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MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION.

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THE HOSPITAL.

Contract Let for Main Building.

The hospital committee on Tuesday let a contract to Messrs. Foote and Abrahamson for the superstructure of the Queen Victoria Cottage Hospital at Revelstoke for the sum of $6,885.

Contractor Fromey has the masonry on the basement completed. Mr. Dalton, the architect, examined the masonry work on Tuesday and complimented Mr. Fromey most highly on the way in which he had carried it out, remarking that no better work could be done in the province. The architect also states that the stone used is much superior to the building stone generally used in Vancouver.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The ladies of Revelstoke will be pleased to know that Madame Mackenzie is in town to give lessons in embroidery, pointe lace and other kinds of fancy work. She is holding classes at Taylor & George's store.

Al. Stewart, of the Enterprise Cigar Company, has been making a successful business trip trough the Bardeau and Lake points.

Morris & Steed have just shipped a large quantity of supplies into the Big Bend.

THOMPSON'S LANDING

Thompson's Landing indicates probability of considerable activity at the Silver Cup this winter. There are great piles of ore sacks and air pipes now awaiting shipment to the mine.

S. J. Graham, who is interested in the Cromwell and other Trout Lake properties, returned on Sunday from Rossland where he has formed a small syndicate to do development work on these properties. Mr. Graham informs us they have three feet of ore on the Cromwell, which will run $90 in gold values, and it is proposed to ship 100 tons next season. It is intended to open up the Belle Vue property which is located on the Horne Payne road. Mr. Graham will probably make his headquarters at Thompson's Landing this winter.

CAMBORNE.

A post office for Camborne has now been arranged. A. A. Clark will be appointed postmaster. The post office will be opened as soon as the inspector makes the necessary arrangements. In order to facilitate matters Cory Menhinnick with his usual enterprise offered to carry the mails for $2.50 for the round trip.

WANTED—A young woman for domestic duties in private family. Good home. Apply to "A. B." Kootenay Mail.

FALL ASSIZES

Judge Irvine on the Bench.

Jury Fail to Agree in Sagala Case. ---Change of Venue Ordered.

The Fall assizes of the Supreme Court opened on Saturday morning before Judge Irvine. The following constituted the Grand Jury: J. M. Kellie, (foreman), W. M. Lawrence, W. J. Dickey, R. Howson, T. E. L. Taylor, J. I. Woodrow, F. B. Wells, J. Abrahamson, R. Tapping, C. J. Aman. H. J. Bourne was excused on tendering medical certificate, and R. Gordon and Robert Tapping were called, but failed to answer.

HIS LORDSHIP'S CHARGE.

His Lordship, in charging the grand jury, remarked he was glad to say the work before them was very light. There were only two cases, and these, though of a serious nature, were not so serious as they might be. The first charge was presented in three counts, the first that of a man shooting at his wife with intent to kill, secondly with committing assault, and third, with having a gun in his possession. The first two counts were the matters of importance. In this case the good woman was on the side of her husband, which was as it should be, and he suggested that Mrs. Barton's evidence would be sufficient.

The next case was against a man named Legassy, for displacing a switch on the C. P. R. at Illecillewaet with intent to endanger life. The evidence of detective Jones would probably be sufficient to justify the jury in finding a true bill in this case.

They might also make a report on any matter of public interest.

After a short retirement the grand jury returned a true bill in the case against Sagala, charged with shooting at his wife with intent to kill at Nakusp. No bill was returned in the charge against Legassy for displacing the switch at Illecillewaet.

THE NAKUSP CASE.

Deputy Attorney-General McLean prosecuted, and G. S. McCarter appeared for the defence in the case against Sagala. Police Inspector Bullock Webster was also in attendance.

The following jury was empannelled: G. E. Grogan (foreman), R. H. Ramsay, J. A. Smith, A. E. Kincaid, G. C. Lembke, M. A. Wilson, J. P. Sutherland, J. A. Stone, H. B. Stonex, R. M. Smythe, T. Steed, J. E. Wood.

Accused pleased not guilty.

Capt. Dougal gave evidence that he saw accused fire a shot at his wife, who was running up the hill. Two men came up to grapple with him and he again shot at one of the men. The revolver was taken from accused and handed to the constable. Sagala appeared to be sober.

Mrs. Barton, who was one of the best witnesses we have ever seen in the box, gave evidence in a clear and collected manner. She said she saw the wife of accused running away with a black pliable book in her hand. Accused followed her, and becoming angry returned to his house. Witness then ran for Capt. Dougal, when she heard a shot and a scream. She saw prisoner with a smoking revolver in his hand. Men rushed up to him, a scuffle ensued and another shot was fired. Did not think prisoner drunk.

S. Marrassak said prisoner gave him money to get four gallons of beer. They drank this and prisoner wished to go to the hotel and play cards, when his wife took the pocket-book with the money away so that prisoner should not be able to spend it. Saw prisoner with revolver, when his wife was running up hill, but he shot into the ground, not at his wife. Three men grabbed him to take the revolver from him when he fired it off a second time. Said to prisoner: "What the hell you want shoot your wife for?" Prisoner replied: "She steal my money." Prisoner was very drunk.

W. Symons and W. Scott, provincial constable, also gave evidence.

Mr. McCarter then opened the case for the prisoner, contending he had not shown any intention of shooting his wife. Prisoner was a thrifty man, as was shown by the fact that he had saved up $800 on his wages as section foreman. The case was one which should never have been sent for trial. Prisoner had been out prospecting, and had his revolver with him, and fired it into the ground, not in the direction of his wife.

Mrs. Sagala, gave evidence corroborative of Marrasak's statement of the occurrence and said her husband fired the revolver into a stump and not at her. They had lived together seven years and her husband had never made trouble before.

Prisoner said he fired the revolver "for fun" and denied having fired it at his wife.

Mr. McLean said this was an instance of those cases in which prevention was better than cure. He contended the charge had been proved.

Mr. McCarter addressed the court strongly on behalf of of the prisoner, contending that the witnesses for the Crown did not give consistent evidence, and that the weight of evidence was in favor of accused.

His Lordship said he disagreed with Mr. McCarter's criticism of the action of the committing magistrates, as he considered the case was one which was very properly sent for trial. This was one of those cases which led to murder, and the prisoner was fortunate that he did not stand charged with that offence. It was not creditable to the intelligence of the jury to ask them to believe the prisoner's story that he did the shooting at a stump "for fun." He should say right on his own evidence that the prisoner shot at his wife. It was open for the jury, however, to take a charitable view of the case and accept the second count—that of shooting at the wife with intent to do bodily harm. His Lordship pointed out the danger of weapons being carried about and concluded by saying it would be a decided failure of justice if they found accused not guilty on either of the first two counts and convicted him on the third.

After an hour's retirement the jury reported they could not agree on a verdict, the foreman explaining that part of the jury were of opinion the accused had not sufficient knowledge of the meaning of English words to correctly define what he meant by shooting "for fun."

His Lordship then ordered the jury to be discharged, and that there should be a change of venue for another hearing. He fixed the assizes at Kamloops on the 22nd as the place and date for fresh hearing. Bail was fixed, accused in $1000 and two sureties of $500 each to the satisfaction of Messrs. Gordon or Fraser, J.'s P.

BIG BEND ROAD

Is Likely to be Closed

It is stated that Judge Sproatt, as agent for the Farwell townsite, has required the closing of the Big Bend road over the railway crossing as now used on the ground that the road crosses the townsite lots. It is contended that First or Douglas Street crossing must be re-opened as the only legal crossing and that the Big Bend road should connect with that.

As the proper and permanent location of the Big Bend road connecting with the city is a most important public work, it is to be hoped the authorities will take steps to have the railway crossing and connecting piece of road permanently settled.

It seems that some time ago the city council provided a crossing at Douglas street and the C. P. R. dug it up. If the city council were right in placing the crossing there the company had no right to dig it up, but should provide a proper crossing. In any case the city should maintain its rights, when these are ascertained after full and careful inquiry.

FREE GOLD PROPERTIES

Of the Northwest Development Syndicate at Camborne.

During the short time that A. F. Rosenberger has conducted the Prospector's Exchange he has rendered most valuable services to the mining community by interesting capital in properties in various parts of this province and Idaho and Washington States. Brought up to the mining business, having spent some years in the active exploitation of mineral properties in various parts of the States, and possessing the elements of enterprise and the confidence of those who know him best, Mr. Rosenberger is making a successful mine promoter. He has no use for wildcats, and refuses to have anything to do with them. He considers that mining is as safe and legitimate a venture as any other, and is determined to make it so to the extent that is in his power. Last year Mr. Rosenberger became interested in Fish Creek. He visited the gold-bearing ledges near Camborne personally and became convinced that they possessed the elements of valuable mining properties. He then took up the Imperial and Eva groups which were subsequently turned over to the Northwestern Development Company, who have done such excellent work on the properties up to the time they were bonded to the London and B. C. Goldfields. This work left no doubt that the ore bodies at Camborne were not mere surface showings but that they carried gold values wherever developed and these values have been sufficient to justify the belief that there is every probability of Camborne having large and profitable goldmines at its door.

One hears all sorts of reports about mineral properties and there is no means of getting an estimate of the value of the property like that of personal inspection. Hence our visit.

THE CAMBORNE GROUP.

The first property visited by the writer was the Camborne group. Landing at Comaplix, a ride of eight miles brings the traveller to Camborne, but instead of turning off to the townsite he takes the trail following the right bank of Fish River and a further distance of two miles brings him to the Camborne group, one of the properties which the Northwestern development Company, promoted by Mr. Rosenberger, has taken in hand. Just before reaching Menhinnick Creek the trail leading to the property branches off to the left. The group is located on a ridge between Menhennick and Table Creeks. It extends from Fish creek about a mile and a half up the mountain, and comprises the following nine claims: Goldfinch, Morning Star, Centre Star, Evening Star, Red Fox, Ridge, Walrus, Seg, Lion and Bonanza, covering an area of 300 acres.

MINERAL VEINS.

There are six mineral veins on the property, and they are exposed at various points from the vicinity of the river and extending up the mountain. They appear to parallel each other. No. 1 vein is 10 ft. in width, No. 2 is 10 ft. wide, No. 3 is 25 ft. wide, No. 4 is 4 to 6 ft. wide, No. 5 is 10 ft. wide, and No. 6 is 10 to 12 ft. wide. Nos. 1 to 3 are really one vein system, constituting with the mineralized schists separating the veins a zone of one hundred feet in width. A sampling over the whole of No. 1 vein gave an assay of $1.80 in gold. 4 samplings of No. 2 gave the following assays:—$23.20, $28.80, $20.00, and $10.00, or an average of $26.00.

Four samplings of No. 3 vein gave $8.40, $15.30, $23.60 and $9.00 respectively, the samplings being from different cuts. Assays from No. 4 gave $6.40 and on a stringer from No. 1 $128.00.

These are fair average assays of the leads so far exposed, but rich samples can be found, such samples having given respectively $255.20, $356.80, and $5,013.20.

The quartz shows free gold visible to the naked eye, and even what appears to be barren quartz gives good pannings of gold. The principal work has been done on the Goldfinch claim, which is the upper claim of the group, and consists of open cuts across the entire width of the zone covering No. 1 to 3 veins. On No. 3 vein on this cut a shaft is being sunk and tunnel driven on No. 2. Three hundred feet below this work a tunnel is being driven on No. 1 vein and will be extended to crosscut the main ore body.

At a point 500 ft. below it is proposed to drive a tunnel to drain the upper workings and develop the veins at depth.

On the Morning Star claim which is near Fish River a tunnel will be begun, which if extended to a mile in length would develop the ore body 1,800 feet below the upper workings.

The property is most conveniently located, being covered with timber suitable for mining purposes, is convenient to transportation, and has ample water power available for running a large stamp mill. For power purposes a water right of 50 inches has been secured on Menhinnick Creek, and as this creek has its source in a glacier there is no doubt about the permanence of the supply and cheap cost at which power can be obtained for operating the property in the event of the development work proving it to make a mine.

OYSTER GROUP.

The Oyster group is another of the properties which the Northwestern Development Company have under bond. It is situated on Lexington mountain, adjoining the Imperial and Eva groups, and within two miles of Camborne. Crossing Pool Creek a zigzag trail winds up the mountain side.

A good deal of development work has been done. The property consists of six claims named the Goldfinch, Oyster, Criterion, Mascot, Triangle and Criterion Fractions. Like the Camborne group this property is remarkably convenient for location, being in the midst of forest, with ample water power available from either Fish River or Pool Creek.

The Criterion claim is the first one reached and close to the trail the principal development work is being done at an elevation of about 3,100 feet above sea level. The vein here is fifteen feet in width as exposed by an open cut, has a strike of N. 83 W. and a northerly dip of 55. The work here is known as No. 9 cut and is 30 ft. in length, while a shaft has been sunk 20 feet. The quartz in the hanging wall here assayed $39.60 and that on the footwall $1.89. The schist is mineralised as well as the quartz. Free gold was plainly visible to the naked eye, both in the vein in place and in the quartz on the dump.

Assays from the shaft gave an average value of $15. Like the quartz on the Camborne group, apparently barren quartz could be taken, pounded in the mortar, and would give good gold prospects. In addition to free gold the quartz carries crystals of galena, blende and iron sulphurets. There is at least 50 tons of ore on the dump and some is being sacked for a mill test. The vein on the Criterion is a continuation of that exposed on the Rossland claim of the Imperial group.

Other work on the vein here is as follows:—No. 8 cut 10 feet in length gave assays of $22.40; No. 7 cut 25 feet long gave assays of $17.00; No. 6 cut is 20 ft. long; No. 5 is 37 feet; No. 4 cut is 12 feet long. Samples from these cuts gave assays of $17.00, $22.40, and $8.40.

In No. 4 cut a cross vein is exposed showing a foot of solid galena carrying good values with iron and copper sulphurets. The ore assays gold $25.20 silver, $31.20, lead, 28.2 per cent. This vein has a strike of N. 56 E. and appears to be widening with depth. No. 3 cut is 20 ft. and a shaft is being sunk on the vein at this point. It is now down about 15 feet. This work shows that the galena is going out and gold values coming in with depth. The shaft here will be sunk 30 feet. No. 2 cut is 20 feet.

This brings us to the lower boundary of the property between Rossland claim of the Imperial group and the Oyster group, and a scheme is under consideration to run a cross-cut tunnel at the joint expense of the Imperial Development Company and the Northwest Syndicate to develop the ore-bodies at this level, each company thence drifting along the ore-body on its own ground. On the Rossland claim adjoining the Criterion, the vein has been proved to be six feet in width and readily shows free gold. This vein has been exposed for a length of 500 feet and is from 4 feet to 17 feet in width.

Climbing the mountain side for about 500 feet we come to the development work being done on the Oyster claim of the group, the work in hand thus proving the ore-body to that extent. Here a crosscut tunnel has been run for 15 feet and the vein drifted on for 20 feet. No. 1 cut shows an ore-body 17½ feet in width. This is the third

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Examination of and reports on Mineral Properties a Specialty.

The Kootenay Mail

FRIDAY, OCT. 18, 1901.

THE courthouse at Revelstoke is very much behind the times in that no accommodation is provided for the representatives of the press. We hope Registrar Fraser will take steps to have this matter remedied before next sitting of the Court.

ALTHOUGH the government have determined to hold office till the house meets that does not do away with the possibility of a provincial election at an early date. We have therefore to urge on those entitled to vote, the necessity of having their names placed on the voters lists.

IT WOULD be well if the citizens were to take a greater interest in improving the social condition of the city and so make it attractive to visitors. The gentlemen who have organized the quadrille club for the winter months took the matter in hand with this object, and there are other schemes which could be devised with much benefit. A reading room and library is urgently required as another step in this direction. The owners of the skating rink will no doubt do their share towards providing winter attractions.

THE KOOTENAY MAIL is the only paper published in North Kootenay considered worthy of mention by the American Newspaper Directory published by George P. Rowell & Company, of New York, and which is the recognized guide the world over to the best advertising mediums in Canada and the States.

A PIECE of work that should be provided for during the coming session of the legislature is a road to connect the Trout Lake road with Galena Bay. There are several ranches at the bay and such a road would afford an excellent outlet for their produce, which could easily be marketed at Trout Lake and Ferguson. The Horne Payne people completed the road all except half a mile, and this is now what the government are asked to do—not very much, but a work that will be a great benefit to the settlers.

KILLING LOCAL INDUSTRIES.

The action of the capitalists interested in Big Bend timber limits in going to Northport with their sawmill, mainly for freight reasons, draws attention to the excessive railway tariff levied by the C. P. R. on lumber. The Fred Robinson Lumber Company drew the attention of the freight commissioner, when he was through the province recently, to this question, but got little satisfaction, which looks very much as if the freight commission is a fraud. When owners of valuable raw material are forced to manufacture across the American boundary on account of freight rates it is time the government took a hand in investigating the matter thoroughly, for it is most unfair to districts such as Revelstoke that they should lose important industries properly belonging to them, simply because the railway has a monopoly of the freight rates. Railway freight rates are a matter of public concern, and sooner or later must be subject to government control.

EXPORT TARIFF ON LOGS.

The news which we publish in another column regarding the proposed export of logs from the Bend, deserves the serious attention of the Provincial and Dominion governments. It has rightly been a part of the public policy to have the timber cut on this side the boundary manufactured in Canada, but now a firm comes on the scene who contends that, because they own the freehold of the Big Bend limits, they can export their logs to the United States free of duty. We don't believe that is the law and hope it is not so. This is a case in which the respective governments should be thoroughly alive and should see to it that this country is not a mere feeding ground for the States, but that the tariff shall be so regulated that our raw products shall be manufactured on Canadian soil, and that Canadians shall have the benefit of the wealth of their own country. The big industry which it is proposed to establish should have been located at some point near Revelstoke, if not on the Columbia River, then at least on the Arrow Lakes, instead of at Northport.

Tot Causes Night Alarm.

"One night my brother's baby was taken with Croup," writes Mrs. J. C. Snider, of Crittenden, Ky., "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cured me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve." Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung trouble. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottles free at the Canada Drug & Book Store.

BIG BEND.

Its Day Has Again Come

Will Be the Scene of Extensive Lumbering Operations.

Within the past few weeks extensive developments, looking to the utilization of the lumber resources of the Big Bend, have been developing and have now reached a definite stage.

Eastern capitalists have purchased the sawmill across the lake from Arrowhead and intend moving the plant to the bay between Whiskey Point and Arrowhead. The plant will be considerably added to and it is expected that the mill will be in operation by next Spring. The site is an excellent one for a sawmill as the spur of the C. P. R. runs nearly to the proposed location.

The logs for the mill will come from the Big Bend, where the promoters of the new enterprise have purchased 15,000 acres from the Pittsburg people who own the extensive limits there.

Mr. J. W. Taylor, who represents the promoters, is now at Arrowhead awaiting the arrival of one or two of the principals to make preliminary arrangements for starting operations.

Simultaneously with the promotion of this enterprise is the fact that the Pittsburg owners of the Big Bend limits have made a deal whereby an immense sawmill with a capacity of a quarter million feet of lumber a day is about to be erected at Northport, and it is intended to float the logs down the Columbia river to Arrow lake. A sorting boom will be established at the point where the river enters the lake, and logs will be sorted from there to the new mill at Arrowhead and also for the Northport mill.

When the representatives of these capitalists were here this year they told us they proposed building their mill at Revelstoke, but it seems that the Great Northern have given them such specially favorable rates on their lumber that they consider it would be to their advantage to use the American railways in preference to the C. P. R., and hence the change in site.

These two enterprises will necessitate the establishment of very large logging camps in the Big Bend, so that just as navigation is about to be established, the country is entering on the period when it will be actively opened up, and will become a hive of industry rivalling that of the days when the placer fields brought to that section a population of between 7,000 and 8,000 souls.

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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 lower tunnel of the Ruth lead shows 8 ft. of ore.

The Enterprise is working on a twelve foot vein.

English advices indicate an advance in the lead market.

Seven feet of galena has been struck on the Aurora claim at Moyie.

The capacity of the Trail smelter will be increased to 1400 tons a day.

The Silver Cup will ship 200 tons of ore this season and more if possible.

J. W. Westfall has bonded the Pedro on Canyon Creek, and has bought the Lucky Boy.

The Boundary district has shipped so far 272,000 tons of ore this year; Rossland figures 227,000 tons.

The Imperial Development Co. have made the second payment of $10,000 under their bond on the Eva.

Great excitement has been caused at Texada Island by the discovery of 100 pounds of quartz which carried $3,000 in gold.

The London and B. C. Goldfields Co. spent $15,000 on the Evagroup at Camborne during the time they had it under bond.

Sir Christopher Furnise, of London, Eng, will investigate the mineral resources of this province on his present visit to Canada.

H. Martin, of Rossland, who has for several years been foreman of the Iron Mask mine, has been appointed foreman of the Silver Cup.

An immense gold discovery is reported from Arizona where an ore body 200 feet wide and exposed for 6,000 ft assays from $5,000 to $10,000 in gold.

Raymond Allen has run two drifts on his placer claim at Camp Creek. One is 45 ft. and another 100 ft, and the ground is reported to be looking most promising.

The Kingston Gold Mines has been floated at Portland, Oregon, with a nominal capital of $200,000 in dollar shares. It will operate the Kingston group on Fish Creek.

The Eagle reports a strike on the south fork of the Lardeau, on the eastern slope of Silver Cup Mountain, by N. Enno and W. H. Howard, the ore from which ran $610 in gold and $240 in silver.

The Noble Five has been developed to a depth of 1000 feet, showing ten inches of ore in the lowest level. Another vein, believed to be an extension of the Surprise, has also been struck on the property.

The Athabasca vein is now in solid granite and looks better than ever. The ore gives a value of $19.21 per ton, of which $9.07 is recovered by the cyanide plant, making a saving of 80 per cent of the total value of the ore.

A showcase for mineral specimens has been fitted up in the Hotel Revelstoke. Already Mr. Brewster, manager of the Carnes Creek Consolidated Co, has made a most creditable show of ore from the property which he represents.

Messrs. B. J. Scott, President, J. C. T. Crofts Director, and A. F. Rosenberger, secretary Northwestern Development Co., inspected the Oyster and Camborne Groups at Camborne this week, accompanied by E. A. Haggen, M. E.

Senator Turner of the Sullivan Mining Co. says that by establishing smelters, as his own company is doing, owners of silver lead mines will be able to work much lower grade properties than can now be done, owing to the excessive charges levied by the smelter trust.

Mr. Stewart who has for many years been in charge of the Duke of Buccleugh's lead smelting works in Scotland, is on his way to British Columbia to investigate the lead smelting problem and will probably establish a lead refinery to compete for the Dominion Government bonus. His visit is due to representations made him by Thos. McNaught, of the Halcyon Sanitarium.

Mr. Slater, of the Wide West property on Fish Creek, was in the city last week. He informs us that it is proposed to work the property all winter. The Wide West is turning out fairly well. A body of ore, of which there is about 14 inches of high grade galena carrying over $15 in gold has been developed. Work is being continued with a view to developing another lead.

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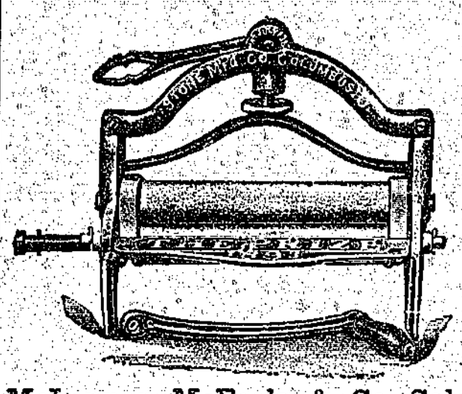

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CITY COUNCIL.

The first regular meeting for a month was held on Friday. Present: The Mayor, Ald. Abrahamson, Nettle, McCarty, McLeod, Taylor.

CORRESPONDENCE

W. Porritt asking for a sidewalk to his studio on Connaught Ave., referred to works committee.

J. D. Sibbald asking for refund of $37, cost of sidewalk on First. The Mayor pointed out that sidewalk was two feet wider than the bylaw allowed. Ald. McCarty said if this were allowed Mr. Sibbald, allowance must also be made to others. Ald. Nettle said a similar application from Mr. Buker had been refused. Request refused.

Manager Imperial Bank asking permit to attach projection to building to prevent snow falling on sidewalk. It was pointed out that the work had been done contrary to bylaw and the clerk was instructed to reply accordingly.

H. W. Edwards, asking refund of $7.25, re expenses on arch at Vancouver. Granted

Revelstoke Lumber Co. asking share of Council's orders for timber. Resolved to ask both lumber companies to quote prices.

Received of defunct City of Wellington, offering fire appliances for sale. Not entertained.

Gurney Scale Co. re supplying scales for city use. As Mr. McCarty intended putting in scales, the council did not require them.

Liquidator Elmira Woollen Mills, offering fire equipment for sale. Ald. Nettle could see they must have been reading the KOOTENAY MAIL as to the want of fire protection in the city. Same reply as to previous letter.

A. E. Picard, asking that bylaw be passed to allow him license for cleaning chimneys. Referred to fire, water and light committee.

R. Caley offering to accept $484 in settlement of first quarantine expenses and $63 for the second quarantine. To be left as previously decided.

R. Topping, offering to buy pest-house fence. Accepted.

T. Skinner, applying to be appointed caretaker of cemetery. Ald. Nettle said they might get suggestions from Mr. Howson. He had advised having long stakes fixed to indicate the lots in winter. The city clerk said some such arrangement was necessary. Held over.

A. S. Farwell, re clearing lots, stating that streets and alleys also required cleaning. He would be willing to co operate with council in matter. Referred to works committee.

P. L. Peterson, enclosing account for fencing. To be paid.

WORKS COMMITTEE.

Recommended the following works and that $2000 be raised for the purpose:—8 foot sidewalk on Third St. from McKenzie Ave. to Robinson Lumber Co's office $480; 6 foot sidewalk north side Fourth St. from McKenzie Ave to Orton Ave. $200; 8 ft. sidewalk south side Third St. from Kootenay to Wales St, crossing to Court House $150; 6 foot walk on Second St. from Charles to Wales St. $250; 6 foot walk on south side of First St. from McKenzie Ave. to Lot 1, Block 06 $150. 6 ft. walk on north Govt. Rd. from First to Third St. $300; 8 foot crossing along east side McKenzie Ave. to McCarty block $100; 8 ft. walk on south side Front St. from Wilson St. to Victoria Road $150; 6 ft. sidewalk on First St. to Orton Ave. $90; repairs $170.

On Ald. McLeod's suggestion it was decided to include a sidewalk to the Catholic Church.

Ald. Nettle said it was not fair to build a sidewalk on the north side of First as they should not put two sidewalks on one street when other streets were without any.

This piece of work was then struck out and the report adopted as amended.

Ald. Nettle pointed out that some of the crossings were in a dangerous condition and the city might be liable to action for damages.

Ald. Taylor and Adamson agreed. The committee also recommended gravelling of streets at a cost of $515.

Ald. McLeod complained of state of sidewalk in front of J. Lawson's property. If Mr. Lawson was at fault he should be compelled to look after it. If the city was liable they should attend to it.

Report adopted.

A NEW CURE FOR THE DEAF.

If the prejudice so long entertained in this country that deafness is incurable could be removed a long step would be made towards the eradication of that too common infirmity. Why people suffering from defects of hearing or ear diseases should not apply for relief with the same alacrity as when suffering from other ailments is difficult to understand; the more so when the misery these diseases entail is considered, by excluding the sufferer from all social intercourse.

Possibly an explanation may be found in the fact that for a very long time ear diseases were beyond the knowledge of the great majority of medical men and the treatments recommended were of so little efficacy that when, perchance, an attempt to relieve the disease was made, it was nearly always foredoomed to failure.

But great progress has been made of late years in the study of the various affections to which the delicate organ of hearing is subject, and the proportion of the cases actually incurable has been brought down to such an extent as to fully justify the statement that deafness is no longer incurable.

We wish to refer here to a new method known as the Dronet treatment, which has been for some time in general use in Great Britain and on the European continent, and is giving the most remarkable results. In fact whenever the organ of hearing has not been subjected to any important anatomical changes, such as the complete destruction of the drum or the loss of the staples, it may be said that a cure is always certain. Based on external applications made behind the ears, on the mastoid process, this treatment is certainly the most rational and effective. It is not necessary to be well acquainted with the anatomy of the ear to know that the most serious diseases which attack this organ have always their seat in the middle and internal ear, and that this is the cause of the frequent failures which attend their treatment by means of instruments or apparatus. Completely hidden inside the skull, the delicate parts are absolutely out of reach from the outside, and no surgeon's instrument or apparatus, however cleverly conceived it may be, can touch them; vapours or liquid drawn through the nose cannot have the slightest effect on the inner ear. A few minutes attention to a picture showing the anatomical divisions of the ear will show the utter impossibility of a cure by such means.

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One can only desire that the Dronet treatment should be quickly known in Canada, where the number of deaf people is considerable. The Dronet Institute already has three establishments in Europe. The first and oldest is situated in Paris; another has been established in Brussels for the convenience of patients residing in Belgium, Holland and Germany, and the neighbouring countries. Lastly a third establishment, which is in London, is extending its sphere of action to all countries where English is spoken. There is said to be now a prospect of opening a similar medical institution in New York, in order to spread the application of the system throughout the North American Continent.

Pending the realization of this project, our readers who are the victims of deafness, or any ailments of the ear, the nose, or the throat, will learn with pleasure that in spite of distances, they may have themselves treated by the Dronet Institute in England, the address of which is 72 Regent's-park-road London, England. Gratuitous consultations are given to patients residing abroad by means of a pathological "Patients' Report" which allows them to describe in the most exact manner all the symptoms of their malady.

The Dronet Institute periodically publishes an Analytical Review of diseases of the ear, the throat and the nose, and is entitled the "Journal for the Deaf", in which are reported the most remarkable cures effected by this establishment. This review also contains a large number of very interesting particulars. It is intended for the development of medical information, and for this purpose it is sent free of charge to all who apply for it. Let all our readers then who are interested in the subject make direct application to the English establishment, whose secretary will make a point of giving them all the needful information.

Tenders for a License to Cut Timber on Dominion Lands in the Province of British Columbia.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 279," to be opened on the 11th day of November 1901 will be received at this Department until noon on Monday, the 11th of Nov., next, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 279, comprising an area of three square miles more or less, situate in the above Province, on the westerly side of the Columbia River, about fourteen miles southerly from Revelstoke, and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the northeast corner of Timber berth No. 113, on the bank of the River, thence northerly along the west bank of the Columbia River, three miles in direct distance by one in depth.

The regulations under which a license will be issued, also printed form of tender and envelope may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at New Westminster.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered Bank in favor of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for a license.

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

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Department of the Interior,
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LOCAL & GENERAL.

A meeting of the Liberal Association is convened for Monday night.

The Chinese joss house which is being built on Front St. is quite a swell affair.

The Department of the Interior invite tenders for timber berth No. 279, 11 miles south of Revelstoke.

Wanted—Good brush hand immediately. Apply to W. G. Birney, painter.

Carrie Zettergean was sent by the Salvation army to the Refuge Home, Vancouver, on Wednesday.

Sawyer Bros. are putting in a dam at Ferguson for the Lardeau Power and Light Company.

The building trade will be pretty lively in Revelstoke this fall if buildings now projected are carried out.

The Willing Workers have presented the Presbyterian Church with a handsome communion table and a set of three chairs.

T. Lewis who has been conducting a dairy in the city for some years past, has now a herd of 22 cows, thirteen of which are in milk.

Messrs. T. Taylor, M. P. P., T. Kilpatrick, and G. S. McCarter have purchased the Verschoyle group on Trout Creek.

On Wednesday a deal was completed whereby Lew Thompson purchased an interest in the placer ground on Smith and French Creeks from W. Cowan.

Wm. Webber of Winona has taken over the bond on the Black Warrior in which Tom Horn is interested and intends to work all winter.

Carpet sale for month of October at R. Howson & Co's, from 10 to 25 per cent discount on English Wilton, Tapestry, Brussels, and Velvet Pile.

D. McCarty has the contract for moving A. E. Kincaid's house to face First St. The work is being pushed in charge of L. Fretz, Mr. McCarty having been laid up for a few days.

P. McGinnis had his leg broken at Laurie, Monday, while engaged on snowshed work. A post slipped and crushed him against another post. He was removed to the Kamloops hospital.

E. A. Bradley, Supt. of the Duquesne Mining Company, made the third payment of $1,500 this week on the Blue Jay on Smith Creek to G. H. Cronin, H. Howard, and J. Scard.

A letter received by E. B. Wells in regard to Trout Lake townsite matters reports that there are now 700 men working on the Lardeau branch and a contract is being let by the C. P. R. for building a wharf at Trout Lake City.

At the police court on Wednesday before J. D. Sibbald, S. M., Ah Sing was charged with stealing lead and copper pipe from the C. P. R. and J. E. McLeod was charged with receiving it knowing it to be stolen. J. M. Scott prosecuted. Ah Sing was sentenced to two years but no offence was proven against McLeod who purchased in good faith and he was acquitted.

Mr. Phipps, Manager of the Imperial Bank will proceed to Ferguson tomorrow to open a branch there. Mr. McDonald, formerly cashier here and lately of Edmonton, will be manager of the new branch and will accompany Mr. Phipps. The office will be in the building occupied by the Nettie L. and Double Eagle Companies.

The C. P. R. have determined to continue the present street between the Mercury block and the Railway site

ton west along the track as far as the Farwell townsite. Mr. Farwell will then continue it from the Smelter reserve boundary to the rocky bluff beyond the Kootenay Brewery and will cut up the frontage into 50 ft. lots for residential purposes.

Col. Holmes, D. O. C. was in the city yesterday and spent the day with Capt. Taylor, whom he informed that it was his intention to disband the local corps of Rocky Mountain Rangers. Capt. Taylor urged that the corps should be recognized, and stated if the department would pay $100 for the rent of a hall in which to drill during the winter months the drills would be resumed and he would forego his claim of over $300 cash paid out for the corps expenses.

FREE GOLD PROPERTIES.

(Continued from page one.)

vein exposed on the property and is known as the Oyster vein.

There is here a change in the formation which consists largely of graphitic schist and quartz, but all of which carries values. Nos. 2 and 3 cuts are respectively 20 and 20 feet wide.

Mr. Rosenberger estimates that if the values and surface prospects are maintained a depth of 300 feet on this vein will give a value of $200,000 of ore.

Three hundred inches of water have been recorded on Pool Creek for operating this property.

As shown by the development work done by the Imperial Development Co. on the Eva group the geological formation here is most favorable for a mine. The ore bodies appear on either side of an intrusive dyke, which is mineralised, and they are bounded on their north and south sides by metamorphic schists.

Both the Camborne and Oyster groups have been surveyed and are now being crown granted.

In summarising one's observations on these properties they present one of the most bona fide investments that have been offered to the public. There is no doubt about the gold. It is there, and has every appearance of existing in payable values. The ore bodies are large and well defined, the geological conditions are favorable, transportation and power are exceptionally good. Of timber for fuel and mining purposes there is enough for years to come. The ground can be developed at comparatively small cost—about $10 a foot for tunnelling. The character of the ore bodies, and the nature of the country in which they occur, would also make the cost of extracting the ore exceptionally low. Milling and the cyanide process ought to extract within a small percentage of the total gold contents of the ore.

Mr. A. J. Scott, of Hancock, Mich., president of the company, was present when we went over the properties, and he made a most careful examination of them. Mr. Scott evidently knows what mining is and he took his own samples and did his own crushing and panning, with results which we believe satisfied him that the properties which the company, of which he is the head, are developing, are such as he can confidently recommend to his friends as a bona fide mining investment, and one in which there is every promise of good returns.

The company are now offering 200,000 shares at 50 cents and it is their intention to place future issues at par, believing the property will fully warrant it.

We wish the Northwest Development Syndicate all success in its venture. The syndicate has started in to develop the country in a business way and it has a property which fully warrants such development.

Mr. L. E. Beck, who was in charge of the Imperial Company's development, is superintendent of the property and is doing excellent work. In his hands there is no doubt but that the money of the stockholders will be expended to the best advantage. J. F. Bowill is broker for the company in Revelstoke.

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A Jury's Opinion of Scabs.

Scene: Grand Jury Room at Revelstoke.

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Gives evidence.

Juror: Who is that man?

Another Juror: A C. P. R. scab.

Chorus of Jurors: Who would believe a C. P. R. scab?

Verdict: No bill.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Judge Sproat left for the coast last night.

F. B. Lewis is gazetted a notary public.

Master Mechanic Hall went south on Tuesday.

Cadet Lewis left Tuesday morning for Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McCarter left for the east on Monday.

W. Green, of Comaplix, intends spending the winter in Spokane.

E. Hillman, of Thompson's Landing was a visitor to the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kennedy of Hecilliwaet, were in the city on Monday.

J. B. Cressman returned from the Lardeau last night, and reports having done good business.

Messrs. C. F. Lindmarke and E. Allum went to Comaplix on Tuesday on a hunting expedition.

Walter Wensky, German Consul for the Yukon, called on J. W. Bennett as he was going east on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Didisheim went to Ferguson this week. Mr. Gardeu, of the Payne mine, visited the Silver Cup with Mr. Didisheim.

J. H. Young, who was recently injured by his horse falling on a bad piece of road above Comaplix, is now able to be about again.

A. J. Scott, and A. P. Rosenberger, President and Secretary, respectively of the Northwest Development Syndicate arrived in the city on Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

The opening dance of the Quadrille Club was held last night, between 30 and 40 couple being present. An enjoyable evening was spent.

Jas. A. Taylor, of Peterborough, Ont., has been at Arrowhead for about a month looking over the timber limits there in connection with the sawmill across the lake which has been purchased by eastern capitalists.

W. T. Dalton, architect for the hospital, left for the coast on Wednesday night, stopping off at Lytton, where he is building a handsome schoolhouse for the Indians, the funds being provided by the London Missionary Society.

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NOTICE.

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