson probably advised the director of the mint that while he was sorry to inconvenience him he could not get the gold he was turning out at Bullion into any smaller space.

Raymond Allen has put in a saw mill, operated by water power, to assist placer operations on the old channel of Camp creek now being operated. Dr. Carruthers, Messrs. E. J. Bourne, F. B. Wells and J. L. Woodrow are interested with Mr. Allen in this property.

E. A. Bradley intends resuming operations on the Consolation placer ground on French creek as soon as supplies can be got in. Two beds of gold-bearing gravel, parallel to each other, have been struck, and from one of these a splendid sample of coarse gold was taken last month by J. Sweeney, who has great faith in the future of the ground from present appearances. A large amount of development has been done on this ground.

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P. G. KEYES,
Secretary, Department of the Interior.

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Lake Ontario	March 13
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CRESSMAN-McMICKEN—At Revelstoke, Wednesday, April 8th, by Rev. C. A. Ladner, Mr. J. B. Cressman to Miss Maggie McMicken, both of this city.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

J. Skinner had several Belgian hares killed by a weasel.

Two cases of measels are reported by Dr. Cross, city health officer.

J. W. Bennett has been appointed to succeed Miss Merrill as secretary to executive of Socialist league.

As agent for the C. P. R., J. D. Sibbald sold this week 18 lots at Arrowhead to James A. Taylor for mill purposes.

On Monday one of the men imported from the east to take places of the strikers was found to have scarlet fever and quarantined.

Local astronomers will be interested to know a partial eclipse of the moon takes place this evening, beginning at 9:27 p. m. and ending at 1:58 a. m.

The annual report of the chief commissioner of lands and works for year ending June 30th, 1903 shows $32,847 expended on public works in Revelstoke riding for year.

At a meeting of the city police commissioners Monday it was decided to suppress nickel-in-the-slot machines and require hotel licensees to observe the Sunday trading by-law.

Citizens are anxious to see the steamer Revelstoke brought up from Arrowhead as soon as the state of the river will permit, to be in readiness for the coming season's operations.

Joe Dunne has gone to the Bend to take charge of Boyd's ranch, on behalf of the Navigation company, who acquired the property with the intention of conducting it as a stopping place.

The average salary for men teachers in British Columbia is $730, and of women $618. The average salary of men employed by the school commissioners in Montreal is $1,376, and of women $418.

Says The World: "That always interesting exchange, the Kootenay Mail, has entered upon its tenth year; good luck to it. The Mail is always welcome. Of late it has shown marked improvement, and as Revelstoke grows so must the Mail."

A meeting of licensing commissioners was held Monday at which Messrs. McCarty, Kincaid and Chief Inspector Upper were present. In consequence of an adverse report from the license inspector, it was resolved to cancel the license for the Coronation hotel at Camborne.

On Monday two boys Parsons and Macguire, were playing with a detonator carelessly left by some one engaged clearing stumps on the east side of the city. It went off injuring Parsons so badly he may lose the right eye and making a terrible flesh wound on Macguire's hip, cuting his face and one eye. Both boys were removed to the hospital and their injuries attended by Dr. Sutherland. They are doing well.

BEATON.

From our own Correspondent.

The snow will be all gone here in a week.

Business continues good, the hotels being scarcely able to accommodate the number of people traveling.

Two parties here who had a rather tidy sum of money to divide between them have gone to law, and there will be the usual result.

The Casino Comedy Co. played here last Thursday and again on Saturday. They give a good show and had good houses on both occasions.

A petition praying the Dominion government to deepen the channel to Beaton as soon as the dredge is through at the Narrows, is being circulated and signed by everyone in the district.

Messrs. Beaton and Hillman have finished their contract of taking out square timber for the Arrowhead sawmill. The timber is in the lake and will be taken over as soon as the ice breaks up.

The Rev. Mr. McColl, who is to have charge of the Presbyterian missions in Lardeau and Trout Lake, has arrived and is looking over his field of labors. He preached a very able sermon here last night.

The road from Beaton to Ferguson and Trout Lake has been impassible for the last three weeks. No heavy loads were hauled over it during the winter so that the snow was never properly packed, and when the mild weather set in the horses would go to the bottom. They have a large gang of men on trying to shovel the road out and may get through next week. A large consignment of beef for Ferguson is piled at the landing and will certainly spoil, if the road is not soon opened. The mails are being carried by dog train.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

The owner of a lost watch is advertised for.

You can save money by insuring with H. N. Coursier.

C. B. Hume & Co. are making a fine show of wall papers.

Chocolates—only the very best kept at Canada Drug & Book Co.

You can get Monsoon tea from M. A. Smith & Co., Revelstoke.

Get your electric wiring and bell repairs done by Moscrop Bros.

Look up the KOOTENAY MAIL'S news item competition. It is worth trying for.

Former customers of Morris & Steed can now get their Monsoon tea from M. A. Smith & Co.

Travellers visiting Revelstoke will find the best accomodation at the Central Hotel, Abrahamson Bros.' Props.

Sponges—a big one for 25c, twice as big for 50c, and the best quality at Canada Drug & Book Co.

Visitors to Camborne should take A. Craig's stage from Beaton. Quickest route, best service.

M. A. Smith & Co. have been appointed agents for Revelstoke for the celebrated Monsoon tea.

Shaun Aroon is a bright, fearless, quick-witted fellow and ready to sing, dance, make love or fight, as the case may be.

Reserve your calendar orders for 1904 till the representative of the Kootenay Mail calls to show you our samples.

When you come to Revelstoke hail the Central Hotel bus to take you to a good hotel. Abrahamson Bros. Props.

H. N.'s Coursier draws attention through car advertising columns to farm and city lots, hotel for sale, and house to let.

When you want to get to Camborne in speed and comfort, look out for A. Craig's stage line when landing at Beaton.

R. H. Trueman will personally attend at his studio, Revelstoke, till Tuesday evening when the studio will be closed for a short time.

Our new spring wall papers are just opened up. We have beautiful lot of the newest patterns; see them before you buy.—Canada Drug & Book Co.

R. S. Blackwell, representing G. F. & J. Galt, the celebrated tea merchants was in the city this week and appointed M. A. Smith & Co. agents for their Monsoon tea.

Don't miss Shaun Aroon Thursday evening April 16th, a comedy drama in three acts. This drama is out of the rut of the so-called Irish plays. There are no "red coats," no drunkards nor tiresome prison scenes. The plot is original, the action brisk and humor abundant.

Says the Canadian Grocer: "Since it is a recognized fact that the more we ask for business the more business we get—and since advertising is simply asking for business in different ways, using every argument we can think of to impress people with the desirability of buying in our stores—it seems the solution of the ever-vexing problem "How to get more business" is found in one word "advertise"—in the Kootenay Mail.

Shaun Aroon, under the auspices of the Revelstoke Dramatic club, will be given at the Opera house Thursday evening, April 16th, by Prof. Hepburn, assisted by a cast of local talent who have been rehearsing this laughable drama for the past month. Read what the Medicine Hat News has to say. Tickets and plan at Canada Drug store.

W. J. George has taken over the entire stock of dry goods of Taylor Bros. and George, limited, consisting of furnishings, boots and shoes, ready-made clothing, etc. Mr. George is opening up several new lines of spring and summer goods, including delanes, muslins, and all kinds of fancy summer dress goods. He is also opening a new line of hats and millinery. Mr. George has been connected with the firm for nearly four years. The portion of the store to be used by Mr. George has been extended the full length of building. In taking over the business Mr. George thanks his many friends for their patronage in the past and hopes to merit a greater share than ever of their favors.

ARROWHEAD.

From our own correspondent.

W. B. Pool was in town Wednesday.

Six men arrived yesterday to work in connection with the Ludgate mill.

Mr. Ludgate has a force of men putting up buildings for his men and horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus and family arrived Monday. Mr. Columbus will take charge of the mill boarding house as cook.

G. T. Newman has started a few men to work at Hall's landing getting out logs for the mill, and will increase the force soon as horses arrive to haul the logs.

President Shaughnessy has returned to Montreal from London.

C. P. R. has changed division head quarters from Moosejaw to Regina.

Hon. A. G. Blair's railway bill has strict provision against discriminating freight rates.

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The Best in the World.

Mail us 15 Royal Crown Soap Wrappers, and in return we will mail a beautiful Picture size 16x20; or for 25 Wrappers your choice of over 100 books. Drop us a post card asking for a catalogue of premiums to be had FREE for Royal Crown Soap Wrappers.

Address

The Royal Soap Co., Vancouver, B.C. Limited.

Social and Personal

A. McRae left for the coast Wednesday.

J. A. Darragh left this week for the east.

R. Caley went to the coast this week.

P. Burns was a visitor to the city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Sandberg returned this week from Seattle.

Prof. Hepburn intends starting dancing classes at Kamloops.

J. V. Armstrong returned Monday from a business trip to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sandberg, of Albert Canyon, visited the city Thursday.

W. R. Reid, of Reid & Young, returned Wednesday from California.

Supt. Kilpatrick, Messrs. Phipps and McCarter visited Arrowhead yesterday.

C. F. Lindmark returned from the coast Tuesday, having gone as far as Victoria.

F. X. Martin, of the Northwestern Hotel, Goldfields, returned this week to Michigan.

On Monday evening Mrs. Lawson gave a party in honor of Miss Humphries who is on a visit.

D. R. McLennan, of the Windsor Hotel, Trout Lake, came in Tuesday and returned Thursday.

Dr. Graham arrived from the old country Monday with a view to starting practice in Revelstoke.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Grogan, formerly of Revelstoke, have left Edmonton for England and will return in June.

T. Graham, of Albert Canyon, has accepted the position of stenographer for the Columbia River Lumber Co.

Mrs. W. A. Morris and Miss McLean leave next week on a visit to their brothers, R. R. and C. D. McLean, of Ducks.

Mr. and Mrs. LeMaistre entertained a number of friends at dinner Wednesday in celebration of their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Pease have arrived at Halifax from England and will reach Revelstoke about Wednesday on a visit to Mrs. Sibbald.

A large number of friends attended at the railway station yesterday to bid farewell to Mrs. Carruthers on her leaving for England.

Sentinel: Mrs. Lees, of Revelstoke, is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. M. E. Gordon, before proceeding to the coast on a visit.

H. Z. Brock, manager for the Northwestern Development Co. has gone east. Judge Curtis, vice-president of the company, is now managing the mine.

Mesdames Buck, Aman and Lawson gave children's farewell parties to Trilly Carruthers on the occasion of her leaving for England with her mother.

W. McDonald, manager of the Imperial Bank at Ferguson, only got home last week by tramping it from Beaton to Ferguson, 16 miles, accompanied by his wife and neice.

J. B. Hobson, father of the Provincial Mining Association, left Ashcroft for Butlion last week accompanied by Mrs. Hobson and children. Mr. Hobson has purchased a nice home at Victoria, where he will spend winter in future.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. B. A. Lawson gave a farewell afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. Carruthers. Besides the guest and hostess there were present: Mesdames Scott, Ward, Hagen, Spurling, G. Sutherland, Flindt, Phipps, Misses Boultbee and Humphries.

On Wednesday evening Rev. C. Ladner performed the marriage ceremony of J. B. Cressman with Miss Maggie McMicken. M. House was bridegroom's man and Miss Minnie Rothwell bridesmaid. The bride wore white rosettes, was dressed in white gown of muslin crepe shadine trimmed with white satin ribbon and frills. The bridesmaid wore pink muslin crepe shadine trimmed with frills and white satin ribbon. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was an opal ring.

On Saturday afternoon the Ladies Auxiliary of the Hospital entertained their late president, Mrs. Carruthers, at afternoon tea, and made her a farewell presentation as a token of the appreciation in which they held her services to the institution. The presentation took the form of a silver-backed clothes brush and mirror engraved: "Presented to Mrs. Carruthers by the Ladies Guild, April 4th, 1903." Mrs. Spurling made the presentation. Mrs. Carruthers thanked the ladies for their kind gift, wished them success in their efforts and hoped they would continue to work well together for the good of the institution.

Rheumatism.

"For years when spring time came on I went into gardening. I was sure to have an attack of rheumatism and every attack was more severe than the preceding one," says Josie McDonald, of Man, Logan county, West Va. "I tried everything with no relief whatever, until I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and the first application gave me ease, and before the first bottle was used I felt like a new person. Now I feel that I am cured, but I always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house and when I feel any symptoms of a return I soon drive it away with one or two applications of this liniment. For sale by all druggists.

Engine 580 got something wrong with her throttle at Medicine Hat, and raced into the turn table pit, making a bad smash.

At the C. P. R. bridge over Kootenay River at Nelson last week the crane boom broke. A. Amey had his skull fractured and A. Craig had an arm broken.

JUST WHAT YOU NEED.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

When you feel dull after eating.
When you have no appetite.
When you have a bad taste in the mouth.
When your liver is torpid.
When your bowels are constipated.
When you have a headache.
When you feel bilious.

They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach, and regulate your liver and bowels. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by all druggists.

For a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

Annual Ball.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Inland Hospital, Kamloops, B. C., intend to hold their annual ball on Thursday evening, April 16th. They will be glad to welcome visitors from a distance. Tickets, $5.00.

Land For Sale.

FOR SALE—100 acres in Section 5 and 6, Township 35, four miles north of Fairview, B. C. All agricultural land, with a good young orchard, and an abundance of water. Part cash, balance in 4 years at a reasonable rate of interest, or big reduction for spot cash. For particulars apply to

J. K. ROBINSON,
Fairview, B. C.

THE CORONATION HOTEL FOR SALE

This includes hotel, furnished; also private house, situated on the land; store, barns, stables, ice house, large fruit garden, root houses, etc. Good reasons for selling. Immediate possession. Apply to owner,

Mrs. CHARLOTTE HOLDER,
Salmon Arm

Business Chances and Choice Properties

FOR SALE

160 acre stocked farm and garden, rich soil, well watered, contiguous to profitable market.

Furnished hotel, 16 bed-rooms, bar, office, sitting room, dining room and kitchen.

Villa lot of 3 1-7 acres at Revelstoke, cleared, neat house. Terms easy.

House to let, 4 rooms, on Second st.

Choice lots for sale throughout the city. For prices and terms apply to

H. N. COURSIER,
McKenzie Avenue.

U.B. of R.E.

A public meeting will be held at the Opera House

TONIGHT

Saturday, April 11th.

Mr. George Estes, president of U. B. of R. E., will address the meeting.

Admission Free. Ladies cordially invited.

A collection in aid of strike fund will be taken up.

J. Guy Barber

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DIAMONDS
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and a complete line of the GENUINE

"1847 Rogers Bros."
Knives, Forks, Spoons, etc.

Eyes carefully examined and properly fitted to the best grade of glasses.

Fine Repairing.

A GUARANTEED CURE

For all Forms of Kidney Disease.

We the undersigned Druggists are fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Pettingill's Kidney-Wort Tablets, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak kidneys:—

"Money cheerfully returned if the sufferer is not relieved and improved after use of one bottle. Three to six bottles effect astonishing and permanent cures. If not relieved and cured, you waste no money.

Canada Drug & Book Co., Revelstoke, B. C.

J. A. Miller & Co., Revelstoke, B. C.

Walter Bews, Revelstoke, B. C.

For Sale

TWO Residences on McKenzie Avenue, with modern improvements, $2,500 each, on easy terms.

TWO Residences on Third Street east, very convenient for railway men, $1,800 each, easy terms.

ONE Residence on First Street east, cash required $500, subject to mortgage.

Apply to

HARVEY, McCARTER & PINKHAM,

FOR SALE CHEAP.

The Best Hay and Stock Ranch in the Kootenay Country.

VIPOND'S HAY AND STOCK RANCH, on the Lardo and Arrowhead branch of the C. P. R., six miles from Lardo, consisting of 160 acres of meadow, of which 90 acres are in timothy. Several head of young cattle. All necessary farming machinery. Shipped five carloads of hay last year and one carload of cattle. For particulars write owner.

E. R. VIPOND,
Trout Lake, B. C.

Trout Lake, B. C., Feb. 22nd, 1903.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

AN EXTRAORDINARY general meeting of the shareholders of the Lanark Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, limited liability, will be held at the office of the company, in the Taylor Block, Revelstoke, B. C., on Thursday, the 30th day of April A. D. 1903, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of passing a resolution disposing of the whole or a part of the Company's assets.

Dated at Revelstoke, B. C., this 31st day of March, 1903.

J. M. DOYLE,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

No. 1.

Commencing at a post marked James Martin's south-west corner post, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek about seventeen miles up from its mouth, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked James Martin's south-west corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek about eighteen miles from its mouth, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 21th day of March, 1903.

JAMES MARTIN.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

No. 1.

Commencing at a post marked John Bourne's south-west corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek about fifteen miles up from its mouth, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked John Bourne's south-west corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek about sixteen miles from its mouth, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the west, 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1903.

JOHN BOURNE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, viz.:

No. 1.

Commencing at a post marked Jennie Dashwood-Jones' north-west corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek about fourteen miles up from its mouth, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked Jennie Dashwood-Jones' north-west corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek about fifteen miles from its mouth, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1903.

JENNIE DASHWOOD-JONES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land: Commencing at a post marked W. A. Dashwood Jones' south-east corner; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; containing 640 acres.

W. A. DASHWOOD JONES.

18th March, 1903.

Best News Item.

Kootenay Mail Prize Competition.

Three cash prizes are offered by the Kootenay Mail for the best news items sent in before April 30th. First prize will be $2.50, second $1.50, third $1.00. Competitors must cut out and attach the coupon below, duly filled in, to each item entered for competition:

Mail News Item Coupon.

Name.....

Address.....

H. B. STONEX,

MACHINIST AND GUNSMITH,

Opposite Central Hotel, Revelstoke.

Lathe and General Machine Work Promptly Executed.

WANTED

FOR SALE.—House and lot, with furniture. Apply KOOTENAY MAIL office for particulars.

FOUND—A WATCH—Owner can have same on proving property and paying cost of this advertisement. Apply to Chief Bain.

FOUND—A gold bracelet; owner can have same on paying cost of this advertisement. Apply at office of the KOOTENAY MAIL.

GOLDEN BUFF ORPINGTON eggs for hatching; Cook's Originator strain; $2.00 for 13; first prize winners Victoria show, $3.00. Lockley Jones, Mount Tolmie, Victoria.

WANTED—Timber lands; Big Bend preferred. Apply at office of KOOTENAY MAIL.

WANTED TO SELL—Two houses and lots at rising town of Camborne; each property will let for $15 a month; price on each property $500. For particulars apply at office of Kootenay Mail.

WANT TO SELL—One of the best hotels in Kootenay; good man can clear $5,000 a year. For particulars apply at office of Kootenay Mail.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

No. 1.

Commencing at a post marked Frank Cass's south-east corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek, about twenty-one miles up from its mouth, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked Frank Cass's south-east corner, planted on the east bank of Pingston creek, about twenty miles up from its mouth, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1903.

FRANK CASS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

No. 1.

Commencing at a post marked Thomas Savage's north-east corner, planted on the west bank of Pingston creek about sixteen miles up from its mouth, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked Thomas Savage's south-east corner, planted on the west bank of Pingston creek about sixteen miles up from its mouth, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1903.

THOMAS SAVAGE.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

No. 1.

Commencing at a post marked Clarence Drury's north-east corner, planted on the west bank of Pingston creek about forty-one miles up from its mouth, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked Clarence Drury's south-east corner, planted on the west bank of Pingston creek about fourteen miles up from its mouth, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1903.

CLARENCE DRURY.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

Commencing at a post, planted about 20 chains south of the Kuksus and Shushanah way, between the golch, and nine miles west, running east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

H. ERWIN.

Dated the 19th day of March, 1903.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B. C., for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Starting at the post marked W. Robertson south-east corner post situated on Moonkalin creek, Lower Arrow lake about 70 chains west of John Glover's N. W. corner in Fire valley, thence running north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

W. ROBERTSON

Nakusp, B. C., March 24th, 1903.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the present session thereof for an Act incorporating the Columbia River Improvement Company.

1. To construct, build, maintain and equip piers and other works at or near the point where the Columbia River, enters the Upper Arrow Lake in the District of East Kootenay, British Columbia, and to use booms in connection therewith.

2. To construct and maintain piers, slides, dams, booms and such other improvements on the said river above Upper Arrow Lake, or any of its branches, or any other rivers or streams emptying into said lakes, as may be required to facilitate driving, rafting, collecting and sorting timber or saw-logs, and to levy and collect tolls and dues upon such said timber and logs.

3. To acquire, own and operate dredges, scows, barges and tugs for the purposes aforesaid, or any of them and to remove rocks, dredge and remove shoals, bars and other impediments in the way of driving and protecting said timber.

Dated this 19th day of March, A. D. 1903.

KERR, DAVIDSON, PATERSON & GRANT,
Solicitors for applicants,
23 Adelaide St. E., Toronto.

D'ARCY SCOTT,
Ottawa Agent.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B. C., for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "The Yale-Columbia Lumber Company's northwest corner post," situated about eight miles from the mouth of McDonald creek on the Upper Arrow Lake, thence running east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Nakusp, B. C., March 16th, 1903.

THE YALE-COLUMBIA LUMBER CO. LTD.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

FIRST LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on north side of south fork of St. Leon creek, Arrow lake, about 100 yds. from trappers cabin, and about eight miles from mouth of creek, running south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

SECOND LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on south side of St. Leon creek, Arrow lake, about nine miles from mouth of creek, and running 160 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 160 chains west, thence 40 chains south to place of commencement.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1903.

M. McMILLAN.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that 60 days after date we intend to apply to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor in Council under Sec. 7 of The Rivers and Streams Act 1899, C. 65, S. 17, to clean obstructions, boulders, log jams, snags, etc., from the bed and banks of Fish creek, West Kootenay, from its source to mouth and to make such other improvements as may be necessary for the driving of logs, to construct sorting booms at its mouth, also to collect tolls as the judge of the County Court may fix.

THE FRED. ROBINSON LUMBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

Revelstoke, B. C., April 6th, 1903.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

FIRST LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on south side of St. Leon creek, Arrow lake, about two miles from mouth of creek, marked "M. M. cor.," running east 160 chains, along east line of M. Grady's location, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

SECOND LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on north side of St. Leon creek, Arrow lake, about seven miles from mouth of creek, and running 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to place of commencement.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1903.

C. W. McMILLAN.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

FIRST LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Kuskanax creek, eight miles more or less from its mouth, marked "J. A. T. north-east corner post," and running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

JAS. A. TAYLOR.

Located the 19th day of March, 1903.

NOTICE.

TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS.

To Alex. Smith, J. Riley, J. O. Piper, J. Piccato, Fred Jacobson, J. J. Cole and Jim Davis, or to any person or persons to whom he or they may have transferred his or their interests in the Portland Mineral Claim situated on the south side of Caribou Creek in Arrow Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay:

You and each of you are hereby notified that I have expended four hundred and ten dollars in labor and improvements upon the above mentioned mineral claim, in order to hold said mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within ninety days of the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of such expenses, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in said claim will become the property of the subscriber under section 4 of an act entitled "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act 1900.

(Signed) M. E. KING.

Rossland, B. C., February 7th, 1903.

Revelstoke Licence District.

NOTICE is hereby given that David Orr, of Camborne, has made application under the provisions of the Liquor Licence Act, 1900, for a transfer of his license for the Eva Hotel, Camborne, to Levesque & Thew, of Camborne, and that a meeting of the Board of Licence Commissioners of the Revelstoke Licence District will be held to consider such application at the Provincial Police Office, Revelstoke, on Thursday the 30th day of April, 1903, at the hour of 2 p. m.

R. A. UPPER,
Chief Licence Inspector.

Provincial Police Office,
Revelstoke, B. C., April 6th, 1903.

NOTICE.

RESPECTING TIMBER LICENSES.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of Section 50 of the "Land Act," that in future no special licenses to cut timber on Crown lands will be granted or renewed until after the applicants have had the limits surveyed by duly qualified Provincial Land Surveyor, to the satisfaction of the Lands and Works Department.

W. C. WELLS,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 26th March, 1903.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains west of Bear river, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1903.

ARTHUR DRURY.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

Commencing at a post marked Frank Bourne's north-east corner, planted on the west bank of Pingston creek about ten miles up from its mouth, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 2.

Commencing at a post marked Thomas Savage's south-east corner, planted on the west bank of Pingston creek about sixteen miles up from its mouth, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1903.

FRANK BOURNE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

Commencing at a post marked C. M. Symons north-east corner, planted at a point about one and a half miles north-west of Robert Sanderson's lime kiln and about one mile west of the Upper Arrow lake, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1903.

C. M. SYMONS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

Commencing at a post marked F. H. Black's south-east corner, planted at a point about one and a half miles west of Robert Sanderson's lime kiln and about one mile west of the Upper Arrow lake, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated this 25th day of March, 1903.

FRANK H. BLACK.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

FIRST LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Kuskanax creek, about two miles from the north end of Upper Arrow lake, marked "J. A. T. north-east corner post," and running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

SECOND LOCATION.

Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Kuskanax creek, about two miles from the north end of Upper Arrow lake, marked "J. A. T. south-east corner post," and running north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

JAS. A. TAYLOR.

Located the 19th day of March, 1903.