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THE BIG BEND.

Its Mining, Lumbering, and Agricultural Resources.

[BY E. A. HAGGEN, M.E.]

(Continued.)

LAFORME CREEK.

This is the first creek on the Big Bend trail on which mineral locations have been made and any extent of development work done. Laforme Creek has its confluence with the Columbia River about seventeen miles north of Revelstake. The creek has two main branches, one heading in a glacier on the watershed between the Illecillewaet and Columbia river systems, and the other coming in from the north. The length of the main branch of Laforme Creek is about 14 miles. For half the distance from the source it flows through a wooded valley, and the second half consists of a canyon, with the mountains exhibiting sheer precipices on either side. This makes road construction difficult, as the trail has to be carried high up the mountain side to avoid these precipices, and the same thing would apply in the building of a road. Both sides of Laforme Creek have been swept by fire for about four miles, after which a fine growth of timber is met with.

GEOLOGY.

For the first seven miles up the creek the formation belongs to the Archaean period, and consists of greyish gneisses, occasionally hornblendic or garnetiferous, with glittering mica schists and hornblende schists, these giving place to the east to beds of quartzites and crystalline limestone of the Cambrian and Carboniferous periods respectively.

NOBLE THREE.

The first property visited on this creek was the Noble Three, which was recently disposed of by Messrs. W. B. Pool and J. J. Young to the Double Eagle Mining Company, organised by O. Kirby, of London, England. The property consists of five claims—Treadwell, Chilcat, Noble Three, Wawa, White Elephant. The trail up Laforme Creek is fairly good, as mountain trails go, and, after rising about 800 feet above the bed of the creek, descends at a point about seven miles from the main Big Bend trail, and crosses Laforme Creek by a bridge at an elevation of 3040ft. or 1250ft. above Columbia River.

From this point, a distance of two miles takes the traveller to the Noble Three cabin. Following down the right bank of the stream one experiences some of the worst trail to be found in the mountains—bog and quagmire that threatens to engulf horse and rider. The existing trail should certainly be diverted to better ground. Then the ascent of the mountain begins, zig-zag after zig-zag, till a valley is reached along which the trail runs at an excellent grade to the cabin, which is located on the east side of the creek at a point 4640 feet above sea level, or 2350 feet above the crossing of Laforme Creek.

The camp is situated near a small lakelet, which forms the watershed between Laforme and Carnes Creeks.

In the creek are to be seen boulders of galena, and it was the discovery of these by L. D. McRae which led to a search for ore in place, and the location of the ground now forming the Noble Three group.

DEVELOPMENT.

All development work has been done on the Noble Three. The work consists of open cuts run across the course of the deposit, a tunnel and a shaft. The ore is galena and is found in schist occuring in the limestone. The tunnel has been run 85 feet and shows a zone of oxidised matter 10 feet in width with streaks of carbonates and galena. In one of the open cuts there is a paystreak of nine inches of galena and carbonates. Ore is also found in two other of the open cuts.

The shaft is approached by open cut of 20 feet and has been sunk on the ore to a depth of 20 feet. At the point where the sinking of the shaft was begun there was a body of galena and carbonates 18 inches in width, and there are about ten tons of ore on the dump, taken out in the course of sinking the shaft. The ore chute has a strike of N. 40 W. and dips N. E. Streaks of tetrahedrite occur in the ore, and there is some zinc blende showing. In addition to silver and lead values it is stated the ore carries gold and that values in this metal have run up to $9. The tunnel is 500 feet above the cabin, or 5140 feet above sea level.

There is abundance of timber at hand and water power can be obtained from Laforme Creek.

(To be Continued.)

CITY RIGHTS

Mgr. Cowan Raises Ire of Aldermen.

Telephone Company to Obey Orders.

At the meeting of the city council on Friday night the Mayor stated he had complained to Mr. Cowan about the telephone wires interfering with the alarm system. The result was a letter from Mr. Cowan demanding that the council should remove their fire alarm wires from the company's poles, and stating the company would not put in insulated wire as the Mayor had suggested the council might demand.

On the letter being read His Worship said Mr. Cowan had got on his high horse. Surely the city had a few rights left. He did not believe Mr. Cowan ha a monopoly of the rights of the city.

In reply to the Mayor, the City Solicitor said the telephone company was subject to any regulations which the city might choose to make. The council could compel the company to put in insulated wires.

Ald. McLeod, Manning, Hume, Taylor and Law expressed a determination to maintain the rights of the city, and the council resolved to compel the Telephone company to remove the causes of complaint or take proceedings against them.

CURLING.

The date of the Sandon bonspiel has been fixed for Monday, Feb. 24th. The number of rinks expected to compete is made up as follows: Asheroft 1, Phoenix 1, Rossland 4, Revelstoke 2, Nelson 3, Kaslo 2, Slocan City 1, making 14 in all, which with eight rinks from Sandon bring the total up to 22.

The Dominion estimates are $6,500,000 less than last year. $2,000 is set down for improving Duncan river, and $10,000 for Arrow Lakes.

LABOR'S CALL.

ORGANISER T. J. GRAHAM.

T. J. Graham, organiser on this section of the main line on behalf of the Brotherhood of Railway Trackmen of America, has made his home in Revelstoke for the past twelve years, and has been employed nearly the whole of that time on the C. P. R. For some time he had charge of a bridge gang, but gave up that position to take charge of the Columbia River Bridge at Revelstoke. Bro. Graham's birthplace was Sand Point, South Renfew, Ont. Before coming west he followed the occupation of dam and pier building and the handling of squared timber. He has always taken an active part in the interests and organisation of labor, and politics are an inherent part of his nature. He has been a supporter of the conservative party, but latterly has thrown in his lot with the labor party, as he believes the workers have nothing to hope for from the old parties, and that their interest lies in independent organisation.

Bro. Graham has also been a prominent member of friendly societies, being associated with the local Orange Lodge, Revelstoke Lodge I. O. O. F., and United Workmen.

During the late strike he acted as secretary of the committee of the Mountain and Shuswap divisions, and conducted the interests of the strikers with conspicuous ability, being promoted to the position of organiser of the Brotherhood about two months ago.

OUR CITY FATHERS

ALDERMAN TAYLOR.

Ald. Taylor hails from Paignton, England, and took up his residence in Canada nine years ago. He has made his home in Revelstoke for the past five years. During his residence here Ald. Taylor has been one of the most active citizens in pushing the interests of Revelstoke. He has added materially to the buildings of the city, having erected ten dwelling-houses besides the handsome business structure known as the Taylor Block, on McKenzie Avenue. Ald. Taylor is a member of the well-known dry goods firm of Taylor & George. Vice-President of the Water, Light and Power Company, Director of the Navigation Company, which has provided the fine new steamer for the Big Bend trade, Treasurer of the Kootenay Lodge A. F. and A. M., secretary of the Chapter Lodge and a member of the Gold Range K. of P.

This is Ald. Taylor's second term in the City Council, as representative of No. 2. Ward, and he is the senior member of the present council, and chairman of the Works committee. Ald. Taylor is an enthusiastin volunteering and athletic matters and was captain of the local corps of Rocky Mountain Rangers.

UPPER RIVER

Nature of Improvements Required.

Few men know the Columbia River above Revelstoke better than R. A. Blackmore, with whom we had a chat the other day regarding the improvements required. If the canyon were properly cleaned out there is only a month in the year when a steamer could not run the canyon with safety. The whole of the canyon requires improving by the removal of rocks along the shores which would be a menace to a steamer in the event of her going ashore. The narrow part of the canyon should be widened. At the head of Nine Mile Riffle considerable rock-work is required. Steamboat or 17-Mile Riffle south of Laforme Creek, requires improvement. From Nine Mile to Twelve Mile Riffle boulders require removal along the river. Another bad place is Sandslide Riffle, two miles south of Nine Mile. There are big rocks there which are very dangerous and the Lytton had a narrow escape at this point.

Above Death Rapids the only bad place is Gordon Rapids. Above the Bend itself there is four miles of navigable water on the Columbia towards Kinbasket canyon. Wood River is navigable for four miles, and at Canoe River a steamer could run four miles up this stream.

G. B. Eagle expressed the opinion that Canoe River should be improved so that a steamer could run up it 50 miles to the log jam in high water.

ST. LEON.

Opening of M. Grady's New Hotel.

The celebration in connection with the opening of M. Grady's new hotel at St. Leon took place on Tuesday night. A special train from Revelstoke took about 25 passengers to Arrowhead, where about twelve more joined the party. From Arrowhead to St. Leon the visitors were taken by S. S. Minto, calling at Halcyon, where about 12 more, including Manager McNaught, joined the party. Arriving at St. Leon a hearty welcome was extended the visitors, who found themselves joined by others from Rossland, Nelson, Nakusp, New Denver, Slocan City, Fire Valley and other points.

Dancing began at 10.30 p. m. in the spacious dining room and a magnificent supper was provided in the old hotel building, the tables being looked after by the waiters of the Minto. The music was first class and was provided by T. V. Dunn (piano) and T. Duffy (violin). Extras were played by J. E. McPherson and W. Smythe. Guy Barber was M. C. The guests returned home delighted with the splendid treat with which they had been provided at the hands of host Grady.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Dominion public works statement for year to June 30 h last shows expenditure as follows: Columbia river at Revelstoke, $6,053.76; Duncan river, $2,693; Narrows between upper and lower lakes $59.50.

At a meeting of the Nelson Socialistic League, according to the Tribune, the Martin program came up for discussion. There was some difference of opinion especially amongst the more ardent of the Socialists, but the consensus of opinion appeared to be that the Martin platform was the best which had been put forth by the political parties of the day, and if the programme could not be carried out by the people it was obviously impossible for their more radical platforms to secure favor. James Wilks, of the miners union, was one of the chief speakers. He expressed himself as unquestionably a supporter of the Martin platform, and paid a flattering tribute to the sagacity of the newly appointed leader.

Alex. Wilson, one of the Victoria delegates to the Liberal convention, said to the liberals in meeting assembled at Victoria: "You went there to down Joe Martin. He downed you, and you have him right on your backs." He closed by paying his respect to the lawyers. Martin's best recommendation was that all the lawyers opposed him.

The B. C. Legislature opened Thursday. A redistribution measure, loan for public works, and railway construction were the chief features of the address.

At an opposition caucus R. McBride was elected leader of the opposition and Green, Tatlow, Neill, Munro, Murphy, Helmcken advisory committee. Steps will be taken to try strength with the government.

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The Kootenay Mail

FRIDAY, FEB. 21, 1902.

THE Victoria Times publishes a statement that Joe Martin paid the expenses of delegates to the liberal convention. The assertion is absolutely untrue.

THE Laurier Government are evidently figuring on taking over the C. P. R., for in a speech the other day Hon. J. I. Tarte said the time might come when the government of Canada would have to do with the railways what the British Government did in the case of the Suez Canal, acquire the shares to safe-guard national interests.

THE Globe says: "The problem of transportation and the problem of markets, will be greatly simplified when British Columbia has as many millions of people as it now has hundreds of thousands, and that is a very modest expectation. All British Columbia's troubles are temporary. The building of railways and the filling up of the west is going on here in a few years."

THE Dominion estimates have been brought down, and no provision is made for the upper Columbia river, or for a post office at Revelstoke. The total amount placed on the estimates for this section is $10,000 for the Columbia river, and that is for improving the narrows between the upper and lower lake. Let us hope these estimates will be rectified and provision made for improving the upper river and for a post office at Revelstoke.

THE Nanaimo Trades and Labor Council has passed a resolution urging the Government should undertake the publication and supply, either free or at cost, of the school books required in the Province. This proposal should meet with wide-spread support. At present the school-book publication of Canada is controlled by an Ontario ring who put 300 to 400 per cent. profit on their publications.

THE Dominion Government has selected its coal lands in the Crow's Nest railway belt and so valuable is the selection that it will recoup the Dominion the $3,000,000 given as a subsidy for the construction of that road. The next thing to do is for the Dominion Government to retain these coalfields for the benefit of the people of Canada and not turn them over to any corporation or syndicate to hold a dead clinch on the mining industries and railway fuel supply.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION.

We have before us the full text of the industrial arbitration legislation in New South Wales. It is far ahead of the New Zealand law, avoiding as it does the weak points of that law. The act can only be set in motion by registered trade-unions on one hand or employers of not less than 50 hands on the other. Associations of workmen can contract for supply of labor and are bound to carry out their contracts. It is a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment, for workmen to strike or for employers to lock out their men pending settlement of disputes, which must be immediately referred to the arbitration court. This court consists of a delegate elected by the workmen, another chosen by the employer and a judge of the supreme court. This court may also declare that in employment of labor, preference shall be given to unionists. The tendency will be for large bodies of workmen to make terms with large bodies of employers,—in other words there will be collective bargaining about labor instead of each individual making terms for himself. This legislation might well be copied in Canada.

TAXATION.

When the Provincial Government want more revenue it might be well to consider the heavy discrepancy now existing between civic and provincial taxation. The provincial property tax is six mills on the dollar, while in cities the tax runs to about 35 mills. The burden on the cities has recently been much increased by the handing over of the schools. Another great difference in the two methods of taxation is that the provincial tax is mainly paid by the big corporations and under the present system they get off very lightly, whereas the home maker and builder in the city has to bear the heavy burden of taxation. Then again the income tax is very badly levied and we venture to say if an investigation were made into this system of taxation and its results it would be found that the government is being swindled wholesale. These are matters which the Provincial Treasurer would do well to give some attention to.

ASIATIC IMMIGRATION.

The Dominion Government has requested the Provincial Legislature of B. C. to amend the statutes prohibiting employment of Japanese and Chinese. The action of the Dominion authorities in prohibiting the laws relating to the employment of Japanese and Chinese on public works cannot be too severely condemned and is absolutely unwarranted. This Province knows what is best for local conditions and the Dominion should not interfere in such a case, especially after the legislature has re-affirmed its demand on such legislation again and again. It is time the matter was taken up direct with the home authorities. Self-government is a farce if laws required to meet the condition of the country are to be abrogated by the foreign office, which knows nothing of such conditions. Indeed it is the duty of the Dominion Government to stand by the Province as against the foreign office in such a case. This is a time when a strong man is wanted who will handle this and like question without gloves, and if the cries of the Liberal party coming to power in the Province Joe Martin will have a chance to show what he can do to remedy the wrongs against which this province has so long suffered in this respect.

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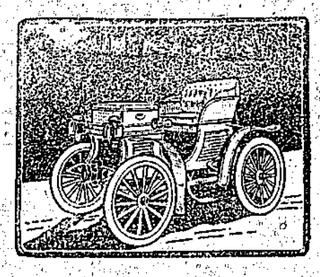

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NEW ROTARY ENGINE.

Invented by Capt. Sanderson.

(From the Scientific American.)

Chief among the difficulties which have stood in the way of the production of a successful rotary engine have been those of providing a satisfactory form of valve-gear, steam-ports for the admission and control of the steam, and a suitable sliding abutment to support the reaction of the steam within the cylinder. The accompanying engraving of a rotary engine invented by Colonel Sanderson, of Halcyon Hot Springs, B. C., Canada, shows an ingenious attempt on the part of the designer to overcome these difficulties. The piston B, is fitted steam-tight within the cylinder and is provided at both of its faces with V-shaped cam-shoes, each formed by rods fastened to the piston and curved inwardly toward each other. At the upper part of the cylinder casings are arranged in each of which sliding gates, C, are fitted. These gates move toward and from each other and serve to close the cylinder so as to form an abutment for the steam pressure. The approach of the piston is utilized to throw the gates into open position—an end attained by forming the gate C with teeth meshing with the teeth of pivoted cams, A, arranged in pairs on each side of the gates. As the piston approaches, the cam-hoes F, will spread the cams, A, thereby moving the gates, C, apart to allow the passage of the piston. The gates are returned to their normal position by means of springs which are not shown in the engraving.

The valve mechanism employed to control the steam comprises two steam-chests, carrying valves which command feed-ports arranged in the cylinder at opposite sides of the gates. The valves are moved by connecting-rods attached to the valve stems and to an eccentric-strap working on an eccentric keyed to the engine-shaft. The throw of the eccentric can be regulated by an arm working with a quadrant held on the cylinder and disposed eccentrically to the shaft, so that by the adjustment of the arm the eccentric will be regulated to increase or diminish the movements of the valves. Steam is led into one of the valve-chests, depending upon the direction in which the piston is to be turned. Exhaust-valves are provided which are thrown in time with the valves regulating admission to the two valve-chests.

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ILLECILLEWAET.

Rink and Dance.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

A very pleasant time was spent at the skating rink on Friday evening. The weather was fine, ice in good condition, and almost every one in town took part. The boys of Jack Fraser's and Jack Magee's gangs were there in full force and among them are some of the best skaters in British Columbia. The "free bus" was engaged for the occasion, and was kept busy carrying skaters and visitors back and forth. Arrangements are being made to hold a carnival on Thursday evening. Mr. Moore, manager, has the ice in good shape, and a good time is expected.

A dance was given on Monday night which was the most successful of the season. Visitors from Rogers Pass, Ross Peak and Albert Canyon were present. Music was furnished by J. Fennell (violin), and W. Smith of Albert Canyon (gramaphone). J. McCallum was floor manager and general master of ceremonies, while J. Burnie did the calling off in his usual lively style. An adjournment was made at midnight for refreshments, when an excellent repast was served. Dancing was kept up until four a.m., when the singing of Auld Lang Syne brought to a close one of the most enjoyable events that ever took place in Illecillewaet.

Miss Anna Berger has returned from a visit to her sister in Golden. Needless to say she received a hearty welcome. More than one young man wears a happy smile.

What might have been a serious accident occurred a few days ago when one of our young men took his lady-love for a sleigh ride behind the "Rainbow." Whether he was not sufficiently acquainted with the spirited qualities of the "Rainbow" or that he was not as attentive to the lines as he should have been is not known but, however it happened, both were thrown out and received a bad shaking up. The horse ran on to his stable leaving the young couple to walk home, a distance of two miles. Next time this young man goes driving it will be with a quieter horse.

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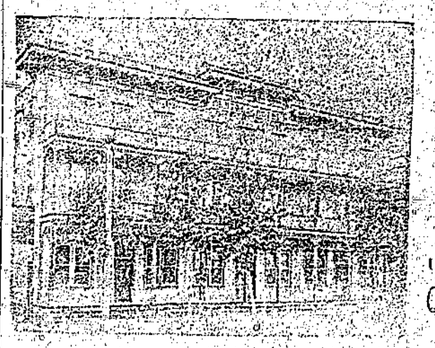

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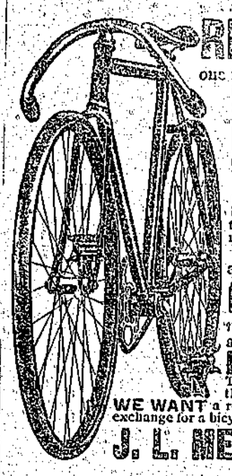

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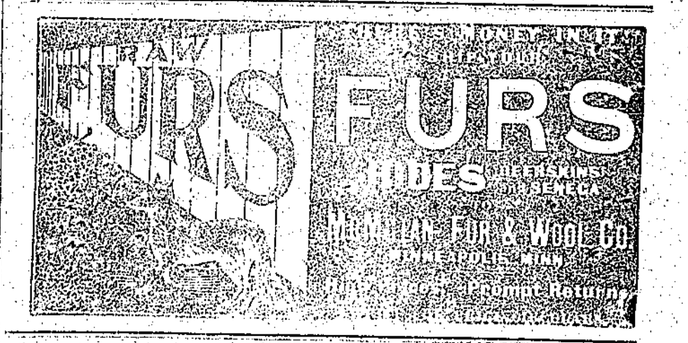

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SECOND DAY.

THE MAIL AND THE TELEGRAPH.

By virtue of that omniscience necessarily possessed by every story teller we may be permitted to reveal the secrets intrusted to some of the letters sent flying eastward on that May morning to their relatives and friends in New York by the various personages with whom we are en route for the great west. First in this series of glimpses behind the scenes comes a short but weighty epistle from Mrs. Bradley Hurst to her liege lord. The italics are the fair writer's, not ours:

I.—Mrs. Bradley Hurst to Mr. Bradley Hurst, Union club, New York:

On Board the Miranda, May 12, 1890.

My Dear Bradley—I have heard you say that an ocean voyage gave a man more opportunities than any other situation to shower attentions upon the woman he liked, but from personal observation I can testify that a trip in a private railroad car—especially if *that* is *your own*—is quite as fruitful in chances to express one's *affectionate* regard.

John has played the role of mine host *most charmingly* to us all, but to Florence he has been *devotion itself*. You know my heart is set upon their coming together. It is perfectly clear that *he just idolizes her*. Even the odious Filley must see that against such an adversary he has no chance. I cannot understand why John ever made him one of us, but it will give Florence a glimpse of the two men side by side. Girls are *so* queer nowadays, and she is so self contained and reserved that it is *impossible* to discover whether her heart is touched. I am resolved that John shall have *every chance*. It would be such a relief to know that she was happily married and in *good hands*. A motherless girl is *such* a responsibility. How odd it will seem for us to be sisters-in-law and I old enough to be her mother! Stranger things have happened!

We expect to be in Denver the day after tomorrow, and I will write again upon our arrival. All of the party are well, and Madge sends her love with mine. Ever yours affectionately,

Bessie.

II.—Miss Madge Hurst to Miss Fannie Hyde, 7493 Madison avenue, New York:

Indianapolis, Wednesday.

My Dearest Fan—Our journey has been just one delightful picnic ever since we left New York yesterday morning. I am writing this very hurriedly at the cutest little escritoire you ever saw in one corner of Uncle John's private car, and if you do not recognize the handwriting you must blame the jiggling of the train, not me, *petite*.

If we don't have a wedding before we get home, it won't be *somebody's* fault. I told mamma that it looked as though Uncle John had arranged this trip so that he could have darling Florence all to himself, and then I was in disgrace for the rest of the day. He plays the *beau chevalier* to perfection, and one would never think he was as old or older than papa. He seems to anticipate her every wish. What she thinks, I'm sure, I don't know. When I tease her, she smiles that superior smile of hers and *changes the subject*.

But there's no fun in watching other people make love, and C. I. says he agrees with me. Do you know, Fan, I begin to believe the foolish fellow really cares for me a little bit, but what mamma will say if she ever suspects I dread to think. Her's he's so poor—no, I don't mean that—but I'm sorry he's not rich, though I'm sure he's got brains enough for both of us, and I *know* Uncle John thinks he'll be somebody some day.

I shall look for a letter from you in Denver, dear, so don't fail. Yours, always lovingly,

Madge.

III.—Chester Ives to Frank Carpenter, managing editor of The Daily Scarifier, New York:

My Dear Old Boy—Here I am in Indianapolis, the second day out from New York, enjoying to the utmost the first real vacation I have had in ten years, thanks to Uncle John Draper, whose guest I am. We are reveling in the midst of a luxury that is simply sybaritic. If it were not for the motion, you would imagine yourself in some magical palace. You clap your hands, and, lo, a black slave appears and spreads a banquet to which the ends of the earth have contributed their fatness. You press a button, and unlimited cigars and cooling drinks are at your elbow. If you want a magazine of today's paper, you have only to ask for it. A bath and a slave may be had for the wishing. All this while we are annihilating space at the rate of 40 or 50 miles an hour. Truly we Americans are the greatest railroad travelers in the world, and we have certainly surrounded ourselves with "all the comforts of home" while rushing over the rails. The quarters are somewhat cramped, but as Draper's private secretary and I have the better part of an ordinary sleeper to ourselves, we can't complain.

Of course there's a fly in the ointment, and Reuben K. Filley is its name. I think I am pretty tolerant toward other men, but I distrust and detest that fellow, and I care say he returns my dislike with interest. Nevertheless, we shall doubtless finish the trip without riot or bloodshed. Unless I am mistaken, he evinces a marked *penchant* for Miss Granniss, Uncle John's ward, whom you have met—and for her money—but he might as well make love to the statue of Liberty. She simply looks over him.

I hope Dennis is getting along all right with my work. Write or wire me at Denver if anything turns up. Faithfully yours,

Chester Ives.

IV.—John Draper to Edward Gates, Esq., of Prodder, Gates & Prodder, New York:

(Personal and confidential.)

Indianapolis, May 12, 1890.

My Dear Gates—This communication, which will come to you bearing the Indianapolis postmark, treats of a subject very dear to me, though it necessarily partakes of the nature of a business letter.

As cotrustee with me of Miss Florence Granniss I beg to inform you that it is my intention, if possible, to make her my wife. She is of age and hence free to act for herself, but I consider it only right that you should be advised of my purpose. I don't imagine that you will advance any objections. I am old enough to know my own mind and am certainly as able to "support her in the style to which she has been accustomed" as the most jealous parent could wish. I need scarcely assure you that her private fortune will be most rigidly secured to her. When next I write, I hope to be able to ask you for your congratulations. Cordially yours,

John Draper.

V.—Telegram from Edward Gates, New York, to John Draper, St. Louis, in answer to foregoing:

Go in and win, and God bless you both.

Edward Gates.

Reuben Filley kept the wires humming on his own account, but as his purposes and plottings will now appear, it is not necessary to cite his various messages nor the . . es they elicited. He was playing a deeply dangerous game. Detection meant ruin, disgrace and possibly condign punishment at the hands of the law.

Although in receipt of a handsome stipend from John Draper, he was not content. His was one of those devious and deceitful natures that prefer a crooked road and a subterfuge to a direct path and complete candor. He was a gambler from choice, not from necessity, and scrupled not to avail himself of the "inside" information which it was so easy for one in his position to obtain and to use surreptitiously. But he longed for a larger sphere where he could handle and gamble with millions instead of with thousands.

About six months before this story opens what Filley vulgarly called a "snap" presented itself. A quarter interest in a stockbrokerage house was going begging, being offered for sale very cheaply. Yet the sum required was greatly beyond his means, but he resolved to "make a bluff" and capture the prize. Falsely representing to the members of the firm in question that John Draper was his "backer," he purchased the retiring partner's interest, paying $50,000 down, raising the money with notes for the amount at six months, drawn by himself and purporting to bear the indorsement of John Draper. With the name of the great financier on their backs these notes were regarded on "the street" as "gilt edged paper," and Filley had no trouble in getting them discounted.

But the indorsements were skillfully forged, and Reuben K. Filley was the forger!

No announcement of his partnership in the new firm was to be made, at Filley's request, for six months. Everything was booming in the stock market, and by the end of the term he confidently hoped that his half yearly share of the profits would be enough or nearly enough to enable him to take up the notes when they fell due. Failing this they would be presented to their indorser for payment, and the forgery would be discovered. Of course it was imperative that he be on the spot to "keep the wires from sagging."

Judge then of his dismay when informed by John Draper that he was to accompany him to Denver! In one way the trip was fortuitous, as it would take his employer out of New York at a critical time. In six days the forged paper would mature and, even allowing for the usual three days of grace customary at that time, would be presented for payment before the date set for his return. But there was also the general risk of something going wrong at such a ticklish time. Hence Filley's determination to quit the car party on the first plausible pretext so as to hasten back to New York, take up his profits, redeem, destroy or renew the forged notes and thus protect his imperiled interests.

Once over this stile, he told himself, he could snap his fingers at John Draper and as a member of an old and honored firm enter the lists with him for the hand and fortune of Miss Granniss.

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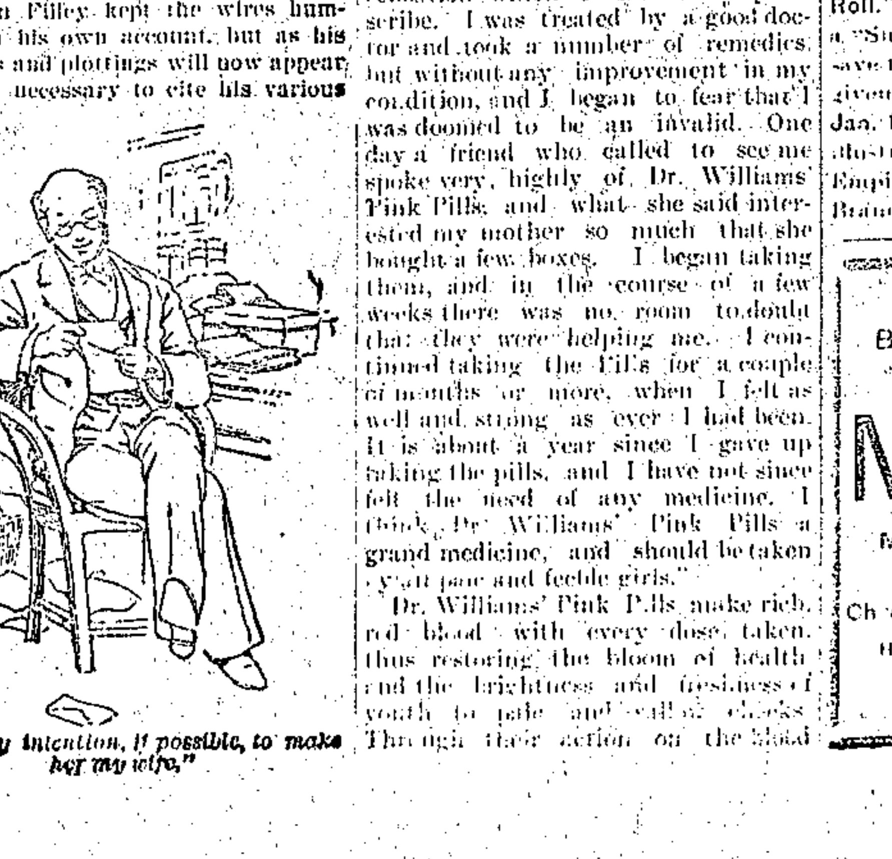

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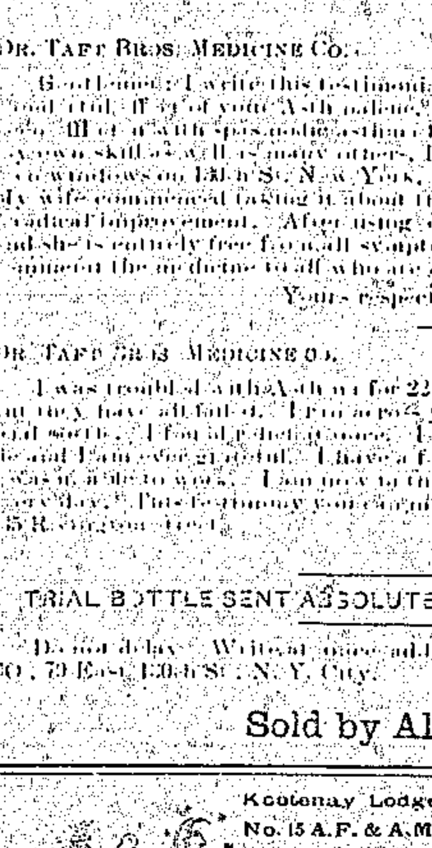

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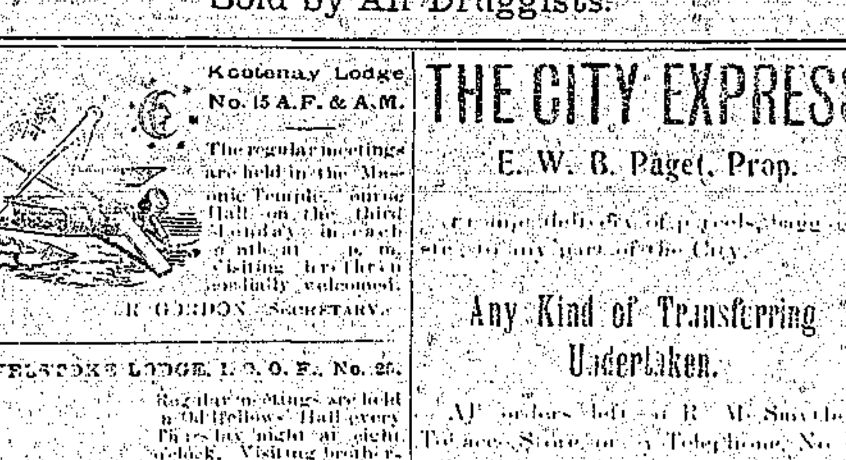

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Rossland, Nelson, Halcyon, Arrowhead; Nakusp—Daily.

Deer Park, Burton, Thomson's Landing, Trout Lake, Ferguson, Comaplix—Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Eastern Mails Close at 7 a.m.

Western Mails Close at 16:40.

A. McRAE, Postmaster

Railway Time Table

Trains Arrive at Revelstoke

From Vancouver daily at 8 a. m.
From Montreal daily at 5:10 p. m.
From Arrowhead daily at 4:20 p. m.

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For Vancouver daily at 5:10 p. m.
For Montreal daily at 8:20 a. m.
For Arrowhead daily at 8:10 a. m.

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DIED.

KNOWDELL—At Vancouver, on Feb. 13th, Elizabeth, wife of C. D. Knowdell, aged 65 yeaas.

BORN.

JOHNSON—At Revelstoke, on Feb. 14th, the wife of A. Johnson, of twins, both girls.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

Just received, a carload of Keewatin flour at A. Smith's.

A large number of settlers will take up land in the Duncan Vallfiy.

Any girl would rather have a half a pound of our chocolates than a pound of ordinary candies.—A. N. Smith

A new bank is projected, the Metropolitan of Canada having applied for incorporation.

F. W. McGregor intends leaving the city in the spring for Salmon Arm where he will take up ranching.

There is competition in general business, why not in insurance? There is, see Coursier.

Nelson is levying a rate of of 17½ mills on land and and 2½ mills for improvements.

A memorial church to the memory of Father Pat will be erected at Rossland.

News papers are full of insurance items. H. N. Coursier has the companies the trust is after.

Up to date the Provincial Government have spent $58,000 on the Big Bend trail, road etc.

Fred Holliday, formerly of Golden, is building a hotel at Field and has the promise of a license.

Dr. Arthur, of Nelson, has been selected to represent Kootenay physicians on the Provincial Medical Council.

The Protestant Alliance has been trying to drive the Jesuits out of England but the courts hold they cannot be expelled.

The duties collected by B. R. Atkins, customs officer, for Revelstoke, for January were:—Customs $795.19; inland revenue $404.68.

J. C. Hutchison intends cultivating 20 acres of his ranch at Glanwilliam this spring and will plant it all under potatoes.

The man who makes better bread than ours hasn't come along yet. You'll have to do as most everyone else is doing—buy ours.—A. N. Smith

The epidemic of measles is not confined to the younger portion of the community for one of the victims is J. Kernaghan, the well known contractor.

The city council urge that a health officer should be placed at Arrowhead to prevent small-pox victims coming in from that quarter seeing that the epidemic is so prevalent in south Kootenay.

Mrs. J. F. Moffatt, of the B. C. Poultry yards, Vernon, advertises a 200-egg incubator and brooder for sale, also eggs for hatching from Leghorns, Rocks, Wyandottes and Pekin ducks.

The Sentinel draws attention to the absence of provision for a gallery in the drill hall for which tenders are being invited, and urges that this be provided for the accommodation of the public who come to attend drills.

The bear at the Halcyon Sanitarium is achieving a great reputation. Dynamite, carbolic salve, tobacco and cocktails are equally in his line for a meal, and he has the reputation of being able to take his glass with the best of them.

The Lardeau has not outgrown the terrors of the old-time mining camp. The other day the Eagle of Ferguson came out with an attack on McCrossan mining methods. This did not suit Ferguson and Editor Pettipiece was called before an extemporised committee and an explanation of his writings demanded. An execution committee was appointed and though they did not hang the editor they collected the issue of the Eagle and burned it. The Topic has been having a high old time over the troubles of its contemporary at the Payroll.

H. N. Coursier will open his new office on McKenzie Avenue on Monday.

We acknowledge receipt from the Department of the Interior of a well-compiled atlas of western Canada.

A requisition has been signed to have J. McLaughlin appointed mining recorder at Revelstoke.

E. Schnider has imported a Bradbury repairing machine for his shoe and harness business, and expects a large stock of new goods in a few days.

At a meeting of the Executive of the Diocese of Kootenay a new mission district was formed for the Lardeau, to which it is expected to send a young man in the spring.

The City Council, in their new by-law relating to dogs, propose to pay the poundkeeper 50 cents a head to destroy unregistered dogs, and thus clear the city of useless curs.

Do you relish supporting insurance trusts at high cost, or would you rather do business with companies sufficiently strong to compete with the trust, and save the extra trust profit? Ask H. N. Coursier for rates.

H. J. McDonald, who had one of his eyes severely injured while working for R. Sampson, has left the Vancouver Hospital for Vernon. The injured eye had to be removed, and the other was saved with difficulty.

At a meeting of the Hospital Committee F. McCarty was appointed delegate to the Countess of Minto to report the progress of the institution in which Her Excellency has taken so lively an interest. A scale of charges for district nurse was drawn up.

The school trustees interviewed T. Taylor M. P. P. regarding government grant for new buildings in the city. Mr. Taylor said the $8,000 originally granted was assured and he would endeavor to procure another $7,000.

This will be the last opportunity you will have to get your photograph taken and reproduced in the manner which has proved so attractive in your city. I leave positively the end of the month. Those who wish to do so should call at once.—Howard King, Taylor Block.

J. Yates, of Revelstoke, gives a record in poultry breeding. He recently imported eggs from Fishell the celebrated Nebraska breeder of Plymouth Rock. A pullet raised from these eggs laid 22 eggs in 28 days of last month, despite the cold weather.

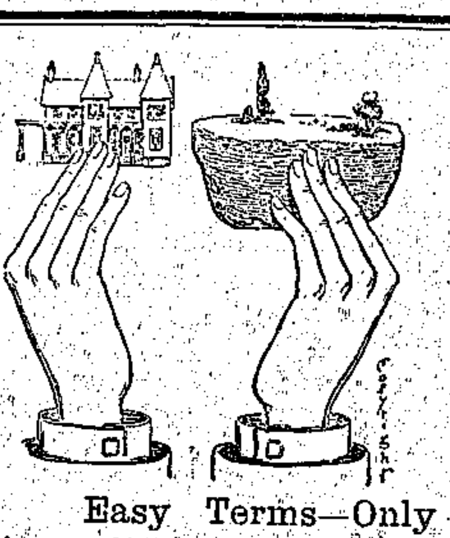
Rev. Jas. Calvert will deliver a lecture at the Methodist Church on Monday week under the auspices of the Epworth League. The lecture will will be illustrated by stereopticon views. A charge of 25 cents will be made, the proceeds being in aid of the Columbia College at New Westminster.

P. R. Peterson has been taking round a petition to the Provincial Government to provide a road to connect the city with the Big Bend wagon road, and also give proper access to the village lots north of the track. This is a work that should be carried out. Dr. Peterson met with very strong support in his petition.

John Clark, of Crowfoot, Alta., intimates through our advertising columns that he has for sale six Clydesdale stallions and twenty Hereford and Shorthorn bulls. This is a good opportunity for stock-owners with ranching sections to improve the quality of their stock, Mr. Clark being a breeder of some of the best stock in the north-west.

The Nanaimo, B. C., Herald —Mr. Fellowes Hanson has a rich baritone voice, with exceptionally good lower notes. One of his encores, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep," was a simply perfect rendering, and brought out all the beauty of the old favorite. Enid Martin concert on the 26th inst. under the auspices of Ladies Aid Presbyterian Church.

W. Haley, of this city, narrates an experience of travel on the steamer "Forty-nine. It was in 1886. The shaft broke and the steamer was washed ashore near seven mile bar. A charcoal heap was burned and the shaft welded. The job took a week and the passengers had to camp on the river-bank while the work was being done.



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NOTARIES PUBLIC.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

T. Taylor, M.P.P., went through to the coast on Wednesday.

A. E. Rosenberger was expected to return to Nelson this week.

H. J. Bourne has been confined to his house all week by illness.

F. McCarty and A. McRae, as delegates to Ottawa, left yesterday.

J. L. Smith, of the C. P. R. telegraphs, is off duty by illness.

At the close of their meeting on Monday night the Epworth League decided to furnish a ward in the hospital.

C. J. Aman left on Wednesday for Nelson to personally conduct the cigar factory in which he is interested there.

Miss Anderson of the Victoria Order of Nurses, has arrived from Montreal to fill the position of district nurse under the Hospital Board. Miss Anderson is staying at Mrs. Spurling's.

R. Gordon left on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Knowdell, mother of Mrs. Gordon, who died at Vancouver. Mrs. Knowdell was formerly a resident of Revelstoke.

At the Epworth League on Monday night, Miss Smith read an excellent paper on "The Modern Woman from two points of view." A solo was sung by Miss Fee and a reading given by Miss Dent.

Much regret is expressed at Ferguson to see old timers like A. and D. Ferguson and W. B. Pool, who have done so much for the camp, pulling out of it at the time when the railway is coming in and when things should hum.

At the carnival on Monday night Miss Nellie Dunn and Frank Brown were awarded the prizes in the cake walk. Walter Buck and Percy Dunne got the boy's prize and Bert Caley and Roy Ginn a special. The Independent Band provided the music, but as Saturday night is a bad night for an entertainment of the kind the attendance was poor.

LOCAL INDUSTRIES

The Eagle reports that Ed. Perry has sold his interest in the Ferguson saw mill to Messrs. J. E. Smith and Frank Lebeau.

J. McMahon's workshop is one of the busiest in the city at the present time and the rush of work has necessitated two assistants being sent for.

Coast lumber dealers have raised the price on cedar shipped to the States by $2 a thousand.

The Scientific American contains an illustrated description of a valuable invention just patented by Capt. Sanderson, of Arrowhead, for a rotary steam motor which eliminates the difficulties hitherto experienced in the application of the rotary principle to steam motors.

Rowland Brittain, patent attorney, Vancouver, reports: Two patents were issued to B. C. inventors this week. One to G. A. Smith, engineer and surveyor, Alberni, on an improved attachment to an ordinary coal-oil lamp burner which ensures a better light and at the same time when the light is turned down retains a small [illegible] flame. The device is [illegible] simple and [illegible] readily attached [illegible] existing burners [illegible]. The other patent is to W. T. Jones, New Westminster, on a float stringer.

CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN.

"The English Reformation," the fourth in the series of reformation subjects, on Sunday evening next in the Presbyterian Church.

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Highest Honors, World's Fair. Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Socialism

TO THE EDITOR:

SIR,—There are men and women in this town as well as in every city, town and hamlet throughout the Dominion who state that Socialism and Anarchy are twins. Of course if they knew more about definitions than do Worcester's, Webster's, Standard, Century, Imperial and other dictionaries, or even the Encyclopedia Brittanica, it is no use trying to point out the density of their ignorance.

"For what they will, they will you may depend on't,
And what they won't, they won't so there's an end on't."

To those who do not wish to learn I would ask them not to read any more of this article, but as I believe there are more who are willing to listen to logic, will quote a few of the utterances of great men:

Herbert Spencer the English philosopher says: "The citizens of a large nation, industrially organized, have reached their happiness when the producing, distributing and other activities are such that each citizen finds in them a place for all his energies and aptitudes, while he obtains the means of satisfying all his desires."

John Stuart Mill, the recognized head of the English classical school of political economy, says: "No thinking man will contradict that associated industry is the most powerful agent of production and that the principles of association are susceptible of further and beneficial development."

Prof. R. T. Ely, the head of the modern school of political economy, says: "Socialism is simply applied Christianity. The Golden Rule applied to every day life."

There's no smell of gunpowder or dynamite bombs about this is there?

John Ruskin: "Government and co operation are in all things eternally the laws of life; anarchy and competition in all things the laws of death."

I hope the sayings of these men will not upset too abruptly the queer ideas of some of our local sages, who believe in many of the aims of socialism without knowing it, but the word itself scares them because of the deep-seated wrong belief that it means anarchy, knives, guns, plots, etc, dividing up, destroying incentive. This ignorance would be excusable in the days when education was hard to get, and dictionaries beyond the purse of the working man. Explain some of the platform to a man and he will accept it as good, but so deeply pitted is his notion of socialism that at the mention of the word he closes up like a clam.

Let us look at this bogey-man. You know the devil is not quite so black as he's painted and upon a closer investigation of the character of socialism we may correct some of "our foolish notions."

Does the word "social" frighten you? Have you fears regarding the contents of your pocket-book when somebody mentions "sociable"? When you hear somebody speaking of an "associate" do you conjure up murder and dark deeds? No doubt you are thinking what stupid questions these are, but let me ask why you have such a horror of the word "socialism," who is of the same family as those above mentioned, which is "societas"—society, that is the whole body of the people, and when we tag an "ism" to the word "social" it simply means the science which deals with society.

Is your opinion regarding this terrible ogre (?) changing at all? Well now let's go a little farther and see what the believers in socialism wish to do.

First they wish to introduce the Initiative and the Referendum into politics. Now what do these stand for? Don't be scared at their size [illegible] [illegible] and instead of [illegible] we will [illegible] just the [illegible] to help us to [illegible] that [illegible] our friend [illegible] who has become [illegible] people think [illegible] with [illegible]. Initiative is quite a mouthful to swallow, but don't do it until [illegible] with the words when it [illegible] easy to digest. It simply means that if an elector thinks that a certain law would be good one [illegible] his friends if they support the motion they make the initial step; that is they propose (initiate or begin) it, and we have the initiative, but before we can have the law we must first refer the matter to Referendum, which means the [illegible] vote of the people but if Referendum says "don't like your medicine" the prescription is returned to Initiative.

Applying the above method means that we vote for measures, not men as is the case now. When speaking of a government we say the Turner, Semlin, Cotton, Dunsmuir, Martin (?) et al, but in addition to the above we have another able ally in our efforts to obtain good laws.

Imperative Mandate! What's this? At the present time a representative makes promises in order to catch votes which, if elected, he either forgets or ignores, although we call him a public servant. In reality he is boss of the situation, but with the Imperative Mandate in effect it would be different. Before election he would subscribe to a platform, when this was done his signed resignation is placed in the hands of a committee, if he breaks any of the planks in the platform he is notified that it is time for him to step down and out. This is the Imperative Mandate.

These three factors are summed up as direct legislation. Of course if you are a boss or leader you'll say the present representative system is the best—for me, but the electors would think differently. As it is now we have the tail wagging the dog—that is to say the creator (the electors) is less than the creature (their representative) whilst the representative is in office you have no redress.

There is much to be said on the subject which would occupy too much space but let me give you a few instances of how it works in Switzerland.

In 20 years there were but 68 laws passed in Zurich, 50 accepted and 18 rejected. Berne, with a population of 530,000, and 120,000 voters averages three laws a year.

Sir Francis Adams, British minister to Switzerland, says: "The referendum has struck root and expanded wherever it has been introduced, and no serious politician of any party would now think of attempting its abolition. The conservatives, who violently opposed its introduction, became its most ardent supporters when they found that it undoubtedly acted as a drag upon hasty and radical law making."

This is only a brief (?) starter of what socialism stands for. Some future time if the editor will give me the space, I will endeavor to give some more details.

Yours truly,
J. W. BENNETT.

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CITY COUNCIL.

Meeting held Friday night. All present.

CORRESPONDENCE.

School trustees, with statement of accounts to Dec. 31st, showing $74.10 due by government.

In reply to the Mayor, Mr. Floyd, secretary, stated he could not get the books and accounts from the late secretary, Mr. Graham.

The city solicitor was instructed to write Mr. Graham demanding the production of the books and papers of the late trustees.

Telephone Company, demanding removal from Company's poles of city fire alarm attachments, and stating company would not put in insulated wires as the Mayor had intimated might be required, and warning the council against the company's telephone being used for city purposes.—Resolved to move fire alarm attachments and call tenders for supply of poles for city.

W. L. & P. Company, asking fuller particulars regarding lights required.

G. M. Sproatt, asking rent for block 52—To be informed there was no contract with city.

Eastern firms re truck wagon and fire ladders.—Referred to the F. W. and L. committee.

T. Steed, asking rebate of taxes on McBean's lot.—Refused.

REPORTS.

F. W. and L. committee reported having an electrician repairing the fire alarm system.

The Mayor suggested the committee should enquire fully into a fire hall for lower town. As matters stood they had no fire hall at all there.

POLICE MAGISTRATE.

In reply to Ald. Manning the city clerk said amount of fines received for year was $284.75 and police magistrate's salary was $250. For previous year fines amounted to $867.39; and for nine months prior $515.35.

Ald. Manning asked if the city could not do without a magistrate and let local justices do the work?

The Mayor:—They could.

A SCANDAL.

Ald. Manning:—The present magistrate does not seem to be the man for the position. If the city can do without him it will save $250 a year. Persons have been brought before the court and allowed to go home and have a big time.

Ald. McLeod:—This scandal has been thrown in the teeth of the aldermen. The chief of police did his duty and these women were allowed to go and had a big blow-out over it.

In answer to enquires Chief Bain said:—I brought some women up in accordance with instructions from the police commissioners. The late mayor objected and said they were not able to pay their rents. The police magistrate had gone without the mayor's leave. The mayor asked me to remand the cases for two weeks. I did so and that let them out.

Ald. Hume:—Then it was the fault of the late mayor.

Ald. McLeod:—The council are perfectly satisfied the chief did his duty and the mistake was not his fault.

LICENSES AND GAMBLING.

Ald Manning:—Are the licensing laws here the same as in the east, and is gambling allowed?

City Solicitor:—Gambling is not allowed in licensed houses, but the trouble is to define gambling.

WATER AND LIGHT DEAL.

Ald. Manning:—What is being done about the water and light matter?

The Mayor:—The Fire, Water and Light committee should go fully into this matter and ascertain the price at which the company's property can be bought and all about it, and lay the facts before the council.

MEETINGS.

It was decided to meet weekly instead of fortnightly.

GRIP AND PASSWORD

L. O. L.

W. G. Birney and Ed. Adair went to Nelson to represent the local lodge at the meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge.

A meeting of L. O. L. 1658 will be held this evening when the Royal Arch degree will be conferred.

S. O. E. B. S.

The paragraph in last issue re Loyalty Lodge should have read that the lodge is furnishing a bed, not a ward in the hospital.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing Indigestion, Billousness, Constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at the Canada Drug & Book Co's. drug store.

The Eagle states that T. Taylor, M.P.P., will not again be a candidate for election.

MUSIC.

A limited number of pupils will be taken—instruction either piano or organ—piano preferred. For terms apply to Miss Kenner at the residence of H. Cook, Fourth Street.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that 30 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 situated in the [illegible] district of West Kootenay, commencing at a post planted on the [illegible] bank of Columbia River, three miles south east of Boyd's ranch, and marked "Mary Davis' southeast corner," thence north along the bank of Columbia River 160 chains, thence [illegible] chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to initial post.

Dated, February 4th, 1902.

MARY DAVIS.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that 30 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 situated in the Big Bend district of West Kootenay, commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Columbia River three miles south east of Boyd's ranch and marked "Richard Davis' southeast corner," thence north along the bank of Columbia River 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement or initial post.

Date, February 4th, 1902.

RICHARD DAVIS.

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF KOOTENAY holden at Fort Steele, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 8th day of January it was ordered by J. A. Forin, Esquire, Judge of the said court, that James Ferguson Armstrong, Official administrator of the county of Kootenay be administrator of all and singular the Estate of Giovanni Nicola Tarantini, of Revelstoke, B. C. deceased, intestate.

Every person indebted to the said deceased is required to make payment forthwith to the undersigned.

Every person having in possession effects belonging to the deceased is required to forthwith notify the undersigned.

Every creditor or other person having any claim upon or interest in the distribution of the personal estate of the said deceased is required within thirty days of this date to send by registered letter addressed to the undersigned, his name and address and the full particulars of his claim or interest and a statement of his account and the nature of the security (if any) held by him.

After the expiration of the said thirty days the administrator will proceed with the distribution of the estate having regard to those claims only of which he shall have had notice. Dated at Fort Steele this 11th day of February.

JAMES FERGUSON ARMSTRONG,
Official Administrator,
Fort Steele, B.C.

NOTICE
TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS.

To W. B. McKechnie, J. W. Jeffs, John McMeekin, J. G. Allan, Jacob Fleishman, Thos. J. Graham, and Jas. W. Vail, or any person or persons holding or claiming any transfers from same.

Under the Mineral Act, 1897, and amendments thereto:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we, F. McCarty, T. Kilpatrick, T. Downie, Fred Fraser, C. B. Hume & Co., have performed all the assessment work on the St. Louis, St. Lawrence, and Columbia mineral claims, situate in Jordan Pass, in the Revelstoke Mining Division of West Kootenay, located in August, 1895, and recorded at Revelstoke on the 17th day of August, 1895, and also on the Ladonier mineral claim, situated in Jordan Pass, located in Sept. 1895, and recorded on the 15th day of September, 1895, and that W. B. McKechnie, J. W. Jeffs, John McMeekin, J. G. Allan, Jacob Fleishman, Thos. J. Graham, and Jas. W. Vail, the recorded owners of interests in the said mineral claims, have neglected to do or pay for their share of the assessment work and unless said charges are not paid within ninety days from the first publication of this notice, we shall proceed to record such delinquent interest as provided by Section II of the Mineral Act Amendment Act 1900.

Dated at Revelstoke, the 6th day of December, 1901.

F. McCARTY,
T. KILPATRICK,
THOS. DOWNIE,
FRED FRASER,
C. B. HUME & CO.
Co-owners.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act authorising and empowering the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to own, hold, lease and operate other property outside the Dominion of Canada; amending its charter in so far as relates to the qualification, status, powers and election of its directors; authorising a further issue of consolidated debenture stock for the purpose of aiding in the acquisition of steam vessels; increasing and extending the Company's powers of dealing with its landed, mineral, timber, hotel and other properties; enabling the Company to manufacture or otherwise acquire and use electricity for motor and other purposes and to dispose of surplus electricity; empowering the Company to improve its landed properties by means of irrigation and otherwise; to establish parks and pleasure resorts on its lands; to aid and facilitate in such manner as may be deemed advisable the settlement of the lands of the Company and to assist settlers upon such lands; and generally for securing to the Company in connection with its lands, the powers of an Irrigation and Land Company, and for other purposes.

Dated at Montreal 16th day of December, 1901.

By order of the Board,
C. DRINKWATER,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate a company to be known as "The Canada Central Railway Company," to construct and operate a line of railway commencing from a point at or near French river, on the north coast of Lake Huron, northwesterly to some point at or near Whanipitae Lake; thence northerly to some point at or near the headwaters of Montreal river, in the district of Nipissing, thence northwesterly to some point on the Albany river, in the Province of Ontario; thence in a northwesterly direction through the district of Keewatin and the Province of Manitoba to some point on or near Lake Winnipeg; thence northerly and westerly by way of Prince Albert, in the district of Saskatchewan, and Edmonton, in the district of Alberta to Tete Jaune Cache, in the Province of British Columbia; thence southerly in the vicinity of the North Thompson river by way of Kamloops to a point at or near Princeton; thence westerly to New Westminster; thence north-westerly to Vancouver, with power to construct and operate a line of railway from some point on the south or east coast of Vancouver Island to Victoria; with further power to construct and operate an extension line of said railway from some point on the line of railway first above mentioned at or near Tete Jaune Cache westerly to Port Essington or Port Simpson on the Pacific coast; with further power to construct a branch line southerly from said line of railway in the Province of Ontario, to the towns of Port Arthur and Fort William, on Lake Superior; with further power to construct and operate a branch line from some point on the said line of railway between Kamloops and Princeton southeasterly by way of Penticton to Grand Forks; with further power to construct and operate a branch line from some point on the said line of railway at or near the North Thompson River to Ashcroft and Anderson Lake; with further power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines for the purpose of its business and for the public; and with further power to own and operate water power convenient to the road for their railway and other purposes; with further power to own and operate steam ships, ferries and shipping, and build and erect the necessary wharves and elevators; and with such other power and privileges as are usually given to railway companies.

Dated at Winnipeg this 21st day of December, A.D., 1901.

THOS. H. JOHNSON,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered by public auction by James Taylor, at the office of the undersigned at Revelstoke, B. C., on Saturday, the 22nd day of February, A.D., 1902, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, viz.: A portion of the North-West Quarter of Section Ten (10), Township Twenty three (23), Range Six (6), West of the Sixth Meridian, containing by admeasurement 138 and 61 100 acres more or less. Said property being situate near Craigellachie, the District of Yale, B. C. On the property are one frame building and barn.

For terms and conditions of sale apply to

HARVEY, McCARTER & PINKHAM
of Revelstoke, B. C.,
Solicitors for Mortgagee.

Dated at Revelstoke, Jan. 28th, 1902.

1.98. H. No. 17.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA:

BETWEEN:
CHARLES HOLTEN, et al, Plaintiffs.
and
FRANK VANDALL & MILLIE BLACK, Defendants.

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the order of Mr. Justice Martin made in the above action and dated January 22nd, 1902, there will be offered for sale at public auction by James Taylor at the office of the undersigned at Revelstoke, B.C., on Saturday, the 22nd day of February, 1902, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon. All and singular those certain parcels of land situate in the City of Revelstoke, B.C., and more particularly described as Lots Number 9 and 10, Block 40, Block A, Plan 636.

On said property is erected a good two storey frame building.

The said property will be sold subject as to said Lot 9 to the rights of John A. Mara, his heirs or assigns, and subject to the incumbrances charged against the said premises, particulars of which may be obtained from Frederick Fraser, Esq., Receiver appointed by said Order, or from

HARVEY, McCARTER & PINKHAM,
Plaintiffs Solicitors

January, A.D., 1902.