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ALBERT CANYON.

Preparing for Revelstoke Sunday Schools Picnic.

Albert Canyon is getting ready. There is no denying it, even the station-house is getting on a new coat of paint. It is hot, stepping out of No. 2 when the sun is doing its best to scorch the platform one is almost compelled to say that Revelstoke has not got the monopoly of sunshine, but notwithstanding the heat you are not long in the place before noticing that preparations for something are being made, spaces are being cleared and things tidied up as if the inhabitants were fully determined to make the coming 12th a success as far as they are concerned.

But the springs are inviting, and the thought of a dip gives an added zest to life, especially on a day like this. A beautiful walk, through overhanging trees and masses of ferns, which those who have visited the waters are not likely to forget in a hurry, for a little over three-quarters of a mile brings us to the new bath house, which is a credit to those who in their spare time have voluntarily built the bath and split the cedar which was no small undertaking—the dressing and bath rooms combined measure 40x16, and the bath itself 20x14, with a depth of 4 feet, thus giving room to swim without being too deep for the safety of the adventurous small boy.

The writer has been keeping a sharp look out for mosquitoes and has made diligent enquiries amongst the inhabitants as to when one was last seen but not being able to ascertain anything definite is comfortably settled without fear of a nip to remind him of the skeeter's love for mankind. In case of rain there is plenty of accomodation here, there being several large buildings not in use, but it is not expected that they will be required.

The picnic grounds are pleasantly situated in the woods a few hundred yards from the station, where there is plenty of shade. In fact this makes an almost ideal spot for a picnic, there being no dangerous places for children anywhere near. Albert Canyon is expecting a crowd and is quite ready to accommodate it.

The Mayor has declared Wednesday a public holiday.

Tickets bought must be exchanged for C. P. R. tickets at the station before boarding the train.

THE MINES.

A rich strike is reported from Kokanee trail.

Three feet of high grade ore has been struck in the Slocan Star.

The Rambler-Cariboo benefits by the lead bonus to extent of $1500 to $2000 a month.

Alex McRae is getting placer gold on Camp creek, Big Bend, above the canyon.

Gus Lund is doing development work on the Florence claim in the Ground Hog Basin.

W. B. Pool is reported to be interesting himself in the development of Great Northern mountain.

It is a matter of widespread regret to learn that the Velvet has closed down, having exhausted the ore body.

E. A. Bradley expects to resume operations on the Blue Jay, on Smith creek, in the course of two or three weeks.

As a result of the lead bonus Bruce and Byron White are reopening the the Noonday, a big low grade zinc-lead property in Slocan.

J. C. Montgomery is developing the ore body he discovered two years ago on Keystone mountain, from which high assays were obtained.

W. B. Pool endorses the Poplar creek gold strike and has arranged to purchase from O. Hamilton, O'Connor and Morgan, the Lucky Jack group for over $100,000.

H. Willcox has been doing assessment work on the Carbonate Chief on Keystone mountain and it looks well. This gives promise of turning out a big low-grade proposition, with gold values of about $4 a ton.

Harry Howard will this month make a clean-up of the Chicago No. 2, on the Columbia river at Smith creek. He has had two giants running and has broken a lot of new ground on the north side, which is expected to give good results.

A magnificent sample of gold-bearing ore from the new strike at Poplar Creek is on exhibition at F. B. Well's store. It is full of coarse gold, and if there is any quantity of this stuff in that locality it justifies all that has been said of it.

Eastern capitalists associated with E. A. Bradley in old channel mining on Smith and French creeks have organized the Port Phipp Mining and Transportation Company with a view to operating French creek and taking a hand in transportation to the Bend.

The giant at the Revelstoke and McCullough Creek Hydraulic Company's ground was started on Tuesday week but stopped again for two days for repair of the pipe-line. It got to work again the following Thursday and was giving excellent results.

Prospectors coming in for supplies to this city from the new goldfields at Poplar Creek, say that there is increasing excitment there. Many of the claimowners have taken in mortars and pestles, with which they are extracting gold values from their ore. On four of the claims, armed guards patrol the workings day and night, to prevent pilferers carrying off golden nuggets. Pieces of ore, the size of a man's hand, and containing $200 in gold, have been taken out of the Lucky Jack.—News.

Those interested with Raymond Allen on his property at Smith creek intend putting in a new ditch to take the water direct over the present face of gravel with a view to proving up the old channel of Camp creek, where the prospects are encouraging.

Mr. Green and associates, of the American, will probably take over the bond on the Black Warrior and extend the tunnel 150 ft. so as to give a depth of 300 ft. on the ore chute. On the results of this work they will decide whether or not they will let go up the bond.

The Paradise mine on Toby creek, Windermere mining division, has shipped 937 tons of silver-lead ore to date and has another 300 tons ready for shipment. The Ptarmigan, on Horse Thief creek, same mining division, shipped 80 tons and has another 67 tons ready for shipment.

At the Consolation, on French creek, E. A. Bradley has a force of men working under J. Sweeney, drifting across the old channel with a view to defining its position and ascertaining the probability of getting payable gold there. The property is being operated through the upper Consolation shaft. Although the property is a very wet one to work in, it has the advantage of drainage by gravitation through a channel run from the mouth of the canyon, so that no pumping is necessary, as is usual in deep lead sinking.

THE HOSPITAL.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Revelstoke Hospital Society was held Monday, T. Kilpatrick, president, occupying the chair.

We have not space for the full reports presented. The annual report stated the furnishing was now complete, giving accommodation for 15 patients and four nurses. $1,037.13 had been spent on furniture and instruments. The grounds were being improved. The hospital had been filled and more accommodation would be required in the men's ward. With sufficient assistance from city and government an isolation hospital should be built. The plan had been successfully adopted of guaranteeing employes of the C. P. R. and lumber companies hospital accommodation, medical attendance and medicine in return for a small monthly fee. The medical staff consisted of a resident officer and two assistants, and one assistant having left another would have to be appointed. The nursing staff consisted of a matron and three nurses, provided by the Victorian order of nurses, an arrangement which had proved satisfactory. 2625 hospital days treatment have been given to 248 patients since 8th August, 1902, besides a large number of out-patients treated, there having been 2237 visits from that class. A considerable amount of district nursing had also been done. The debt had been reduced from $4,500 to $3,000, with sufficient due to reduce it to $1,400, while the institution and equipment had cost $12,000. Thanks were due to the Ladies Auxiliary, Victorian Order of Nurses for grant of $200, Dr. Cross for operating table, and city council for free water and light for hospital, while the support from the public had been gratifying. The medical report was also read.

On motion of G. S. McCarter, seconded by G. S. Flindt, the reports were adopted.

The former board was elected with three new members as follows: T. Kilpatrick, F. McCarty, A. E. Phipps. C. H. Temple, C. J. Wilkes, G. S. McCarter, B. R. Atkins, J. McLeod, R. Howson, C. F. Lindmark, R. Gordon, P. Hooley, W. B. Pool, F. C. Manning, R. Steiss, J. W. Fairhall, J. L. Rattan, J. G. Billings, H. Creelman, M. J. Scott, R. H. Urquhart, T. More, J. McGinnis, H. F. Hay, D. Jackson, H. G. Gough.

Votes of thanks were accorded the Ladies Guild, president, vice-president, and secretary.

The financial statement showed receipts for year $9,244.94 and expenditure $9,025.24.

The report of the Ladies Guild stated there were 64 names on the register. The following were elected an advisory board to confer with the directors: Mesdames Dent, W. M. Lawrence, F. Fraser, G. M. Clark, P. Hooley, Wilson, Risteen and J. J. Shaw. The net proceeds of the hospital ball were $339.15; Harold Nelson Co. $61.45, and garden party at Mrs. Kilpatrick's $51. X-ray apparatus had been purchased at cost of $460. The guild had purchased all linen for hospital. Too much could not be said of the good work done by Mrs. Carruthers.

Dr. Sutherland reported 248 patients had passed through hospital, 215 males and 33 females. There were 155 surgical and 89 medical cases. Number of out-door visits was 2,237 and 82 operations were performed. Owing to want of space convalescing patients had to be discharged to make room for new cases. An isolated ward was also required. Dr. Sutherland expressed great appreciation of the efforts of the Ladies Guild. He thanked the nursing staff for their faithful work and Dr. Cross, his associate, for able and willing assistance.

American railways have organized an association to fight the unions.

THE LARDEAU.

Fish and Pool Creeks—Trout Lake and Ferguson Mining Camps.

(Continued.)

GREAT NORTHERN MOUNTAIN picks up the continuation of the mineral belt from the Beatrice at the head of Mohawk creek. This mountain is immediately behind Ferguson and has extensive showings of ore. Indeed, from surface croppings and the work so far done Great Northern mountain appears to be one of the most strongly mineralised sections of the Lardeau.

THE ALPHA GROUP, the property of the Lillooet, Fraser River and Cariboo Goldfields, Ltd., has had more development work on it than any other property in the section. It is approached by the best mountain trail in the district and is one of the most accessable properties in the market today, being within three miles of Ferguson. A shaft has been sunk 110 feet on the main outcrop, and on the dump are considerable quantities of copper and silver-lead ores associated with zinc, taken out in the process of sinking. The lead is 17 feet in width and has a strike of N. 35 W. mag. dipping 58 deg. N. E. On the north side the quartz is honey combed, showing the leaching of sulphurets, while through the centre of the vein is a band of ankerite. This ankerite carries the copper ore, which is of good grade, showing oxides, double sulphides and chalcopyrite. General experience in the Lardeau has shown that in ores showing copper on the surface this metal gives place to silver with depth and generally carries high values. The shaft is timbered in a first-class manner.

An open cut exposes another lead showing copper and steel galena. This lead has a strike of N. 38 W. and cuts the larger lead on which the shaft has been sunk. A tunnel has also been run on this lead showing as much as three feet of steel galena. Another tunnel has been run 60 ft. lower down the mountain-side and shows ore for a width of four feet.

Near the camp at the creek another tunnel has been run for about 200 ft. on a different lead, at a point 180 ft. below the shaft. This tunnel has a strike of N. 46 W. and a dip of 66 N. E. The ore chute turns to the north wall. There are about 400 tons of ore mined at all points.

The property includes the Alpha, Broadview, Colonial, Confederation, Philipsburg and Skiff, Cutter and Clipper Fractions. The area is 160 acres and the property is crown granted. Connected with the property is an area of 320 acres of well timbered land at Ferguson, with office and stable building.

It is stated the company spent $80,000 on this property and shipped 26 tons of ore. Tenders for the purchase of the property under the liquidation sale close with J. V. Armstrong at Revelstoke on Aug. 15th.

GREAT NORTHERN.

This property lies on the spur of the mountain west from the Alpha group. A good deal of development has been done on it under H. McPherson, but the workings have all caved in so that it is impossible to ascertain the results. There are about 100 tons of ore on the dump.

TRUE FISSURE.

This is one of the best looking prospects in the country. It is owned by Messrs. Holten and Downs, of Revelstoke. A good deal of work has been done on the property, and 50 tons of ore are on the dump. The main lead is about 35 ft. wide, and highly charged with gold-bearing sulphurets of iron and copper. If the gold values are sufficiently high this has every appearance of making a big milling proposition. The lead has a strike of N. 10 deg. W. and a dip of 85, so that it is nearly vertical. The main lead has been crosscut by a tunnel 87 ft. long. There are open cuts, and 100 ft. below the tunnel the wall of the ledge has been stripped in the exposure at the head of the gulch showing gray copper, and from one to three feet of steel galena which runs about 35 ozs. silver. A curious feature of the surface showings is an ankerite lead, about two feet wide, carrying chalcopyrite ore of the same character as at the Alpha group but it is cut off at the big lead. The property is well situated for economical development and transportation.

(To be Continued.)

The conservative convention to select a candidate for Revelstoke will be held Saturday week. Meetings to select delegates will be held tonight.

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It is to be hoped the Dominion government will make an early start with the improvements on the upper river this season. At Nine-Mile riffle and Rocky Point the channel urgently requires improvement.

The election of Cardinal Sarto as successor to Leo XIII is an event of great importance from a civil as well as a religious point of view. The new Pope, who takes the title of Pius X, has always shown a strong aversion to interference of the church in civil affairs and his election will do much to secure harmony between church and state all over the world, as his policy will be the avoidance of all causes of friction between civil and religious authority.

BIG BEND ROAD.

The Big Bend wagon road between the city and the steamboat landing is in urgent need of improvement. It should be widened at some points and at others the overhanging rocks require breaking off as they sometimes catch the roof of the stage. As originally laid out this road had a good grade, but Provincial Engineer Gamble subsequently came along and altered the grade with the result that what should otherwise have been a good road was spoiled. The trestle-work past the sand slides is also in dangerous shape, and it will be necessary to drive piling to put this portion in safe condition. These repairs should be attended to before an accident happens.

THE BIG BEND.

The prospects of the Big Bend never looked better than they do today. A start has been made to utilise the great lumber wealth of that section, and the lumbering industry will employ an immense amount of capital and labor. The mining prospects look decidedly healthy. As development progresses on Standard Basin this section has every appearance of proving a store-house of mineral wealth. The same may be said of Keystone mountain, Downie creek and Ground Hog basin. The placer-mining prospects are also good. The work on the Blue Jay has developed a basin at the head of an ancient canyon and payable gold should be found here if the deep sinking propositions on the creek carry payable values. On the ground operated by H. Howard good gold has been got recently. The clean up of three lengths of flume at the ground worked by Raymond Allen yielded 20 cents to the yard—a value which would pay well with up-to-date equipment. On McCullough creek the Revelstoke and McCullough Hydraulic Company has its giant at work on old channel ground. A good deal of coarse gold is being got and the prospects are most encouraging. On French creek the Consolation, operated by E. A. Bradley, has been producing good gold from the old channel, where virgin ground is being opened up. From mica mining much is to be expected in the Bend as the deposits of this mineral are reported to be extensive and of high grade. The day is not far distant when the Bend will be a considerable farming and fruit-growing section, with its areas of rich land. The work done at Boyd's ranch and by G. Laforme, H. Howard and others shows the Bend to be as fine an agricultural section as there is in the country. The development of the Big Bend means much to Revelstoke, and if present prospects turn out as they promise, Revelstoke will be the outlet for vast lumbering, mineral and agricultural production in the future.

POLITICS.

Speaking at Vancouver, Joseph Martin said the labor party had stated all the members of the local Legislature were culled from the leisure and capitalistic classes. This he strenuously denied, and gave instances to show that half the legislature is made up of working men. Mr. Martin pointed out that the liberal party had given the laboring men more legislation in a few short years than the conservatives had during their extended tenure of office. Mr. Martin said if labor men would join the liberal association and control its actions by their votes, they could effect the nomination of their own men. It would be far better for the labor men to do that than to put forward for election a number of men who stood not the slightest chance of election.

Machine Lays Railroads.

At the rate of three and one half miles a day a peculiar piece of mechanism is laying the tracks of the Cincinnati, Richmond and Muncie Railroad. This track-laying machine automatically and accurately lifts the ties and rails into position, the most drudging labor in all railroad construction. It also furnishes the motive power for its own construction train.

There were stretches of roadbed over which the construction train moved at a rate of 180 feet an hour. The machine utilized is one which differs in many essentials from that which has been used west of the Mississippi river. One of the most interesting features is the manner in which the material is delivered to the roadbed, and the comparatively few men required for the different operations, as the ties and rails are lifted and moved from the cars on which they are carried to the roadbed, being connected and spiked while the train is in motion.

An endless chain carrier puts the ties in position, while a crane suspended upon a steel truss lowers the rails in advance of the construction train. In this manner the engineers in charge of the road hope to run into Cincinnati many weeeks earlier than they could otherwise have done.

The machine weighs fifty tons, and was made in Scranton, Pa. It is the only one of its kind in existence, and its inventor, Mr. Hurley, who accompanies the machine, spent seventeen years in perfecting it and thousands of dollars on models before success crowned his efforts. The work done upon the Cincinnati, Richmond and Muncie road demonstrated that a force of about forty competent men were all that were required to operate the machine to its fullest capacity, and that when conditions are favorable over three miles of track in a day of ten hours could be put down without difficulty, while an average of two and one-half miles could be recorded. The gearing on which the material is conveyed from the platform through the machine can be operated at the same rate of speed at which the train is moved or its speed can be doubled. The weight of the rails handled includes the heaviest fused for standard gauge construction, some of them averaging 400 tons to the mile.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

CORRESPONDENCE

A Complaint.

Editor KOOTENAY MAIL:

Sir,—Will you kindly permit me to ask what is the object in you, the Revelstoke Herald and some others displaying such animosity towards the Roman Catholics and heaping such abuse upon your Catholic readers. Is it because the Protestants are in the majority and you are trying to curry favor with them? If so you are making a mistake as the intelligent portion of them are simply disgusted.

You have up to now abstained from this kind of thing but it looks as if you were deviating from your motto of "fair play" and starting in on the lob-bying scheme. The "publication of that article 'Why I am a liberal'" is certainly an insult to your Catholic readers. So far, it has had no bearing on the political question but is simply used as an opportunity for this man to dispose of the surplus of bigotry and ignorance which has accumulated in his system. I am a liberal myself, and there are hundreds of Catholic liberals in this province, but I dont see how they can take sides with a man of that stamp. If it is to be an election of Protestant against Catholic and vice versa then let it be so understood.

The editor of the Vancouver World came out with a strong editorial on the 12th July celebration in the course of which he called upon all good loyal Orangemen to exercise their franchise in the proper way at the coming election (see issue of July 14th.) In other words he tells the Protestants to vote against Catholics under any and all circumstances. I cannot see how this will work.

As for the Revelstoke Herald, I am not surprised at anything found in its columns. Being the mouth-piece of Mr. Calder, one cannot expect to find anything in it but a display of prejudice and ignorance. With this class of people religious toleration is neither practiced nor understood. They have their own little narrow plank to walk upon and anyone who does not follow in their footsteps is surely going to hell.

I think if hell was visible today it would be found pretty well filled up with that class who spent their days in abuse of their fellow man and in trying to cause dissension between people of different denominations and nationalities as Mr. Calder and his mouth-piece are doing.

Is that the conduct of one pretending to be a follower of the "Prince of Peace?" Is Mr. Calder preaching religion when he abuses other denominations? I think not, and the intelligent portion of his congregation think the same, as proved by the fact of their leaving the church.

But at last we have a ray of hope. Mrs. Pettipiece has offered to take us under her protecting wing. Now at last we are safe. It is strange that we were kept so long without the guiding hand of Mrs. Pettipiece, but it only proves that the ways of Providence are mysterious. She does not say who will do her housework while she is keeping an eye on us, but I suppose it will be left to the lord or her old man. No matter the Catholic church is at an end and Pettipieceites take their place.

ONE OF THE THANKFUL.

Houston and McBride.

Editor KOOTENAY MAIL:

The hostility of adherents of the liberal party, men who aspire to seats in the legislative assembly, is most pronounced. At Revelstoke, J. M. Kellie, a prominent liberal, and an aspirant as a liberal for office, at a public meeting denounced the government for appropriating money for the new court house at Nelson. Were the liberals to gain control of the legislature at the coming elections the money appropriated for the new court house at Nelson would remain unspent if any number of men like J. M. Kellie are successful at the polls. Apart from the actual necessity of the building, the construction of a new court house means more to laboring men and mechanics than to any other class in Nelson. A conservative secured the appropriation. Is it wise to allow liberals like Kellie of Revelstoke to prevent the money appropriated being spent? Laboring men and mechanics think for yourselves, and do not allow a few paid boosters in candidate Taylor's committee room to influence you."—Nelson Tribune, Aug. 1st, 1903.

The above claptrap appeared in the Nelson Tribune, edited by John Houston, late member in barebones parliament (last legislature) and is a sample of the arguments advanced to swing the elections on party lines throughout the province. John Houston's parliamentary career has been a miserable failure, and the old man having lost his grip on the electorate is resorting to peculiar methods to land a few blind suckers into his side of the ballot box. When John Houston sat in the house the tax on the output of mines was doubled, and was the means of giving the mining industry a staggering blow. The fee for crown grants was raised 150 per cent, and other taxes were levied on the mining industry, and the Kootenay Kow was milked to the last drop by the political statesman who sat in barebones' parliament recently held at James Bay.

John Houston's career in Kootenay has been as changeable as the proverbial weathercock. Houston for years was a bitter opponent of the C. P. R. and all other corporations in which he was not a stockholder. This ferocious monopoly fighter's frantic appeal to the workingmen and mechanics of Nelson to vote for him for fear J. M. Kellie might be a candidate is a heart-rending exhibition of political collapse.

When John Houston edited Donald Truth he whaled the C. P. R. until old Van Horne quaked in his shoes and the C. P. R. magnate had to secure the services of a stalwart colored porter as a body guard while passing through the hot old town. John Houston has written more against the C. P. R. monopoly than any other editor in British Columbia, and has even discarded the pen and taken pokers, rulers, etc. to clinch his arguments.

In his old age we find this consistent apostle of righteousness aspiring as a candidate under the auspices of the McBride government.

Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, was minister of mines in barebones government when the deal was arranged to hand over blocks 4593 and 4594 containing 600,000 acres of valuable coal lands in East Kootenay district to John Houston's old enemy the C. P. R. John Houston has accepted Richard McBride as his leader. Ye Gods! How have the mighty fallen?

In reference to McBride's meeting at Revelstoke, referred to by John Houston, I may say the public were invited, irrespective of sex, to meet the native born premier of B. C. Large numbers turned out expecting the honorable premier would have shown the usual gallantry of his four predecessors in office who held meetings in Revelstoke in the last dozen years, and would have given the public a chance to discuss the questions affecting the province. This he had not the courtesy to do, preferring to hold a one-sided meeting and choke off discussion.

When the honorable premier made the assertion that Tom Taylor was a most painstaking member, I objected, and said the first act of the McBride government was to give Nelson a $40,000 court house while the whole of Revelstoke riding only received $8,000. I simply stated facts. Is John Houston afraid of facts or what is he whining about?

It strikes me Houston fears the government is going to defeat, and wants to whip J. M. Kellie and thousands of others into the liberal ranks, hoping in this way to stampede the conservatives to support the McBride government. In my opinion the people of British Columbia are not such fools as to be whipped into party lines to please John Houston or any other political schemer. Richard McBride has got to face the music and he will be judged on his record while holding the position of minister of mines. Richard McBride, while minister of mines, did more to paralyse the mining industry than any predecessor in office. I am etc.

J. M. KELLIE.

THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Particulars of the Project—To be Completed Within Seven Years.

In his statement concerning the Grand Trunk Pacific contract Sir Wilfrid Laurier said the company were required to deposit $5,000,000, with the Dominion treasury as a guarantee of fulfilment of the contract to complete their road to the Pacific coast within seven years, and is to be commenced and prosecuted simultaneously at several points. Sir Wilfrid denied the Intercolonial would be paralleled by the new route. He said the new railway would be another link in the union which bound confederation together. It would open new territory, force Canadian trade into Canadian channels, and free us forever from the bondage of the bonding privileges.

"I am well aware," he said, "that it may frighten the irresolute and the timid, but, Sir, I claim that every one who has in his bosom a stout Canadian heart, will welcome it as a scheme worthy of his young nation, for whom a heavy task has no terrors; this young nation, which has the strength to face grave duties and grave responsibilities."

Replying, Borden said this proposition put back government ownership for 50 years. The Intercolonial was rendered valueless, and millions were thrown away in the extension to Montreal.

In his speech Sir Wilfrid explained the road will extend from Moncton to the Pacific Ocean, and will be 3,300 miles long. The cost of construction, and equipment is estimated at about $100,000,000.

The government will guarantee 75 per cent. of construction, to $13,000 per mile for the prairie section, and $30,000 per mile for the mountain division between Edmonton and the Pacific Coast. The principal and interest bonds are guaranteed for 50 years.

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CONSERVATIVE PLATFORM.

[Adopted at Revelstoke, September 13th, 1902]

1. That this convention reaffirms the policy of the party in matters of provincial roads and trails; the ownership and control of railways and the development of the agricultural resources of this province as laid down in the platform adopted in October, 1900, which is as follows:

"To actively aid in the construction of trails throughout the undeveloped portions of the province and the building of the provincial trunk roads of public necessity.

"To adopt the principles of government ownership of railways in so far as the circumstances of the province will admit, and the adoption of the principle that no bonus should be granted to any railway company which does not give the government of the province control of rates over lines bonused, together with the the option of purchase.

"To actively assist by state aid in the development of the agricultural resources of the province."

2. That in the meantime and until the railway policy above set forth can be accomplished a general railway act be passed, giving freedom to construct railways under certain approved regulations, analogous to the system that has resulted in such extensive railway construction in the United States, with so much advantage to trade and commerce.

3. That to encourage the mining industry, the taxation of mutilferous mines should rest on the basis of a percentage on the net profits.

4. That the government ownership of telephony system should be brought about as a first step in the acquisition of public utilities.

5. That a portion of every coal area hereafter to be disposed of should be reserved from sale or lease, so that state owned mines may be easily accessible, if their operation becomes necessary or advisable.

6. That in the pulp land leases provision should be made for reforesting and that steps should be taken for the general preservation of forests by guarding against the wasteful destruction of timber.

7. That the legislature and government of the province should persevere in the efforts to secure the exclusion of Asiatic labor.

8. That the matter of better terms in the way of subsidy and appropriations for the province should be vigorously pressed upon the Dominion government.

9. That the silver-lead industries of the province be fostered and encouraged by the imposition of increased customs duties on lead and lead products imported into Canada, and that the Conservative members of the Dominion House be urged to support any motion introduced for such a purpose.

10. That as industrial disputes almost invariably result in great loss and injury both to the parties directly concerned and to the public, legislation should be passed to provide means for an amicable adjustment of such disputes between employers and employees.

11. That it is advisable to foster the manufacture of the raw products of the province within the province as far as practicable by means of taxation on the said raw products, subject to rebate of the same in the whole or part when manufactured in British Columbia.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTIONS.

At a meeting of the executive of the Provincial Conservative Association, held at Vancouver, the province was divided into five divisions for organization purposes. The Kootenay-Boundary division is made up of the following provincial election districts: Revelstoke, Columbia, Fernie, Cranbrook, Slocan, Kaslo, Nelson, Grand Forks, Greenwood, the city of Rossland and the City of Nelson. At the same meeting the following resolutions were adopted:

1. That conventions for nominating candidates for members of the legislative assembly be made up of delegates chosen as follows: One delegate for each electoral district, one delegate for every fifty and fraction of fifty votes polled at the provincial election held in 1900, and if the city is divided into wards, the proportion of delegates for each ward shall be based on the vote polled in each ward at the last municipal election.

2. That in other electoral districts one delegate for every fifty or fraction of fifty votes polled at the provincial election held in 1900, the delegates to be apportioned to polling places, or as near thereto as will be fair to the voters of the different outlying districts. At such convention held of delegates shall be at public meetings, held, at a designated central place in each polling division, or in each ward in city electoral districts, if the city is divided into wards. At such public meetings only those who pledge themselves to vote for the candidate or candidates selected at the nominating convention shall be entitled to a vote for delegates.

3. Two weeks notice shall be given of the public meetings at which delegates are to be elected, nominating conventions shall be held in any electoral districts two days after the day on which delegates are elected, and in other electoral districts seven days after. All nominations throughout the province to be made at a designated central place in each electoral district, and on the same day.

4. That the executive of the district of public meetings for the election of delegates to nominating conventions, the apportionment of delegates, and the place and date of nominating conventions in several electoral districts shall be prepared by the member of the executive of the division in which the several districts are situate, and issued over the names of the president and secretary of the Provincial Conservative Association.

A meeting of the provincial executive will be held at Vancouver within a month, and the date for holding district nominating conventions will then be fixed.

JOHN HOUSTON,
President of the Provincial Conservative Association.

Nelson, June 8th, 1903.

Kootenay Lodge No. 15 A.F. & A.M.

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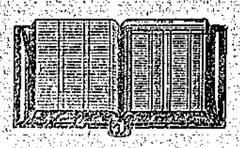

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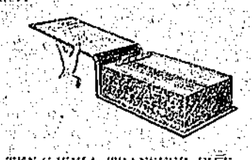

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Company the Columbia river is now equipped with a fine stern wheel steamer, the Revelstoke, which seems well adapted for the work for which she was intended, but to make her services available to the utmost extent it is necessary several parts of the channel should be improved by the dominion governments a tramway constructed

C. S. McCARTER, SECRETARY REVELSTOKE NAVIGATION COMPANY.

rivers in the province to navigate, with its heavy rapids, and a channel filled in places with big boulders and rocks. This river is, however, the only convenient outlet for a large section of country, rich in its wealth of forest, agricultural and grazing lands and minerals. There

T. DOWNIE, DIRECTOR REVELSTOKE NAVIGATION COMPANY.

captain's masterly handling of the steamer was the object of admiration on the part of the passengers, and many were the enconiums passed on the wonderful coolness displayed by Capt. Forslund in the emergency. Travellers between the Bend and Revelstoke speak in the highest terms of the courtesy and attention they receive from the officers and crew.

The promoters of the Navigation Company deserve great credit for their enterprise in providing the district with such an excellent means of transportation for the upper river.

LUMBERING

is at present the great industry on the Upper Columbia river and will certainly assume ten times its present magnitude ere long. From Carnes creek to Canoe river there is an immense growth of timber along the Columbia river and its tributaries. This timber consists mainly of cedar, but there are also considerable quantities of fir, spruce and pine, though much of the fir has been destroyed within the past few years by some fungoid disease. Montreal investors are reported to have just purchased several limits at Bigmouth creek; American investors have been dealing for J. McMahon's limits above Death rapids, and negotiations are proceeding for the sale of the 30,000 acres of the G. B. Wright grant between Goldstream and Bigmouth for $750,000, or at the rate of $25 an acre, including the freehold title to the land, much of which, when cleared of timber, will become valuable for agricultural and pastoral purposes, as these blocks include some of the most fertile lands in the province.

The principal lumbering camps in the Bend are those operated by the Revelstoke Lumber Company at Five Mile, above Carnes creek, and on the right bank of the river below Rocky Point. H. Donnelly is in charge of both camps and has close on 2,000,000 ft. of logs at the river at Five-Mile. The new camp being put in by the company opposite Rocky Point is located in a fine area of timber and will accommodate 50 men.

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The Columbia river above Revelstoke should ere long become one of the most favorite tourist resorts in the province. The Steamer Revelstoke affords a means of reaching an area of mountain and glacier hitherto unexplored, and the equal of which cannot be found in British Columbia. Within easy reach of Revelstoke begins the great glacial field that appears to extend from the Jordan pass to Canoe river, interrupted only by the Seymour pass. This ice-field is most conveniently reached from a point opposite Five-Mile, 35 miles above Revelstoke. To the mountaineer and scenic photographer we know of nothing its equal.

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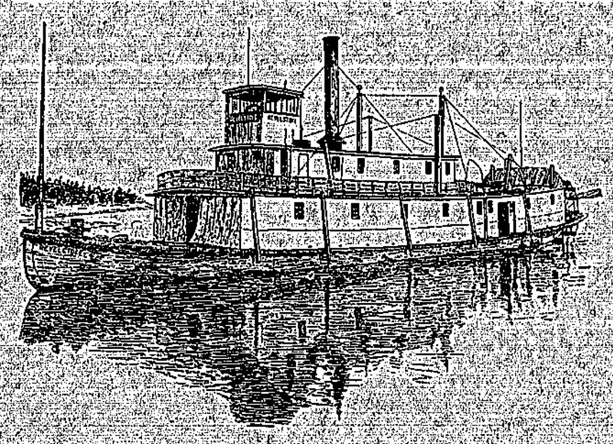

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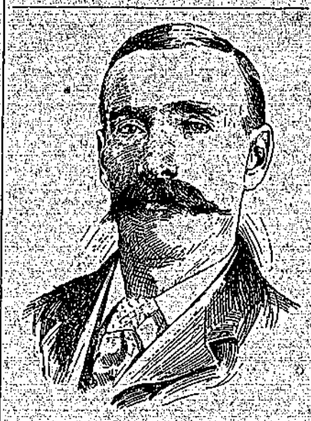
intendence of T. J. Bulger, the C. R. ship-builder.

The steamer is in charge of Capt. Forslund, one of the most able and experienced navigators on the Columbia river and Arrow lakes, and he is ably assisted by Capt. Bacher, formerly of Slocan lake, who fulfills the duties of first officer and purser. C. Colbeck, another first-class officer, is in charge of the engine-room.

The Columbia river above Revelstoke is one of the most difficult



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It is essential that the captain of a steamer on the Upper Columbia river should be a man of cool head and steady nerve, and Capt. Forslund fulfills these conditions, his passengers having the fullest confidence in him. On the trip up the river made by the writer, the steamer was being lined up Nine-Mile riffle. The line caught on a sharp rock and cut in two as the steamer was exerting the greatest strain at the steam capstan. There is a bad rock running out from the right bank at the head of the riffle

A. E. KINCAID, DIRECTOR REVELSTOKE NAVIGATION COMPANY.

and as the bow of the steamer was caught in the powerful current and was swinging rapidly towards the rock it seemed to those on board that nothing could save her from being dashed on the rocks, and some of the passengers were discussing in their own minds the best means of saving themselves, when suddenly Capt. Forslund brought his ship around out of danger in the angry waters, and after swinging down the river a little out of the heaviest of the current she started to again ascend the rapid as if nothing had happened. The

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NEW PATENTS.

Rowland Brittain, Patent Attorney, of Vancouver, sends the following abstract from the Official Gazette of the United States Patent Office for the week ending July 21st. During this week 581 Patents were issued, 509 being citizens of United States, Austria-Hungary 1, Canada, 9, Denmark 1, Great Britain 26, France 4, Germany 24, New South Wales 1, Russia 1, Sweden 1, and Switzerland 4.

The following allowances of Patent Applications in the U. S. Office were received during the past week: Samuel Haigh, Vancouver, on a Gas Cut-off device; G. Cassady, Vancouver, Can Seaming Machine; J. Kellington, Westminster, Fish Cleaning machine; W. J. Cummings et al, Vancouver, wrecking devices.

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A lessee of grazing lands is not entitled to the hay thereon, but he may, upon application to the agent of Dominion Lands, obtain each year the first permit to cut, on his leasehold wherever quantity of hay he may require for his own use, free of dues, the department reserving the right to issue permits to other applicants.

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

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REVELSTOKE.

MARRIED.

HALLIDAY-CHOATE—At Field, B. C., July 29th, Fred Halliday, and Miss Emma Choate, both of that place.

DIED.

ORR—At St. Boniface Hospital, Winnipeg, on Aug. 3, 1903, E. Kathleen Orr, aged 21 years.

ANDERSON—At Revelstoke, Sunday, Aug. 2nd, 1903, Jenny Charlotte, the beloved wife of Morris Anderson, aged 30 years.

RAMSEY—At Revelstoke, Saturday, Aug. 8th, Richard Ramsey, aged 66 years.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

Band concert at lower town stand this evening.

A tourist association is being organised at Golden.

The opening of the city school is postponed till Aug. 17th.

It is proposed to organise a Labor Day celebration at Revelstoke.

945 names have been placed on the Revelstoke electoral roll to date.

W. A. Foote has started the erection of a house near J. McMahon's, for E. Moscrop.

The shingle mills are to close down from August 15th to allow surplus stock to be worked off.

P. V. Mooney of Illecillwaet, has been appointed a commissioner to take affidavits and declarations of voters.

D. Ferguson has applied to purchase 40 acres of land on the south fork of the Lardeau, a mile above Ferguson.

The report of hog cholera at Revelstoke is to be investigated by Dr. Hopkins, Dominion veterinary, who arrived here today.

Ogle being ineligible as socialist candidate for Vancouver, R. J. Pettipiece, formerly of Revelstoke, has been chosen in his stead.

Fred Fraser, government agent, held a sale of government lots in Camborne on Saturday. It was very successful, realising $3,000. One lot brought $500.

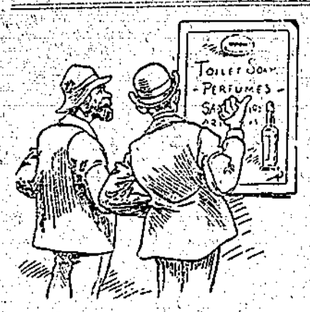
The steamer Revelstoke, made the best run of the season on Tuesday, reaching Downie creek at 4 p. m., and having an hour to spare before starting on the return trip.

At a meeting of the directors of the hospital Thursday the following officers were elected: President, T. Kilpatrick, vice president, G. S. McCarter; secretary-treasurer, A. E. Phipps.

M. Hyatt left for the Bend Monday, taking men to push through the Canoe river trail as far as his camp on behalf of the government. T. Edwards also left with a gang to complete the work.

J. A. Kernahan returned last night from Field, and says he will have the improvements he has been carrying out at the C. P. R. hotels at Field, Glacier and Laggan completed in a few days.

Much sympathy is felt for the Misses Orr on account of the death of their sister, Nurse Kathleen Orr, who died at Winnipeg. Deceased had been trained for the nursing profession in Chicago hospital. Miss Jessie Orr of Revelstoke was with her sister at the time of her death and left with the remains for St. Thomas.



SOME SUMMER SUGGESTIONS

A COOL PLACE
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RED CROSS SODA AND ICE CREAM PARLOR

J. A. MILLER & CO.

At a special meeting of the license commissioners on Monday, attended by Messrs. Kincaid and McCarty, and Inspector Upper, a license was granted Wisener & Gunn for the Imperial Hotel at Camborne.

As a result of the meeting last night of the different committees who have charge of the joint Sunday school picnic there is every reason to believe it will be one of the greatest successes achieved in Revelstoke.

T. Downs, inspector of trails for the northern part of the district, says he will see that any new trail work done under his supervision is put in on a wagon road grade. Such a plan will afford a most desirable change in the system of trail building in the district.

A new agreement was entered into on Saturday between the Canadian Pacific Railway company and the conductors, baggagemen, brakemen and switchmen employed in train and yard service on all the company's lines between Port William and Vancouver.

Montreal medical men are recommending consumptives to come to the mountains of British Columbia and live in the open air. One of these patients who has been camping up the river under a fly, informs us he has derived great benefit from the trip and method of living suggested, and says he feels as if he had never known a day's sickness.

Social and Personal

B. R. Atkins left for St. Leon today.

E. A. Bradley left Tuesday for Pittsburg.

Engineer McNab is visiting Vancouver.

G. Laforme returned to the Bend Tuesday.

Thos. McNaught, of Halcyon, was in the city Monday.

Mrs. D. Kennedy returned from Halcyon Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Abrahamson and children left Wednesday for Nakusp.

Mrs. Hutchison has been appointed teacher of Craigellachie school.

R. Rodgers left for the Bend on Friday to pick up unregistered voters.

R. Steiss left Thursday for the Harbor Lumber Co's mill at Comaplix.

Principal Miller, of the city school, returned from his holiday trip today.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mooney, of Illecillwaet, have gone on a holiday trip to Minneapolis.

Mrs. W. M. Lawrence and Miss Grant returned Thursday from a most enjoyable holiday trip to Shuswap.

Mesdames Atkins and Spurling and Mr. F. B. Wells left for St. Leon Saturday, Mr. Wells returning Tuesday.

Information has been received that L. P. Brewster, formerly of Revelstoke, has been seriously ill in San Francisco.

E. Fraser, government agent, leaves for Poplar creek tomorrow to attend requirements in regard to bridges and trails.

Mr., Mrs. and Miss Temple went to Nelson this week, Mrs. and Miss Temple remaining as the guests of Mrs. Scanlon.

P. A. Haggen returned from the Bend Tuesday, having been engaged in the examination of three mining properties on which deals are being negotiated.

Mrs. C. M. Clark had a visit this week from her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walley of Ingersoll, Ont., and from her brother, J. Walley of Birtle, Man.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies Guild of the hospital on Saturday, the revenue for the year was stated to have been $811.15. Linen to value of $70 was ordered for hospital. Votes of thanks were passed to Mrs. Kilpatrick for use of house and grounds for lawn social, to R. Tapping for use of opera house and to the Independent band.

A very enjoyable party was given by R. M. and W. A. Smythe at the home of R. M. Smythe, Thursday evening. Progressive hearts was the game of the evening. At this Miss Buck was the lucky winner of the first prize. J. M. Graham won the first gentleman's prize, a fancy match holder. After a very dainty lunch a guessing contest was given. Mrs. B. M. Corley gave the best guess of how many beans in a jar. This prize was a fancy little clock. After having a very lively dance the guests bid their hosts good morning.

Cholera Infantum.

This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

GRIP AND PASSWORD.

I. O. F.

The High Court of British Columbia will meet in New Westminster on September 30th. Delegates will be elected at the regular meeting of Court Mt. Begbie next Monday.

The Master Mechanic's Pure Tar Soap heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleansing it of grease, oil, rust, etc. Invaluable for mechanics, farmers, sportsmen. Free sample on receipt of 2c for postage. Albert Toilet Soap Co., manufacturers, Montreal.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. W. Bennett opened his new store Monday.

NEW POTATOES 2 cents per pound at R. Tapping's.

Florida water, all size bottles at Canada Drug & Book Co's.

Special values in high class furniture at R. Howson's.

Ice cream, soft drinks and cider at the City Bakery.

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

Chloride of lime for disinfecting, 20c a tin at Canada Drug & Book Co's.

R. Howson & Co. have just unloaded a carload of new furniture this week.

W. B. Fleming, photographer, is so busy he is getting in an assistant next week.

The St. Leon Hot Springs has been opened and is now ready to accommodate visitors.

McDonald & Monteith are getting their stocks arranged and expect to open next week.

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

DR. W. J. CURRY,
Resident Dentist,
Office in Taylor Block.

Read C. B. Hume & Co.'s change of advertisement on first page of this issue.

Leave your orders for pies of any kind—meat, mince or fruit—at the City Bakery.—A. E. Bennison.

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

Eastman's Kodaks from $1.00 up to $25.00 each, also all films and chemicals kept on hand at Canada Drug & Book Co.

South African War Land Grant—Those entitled who want to sell should communicate with P. O. Box 402, Vancouver.

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

The Harbor Lumber Company has re-opened the old Kootenay Lumber Co.'s store at Comaplix with a good supply of groceries.

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

The KOOTENAY MAIL and Family Herald and Weekly Star will be supplied for balance of 1903 for $1.30, together with two pictures "Purity" and "Alone."

The windows of C. B. Hume & Co's. store are most attractively set out, especially that showing lines of high-grade teas—Lipton's, Ram Lal, Ben Hur, Blue Ribbon and Five O'Clock brands.

W. G. Carpenter has resigned his position with the Bank of British North America at Rossland to join the firm of Baillie, Vars & Carpenter at Trout Lake. They will open offices at Camborne and Poplar Creek.

A. M. Craig still conducts the feed, livery and freighting stables at Beaton, and his saddle horses and light and heavy conveyances for hire at all times. His daily stage for Goldfields and Camborne meets the steamboat.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to take this opportunity of conveying the heartfelt thanks of myself and family for many kindnesses tendered by friends during the illness and since the death of my beloved wife; also to the attendant physicians and nurse who spared no effort to prevent the fatal termination of her illness, which, from the first, appeared inevitable.

MORRIS ANDERSON.

TRAP SHOOT.

The following are the results of the trap shooting at Golden on Monday:

Revelstoke	Windermere	Golden
A. J. McDonell..17	Gallop.....14	Low.....16
J. Guy Barber..15	Forster.....12	Sylmer.....8
Alex. McRae...13	Kirkpatrick..8	Ullock.....9
W. A. Sturdy...13	Lake.....10	Taylor.....11
C. R. Skene....7	Chamberlain 9	McDermot..12
Total.....65	Total.....13	Total.....56

Revelstoke, 1st prize, 5 gold pendants; value $50; Golden 2nd prize, 5 silver pendants, value $25.

Sweepstakes, 5 shots, $1 entrance. $10 added by Association—Barber, 1st, McDermot 2nd, Skene 3rd.

Sweepstakes No. 2, same conditions—McAbee 1st, Taylor 2nd, Sturdy 3rd.

Valuable Time Saved.

Slight injuries often disable a man and cause several days' loss of time and when blood poison develops, sometimes result in the loss of a hand or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment, when applied to cuts, bruises and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without maturation, and prevents any danger of blood poison. For sale by all druggists.

DOMINION POLITICS.

It is proposed to make voting compulsory in Dominion elections to the extent that if an elector fails to vote he shall be disfranchised for next election.

DEATHS.

MRS. MORRIS ANDERSON.

Widespread regret was evidenced at the news of the death of Mrs. Morris Anderson, who succumbed to childbirth. The death took place on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were married at Illecillwaet in 1899, and have resided for some years in Revelstoke where Mr. Anderson is C. P. R. section foreman and one of the most highly respected citizens of the town. Six children resulted from the marriage, four of whom are living. Mrs. Anderson had two brothers at Vancouver, A. and W. Larsen, also one sister, Mrs. Walter, residing there. The funeral took place Wednesday and was one of the most largely attended in the city. The remains were taken from her late home to the Presbyterian church, of which deceased had been a member, and thence to the cemetery, Rev. W. C. Calder conducting the service at each place. The pall bearers were Messrs. Ed. Adair, A. Johnson, Thos. Steed, W. A. Moore, J. McGinnis and W. S. Newman. Many wreaths and flowers were sent by loving friends. Mrs. Anderson was a prominent member of the Ladies Aid. By hard work and patient industry Mr. and Mrs. Anderson had acquired a comfortable home. To them husband and motherless children the community extends its heartfelt sympathy.

R. RAMSEY.

The death occurred suddenly this morning of R. Ramsey, a well-known resident of Revelstoke, who owned a ranch south of the city. Deceased was 66 years of age at the time of his death. He was a native of Dublin Ireland, where he was a commercial traveller, and settled in Revelstoke 16 years ago, being one of its pioneers.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Forin held a special sitting of the county court on Friday. The following cases came up:—

Ordre v. Haggen—Defendant, being in the Big Bend, was not aware of any sitting of the court or of any case in which he was interested being called, and was not represented—An order was issued for ten days imprisonment for contempt of court.

Mason et al v. McMahon—This was a case under the Workman's Lien Act, and was adjourned after argument till next court.

Eight applications for naturalization were granted.

His Honor then held a chamber sitting in which J. M. Scott applied for security for costs in the suit Bryden v. Riley—Granted.

EVA MINE.

Mr. Gracey's Statement.

A. H. Gracey, who returned last week from Camborne, states the tramway at the Eva mine is completed with the exception of stretching the cables, which are now on the road between Beaton and Camborne. This road, although not seven miles in length, is in such bad condition that it is constituting a severe drawback to getting in supplies or machinery from the outside.

The cable is being got through as rapidly as possible, and will only take a short time to place in position after it reaches the mine. There are about 40 men employed on the mine at present, and they are principally employed in the work of extending Nos. 1 and 3 tunnels.

A good strike was made recently on the Stockholm claim, which is the next property below the Eva. This is owned by P. Larson and associates of Camborne. The Eva lead extends down through this claim, and including the work on the Oyster-Criterion, above the Eva, the lead has now been fully proved by tunnels, shaft, open cuts and stripping for a distance of 5,000 feet.—News.

RAIL AND STEAMER

The Grand Trunk will go through the Peace River pass. The engineers say Port Simpson is a better harbor than San Francisco.

POLITICS.

The story about the liberals having secured a campaign fund of $50,000 is all moonshine. The liberals don't want any campaign fund but will subscribe their own expenses.

LABOR'S CALL.

W. McKenzie King, deputy minister of labor, is rendering good service by organising boards of conciliation at principal centres with a view to settling labor disputes. Capital and labor will be equally represented on such boards.

NO. 5 COMPANY R. M. R.

NOTICE

Drill of the above Company will be in the Drill Hall at 7:30 every Tuesday and Friday night till further notice.

By order
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Reserve your orders pending a call of our representative with samples.

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CITY OF REVELSTOKE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sittings of the Court of Revision of the City of Revelstoke for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment for the year 1903, as made by the Assessor of the City of Revelstoke, will be held at the City Hall, Revelstoke, B.C., on Monday, August 31, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m.

H. FLOYD,
City Clerk.

Revelstoke, B. C. July 21, 1903.

REVELSTOKE SCHOOL BOARD

The institution of a High School in Revelstoke being under consideration, parents and guardians in the City, and from outside points, are requested to send to the undersigned the names of any children eligible for admission thereto, and who would be willing to attend.

H. FLOYD,
Secretary Revelstoke School Board.

TENDERS WANTED

SEALED TENDERS addressed to The Manager, Imperial Bank of Canada, Revelstoke, B. C., for the erection of a combined banking office and residence at Revelstoke, will be received up to and including Saturday, 8th August next. For full information, plans, specifications, etc., apply to the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. E. PHIPPS, Manager.

Revelstoke, B. C., 28th July, 1903.

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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
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REVELSTOKE SCHOOL BOARD.

NOTICE—The school vacation will be extended to Monday, August 17th.

H. FLOYD, Secretary.

LIBERAL ASSOCIATION.

A MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE rooms of the Liberal Association, Second street, on Tuesday, August 11th, to arrange a convention to select a candidate representative of the Liberal party at the coming election for Revelstoke Riding.

Members of the Association and sympathisers with the party are requested to attend.

H. COOK, Secretary.

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Under the auspices of the Mayor and City Council.

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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, Aug. 25 and 26

Grand Parade, Lacrosse and Baseball Tournaments, Firemen's Competitions, Tugs-of-War, Horse Racing, Boxing and Wrestling contests, Athletic Sports of all kinds, Machine and Hand Drilling, and Speed Exhibition by the Gubserless Wonder, Dr. M.; Grand Ball, Magnificent Pyrotechnic Display and performances by the Rossland Dramatic Club.

Railway rates: less than one fare for the round trip.

Further particulars from
A. J. DREWERY, Sec'y.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

I hereby declare Wednesday, August 12th, a public holiday on the occasion of the picnic of the combined Sunday schools of the city.

M. J. O'BRIEN, Mayor.

Revelstoke, Aug. 8th, 1903.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary $1021 a year and expenses, payable $19.70 a week in cash and expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Standard House, 315 Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

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ST. HELEN'S HALL,

Portland, Oregon.

Classes in Art and Elocution Form Wednesday, Oct. 1st.

Art, under the direction of Miss Georgine Burns, Art Student's League New York. Elocution, Miss Ethel Webb of London, England.

Circulars upon application to
MISS ELEANOR TIBBETTS,
Principal.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

Ladies, Boys and Men's

Boots and Shoes

See my assortment of the best bargains ever offered in the city, in these lines.

J. GUILETTO,
Second street, Revelstoke.

BIG BEND STAGE

Leaves Revelstoke for Boat Landing at 6:30 p. m. Mondays and Thursdays, meeting steamer on return trip.

FARE, $1.00

25 lbs luggage free.

Intending passengers should leave word at Fleming's Stable or ring up phone No. 8, when the stage will call for them.

W. FLEMING.

FIREWOOD

Having taken over the firewood supply of the Harbor Lumber Co., will orders left at the mill at W. M. Lawrence or by ringing up phone No. 8 will have prompt attention.

W. FLEMING.

A. E. BENNISON

Baker and Confectioner

has opened his new bakery on McKenzie avenue and trusts that his past experience in the city will merit a fair share of public patronage.

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We grow faster, having added to our Bakery and Confectionery business full lines of

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

Fine Repairing.

For Sale.

Several interests in silver-lead properties. For particulars apply at office of the 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 land, situated in Galena Bay, Upper Arrow Lake, West Kootenay, and marked "Timber Berth D. B."

Commencing at a post planted northeast corner on W. Beatty's west surveyed line, running north and south, and about two (2) chains north of Hill Creek, and about two (2) miles northeast of Galena Bay, Upper Arrow Lake; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to place of commencement.

Dated at Arrowhead, B. C., July 30th, 1903.

DAVID BEATTY.

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, situate in the West Kootenay district:—

Commencing at a post at the north east corner of McKay Bros. pre-emption on Fish creek and one half mile back from said creek, marked J. G.; N. W. corner post, thence south 120 chains, east 40 chains, north 120 chains and west 40 chains to place of commencement.

Arrowhead, B. C., July 8th, 1903.

JOHN GADWAY.

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Arrowhead, B. C., July 8th, 1903.

JOHN GADWAY.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Meadow, Queen and Mountain M. Mineral Claims, situate in the Arrow Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located: On Granite Mountain, at the head of Mineral Creek.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, agent for Smith Curtis, Free Miner's Certificate No. 137317, and L. Williams, Free Miner's Certificate No. 137585, Free Miner's Certificate No. 137532, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this Second day of July, A. D. 1903.

KENNETH L. BURNET, P. L. S.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Portland Mineral Claim, situate in the Arrow Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located: On Caribou Creek, about 16 miles from the head of Arrow Lake.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, of Rossland, agent for Mr. M. E. King, Special Free Miner's License No. 5165, issued at Rossland June 8th, 1903, Free Miner's Certificate No. 137532, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this twenty-fifth day of June, A. D. 1903.

KENNETH L. BURNET, P. L. S.

LILLOOET, FRASER RIVER & CARIBOO GOLD FIELDS, LIMITED.

In Liquidation

List of Properties to Be Sold by Private Tender, Pursuant to the Directions of the Liquidators.

Trout Lake Mining Division.

ALPHA GROUP, (better known as "Broadview Group"), comprising 9 Crown-granted mineral claims, or fractional claims, situated on Great Northern mountain, above Ferguson, B.C., together with two blocks of land, namely: Lot 1144, situated just west of Ferguson townsite, and lot 2429, situated about 2 miles northeasterly from Ferguson, on the North Fork of Lardeau river, at the foot of Great Northern mountain.

LANDS situated on Galena Bay, Upper Arrow Lake. Three blocks of land, comprising in all, about 650 acres.

Rossland Camp.

The "CITY OF SPOKANE" and "NORTH STAR" mineral claims, together with the buildings and equipment thereon.

Boundary District.

The "NETA" mineral claim, Crown-granted, situated in what is known as "Brown's Camp," and the "QUEEN OF SPADES" mineral claim, Crown-granted, situated in what is known as "Central Camp."

Illecillwaet Mining Division.

The LANARK GROUP, comprising 15 Crown-granted mineral claims, or fractional claims, situated on the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway, near Illecillwaet, B. C.

Parties desiring to put in a tender for any one or more of the above mentioned properties should have their engineer on the ground, and examinations made without delay.

Further particulars and conditions of sale and forms of tender (which are to be sent in not later than the 15th August, 1903,) may be obtained gratis of the Liquidators, College Hill Chambers, College Hill, London, E. C., and J. V. Armstrong, Revelstoke, British Columbia.

Dated 15th June, 1903.

WANTED

FOR SALE—100 acres of land adjacent to railway station; also five good cows. Address H. C. Fraser, Salmon Arm, B. C.

FOR SALE—A first class livery and freighting business. Apply office of Kootenay Mail.

LOST—Between Arrowhead and Greenslide, black vest pocket book containing six ten dollar bills, one five, one two, two ones, two quarters and one Oddfellow pin. Trimmer and Oddfellow receipts. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office or J. Gurveen, Revelstoke.

WANTED—Experienced millwright. Apply at once. Kootenay River Lumber Co., Nelson, B. C.

WANTED—Purchaser for general store in growing town. Apply office Kootenay Mail.

WANT TO SELL—Two of the best hotel investments in Kootenay. For particulars apply to Kootenay Mail office, Revelstoke.

WANT TO SELL—Interests in gold-bearing mineral claims on Fish Creek. Apply to 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—University edition of Shakespeare with illustrations and notes. Price $22 on terms namely $2 cash and $2 per month. Apply at Kootenay Mail.