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LOCAL & GENERAL.

Striking miners blew up the Smuggler mill, one of the largest in Colorado, killing 15 men.

Guy Carbee begins his half-yearly inspection of C. P. R. watches on the Mountain division this week.

The shutting down of the Le Roi mine and Northport smelter is believed to be a combined stock rigging job and excuse for cutting down wages.

It is understood that two tenders were sent in for the Big Bend road, but that the government consider them too high, in which case the road will be continued by day labor.

R. Smart, blacksmith at the C. P. R. shops, sustained a painful injury by running a piece of steel into the thumb of his right hand this morning. The injury was attended to by Dr. McLean.

Mr. Wilson, of Illecillewaet, brought to town this morning his little daughter suffering from a piece of stone being embedded in the nose. The child was placed under chloroform by Dr. McLean and the obstruction removed.

The first annual meeting of the Revelstoke Hospital Society will be held at the fire hall on Monday, August 5th, for election of trustees. Subscribers of $5 and upwards are entitled to vote. Send in your subscriptions and help the hospital movement all you can.

The Eagle states that the name of Selkirk city, at the lower end of Trout Lake, is to be changed to Duchesnay, as a tribute to the well-known C. P. R. superintendent. The C. P. R. are clearing 25 acres, securing water rights, laying out smelter site with a view to placing lots on the market.

TO THE DEAF.—A rich lady, rid of her Deafness and Noises in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave $25,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Address No. 891 The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth Avenue, New York.

The capacity of the sawmill now being erected at the Big Eddy will be 50,000 feet a day.

Mr. Sproat, agent for the Farwell townsite, has very considerately agreed to hand over to the city council for cemetery purposes, the lot on which there are a number of graves, and for which the city council have for some time been endeavoring to obtain title from the Dominion government lest it should be improperly disposed of.

At the city council last evening Ald. Nettle brought up the question of cutting the thistles on the streets and the mayor was authorized to have the work done. The question of requiring the C. P. R. to destroy thistles growing on the track was also raised, one alderman asking how the company was going to do it seeing that they had now no trackmen available?

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Referring to Dominion grants for government railways in this province, Sir Wilfrid Laurier writes: "British Columbia shall not be forgotten at the proper time, but her projects of railway construction are on such a gigantic scale that our resources, large as they may be, were not adequate to her undertakings this year. I would also remind you that it is only four years ago this spring, that we provided for the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, which is almost completely in British Columbia."

THE STRIKE

Men Are Loyal to the Union

Letter From the Revelstoke Lodge

With regard to the report that the engineers would go out on strike to support the trackmen, the officials of that organisation state: "The only way that the engineers would go out would be if they decided that the condition of the road was such that their own and the public safety was endangered by running trains. Until that condition arises there will be no strike of the engineers."

A gang of Italians was brought in from some point last week to Bear Creek but refused to work. They were then run down the Arrowhead branch where it is supposed they did some work. On Sunday quit and came into Revelstoke.

Superintendent Downie, of the Boundary Division, bears high testimony to the splendid conduct of the trackmen on strike. He remarked to the Nelson Miner: "It is a well known fact that the relations of the men in this division and the management were of the friendliest nature and when the men went out at Nelson they finished up all the work of a pressing nature before walking out. An amicable arrangement is anticipated so far as the Kootenays are concerned at least, at an early date."

The Vancouver committee issued a circular in which it stated: "We know of one case in particular where a man worked six years. He started at $1.60 per day, and when he quit was getting $1.25. How is that for a company that claims to be the most considerate to their men on the continent of America?"

The following letter from the secretary of the local lodge appears in the World:—

"You will kindly insert the following: Having noticed some articles in your paper in reference to the strike, especially at Revelstoke, I may say the said articles appearing in the form they did deluded the people to believe that we were out for no other reason but for the destruction of property. But, sir, if it could be proven that such was the case how fast our provincial government would imprison such men to help out the big corporation which extends from ocean to ocean. But to give the true statement of affairs the only law breakers thus far have been our special police who have gone as far as to draw a revolver and threaten the strikers. The government claim to be the peoples' friends, but has proven that it is the corporations' or monopolists' backers. The day of reckoning is in the near future. We, the working people of this province, are true to our rights that is, the government has clearly proven, by its actions in our strike, that it is directly with the corporation and does not want to recognize the working men, who are seeking for an increase in wages. No enmity exists between them and their officers. Still further to show the men are law abiding citizens, they have committees appointed all along the line to guard all men from any act of destruction of property.

Furthermore we, as ratepayers, do not believe that there was any justice in any government placing special policemen along the line to benefit the company in a form of a cloak to fill the places of our men who have been the employees for a number of years. To think that the ratepayers are to pay indirectly through taxation those scabs to take our places is something out of all reason.

By order of committee,

T. J. GRAHAM,
Sec. B. R. T. of A.

Revelstoke, June 22, 1901.

It is stated that the B. of R. Trainmen has determined to stop insurance of its members by the 15th inst. if the strike is not settled.

AN ITALIAN ARRESTED.

Some excitement was caused on Tuesday by the arrest at the instance of the C. P. R. of an Italian on a charge of intimidation. It appears the man went to induce a gang of his countrymen, who are reported to have been imported from Boston and were taken to the Arrowhead branch, to quit work, explaining to them that the men were on strike. A revolver was found on the man though he was specially instructed by the committee to use no violence and to carry no arms. The company had, however, the good grace to withdraw the charge when the case came on for hearing on Wednesday and thus prevented unpleasantness which would have arisen, as the men were taking steps to retaliate by prosecuting a C. P. R. special constable for a similar offence. J. M. Scott was retained by the company and G. S. McCarter by the union.

IMPORTED ITALIANS THREATEN PROCEEDINGS AGAINST COMPANY.

The Italians who were brought to the Arrowhead branch have made affidavits and produced agreements to show that they were engaged in Boston, and guaranteed free transportation to where they should be required on the company's system, and back to Boston when their services were no longer required.

They have now applied for the necessary passes to allow them to return to their homes, but these have been refused, and the men say they are arranging to take legal proceedings against the company.

These are not the only legal proceedings that should be taken. If the affidavits of these men are true, then the company have broken the alien labor law, and it is the duty of the Dominion government to prosecute the company without fear or favor.

There must be equal application of the law to the striker who damages the company's property and to the company who breaks the labor law, and it is the duty of the government to act with a strictly firm and impartial hand in this case so that the striking workmen shall know and feel that their interests will be protected equally with those of any corporation in the land. Under the alien labor law the company, if found guilty of offence, is liable to a penalty of $1000 a head for each man it imports.

The only men working on the track between Revelstoke and Kamloops is a gang of about 15 Japs who are stationed at Sicamous.

T. J. Graham, secretary to the local branch of the union, received a telegram on Wednesday night stating that the men were solid, standing solidly together along the road.

The Calgary & Edmonton road has been tied up for a week, and it is reported the company have been offering $1 an hour for men.

The company turned out the men staying at the immigration hall at Winnipeg because they would not work on the road.

Word comes from Montreal that steps are being taken to have the difficulty settled by arbitration.

A train was wrecked at Cranbrook by the switch being thrown open by some unknown person. The engine driver was badly injured.

The citizens of Calgary are running a monster relief camp in aid of the Galicians involved in the strike and who were in straightened circumstances.

There was some excitement at Ashcroft last week over the arrest of C. P. R. Detective Jones and half a dozen special constables, on charges of intimidation. Accused were released on bail, Jones in $500 and two surties of $250 each, and the others on $300 and two surities of $150 each. There was great difficulty in procuring bail as the sympathy of the people is with the men on strike. Jones and five men were discharged, but Hatch was fined in a sum which, with costs, amounted to over $100.

The Dominion Government have intimated to the strikers that they will take steps to enforce the alien labor law against the company.

Stuart Henderson, solicitor, of Ashcroft, who has been acting for the strikers there, arrived in Revelstoke this morning, it is believed in connection with the reported breach of the Alien labor law by the importation of Italians.

Superintendent Marpole's side of the story is: "We are getting as many men as we want and in fact we do not know hardly what to do with so many."

As showing the class of special police which the company are placing on the road, one of these gentlemen, named George McCormack, was arrested at Ashcroft on Wednesday on a charge of exposing indecent literature and was committed for trial by Mr. Webster, J. P.

C. P. R. Detective Jones came in on No. 2 this morning.

Citizens will be given an opportunity of showing their practical sympathy with the strikers by attending, and purchasing tickets for, an entertainment to be held at the Opera House on Monday night to assist the strike fund. The proceeds will be placed in the hands of a reliable committee to be dealt with. The programme is in the hands of Mr. J. Taylor, which is a guarantee that a first-class entertainment will be provided. Judging from the strong feeling manifested in the city on behalf of the men the project cannot fail to be a great success.

Nineteen Italians were brought in on this morning's train, but as soon as the position was explained to them they refused to go to work for the company.

The local committee have received intimation from Vancouver that the men there are prepared to hold out for six months, and that only a few scabs are at work and are making a mess of track-laying to which work they are unaccustomed.

The Albertan says: "This is a fight for a living wage and the right to organize, and it affects every man in the employ of the railroad company directly, and indirectly every member of a labor organization in the Dominion. The true friends of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are those who insist upon the immediate settlement of the strike by the payment of a fair wage to the trackmen and the full recognition of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trackmen."

A contemporary remarks: "If the road cannot be run on a basis that will give its employees bread, clothing and education, then for heaven's sake stop the whole works, and give the cayuse back his job."

The Montreal Star says that after last Monday the strikers will receive a weekly allowance from the international treasury of the union, located at St. Louis, Mo., which will be sufficiently large to enable the men to hold out until they are granted the concessions asked for.

As storekeepers along the line would not sell supplies to the blacklegs taking the place of the strikers, the company have put on supply cars between Vancouver and Kamloops.

At a meeting at Calgary resolutions were adopted in accordance with those stated to have been adopted all over the system, to the effect that the general chairmen of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Railway Conductors, Railway Telegraphers, Locomotive Firemen, and Railroad Trainmen endeavor to bring about a settlement of the strike. The question of financial assistance to the strikers was brought up and members from the various orders were appointed a committee to raise a fund.

Trains run pretty well on time on the Pacific division but arrive late from the east.

John Hayes has been committed for trial at Peterboro and admitted to bail of $2,000, on a charge of intimidating employes and obstructing the C.P.R. right-of-way.

It is reported that the company will land 90 imported Italians at Bear Creek to-night.

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STRIKE AVERTED.

Deputy Minister of Labor Settles a Serious Dispute.

W. L. McK. King, Deputy Minister of Labor, has just rendered splendid service by settling a threatened strike between the Nova Scotia Steel Co. and its employes. The men appealed to the government to take the matter in hand, failing which they would be forced to strike for a raise in wages. Mr. King interviewed employers and employed and succeeded in effecting a settlement satisfactory to both sides, so that a serious strike has been averted. Another great point gained is that the parties have agreed to refer future disputes to arbitration.

If arbitration and conciliation were made law, as in the Australian colonies, the present strike of the C.P.R. track men would never have occurred.

LEAD QUESTION.

An American Trust Formed.

A lead combination has been formed in the States with a capital of $20,000,000 to control the output of the lead mines.

W. F. Newall, of the Selby Lead Co. of San Francisco, says his company is willing to purchase all the lead ores available in British Columbia at current rates which, he says, are as favorable as those of last year. He considers that the present prices for lead are normal, whereas last year they were exceptionally high.

FOOTBALL

REVELSTOKE VS. GOLDEN JUNIORS.

The Revelstoke juniors visited Golden on Dominion Day to play the return match with the juniors of that town. The following represented Revelstoke: J. Inches, C. Palmer, full-back; D. Smythe, goal; E. Corson, (Capt.) C. Corson and G. McLeod, half-backs; G. Richards, W. Beavo, G. Beavo, E. Kearns and G. Graham, forwards; P. Donaldson acted as referee. After a well-contested game Revelstoke won by one goal to nil. The visitors speak highly of the way in which they were entertained by the Golden boys.

REVELSTOKE VS. GOLDEN SENIORS.

The Revelstoke seniors tried conclusions with Golden on Dominion Day, the match being played at the latter town. The following constituted the Revelstoke team: J. Hamilton, goal; J. P. Purvis, back; T. Carey and Sanderson, half backs; R. M. Smythe, P. Donaldson, J. M. Graham W. Carr, McGuire (captain), forwards. A hard fought game resulted in victory for Golden by two goals to nil.

Golden will visit Revelstoke on Labor Day to play a return match.

REAL ESTATE.

Sales of Revelstoke Town Lots.

Real estate is moving well in Revelstoke. During the week the following transactions have taken place: J. P. Sutherland has purchased the lots and buildings owned by Dr. McKechnie on Douglas street; H. Floyd has purchased Mrs. Graham's house and lots on Second street; B. R. Atkins, W. Fleming and Mrs. Hooley have purchased lots from the smelter townsite company, R. H. Mayne, agent.

Mrs. Sibbald has purchased Mr. Lendrum's ground interest in the Climax Hotel property, in which she has hitherto held the other half interest.

A number of other deals are also in progress.

RAIL AND STEAMER

A. R. Creelman succeeds Judge Clark as chief counsel for the C. P. R.

As the result of the American Railway trust being formed it is stated that the separate offices of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Burlington are to be consolidated which will mean the discharge of an immense number of station agents and other employes.

The steamboat for the Big Bend traffic will be built under charge of Mr. Bulger, the C. P. R. ship-builder, of Nakusp. The construction of the machinery is well in hand by the Polson Ironworks. It is expected that the boat will be ready for traffic in about six weeks.

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Examination of and reports on Mineral Properties a Specialty.

The Kootenay Mail

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1901.

A LEADING citizen's opinion: "The men on strike are as well behaved a lot of men as I ever saw in my life."

DON'T omit to read the advertisements in the KOOTENAY MAIL. They will save you money, and lead to your making many a good bargain.

THE present railway strike is another forcible argument for the establishment by the Dominion government of compulsory arbitration and conciliation. Strikes are a national loss and inconvenience, a loss to both employer and employed. Under such a system as we suggest strikes would become unknown in Canada.

THE C. P. R. service has been noted for the good feeling generally existing between the employes and the officials. There is no reason why, by the company making reasonable concessions to the trackmen, this good feeling should not be maintained in that branch of the service as well as any other.

THE man who denies that $1.75 a day, the amount asked by the trackmen on the Pacific division, is fair remuneration for employes who have to work through the snowstorms of winter and clear the track through the avalanche, who have to be at their post wet or dry, lives ahead of his time. He should have been herding niggers in Georgia in the days of black slavery.

PROVINCIAL MINERALOGIST.

The Victoria Post makes an attack on Provincial Mineralogist Robertson which is wholly unwarranted, and is untruthful. Our contemporary describes Mr. Robertson as "wet blanket in ordinary to the mining development of British Columbia," and says he condemned East Kootenay, which is now the second highest productive district in the province. We happen to have heard from Mr. Robertson personally his opinions concerning East Kootenay at the time he made his examination of that section, and can say that this charge against him is untrue. Take the Windermere district, which is so rapidly coming to the front. When Mr. Robertson examined that three years ago it was in the veriest stages of development. Mr. Robertson openly expressed his confidence in that section and urged its development with results which are most gratifying. Just the same with the southern section of the district, which is such a large producer but then it was well developed at that time. We can say for Mr. Robertson that he is conscientious in the discharge of his duties, is a man of considerable experience and ability, and came to the province on the recommendation of the late Sir G. M. Dawson, who was undoubtedly well qualified to make the recommendation. True, Mr. Robertson is conservative in his methods, but in his position as head of the mineral department of the province that is a good qualification. Mr. Robertson's annual reports are very capable publications and are doing much to promote the mineral industry of the province.

THE RAILWAY STRIKE.

It has been known for some time in labor circles that the trackmen of the C. P. R. intended asking for improved conditions in their relations with the company. Other branches of the service had been well organized, and, from time to time, as a result, had their grievances adjusted. It was recognized that it was only because of want of organization on their part that the trackmen did not share in the benefits accorded to other branches of the service. The organization of the trackmen was a difficult task, including as it did a large foreign element. Notwithstanding the difficulties involved, the strike shows how remarkably successful has been the latest efforts at the organization of this branch of the service, and the loyal, law-abiding manner, in which the men have stood together during the strike has demonstrated their high intelligence and self-control. We question whether, anywhere in the world, on such an extensive railway system, there is to be found a body of men in charge of the permanent way, who would have given such an admirable account of themselves. The C. P. R. company ought to be proud of having its interests in the hands of such a reliable set of men, and the justice of their cause, backed up by their loyal, law-abiding conduct, has brought to their support a strong public sympathy from the Pacific to the Atlantic shore.

The high encomiums paid the trackmen by Superintendent Downie, of the Kootenay section, and which we publish in another column, must, we feel sure, be re-echoed in the heart of every other superintendent on the road, and we have never witnessed a strike in which the officials themselves, who are in touch with the men, so thoroughly sympathise with them and wish them success in their cause.

We have before us the schedule of proposals made to the company, (for the men distinctly stated they do not put these forward as cast-iron demands) and while the company may not feel justified in granting all these proposals, we have no doubt the men would be willing to meet the company in any reasonable way with a view to a settlement, providing the main principles for which they are fighting are recognized. These principles include fair hearing for employes in case of complaint, pay and a half for time over ten hours, promotion according to merit and seniority, free transportation of fresh meat twice a week to points where same cannot be purchased, carriage of necessities at half rate, passes twice a month for section house keepers to nearest market, once a month on the roadmaster's division to maintenance men, once a year to any point on the system for all employes of two years standing in the company's service, and to members of the grievance committee for meeting purposes. Actual expenses are also asked for in the case of men taken off their usual work, section men who attend to lamps to have same pay for time so occupied as agents and operators who attend to that class of work, pay for Sunday work and a fortnight's holiday in the year on pay for watchmen who work over 12 hours a day. The rate of wages asked on the Pacific division are: per month, yard foremen $75, section foremen $65, bridge watchmen $60, track watchmen $55, switch tenders $50, with extra allowance for service over 12 hours per day. The day wages asked are: section men and extra gangs $1.75 per day, extra gang foremen $3.50, bridge foremen $4, and bridgemen $2.75 to $3 per day. There is nothing unreasonable about these proposals. The union also ask the same recognition as is accorded to other branches of the service. The company claims the right to form unions with other railway companies, and should be readily willing to accord to its employes the same privileges which it claims for itself.

We also wish to point this out. The company's stock is at 100, which is a good indication of the prosperity of its business, and the employes who have aided in creating the prosperity of the road reasonably enough consider they share in that prosperity. Besides, the company, like other railway companies, is paying dividends on largely watered stock—out of which millionaires have been created, and it is right that the employes should have as much consideration at the hands of the chief officials as the capitalists whose interests in the company have been created by fictitious capitalisation. The road was heavily bonused from the public purse, both by cash and land grants—worth, it is said $130,000,000. It has been bad state manship which neglected to maintain control of a road so heavily bonused in the hands of the government.

On the southern Pacific and Great Northern the section men in the west are mostly Japs. We want to see the Canadian railway maintained as a white labor institution, and that can best be done until such times as parliament takes action by a strong, loyal, consolidated union of the trackmen. We are with the cause of the men heart and soul in this fight. A body of men who will act in the just way to the company that these men have exhibited, and who have shown themselves so loyal to each other in this strike, is too valuable for any railway company to lose, because the company may depend that the same loyalty which the men have exhibited to each other in this battle will be exhibited towards the interests of the company.

It would then come as an act of grace from, as well as of self-interest to, the company, to meet the wishes of the men in a fair and equitable spirit. Such action on the part of the company would be appreciated by the public, on whose goodwill a company in the position of the C. P. R. must largely rely for its success and prosperity. Ill treatment of the strikers would assuredly recoil on the company, and the public would demand through their representatives in parliament a reversion of the liberal policy which has hitherto been pursued towards the C. P. R.

It is true there appear to have been two or three attempted breaches of the peace, but amongst such a large body of men, comprising a large foreign element, that is only to be expected. The wonder is that these breaches have been so few, whereas the appointment and parading of special police where neither required nor justified, was likely to give great provocation. Nor is the company itself quite innocent, if all reports are true as to its importation of foreign labor. If the men were to break the law and attempt to destroy the company's property they would be punished, and rightly so. If the company break the law they too must be prosecuted with the utmost vigor. This is a fight in which the public take great interest, and in which they are determined to see fair play. Meantime we wish the strikers success in the just cause which they have at heart, and which they are supporting by manly, and exemplary conduct, which we urge them to continue.

INSPECTION OF METALLIFEROUS MINES

INSPECTORS' DISTRICTS.

THE Inspectors of Metalliferous Mines are hereby assigned the following as their respective Inspection Districts with headquarters as noted. Such assignment to take place from June 15th, 1901, until further notice:

ARCHIBALD DICK, Inspector.
Headquarters, Cranbrook, office of Deputy Mining Recorder.

Inspection District shall comprise all of East Kootenay and also Goat River Mining Division of West Kootenay.

In addition to the duties of Inspector of Metalliferous Mines, Mr. Dick will also act as Inspector of Coal Mines within the same District.

JAMES MCGREGOR, Inspector.
Headquarters, Office of Mining Recorder, Nelson.

Inspection District shall comprise all of West Kootenay except Goat River Mining Division, and also the Grand Forks and Kettle River Mining Divisions of Yale District.

THOMAS MORGAN, Inspector.
Headquarters, Government Buildings, Nanaimo.

Inspection District, Vancouver Island and Coast District.

Mr. Morgan is also Inspector of Coal Mines for this District.

Notice is hereby given of such Inspection Districts and that in accordance with the "Inspection of Metalliferous Mines Act, 1897," and Amending Acts, notice of accidents to employees happening within any of such Districts must be promptly reported both to the Inspector of such District and also to the Minister of Mines, Victoria.

In mines not included in the above Districts managers will report, in duplicate, to the Minister of Mines direct, who, if he considers it necessary, will assign an Inspector to specially report.

Blank forms upon which to make reports of such accidents may be obtained from the Inspector of the District, from the Mining Recorder, or upon application to this office.

RICHARD McBRIDE,
Minister of Mines.

Department of Mines,
5th June, 1901. 120-2

NOTICE.

NOTICE TO PREEMPTORS OF CROWN LANDS.

THE attention of Preemptors of Crown lands is hereby called to an amendment to the "Land Act," passed at the last session of the Legislature, which provides as follows, viz.:—

"69. Preemptors of Crown lands, whether in arrears in payment of instalments of purchase money or not, who at the time of coming into force of this Act have obtained Certificates of Improvement, or who shall have obtained Certificates of Improvement within twelve months thereafter, shall on conforming with the provisions of the "Land Act," except as hereby altered, be entitled to obtain Crown grants of their preemption claims upon completing payments of purchase money at the rate of seventy-five cents per acre, and Crown grant fees, which payments may be made as follows:

"Twenty-five cents per acre on or before the 31st day of December, 1901;
"Twenty-five cents per acre on or before the 30th day of June, 1902;
"and the remaining
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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 1st June, 1901. 111 8

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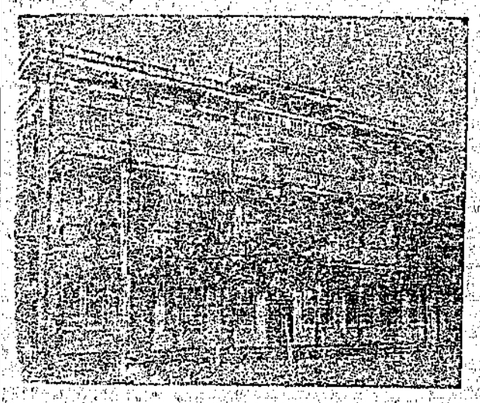

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Kaslo, B.C., May 31st, 1901. 6-tf

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THE CITY COUNCIL

Special Meeting.—Quarantine Bills Total $3,300.

A special meeting of the city council was held Wednesday evening. Present: The Mayor and Ald. McCarty, McLeod, Abrahamson, Nettle.

The city clerk stated he had made up the accounts in connection with the recent smallpox quarantine and these amounted to $3,300.

A letter was read from T. Taylor, M. P. P., stating he had represented to the government the desirability of assisting the city council in meeting this expenditure and ministers were disposed to make a grant of $1,500.

A letter was read from the Dominion government declining to assist and referring the council to the provincial government.

The council passed a by-law to borrow $3000 from Molson's Bank to meet the exceptional expenditure and then adjourned.

TROUT LAKE

Celebration of Dominion Day.

Dominion Day was fitly celebrated at Trout Lake by a sports gathering, which was most successful, and was followed by a well-attended ball in the evening. The chief event of the sports was the horse racing. There was $352 raised for distribution in prizes and the sports were carried out with great credit to the committee. The following were the results:—

Rifle shoot, 100 yds.—G. Hambly, F. Dandell.

Boat race, single scull, half mile—H. Needham, M. Mathison.

100-Yard dash—C. R. McDonald, R. Higginson.

220-Yard dash—E. A. Bell, R. Higginson.

Boys race—George Haner, Alex. McPherson.

Girls Race—Grace McPherson, Mabel Burrell.

Prospectors race, 50 lb. pack—G. Hambly, A. M. Oliver.

Standing broad jump—C. R. MacDonald, 9 ft., S. F. W. Gainer, 8 ft. 11 in.

Running broad jump—S. F. W. Gainer, 16 ft.; E. A. Bell, 15 ft. 3 in.

Running hop, step and jump—E. A. Bell, 37 ft. 7½ in.; E. Bloomfield, 36 ft. 9¼ in.

Running high jump—E. A. Bell, S. F. W. Gainer.

Pole vault—J. H. Currie, G. Hambly.

Obstacle race—A. Oliver, E. A. Bell.

Putting shot—J. Black, 32 ft. 2 in.; D. Dunbar, 31 ft. 6 in.

Tossing caber—D. Dunbar, J. H. Currie.

Hook and ladder contest, run 100 yards and raise ladders to ridge of two storey building, was won by J. Smith's team in 33 seconds.

Pony race—A. M. Craig's Rosa Lee; E. Hillman's Queenie.

Horse race—C. Hillman's Butterfly; E. A. Bell's Kamloops.

Free for all—A. M. Craig's Rosa Lee; E. A. Bell's Cyclone.

Packers contest—Benton and Daney, 1 min. 10 sec.; Cummins and Craig, 1 min. 50 sec.

Tug of war, married vs. single, was won by the former.

Challenge boat race between H. Needham and J. T. Lauthers, was won by Needham with half a length.

The Kelly Merry Makers.

This company is billed to appear in the opera house on Saturday, July 20th. They are from New York and are to play an engagement of four days in Calgary during the exhibition there. On their way to the coast they will play the larger towns in the Kootenay. To judge from the press notices they appear to be very clever vaudeville artists who give an entertainment of more than usual merit. The Grand Forks, N.D., Herald says: "The Kelly Merry Makers played in the opera house last evening to a large and appreciative audience. They fully sustained their enviable reputation, their performance being clean, bright and clever, while nothing is said or done to which any objection can be taken by the most fastidious moralist. From the rise to the fall of the curtain they were greeted with round after round of applause, and those who were so unfortunate as to be absent missed the treat of their lives." The plan of the hall is at the store of the Canada Drug and Book Co. where seats may be secured.

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Reid & Young—Ferguson, Thomson's Landing, Halcyon, Arrowhead, Rogers Pass.

W. M. Lawrence—Craigellachie, Smith Creek, Ferguson, Illecillewaet, Salmon Arm.

Enterprise Brewery—Trout Lake, Ferguson, Comaplix, Thomsons Landing, Camborne, Nakusp, Illecillewaet.

C. B. Hume & Co.—Sicamous, Rogers Pass, Camborne, Clanwilliam, Craigellachie, Comaplix, Arrowhead, Thomson's Landing, Trout Lake, Ferguson, Field, Ottertail, Beaver.

ROD AND GUN.

Revelstoke Gun Club.

A handicap shoot was held on the club grounds, July 1st. The conditions were 25 birds unknown angles. The 1st prize, highest individual score, a silver setter dog, purchased from J. Guy Barber's store; 2nd prize, lowest score, leather medal. H. A. Brown won the trophy. The following were the scores, A. J. McDonnell making especially fine shootings:

	Handicap.	Score.
H. A. Brown	16 yds.	20
A. McDonnell	20	15
E. Paget	11	14
R. A. Upper	17	13
A. McRae	18	12
Capt. Taylor	15	12
J. Guy Barber	20	11
C. R. Skene	16	10
A. E. Phipps	13	9
E. Ker	11	7

Messrs. Morris, Holten and McRae obtained fair baskets on the Jordan last week, but the river was too high for good fishing. Several nice baskets are reported as having been obtained on the Illecillewaet.

The Eagle states the men working on the Nettie L. road have quit work, refusing the government scale of wages, $2.50 a day, and they demand $3. It is now probable the work will be let by contract.

NOTICE.

"INSPECTION OF METALLIFEROUS MINES ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1901."

NOTICE is hereby given that copies of the Code of Mine Signals provided by the above Act, which comes into force on the 1st prox., can be obtained from the King's Printer, Victoria.

Copies on paper will be furnished free, but a charge of fifty cents will be made for those on rubber cloth.

RICHARD McBRIDE,
Minister of Mines.

Department of Mines,
27th June, 1901.

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To any of our present subscribers we offer the Family Herald and Weekly Star until January 1st, 1902, including the two pictures, for the small sum of 50 cents.

MINING NOTES

Prospectors and mine-owners are invited to contribute to the KOOTENAY MAIL information of a reliable character regarding their properties, describing surface showings, development work and results attending it, assays, and new discoveries. The editor desires to make the MAIL a means of furnishing to investors reliable information concerning the progress and development of the mineral resources of North Kootenay.

The Cariboo company will add 40 stamps to its mill.

The mineral tax in Montana is 3 per cent on the net profit on the ore mined.

Owing to the strike at the Northport smelter the Le Roi has discharged 300 men.

The Cariboo Hydraulic has turned out a $200,000 gold brick as a result of its clean-up.

I. T. Brewster started work on Tuesday on the Carnes Creek Company's property.

There is great excitement at Creston over the discovery of rich free milling quartz there.

It is reported that high water at Smith Creek has carried away 800 feet of fluming on H. Howard's claim.

The Le Roi No. 2 has paid a dividend of $144,000, equivalent to about 5 per cent. on the company's capital.

The Ironsides and Knob Hill mines are now connected underground by a tunnel of 2,500 feet, which is all in ore.

F. McCarty intends starting work immediately on his Smith Creek placer claim and will put from 8 to 10 men on.

At the request of the smelter trust the Coeur D'Alaine miners have arranged to curtail their output of silver-lead ores.

A McGregor this week visited claims in which he is interested on Laforme Creek and reports 6 feet of snow still there.

Rumor has it that the Slocan mine owners have combined to control the lead output with selling agencies in London and New York.

We hear on good authority that the Canadian Smelting Works will establish their lead refinery at Nelson instead of at the smelter at Trail.

W. White, of Dawson, by his attorney J. D. Sibbald, has disposed of his interest in the Ophir placer claim to H. N. Caesar and A. W. Barlow for $1,250.

Judge Miller reports that he was successful in his mission to the east to obtain capital to operate the Old Gold, Primrose, and Guinea properties in the Lardeau.

There is every prospect of a substantial rise in the price of silver. It is stated the American Smelter Trust, in view of this, is offering contracts for three years at 65 cents an ounce.

The directors of the Prince Mining and Development Co. have determined to get out a carload of ore for shipment this season. We congratulate the directors on their enterprise. That is the way to demonstrate practically the prospective value of a property.

Certificates of work were issued last month to the following: Louis Guero for Comstock, C. McDowell for Lawrence, Bobbie Burns and Highland Mary, E. McBean for Annie M. and Ninety-eight, J. M. Scott for Standard, H. P. Smith, C. J. Rumens and W. H. Wilcox for Carbonate Chief.

The mine-owners association met at Nelson last week to discuss the difficulty of marketing ores but the result of the meeting has not been made public. It is stated that two propositions were put forward—one to establish smelters and the other to form a committee to control the output.

The strike made by A. W. McIntosh, on the claim on Keystone Mountain in which he is interested with Messrs. Woodrow and J. McMahon, is said to be one of the best ever made in that section. There is now exposed 6 feet of solid ore, consisting of arsenical iron carrying high values in gold, with galena interspersed through the vein.

Dr. Ledoux, of the well known ore purchasing firm of the same name of New York, says of B. C. copper that it is a very desirable article, as it is free from arsenic, whereas the copper matte produced everywhere, as in Butte, for instance, carries a percentage of arsenic which has to be carefully refined out of the matte. He remarks: "British Columbia has an advantage in this respect that will make it sought after, no matter what quantity is produced."

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BORN.

LAW—On June 29th, the wife of W. J. Law, of a son.

GARVEY—On June 30th, the wife of F. P. Garvey, of a daughter.

SUTHERLAND—On July 2nd, the wife of J. P. Sutherland, of a daughter.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

Dr. Burgess, dentist, Brown Block.

FOR SALE—A theodolite by Gurley, apply to R. H. Mayne, Revelstoke.

W. Fleming intends establishing a new livery stable on McKenzie avenue.

New potatoes and early garden produce at R. Tapping's.

The results of the census will not be made known for two months.

Children's garden tools and watering cans at the Canada Drug & Book Co's.

R. Tapping reports that cut worms are likely to be troublesome in gardens again this season.

Gramaphones, very latest style, nothing to wear out, and only $15, at the Canada Drug & Book Co's.

Mayor Carlson, contractor for the Lardeau line, has 350 men at work and wants to increase the force to 1000.

Don't forget the strawberry social at the Salvation Army barracks on Saturday, July 6th. Proceeds for the benefit of the local corps.

The Provincial Legislature will be called together in September to welcome the Duke of York and deal with proposed railway contracts.

H. Ross, Dominion surveyor, arrived on Wednesday morning and will survey all unsurveyed Dominion lands adjacent to the city of Revelstoke.

Morris Smith and R. Higginson have been awarded the contract for clearing 25 acres of the Selkirk townsite at the foot of Trout Lake for the C. P. R.

Excellent progress is being made with the construction of the Big Bend road through the big slide at the canyon under the foremanship of Mr. H. Donnelly.

The C. P. R. land office opened at Nelson in charge of A. Taylor, son of the chief justice of Manitoba, will have charge of all the company's lands in this province.

On Saturday a young man named Gorman was charged before J. P. Sibbald, P. M., with stealing $52 from one Lade, and was sentenced to a year's imprisonment.

We have to thank the auctioneer, Joshua Davies, for a plan of the government townsite of Tulameen, in the Similkameen district, to be sold by him on Wednesday, July 17th.

Carbolic tooth wash and powder is an excellent preservative for the teeth and hardener for the gums. The Canada Drug & Book Co. have a beautiful line of both of these.

The election of school trustee for the city resulted in the return of T. J. Graham by acclamation. Mr. Graham has rendered excellent service to the cause of education in Revelstoke since his original appointment to the board of trustees.

Intimation has been received that the Dominion government have confirmed the grants of water rights to the Revelstoke Water Light and Power Company so that the title is now complete for handing over to the city.

At the meeting of the city council on Friday night the only business done was to instruct Dr. McLean to fumigate the city property at the suspect station, and destroy what he deemed necessary to protect against infection. The council determined to pay the accounts of the men who had done the work on the City Hotel and deduct from Messrs. Caley's claims. Ald. McLeod was appointed a member of the court of revision and appeal.

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GRIP AND PASSWORD.

L. O. L.

The Sentinel considers the Orange demonstration at Vancouver will probably be the largest on record for any similar celebration in the Province.

K. OF P.

The installation ceremony is postponed till Wednesday next.

I. O. O. F.

Bro. P. S. Wilson of Revelstoke, attended the installation banquet held at Trout Lake on Tuesday in connection with the Oddfellows Lodge and pronounces it a big feast affair.

The installation of officers of Revelstoke lodge, was held last night when the following were installed: R. S. Wilson, N. G.; E. Waterson, R. S.; J. A. Stone, P. S.; J. I. Woodrow, Treas.

Bros. Mollison and McLean went through the third degree.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES

Sawyer Bros., of the Revelstoke Sash and Door Factory, have shipped this week considerable building material for Ferguson.

The Pittsburg people who have gone up to the Big Bend to see their timber limits say that if they build a mill at Revelstoke it will have a capacity of not less than 200,000 feet per day, and will be amongst the largest sawmills in the province.

D. M. STRACHAN

Funeral Held On Wednesday.

D. M. Strachan who was injured by falling over the railing at the C. P. R. station, died on Saturday night at the Oriental Hotel as the result of injuries sustained to his spine by the fall.

Deceased formerly held a responsible position at the Anthracite mines. He had made Revelstoke his headquarters for the past seven or eight years, working as a carpenter and bridgeman. Deceased was a member of the Masons and Orangemen and the local lodge of Masons took in hand the conduct of the interment which was held on Wednesday, the Masons and Orangemen marching in procession to the strains of the band followed by a large body of mourners, including many of the fellow workmen of deceased. At the cemetery W. M. Bro. Fraser read the Masonic burial service and Rev. W. C. Calder for the Orangemen.

Bishop Strachan, of Toronto, is reported to be a cousin of deceased.

CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

On Sunday evening Rev. W. A. Walker will preach a special sermon when the members of L. O. L. No. 1658, will parade to the church and attend the service.

The Willing Workers wish to extend their thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who worked so hard to make the entertainment on July 1st such a grand success.

The annual Sunday school picnic will be held on Monday at the recreation grounds.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church wish to thank the members of the band for their kind services rendered sunday on the evening of June 27th.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

A picnic in connection with the Sunday school will be held tomorrow at the Illecillewaet or the canyon. The children will assemble at the church at one o'clock, weather permitting. The attendance at the Sunday School has shown a steady increase of late. A capital library has been provided and additional new books are expected this week.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Goldie returned last night from Nelson.

L. Didisheim, M.E., went out to the Silver Cup to-day.

Mrs. Porter and Miss Canon returned yesterday from Wolseley.

Gold Commissioner Fauquier visited Fire Valley this week.

F. Fraser visited Trout Lake Saturday, returning Monday.

J. Dunn came in from Big Bend on Wednesday, returning today.

General Superintendent Marpole was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Misses Shepard and Bell spent Dominion Day at Arrowhead and Nakusp.

Miss Annie Berger, of Illecillewaet, is visiting friends in the city this week.

Mr. Sullivan, headmaster of the city schools, left on No. 2 on Tuesday for his holidays.

F. C. Gamble, provincial engineer, arrived this morning and will inspect the Big Bend road.

J. T. Brewster, manager for the Camp's Creek Consolidated, left for the company's mines on Monday.

Captain Hughes, Messrs. Bradley, Sands, and H. Howard, left for Smith creek on Wednesday.

A. N. Smith accompanied Principal Sullivan on his trip east, Mr. Smith going for the benefit of his health.

R. M. Smythe was laid up on Wednesday and Thursday as the result of injuries sustained at the football match at Golden.

Messrs. G. S. McCarter, and McBeth, manager of Molsons Bank, took in the Trout Lake sports and visited Ferguson and the Nettie L. mine this week.

On Friday the members of the Epworth League were invited to spend the evening at the Methodist Parsonage and report having had a most enjoyable time.

On Dominion Day a successful picnic in connection with the Methodist Sunday school was held at the recreation ground. Baseball, football, and other games were indulged in, and refreshments were liberally supplied by the ladies.

WILLING WORKERS.

On Monday evening the Willing Workers of the Presbyterian church held a very successful sale of work at the Selkirk Hall followed by an entertainment in the evening. Mr. McLaughlin occupied the chair, and the following programme was presented to an audience which filled the hall to its utmost capacity, the various items being creditably rendered: Drill, by Miss Edgar's pupils, with Canadian anthem song, Mr. Sullivan; recitation, B. Lawson; song, Miss Turnbull; recitation, Miss Norma McNab; song, Mrs. Lawrence; club swinging, Miss Flo Palmer; song, Mrs. Dent; dialogue, Clifford Urquhart and Miss Emily Bruce; reading, W. M. Lawrence; song, Miss Fee; recitation, Miss Edna Bruce; duet in character, Misses Bessie Lawson and Norma McNab; recitation, Miss Bessie Lawson. Mrs. Geo. Clarke and Miss Spencer presided at the piano.

Refreshments were served at the close of the programme, and then an active sale of work commenced at the hands of B. Lawson, as auctioneer.

The ladies who so successfully organised and carried out the arrangements were Mesdames Palmer, Doyle, Urquhart and J. Lawson, assisted by Misses Turnbull, Lewis, Palmer, Bessie Lawson, Norma McNab and Calder.

The proceeds amounted to $151.00.

CATHOLIC CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather a large gathering assembled at the Opera House on Wednesday evening on the occasion of a sale and entertainment in aid of a fund to paint the Catholic Church in the city, and fence in the grounds. The following ladies presided at the tables: Mrs. Hutchison at the flower table which was very creditably arranged; Miss Emma Levesque, at the candy table; Miss Helen Levesque at the fish pond, and Messrs. Baker and Hobson in charge of the voting competition for the most popular bachelor. Messrs. J. Robinson, Netherton, McCarty, Brown, Hobson and Levesque formed the refreshment committee.

The band was in attendance and rendered several selections. Fred Fraser made a capital chairman at the entertainment, which consisted of the following items: Piano solo by Miss Garvin, Jessie; song by Miss Shepherd, encored; recitation, Miss Edgar; song, Mrs. Lawrence. Then followed a cleverly executed dance in Japanese character from the play of "Wang" by the following who brought down the house, and were heartily encored: Adele, Emma, and Josephine Levesque, Lulu Patrick, Mary Edwards, Eleanor Paget, Pearl Robinson, Eleanor Bell, and H. Doane. Mr. Wilks acted the part of Wang. The dancers were trained by Mrs. Wilks.

The voting for the most popular bachelor was a source of much amusement, T. Kilpatrick and J. Guy Barber being announced as a tie, whereon a second competition took place resulting in the selection of Mr. Kilpatrick, whose reward is a box of cigars made by the Enterprise Cigar Company.

VAN HORNE KING WEDDING.

A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. C. R. King, 21 Queens avenue, Victoria, last week, the contracting parties being his daughter, Miss Lillian Beatrice King and Mr. Berton Van Horne of the C. P. R. at Revelstoke. The appearance of the bride and her father was the signal for Mendelssohn's Wedding March, the piano responding to the skillful touch of Prof. Fletcher. The bride looked charming in white satin surah, with veil, orange blossoms and shower bouquet. The bridesmaid, Miss Pauline Van Horne, sister of the groom, was tastefully attired in white organdie. The groom was assisted by Mr. R. Bertram King, Rev. Mr. Vichert tying the nuptial knot. The rooms were profusely decorated with flowers, the ceremony being performed under a floral bell. The bride was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne left the city on the Vancouver boat, the bride's travelling costume being of cocoa brown cheviot cloth. After a short trip east they will return to Revelstoke, where they will reside.—Colonist.

The Revelstoke Hospital Society

Annual General Meeting.

THE first annual general meeting of the Revelstoke Hospital Society will be held at the Fire Hall, Second Street, Revelstoke on Monday the 5th August, 1901, at the hour of eight p. m. for the purpose of electing Trustees for the ensuing year and general business.

All persons who have subscribed $3.00 or upwards towards the funds of the Society are entitled to be present and vote on all matters brought before the meeting and all such are invited to be present.

B. E. ATKINS,
Secretary.

Revelstoke, B. C.,
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This excursion will be taken advantage of by the majority of the citizens of Revelstoke and the surrounding country, many of whom have never had a chance to visit the Metropolis of the North Pacific. Ample time will be given to visit outside points. Those not wishing to leave Revelstoke on the 10th may go on the 11th and then arrive at Vancouver in time to view the Grand Parade—5,000 Orangemen expected in line.
All B. C. lodges west of Revelstoke will be in attendance as well as lodges from the States of Oregon and Washington and possibly California. The Duke of Connaught's Own Military Band is engaged for the day as well as others from outside points.
A first class programme of sports including Lacrosse, Base Ball, etc., is being arranged at Brockton Point, Stanley Park.
The Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, Sovereign Grand Master, E. F. Clark, M. P., and Wm. Johnston, of Pally Kilbey, Ireland, are among the prominent speakers of the day.
Come all and enjoy yourselves. For further information see large posters.
Parties intending to take advantage of the excursion rate should leave their names at THE MAIL office or with the secretary of the L. O. L., so that an estimate of the number who will avail themselves of this opportunity to visit the coast can be arrived at.
Thos. Stead, W.M. W. G. Birney, Sec. L. O. L. No. 1658.