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ANNUAL MEETING

The annual general meeting of the Greenwood City Waterworks Co., will be held in the Company's office at Greenwood, on Thursday the 24th of July, 1913 at 10.30 o'clock in the morning, for the transacting of the general business of the company and the election of a Board of Directors.
ROBERT G. HARGREAVES, Secretary.

FOUND

On Tuesday morning an Elgin watch. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. Apply at this office.

ARLINGTON HOTEL
Trail, B. C.—This hotel has been thoroughly renovated. It is heated by steam, and has hot and cold water in all rooms. A pleasant home for all who travel.
JAMES WILLIAMSON, Proprietor

Around Home

Bill Bailey has returned from a visit to Halcyon.

Johnnie Huff returned to Wenatchee last week.

More air pipes are being installed in the Argo tunnel.

BORN.—At the Mother Lode on July 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Lacey, a daughter.

At the end of June only about $150 was owed in Greenwood for water rates.

Rev. A. F. Bell will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a.m.

Your old pipe may be made like new at a small cost, send it to W. G. Kennedy.

Geo. W. Redpath returned home last week from attending school in Winnipeg.

Only four fever patients are left in the hospital, and they will be out in a few days.

The McCormick and Deering ing lines of cutting machinery at Browns, Ferry, Wash.

Sue Tong had a leg broken while working on the section at Myncaster on Saturday.

Send your powder orders to G. A. Rendell, agent for the Canadian Explosives, Limited.

Anthony Kroten, eight years old, died in Anaconda last week from tubercular meningitis.

H. A. Douglas went to Paulsen on Monday where he has a position with the Inland Mining Co.

Wm. Cochrane has gone to Rock Creek to recuperate after being in the hospital for eight weeks.

There will be a Poverty Dance in Carmi on July 19 that will surpass any social event ever held in the city.

W. E. Braudenburg is now night chef at the Pacific. Billy is prosperous and is kept busy every night.

Through his agents, Goodeve & McDonald, E. H. Mortimer recently sold his house in this city to John McPhee.

A meeting of the Greenwood Liberal Association will be held in the Star Theatre on Monday evening, July 14, at 8:30.

Joseph Davison was able to be out of the hospital this week, Having almost recovered from his recent serious accident.

Norman Morrison has returned from his trip to the wheat belt. He reports the crops looking fine all through the Northwest.

Bert Lane arrived from Grand Forks on Saturday to take charge for P. Burns & Co., Mr. Rees being transferred to some other part of the province.

Service in the Presbyterian church next Sunday, July 13th, at 7:30 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class 2:30 p. m. Rev. J, R, Munro Pastor.

Robert Newton Evans of Greenwood, and Miss Annie Melville of Midway were married at the Windsor hotel on Saturday by the Rev. J. R. Munro.

Henry Krone is in the hospital. He was hit on the head Sunday night with a stone. His assailant has not yet been arrested as he disappeared in the darkness of the night.

As ordered by the Supreme Court the books in the case of Fair vs George were audited by Ellis LeMaster and W. R. Dewdney, and a verdict given on Monday in favor of the plaintiff for $4,583.41.

The K. of P's from Greenwood and Grand Forks went to Phoenix on Tuesday evening to meet Grand Chancellor Wynn, of Rossland. The three ranks were put on and refreshments served in the hall by the proprietor of the Brooklyn hotel.

Services in St. Jude's church next Sunday will be held as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m. Confirmation class at 10:15 a.m. Rev. A. M. Lloyd, pastor.

MacDowd & Thompson of Grand Forks are now giving moving picture shows in the Auditorium on Tuesday, Fridays and Saturdays. The other week nights they show in the smaller towns of the district.

A high-class vaudeville company occupied the boards at the Opera House last Friday night, but for lack of advertising through the proper medium the audience was not as large as the company deserved. Thus again it proves that it pays to advertise.

C. T. O. Rush left on Tuesday for Summerland amid the regrets of a host of friends who wish him a long and prosperous career wherever he may dwell. E. W. Marentette of Kelowna succeeds him as teller in the Bank of Montreal in Greenwood.

Mrs. Hugh McGillvray gave a card party last Friday evening, in honor of the Misses Given Mansfield and Montgomery. A merry evening was spent by the large number of guests who assembled to say farewell to the trio of young lady school-teachers.

John M. Ewing, of Grand Forks has been appointed principal of the Greenwood schools, Miss M. E. McArthur, of Greenwood, and Miss Isabella Jeffrey, of Scotland will be the new lady teachers in the local schools. The School Board will make an effort to have the children of Anaconda, Deadwood and Boundary Falls attend the city schools, by providing them with transportation to and from their homes.

Thomas Williamson died in the hospital last Friday from Bright's disease, aged 53 years. The deceased was a native of Ontario, and had been a resident of the Boundary for many years, and owned a ranch near Westbridge. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and a kind father. The funeral took place at Rock Creek on Sunday from the residence of W. A. Shillcock and was the largest ever seen in the district.

CITY COUNCIL

The Council met on Monday evening.

A grant of $250 was made to the Greenwood Fair.

The clerk was instructed to notify the C.P.R. agent that the public have not a sufficient view of the railroad at the crossing on the Mother Lode branch, and the most dangerous is the high line within the city limits.

The clerk was instructed to write Phoenix council replying to their letter re contamination of Twin creek pointing out as they admit contamination this Council advises the Phoenix council to immediately desist or otherwise suit will be instituted against them.

The Fire Chief wrote tendering his resignation. The letter was laid over until next meeting.

The statement of receipts and expenditures for the past six months was ordered filed.

Ald. McKee gave notice that he would introduce an estimate by-law at the next meeting.

Ald. MacLean gave notice that he would introduce a rate by-law at the next meeting.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid: Geo. Murray, $25.38; S. H. McConnel, $5.00; B. C. Gazette, $20.00; Russell-Law-Caulfield Co., $12.40; C. Kinney, $5.00; Electric Lights, $124.85; R. Halcrow, $25,66; Sing Lung, $6.60.

The Council adjourned until July 21.

The ice man's stock is all water.

Western Float

George Lowe has opened a store at Deep Cove.

Milk is 15 cents a quart on Graham Island.

This year the tax rate in Rossland is 30 mills.

Mrs. Herman Zwang died in Marcus last week.

Much hay is being shipped from the town of Chase.

At Nakusp 30 men are building a new C.P.R. barge.

A military brass band is being organized in Fernie.

L. W. Shatford, M.P.P, is going to Europe this week.

Ore is being shipped from the Star mine at Sandon.

There will be a celebration in Blairmore on July 12.

R. E. Bell is opening a moving picture show in Molson.

There is $20,000 owed in Nelson for light and water rates.

Duncan Ross has a sub-contract on the G.T.P. at Fraser lake.

For stoning a dog four Italians were fined $50 each in Michel.

A telephone line is being built between Nakusp and Box lake.

In Rossland autos can now be seen daily upon the hilly streets.

In Queen Charlotte local hogs are 20 cents a pound, live weight.

Joseph Freeman has bought the Kings hotel in New Westminster.

The Flathead will be the name of the hotel now building at Corbin.

In Port Alberni, H. B. Jackson has sold his news depot to H. L. Mertz.

Cole Murchison has sold his pool-room interest in Lillooet to Pat Dolan.

Next year it will be possible to drive autos from Greenwood to Mexico.

Fifteen auto stages are running on the road between Lytton and Lillooet.

In Barkerville, Pat McKenna is transferring his liquor licence to Ed Green.

Frank Wells has driven a tun-180 feet on the Stillwater claim in the Slocan.

About half of the force has been laid off at the Lucky Jim mine in the Slocan.

Clams are 50 cents a bucket in Masset and about half that price in Vancouver.

The Premier hotel now building in Prince Rupert will be five storeys high.

In 1877 Bob Stevenson located the first mineral claim in the Similkameen.

Alfred Evans died at Calgary from blood poisoning caused by a mosquito bite.

There are about 5,000 Hindus in Canada, but immigration has practically stopped.

The C.P.R. is building a new station, on the east side of the track, at Mara.

Billy Cowan is the oldest resident of Revelstoke. He came to that city in 1884.

The wagon road in the Big Bend is being widened 20 feet, all through the canyon.

A jutting point of rock was recently blown out with 500 kegs of powder at Seaton lake.

Bees will find a good home in New Denver. The townsite is carpeted with white clover.

In New Denver, Palma Angrignon keeps 24 horses, principally to haul ore from the mines.

Mike Costello has re-located some iron ore claims, about three miles west of Keremeos.

Not being able to get coal in B.C. 30,000 tons have been shipped from Australia to Alaska.

Dad Black who ran hotels in New Denver, Sandon and Golden is now a resident of Orillia, Ont.

D. J. Stewart has bought 11,000 acres of land at Lesser Dog creek from the Meason brothers.

Two sperm whales valued at $5,000 each were captured at Naden harbor this summer.

Billy Valentine says that there is $100,000 worth of ore in sight on his claims near Silverton.

While temporarily insane a cook named Carlson committed suicide in a wagon road camp near Quesnel.

It is illegal to shake the dice or play cards for the drinks or anything else in the State of Washington.

The Review is a paper printed in Hazelton, and published at Smithers, one of the new towns in the north.

The placer diggings at Rock Creek, 20 miles west of Greenwood were discovered in 1860 by Adam Bean, a man from Kentucky.

The Dominion government will build an auto road from Whitehorse to Dawson. The road will be 400 miles long and cost $150,000.

Bears are quite numerous at several places along the Columbia river. They are also plentiful in the Slocan around the huckleberry patches.

The contract has been let for the whole of the Hudson Bay railway from Le Pas to Port Nelson, and 185 miles of steel will be laid by this fall.

Two factories for the preservation of milk by a patent process will be established in B.C. A. F. McLaren, the cheese king is behind the enterprise.

The Dominion government will build a dredge for the Arrow lakes at a cost of $100,000. It will deepen the Narrows so that steamers will not have to stop during the winter.

Within 50 miles of Dawson dredges and hydraulic plants are cleaning up $30,000 worth of gold daily. This year the gold output of the Klondike will be worth $5,000,000.

Stanley Miller died in Hazelton last month. He was a rich man in Spokane before the fire of 1889. He afterwards worked at the Deadman and other mines in the Slocan, going to the Bulkley valley about seven years ago.

Owing to the hard times The Nelson News will suspend its weekly edition next week. The daily papers in the west have been hard hit by the subsidence of the real estate boom, and some of them find it difficult to continue in operation.

Joe Trethewey will do some mining near Halelton. He is the man who staked a mine on the snow at Cobalt and made millions out of it. Joe also owns a 25,000 acre ranch in the Chilcotin district, and is in no immediate danger of running out of meal tickets.

The general and standard price of weekly papers in B.C. is $2 a year. The Fernie Ledger is a labor paper, and always shouting for the union. Its subscription price is $1 a year, which is scabbing on other papers, according to the light in which the general run of union men view matters.

It is reported that the Southern Okanagan Land Co., is about to sell, 22,000 acres of land in the southern end of the Okanagan Valley, near Fairview and Osoyoos, to an English syndicate. The land is one of the most fertile tracts in B.C., but it will take about a million dollars for an irrigation plant.

The only men now living who dug gold in Cariboo in 1861 are: Edgar Dewdney, of Victoria; Ned Stout, of Yale; C. G. Major, of New Westminster; John McLean, of Quesnel; J. May, of Peace River; George Harvey, of Colville, Wash.; Johnny Bryant, of Nanaimo; John McLennan, of Vancouver; Tom Ladner, of Vancouver; Doc English, of Ashcroft; Isaac Oppenheimer, of Berlin, Germany; Phil Grinder, of Big Bear; Sam Pierce and Bob Stevenson, of Princeton.

Send for a catalogue of headstones and monuments, made by the Kootenay Monumental Works, Nelson, B. C.

Football Notes

Mother Lode defeated Rawhide at Rawhide on Saturday last by a score of 3 to 0.

Greenwood and Mother Lode will play a game here on Thursday at 7 p.m.

The new suits for Greenwood have arrived. The colors are yellow and black.

No more Sunday games in Greenwood. Turn out and encourage the boys and see the nifty new suits.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Thomas Williamson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shillcock wish to express there thanks to the many kind friends, who extended their sympathy during their recent bereavement.

The man who is looking for trouble always finds it—and then some.

Lord Raleigh was the first man to see the invisible Armada.

THE LEDGE

Is located at Greenwood, B. C., and can be traced to many parts of the earth. It comes to the front every Thursday morning, and believes that hell would close up if love ruled the world. It believes in justice to everyone; from the man who mucks in the mine to the king who sits on the cushions of the throne. It believes that advertising is the life of trade; and that one of the noblest works of creation is the man who always pays the printer.

The Ledge is $2.00 a year in advance, or $2.50 when not so paid. It is postage free to all parts of Canada, Mexico, Great Britain and the county of Bruce. To the United States it is $2.50 a year, always in advance.

R. T. LOWERY

EDITOR AND FINANCIER.

GREENWOOD, JULY 10, 1913.

A blue mark here indicates that your Subscription has become deceased, and that the editor would once more like to commune with your collateral.

GETTYSBURG

History repeats itself. There was a boom in Gettysburg last week for the first time in fifty years. It was in 1863 that Lee made a dash to the north and drilled into some hard rock at Gettysburg. He could not get through as the boys in blue had plugged the formation with missed holes and other things that are not good for the health. About 7,000 men lost their lives, and 30,000 more were disabled in the unpleasant affair, in addition to ruining the peach crop of the village for that summer. It was here that Pickett with 15,000 Johnnies charged across a mile of open space and butted into the live wire artillery of the Union army. The spectacle was grandly terrible and splashed the blue and gray with red. Such a sight will probably never again be seen upon the American continent. The defeat of Pickett's charge was the turning point in the American War. It was then that the backbone of the Lost Cause was broken, although it was twenty-one months after that before the brave men of the South, starved and beaten to a ragged finish, clustered around Lee as he handed his sword to Grant at Appomattox. It is not generally known that 70,000 Canadians fought in the American War. Without their aid it is quite likely that the ending of that great and bloody family quarrel would have been somewhat different.

The re-union of the blue and the gray at Gettysburg last week was a new event in the annals of the military. For more than 50,000 soldiers of both sides to meet on the battle ground of fifty years ago is certainly out of the ordinary, and makes a precedent for the world. The average age of the veterans was seventy years, and the excitement of the event will cause the death of many of them. In fact several died last week from natural causes, hastened by the excitement, upon the very ground where half a century ago they escaped alive from the bullet laden ozone of "Cemetery Ridge," and the "Peach Orchard." A blot upon the re-union last week was the drunken condition of many of the veterans who took a drop too much at the wide-open saloons in the town. If martial law had prevailed in regard to the sale of liquor the grand and unique celebration would have been stripped of many unpleasant incidents. The hand of time makes many great changes for we have been told that all the veterans of the great battle, who camped on the old battle ground last week were officers during the first three days of July, 1863.

Nature is playing strange pranks this summer. Here in the semi-dry belt it has rained almost every day for more than a month, and we are tempted to pray for a cessation, while in other parts of Canada prayers are already being offered up for a downfall of the wet stuff. The heat has been terrible in the east while in B.C. it has been almost too cool for this time of the year. We expect a spell of hot and dry weather before many days. The heat does not bother the people in B.C. even if it jumps to 110 in the shade, owing to the fact that the nights are always cool in the mountains. This province is a glorious place during the hot days and the fact should be advertised that no one ever dies from sunstroke or heat prostration.

The real estate boom may have slumped at the coast, but B.C. still has its glorious climate, its magnificient scenery, its land, mines, forests, fisheries, and Dick McBride.

When alive the Duke of Sutherland owned 1,500,000 acres of land. Since his death six feet is all he needs.

From close observance we are prone to believe that water kills about as many people as whiskey.

According to the Small Boy all the great men on earth are now playing ball in the United States.

In these days of hold-ups we have never heard of anyone being arrested for rolling a cigarette.

Great poets usually reside in a garret when alive, and the Hall of Fame after they are dead.

Free publicity schemes will die out when country editors adopt better business methods.

Eating a lobster and cheese supper is one way of putting down a disturbance.

It used to be, "Vancouver or Bust!" Now it is "Vancouver and Busted!"

Give it time and the automobile will put Gettysburg in the shade.

Under the new management of the Intercolonial Railway the government owned line is being rapidly placed on a first class condition. It was absolutely run down under the Laurier regime largely through being made part of the political machine for the Maritime Provinces There are at present ordered to be delivered between now and the end of the year the following: 1,050 box cars, 28 cabooses, 100 flat cars, 5 colonist cars, 8 first class coaches, 4 first class separate compartment coaches, 100 coal cars, 2 postal cars 3 baggage cars, three sleepers, 2 postal cars, 3 baggage cars, 3 sleepers, 2 diners and 30 passenger and freight locomotives. Even the increased stock will not be sufficient to cope with the growing business of the road and other orders will be given until the I.C.R. is brought thoroughly up-to-date in rolling stock.

Big Copper Strike

What gives promise of developing into the most promising mining discovery in Montana since E. Hickey located in Anacouda, and thus paved the way for developing the wonderful Butte Hill, is that of a copper property in the Flathead county, Western Montana, thirty miles south of the Great Northern railway, near Corum, and about five miles east of the south fork of the Flathead river.

The vein is from 10 to 12 feet wide, extends along the surface for many miles and the ore assays from a minimum of 14 per cent copper and 8 ounces silver, to 60 per cent copper and 25 ounces silver. Everything that goes for to lay the foundation for success of a mining camp exists in connection with the field. The country is heavily timbered and there is a water grade from the vein to the nearest possible shipping point. The Great Northern is now engaged in building a line that will go within four miles of the property, and the Milwaukee will run a parallel road there, too, thus affording facilities for haulage of ore to the smelters, as the roads will place the future mines in direct touch with Great Falls and Spokane.

Many prominent mining men, some of them in Butte, have located claims in the district and Ben Thresher, one of the original discoverers, is now on the scene, representing the Flathead Development Co., composed of General Charles S. Warren, L. O. Evans, and John M. Murphy of Butte, V. D. Williamson and Fred Oliver, of Spokane, and Al Ingraham and Dr. W. H. Campbell, of Kalispel. It is thought that the new district may surpass Butte as a copper producer.

World's Wealth

Although Cecil Rhodes was accused of being a business pirate, he uttered a truism when in a speech, given shortly before his death, he summarized the value of the mining industry in the following words: "Mining has been the foundation of the world's wealth from the beginning of time. The governments rich in minerals have always been the richest and strongest governments on earth. Remember that the man who produces gold, silver and copper is creating raw material for money. Every blow of his pick, every echo of his drill adds to the wealth of every man's business in the world. The miner of precious minerals it not a business pirate. Mining is the only business on this earth that increases the wealth of the world without robbing or infringing upon the rights of others."

A Cat's Long Journey

A fine black cat of superior breed was received not long ago by express in the town of Thorold, Ont. It had come from Trail, B. C., 2500 miles away. When its owner a young lady was about to travel and could no longer take care of her pet, she did not abandon it as so many have been known to do, but provided for its safe passage to friends at another home.

It was comfortably housed in a roomy box, on which was a placard with this inscription: "My name is Rastus. Please feed me good milk once a day, and beyond that I can nibble the crusts provided until I reach home." The waybill accompanying it bore records of the feedings along the route, and showed that puss had not wanted for friends or food on his long journey.

The strange shipment created a great deal of interest along the way. Children by the score expressed their sympathy with the traveler, realizing that he had journeyed more miles than most of them had. Rastus arrived in the best of health and climbed out of his box home as fresh as when he had entered it.

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WHERE QUALITY IS KING

A Deep Well.

The Northern News states that a gas company will sink a well 3000 feet near Athabasca. It has contracted to deliver 250,000 feet of gas daily within a year. Gas is not the only commodity that this company wishes to obtain. Chances are exceedingly good that oil and asphaltum may also be struck at a reasonable depth, as both of these minerals abound in this territory, but whatever success is met with, the company will continue to bore to a depth of 3000 feet, unless a force of gas or oil is struck sufficiently strong to make further drilling an impossibility. After this depth has been reached, the officials of the company will feel satisfied that they have already struck the main body of gas, provided that no greater strike is made during the drilling. Machinery capable of boring to this enormous depth will very shortly be on the ground and operations will commence as soon as it arrives. Matthew Lodge, of Monkton, N. B., the first man to strike gas in New Brunswick, was a visitor to Athabasca last fall and while here, Mr. Lodge was much interested in the the town from a gas and oil view point. There was no place in Canada that he considered had better prospects, in this respect, than Athabasca and it is very probable that he will be up through this country again shortly. He is confident that oil in great quantities will be found here, and if it should be, the Athabasca Natural Gas Co. will be benefitting practically the whole of Western Canada by discovering and utilizing it.

Ben Franklin Valued Time

Benjamin Franklin sagely said: "Dost thou love life? Then do not squander time, for that is the stuff that life is made of!" Franklin not only understood the value of time, but put a price upon it that made others appreciate its worth.

A man came in one day and picked out a book that he wished to purchase. The price that the clerk asked was not satisfactory. He insisted on seeing the proprietor.

Mr. Franklin hurried from the rear of the store at the clerk's summons.

"What is the lowest price you can take for this book, sir?" asked the customer leisurely.

"One dollar and a quarter," was the terse reply.

"One dollar and a quarter? Why, your clerk asked me only a dollar just now."

"True," said Franklin, "and I could better afford to take a dollar than leave my work."

Without another word the crestfallen purchaser laid the amount on the counter and left the store.

He had learned not only that he who squanders his own time is foolish, but he who wastes the time of others is a thief.

On the Clyde

During the first five months of the present year, Clyde shipbuilders have launched nearly 300-000 tons of new work, which is a record for the period under review. It is estimated that the amount of work still on hand exceeds 600,000 tons, but the bulk of this will not be launched this year. Even under the most favorable circumstances it could not be done and there is always the unfortunate possibility of labor troubles.

The work on hand includes every conceivable type of steamer—battleships, battle cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers and submarines for the British Admiralty; quadruple, triple and twin-screw turbines, as well as combination and ordinary steamers; cargo steamers for almost every nationality, dredges for the Suez and Panama canals, motor-driven vessels for coasting and general purposes, and yachts of every description.

There are seven firms on the Clyde which do work regularly for the Admiralty and five of them are equipped for turning out the highest class of battleship. All the principal shipbuilding firms on the Clyde do their own engineering, which means that the vessels they build are completed entirely by their own men, while some concerns do shipbuilding only and send their vessels to be engined by firms who make engineering their only business.

It is generally held that there is a large amount of business to be placed, but that same is withheld owing to the abnormal price of raw material and the high cost of labor. In this connection, it may be stated that a local firm of shipowners placed an order for new tonnage in France recently, as they found that under existing circumstances French shipbuilders could offer better terms and quicker delivery than those on the Clyde.

Big Industry.

"An industry that furnishes fully 65 percent of all the freight carried by the railroads of America and that gives employment to over 2,000,000 men," says the Mining and Engineering World, in speaking of the dividends paid so far this year by mining companies operating on the continent, "must be remunerative, else such results would be impossible of attainment. And when 141 companies, which derive their profits from the results of mine operations, pay dividends during the first five months of 1913 of $51,592,201, it is evident their remuneration is not restricted to limited lines."

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Kaslo, B. C., is a comfortable home for all who travel to that city.
Cockle & Papworth.

TREMONT HOUSE
Nelson, B. C., is run on the American and European plan. Steam heated rooms. All white labor. Special attention paid to dining room.
Ransome & Campbell, Props.

TULAMEEN HOTEL
Princeton, B. C., is the headquarters for miners, investors and railroad men. A fine location and everything first-class
KIRKPATRICK & MALONE, Proprietors.

BRIDESVILLE HOTEL.
Bridesville, B. C. This hotel is within easy reach of all the leading Boundary towns and the centre of a fine farming district.
THOMAS WALSH, Proprietor.

THE SIMILKAMEEN HOTEL
Princeton. This hotel is new, comfortable well-furnished, and is close to the railway depot. Modern accommodation and sample rooms.
SUMMERS & WARDLE, Proprietors

HOTEL KEREMEOS
Opposite depot. Extensive alterations have recently been made rendering this hotel one of the most comfortable in the interior. A choice selection of liquors and cigars. New pool room and sample rooms in connection.
Mrs. A. F. KIRBY

HOTEL CASTLEGAR, Castlegar Junction. All modern. Excellent accomodations for tourists and drummers. Boundary train leaves here at 9.10 a.m.
W. H. GAGE Proprietor

GRANITE CREEK HOTEL
Granite Creek, B. C. Headquarters for miners, prospectors and railroad men. Good stabling in connection. Tasty meals and pleasant rooms.
H. GOODISSON, Proprietor

ALGOMA HOTEL
Deadwood, B. C. This hotel is within easy distance of Greenwood and provides a comfortable home for travellers. The bar has the best of wines, liquors and cigars.
JAMES HENDERSON Proprietor

THE UNION HOTEL
EHOLT, B. C.
A COMFORTABLE HOSTELRY
DAVID OXLEY
Proprietor.

Parallel lines are the same distance all the way, and cannot meet unless you bend them.

The.... Hume..
Nelson, B.C.

First-class in everything. Steam heat, electric light, private baths. Telephone in every room. First-class bar and barber shop.
'Bus meets all trains.

QUEEN'S HOTEL,
PHOENIX B. C.
The Newest and Largest Hotel in the City. Everything neat, clean and comfortable. Steam heat and electric light. Meals and drinks at all hours.
CHISHOLM & HARTMAN - Props.

ON PARLE FRANCAIS
NATIONAL HOTEL
GREENWOOD, B. C.
The Really Best House in the Boundary.
Recently Remodelled and Strictly Up-to-Date.
Restaurant in connection
OWEN BOYER - PROP

WINDSOR HOTEL
The Windsor Hotel is one of the best furnished hotels in the West. It is located in the heart of Greenwood and within easy reach of all the financial and commercial institutions of the Copper Metropolis. Heated with steam and lit by electricity. Commodious sample rooms. The bar is replete with all modern beverages and the cafe never closes. Rooms reserved by telegraph.
The Windsor Hotel Co
E. J. Cartier, Mgr.

GRAND CENTRAL
—HOTEL—
Opposite Postoffice, NELSON; B. C.
American and European Plans.
H. H. PITTS, Prop.

CENTRAL HOTEL
PHOENIX.
One of the largest hotels in the city. Beautiful location, fine rooms and tasty meals.
A. O. JOHNSON - PROP.

GET your Razors Honed and Your Baths at
FRAWLEY'S BARBER SHOP
GREENWOOD.

Subscribers are reminded that The Ledge is $2 a year when paid in advance. When not so paid it is $2.50 a year.

ARGO TUNNEL

It is necessary to develop and work the natural resources that surround a city in order to bring prosperity to the community. The tunnel at the Argo is in a long distance and a large body of high grade ore may be struck at any time. This would mean a big profit to the stockholders and another boom for Greenwood.

OLA LOFSTAD, President — JAMES McCREATH, Secretary.

SHILOH
quickly stops coughs, cures colds, and heals the throat and lungs. " " 25 cents.

When you want a headstone or monument write to the Kootenay Monumental Works, Nelson, B.C.

J. O. PATENAUDE

MANUFACTURING JEWELER

The Only Up-to-Date Optical Department in the Interior. **Nelson, B. C.**

TEMPERANCE

is all right if shorn of humbuggery. Too much water drinking is just as injurious as too much liquor or anything else.

OUR PURE WINES AND LIQUORS

are medicinal if not abused. Every household should have a moderate supply of pure wines or liquors in the closet for emergency—either unexpected visitors or sudden illness, when a drop of pure liquor in time may forestall all necessity for drugs.

Greenwood Liquor Company, Importers, Greenwood, B. C.

P. BURNS & CO.

Dealers in Fresh and Salt Meats, Fish and Poultry. Shops in nearly all the towns of the Boundary and Kootenay.

COPPER STREET, GREENWOOD, B. C.

Greenwood to Phoenix Stage

Leaves Greenwood Daily at 3 p. m.
Arrives Greenwood Daily at 10 a. m.

GREENWOOD OFFICE - - CLUB CIGAR STORE

JOHN FULLER PROPRIETOR

The Midway Store for Quality Goods

General Merchandise, Boots, Shoes, Dry Goods, Hardware, Sleighs, Wagons, Buggies and all kinds of Agricultural and Horticultural Implements and Appliances.

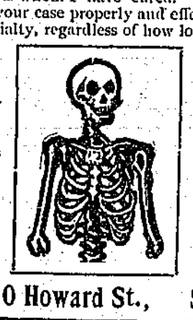
JAS. G. McMYNN, MIDWAY, B. C.

I CURE WHERE OTHERS FAIL.

Many fly-by-night quacks advertise cures and treatments that prove only a temporary stimulant and it is only a matter of time till the old symptoms return. My 7 years in one location proves that my methods are genuine and my cures lasting. Many of my patients have come through the recommendation of their friends whom I have cured. My 16 years experience enables me to diagnose your case properly and effect a permanent cure. All diseases of men my specialty, regardless of how long standing.

To Out of Town Patients

I invite your correspondence and can prescribe for you by mail as well as if you saw me personally. All letters held confidential and given my closest personal attention.



DR. KELLY, Expert Urologist

Write for free Booklet

Dr. Kelley, 210 Howard St., Spokane, Wash.

USE TUNGSTEN LAMPS

Greenwood City Waterworks Company

Mother Lode Stage

CO., LT'D.

Leaves Mother Lode
9.30 a. m.
6:30 p. m.

Leaves Greenwood
2:00 p. m.
8:30 p. m.

Saturday last stage leaves Mother Lode 6 p. m. Returning, leaves Greenwood 10 p. m

Greenwood Office
NORDEN HOTEL

Don't Be HOODWINKED
WE NEVER CHANGE BRANDS

The B. C. & Old Sport Cigars
— ARE A 1 QUALITY —
The BRILLIANTES
Are the Best Clear Havanas in Canada

Made by Union Labor in the best Hygienic Factory in the country. Call for them and get value for your money instead of rope

WILBERG & WOLZ, Prop. B.C. Cigar Factory, New Westminster, B. C.

Adams & Brown
Dealers in
Grain & Flour, and Rolled Oats

Try Dr. Rusk's Famous
CHIC FEED

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGE

A TROUSERS CENTENARY.

It Was Napoleon's Men Who Brought That Garment Into Fashion.

As nearly as can be ascertained it is a hundred years since Napoleon Bonaparte's soldiers introduced the old-new style of leg wear which speedily secured recognition as the distinctively masculine garment of civilians throughout two continents.

In 1814—the year before Waterloo—it was related as a current news item of some importance that the great Duke of Wellington had been refused admittance to Almack's in London because he presented himself wearing trousers instead of the conventional breeches which the dress regulations then in vogue demanded.

As a matter of historical fact trousers have been worn by various races and by both sexes in all the ages of which any authentic records exist. Generally speaking, trousers were regarded in ancient times as symbolical of inferiority or effeminacy. In the triumphal processions of the Cæsars, for example, prisoners of war wore them as a sign of defeat, while the sturdy legs of Rome's victorious legions were bare below the bottom of the skirted or kilted coat of mail.

For the last hundred years or thereabout trousers have been widely recognized as the garments of authority, the outward and visible sign of the stronger sex, says the American Tailor and Cutter. But that position has not been won or maintained without a struggle. Many attempts have been made to trample down the tyranny of trousers, as their rule has been called. Many times has their superiority been challenged. But so far their position remains secure.

MARVELS OF PANAMA.

The Gatun Dam, the Culebra Cut and the Great Locks.

Panama's marvels are the Gatun dam, the Culebra cut and the locks, each of the six of them with two chambers 1,000 feet long and 110 feet wide.

You think you can manufacture a mental picture of these locks, but you cannot—not till you have gone down their perpendicular sides a thousand feet and got aboard a dummy train that journeys three-fourths of a mile along the bottom; not till you have looked up and seen the cathedral arches springing in glory from side to side and gazed at the steel gates seven feet thick and marked the cistern holes in the bottom of the channel, up and down through which will move the strong streams that will lift and let down the ships of the nations into their cradles with the tenderness of a mother with an infant, for underneath extend culverts the size of railroad tunnels. It is through these and through mighty valves that the locks are filled and emptied.

Move about awhile among these works like a pygmy lost in a labyrinth of the gods and it will dawn on you what sort of thing men have been about here on this neck of Darien.—World's Work.

Iodine Fumigation.

Although for disinfecting superficial wounds and for sterilizing the skin before operations surgeons have long regarded iodine as one of the most useful antiseptics, they have been unable to find a practical way of using it in liquid form in deep wounds. Dr. Louge of Marseilles, France, has devised a method of producing iodine fumes and has used them successfully in treating all kinds of wounds. He dips the end of a piece of cotton in iodoform powder and then lights the cotton at a point where it is free from powder. The fumes of iodine that at once rise can either be applied directly to the affected part or collected in a jar and applied by means of a syringe. The effect of the fumes is both deodorant and soothing. They have been especially useful in the treatment of abscesses, cancers and similar affections.—Youth's Companion.

No Kissing Permitted.

Visitors to Switzerland are warned that kissing is strictly prohibited in the station and on the platforms of Sarnen, in the canton of Obwald, on the Brunig line, and that any such demonstration will result in the arrest and fining of the participants. A large placard bearing the following inscription has just been placed in the station with the consent of the local authorities:

"Notice.—Considering the abuses which have resulted, messieurs the honorable strangers are requested not to kiss each other on the platforms of the station. (Signed) The Society For the Protection of Young Girls Traveling Alone."

A Dangerous Occupation.

Of all occupations dangerous to life the most hazardous is that of life savers in the United States bureau of mines. The annual mortality among them is at the rate of eighty a thousand. In the first year two sacrificed their lives out of a force of eighty, while seven others fell unconscious in the poisonous vapors of mines, but were rescued by their companions. And yet there is no difficulty in finding heroic men ready to undertake the duty.

Married In Mourning.

Six couples dressed in mourning were married at the garrison church in Potsdam, Germany, July 19. They are known as the Louise bridal pairs. Every year these funeral weddings are celebrated at 9 o'clock on July 19, the day and the hour at which Queen Louise died. This year each bride received $112 in return for her sacrifice of bridal finery.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

WOULDN'T it be a nice idea to send some of our missionary minded millionaires to our sister republics to teach them to raise doves of peace instead of raising Cain?

It's a short road that has no chuckholes.

Judging from what the scientists tell us, about 77 per cent of the population of the globe must consist of microbes. And there's no proof that the census got 'em all either.

The self made man is a contrast to the machine made variety anyhow.

A big reputation is like a motorcar. It takes a lot of effort to keep it up.

If we had the money that some people spend foolishly we could do some aviating ourselves.

Wouldn't the people who fish for suckers be just as well pleased with goldfish?

Hoping for the best may be easier than hustling for it, but it isn't half as likely to land you on easy street.

Never forget those who have befriended you. You may have use for their kind offices again.

Many a man has severely burned his fingers trying to heap coals of fire upon his enemies' heads.

Your neighbor may not wear as good clothes as you do, but perhaps he pays his grocery bill.

Great Traveler.

In spite of wind and taxes,
In spite of right or wrong,
The world upon its axis
Is turning right along.
Is running like a rabbit
Or something quite as spry,
For it has got the habit,
And that's the reason why.

It never stops for water;
It never stops for hay.
No sweet and charming daughter
Could turn it from its way.
It keeps on wildly racing
Through mist or sun or hail,
Just like a kitten chasing
Its short and stubborn tail.

No engine runs the gearing.
It doesn't stop for coal.
There is no crank for steering
Attached to either pole.
It does not cease to hurry,
Though riders on its back
Might figure cause to worry
Lest it should fly the track.

The newest locomotion
Can't match its winning gait.
It carries plain and ocean
As though they were not freight.
The riders, without paying,
Can get their money's worth.
It is, I feel like saying,
A great old, little earth.

Beyond His Power.

"I hear your son is engaged to the cook."

"Yes."

"Are you going to let him marry her?"

"I might stop him, but neither of us can stop her."

Unavailing.

"I am scared to death."

"Why?"

"I am afraid old Borus is going to give me some good advice."

"About what?"

"How to keep out of danger."

A Hint.

"I am a self made man, I am."

"Well, it is my opinion that you ought to warn your family against the man that drew up your specification as well as one who executed the job."

Describing Him.

"Do you know, you remind me of a doughnut, Jack?"

"Why?"

"You are something sweet and oily that has been punctured."

Made It Better.

"The campaign so unsettles business."

"Not for me."

"What line are you in?"

"Campaign buttons."

Nearly.

"He is a straw boss."

"What kind of a boss?" asked the deaf man.

"Straw."

"Hay?"

Tit For Tat.

"Her husband drinks beer!"

"Really?"

"Yes. Think of it! Bah!"

"Well, she eats raw onions."

Some Difference.

"A rolling stone gathers no moss."

"Probably not, but a rolling mill gathers the coin."

SHOES SHINED
At the Windsor Hotel by
ZACK WATSON
MESSENGER SERVICE

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGE

T. THOMAS
CLOTHES CLEANED
PRESSED AND REPAIRED
TAILOR - GREENWOOD

Dominion Day was a great day in Nelson, although not quite as exciting as the first time that day was celebrated in the rose scented city. This year the people amused themselves in the usual routine way, and hundreds of them looked into D. J. Robertson's store to get a glimpse of the man who has never been beaten in a race by any living sheriff.

NEW ADVERTISING SCALE.

The newspapers in Greenwood, Phoenix and Grand Forks have adopted the following scale for legal advertising:

Application for Liquor Licence (30 days)	$5.00.
Certificate of Improvement Notice (60 days)	$7.50
Application to Purchase Land Notices (60 days)	$7.50
Delinquent Co-owner Notices (90 days)	$10.00
Water Notices (small)	$7.50

All other legal advertising, 12 cents a line, single column, for the first insertion; and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion. Nonpariel measurement

CANADIAN PACIFIC

SUMMER EXCURSIONS

Return Rates from Kootenay Points to

WINNIPEG	$ 60.00
ST. PAUL	60.00
CHICAGO	72.50
TORONTO	92 00
MONTREAL	105.00
HALIFAX	129.35
NEW YORK	108.50
BOSTON	110.00

Correspondingly low fares to other Eastern points.

On sale daily May 28 to Sept. 30, 1913. Final return limit Oct. 31, 1913.

Liberal stop-over privileges.

Tickets and all information may be obtained from any C.P.R. agent or write

J. V. MURPHY,
District Passenger Agent,
Nelson, B.C.

LYNN CREEK DAIRY
MILK
DELIVERED
To any part of the city or district
J. McDONELL, Proprietor

IN GRAND FORKS
Ideal in Second-hand goods and have the largest sign in B. C. I buy or sell anything from a needle to a carload.
ED. PECKHAM

J. R. CAMERON,
Leading Tailor of the Kootenays.
KASLO, B. C.

STARKEY & CO.
NELSON, B. C.
MINING
BROKERS
PROSPECTS BOUGHT AND SOLD

Plumber and Tinner

I am prepared to execute all orders for plumbing and tinsmithing in city or country.

GEORGE CLERF.

Shiloh 25¢
The family remedy for Coughs and Colds
"Shiloh costs so little and does so much!"

COUNTY COURT OF YALE.

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be holden at the Court House, Greenwood, on Tuesday the 9th day of September 1913, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

By order,
WALTER DEWDNEY,
Registrar C. C. of Y.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

OH, FOR A FACT!

OH, for a line and fishing pole!
Oh, for an old time fishing hole!
Oh, for a hunk of bread and cheese!
Oh, for a gentle water breeze!
Oh, for a seasoned briar pipe!
Oh, for some apples red and ripe!
Oh, for a pair of brand new wings!
Oh, for a lot of other things!

Oh, for a pleasant story book!
Oh, for a quiet arbor nook!
Oh, for a girl who wouldn't tell!
Oh, for the charming dinner bell!
Oh, for a dog with a tail to wag!
Oh, for a fattened money bag!
Oh, for a pleasant summer night!
Oh, for most everything in sight!

Oh, for a splendid watch and chain!
Oh, for a yacht on the coast of Maine!
Oh, for a car that would carry six!
Oh, for some cooling drinks to mix!
Oh, for a country without flies!
Oh, for a bite of mother's pies!
Oh, for a glimpse of fairyland!
Oh, for the whole blame tooting band!

Oh, for a castle on the Rhine!
Oh, for a nobby five cent shine!
Oh, for a cow that gave good milk!
Oh, for an undershirt of silk!
Oh, for a ride on a Pullman train!
Oh, for a large estate in Spain!
Oh, for a handsome, wealthy bride!
Oh, for the earth, all wrapped and tied!

And the Thing's Done.

"I wish I were popular."

"That's easy."

"How easy?"

"Just buy a cottage in the country and serve chicken suppers to your friends."

Progressive Youth.

"Saunders' boy has left home, I hear."

"Yes."

"What was the matter?"

"Saunders called him down."

"Boy wouldn't stand for it, eh?"

"No; Saunders objected to the boy's bunch holding a concert on the front porch at 3 o'clock in the morning, and the kid said that the old man was too reactionary to suit him."

Had to Laugh.

"Why so distressed?"

"I have been laughing until my sides are sore."

"Heard something funny?"

"No; been talking to a pugilist who insisted on cracking jokes."

It Helps.

"They spend a lot of money."

"Yes; they do."

"But he has such a small salary that I don't see how they manage."

"His wife is a smashing hand at bridge."

The Reason.

"But why be a liar?"

"Shall I tell you the truth?"

"If you can."

"I find it both pleasant and profitable."

Harder to Cure.

"What's the matter with him?"

"He ought to go to a chiropodist."

"Corns on his toes?"

"No; on his disposition."

Didn't Make an Impression.

"Charity covers a multitude of sins."

"I never missed any."

His Little Annoyance.

The elevator man has woe
Which his employment crowns,
For everybody says to him,
Your life is ups and downs.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

If you get what is due you you will find that you have to be your own collector.

The boy who used to carry a chip on his shoulder now shies his hat in the ring.

When women vote will the good looking candidate stand the best show?

The man who sits and waits for something to turn up may get roasted by his friends, but he escapes many a turndown from the cold, cold world.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Enterprise and Teresa Fraction Mineral Claims, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Nelscreek about two miles from the West Fork of the Kettle river.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Sydney M. Johnson acting as agent for Teresa M. Graham, Free Miner's Certificate No. 75835.B, intend sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this 2nd day of June, A. D. 1913.

SYDNEY M. JOHNSON.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910
(Section 49)

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 16th day of July next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of a licence for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as The Westbridge Hotel, situate at Westbridge, B. C., from Emile Etchepare to Louis Clery of British Columbia.

Dated this 16th day of June 1913.

EMILE ETCHEPARE,
Holder of License
LOUIS CLERY
Applicant for Transfer

About Float.

Float is not a periodical. It is a book containing 86 illustrations all told, and is filled with sketches and stories of western life. It tells how a gambler cashed in after the flush days of Sandon; how it rained in New Denver long after Noah was dead; how a parson took a drink at Bear Lake in early days; how justice was dealt in Kaslo in '93; how the saloon man outprayed the women in Kalamazoo, and graphically depicts the roamings of a western editor among the tenderfeet in the cent belt. It contains the early history of Nelson and a romance of the Silver King mine. In it are printed three western poems, and dozens of articles too numerous to mention. Send for one before it is too late. The price is 25 cents, postpaid to any part of the world. Address all letters to

R. T. Lowery
GREENWOOD, B. C.

Greenwood & Midway AUTO STAGE

Leaves Greenwood for Spokane at 8:20 a.m., & for Oroville at 3:10 p. m. Leave orders at Terhune's Cigar Store. CHARLES RUSSELL.

SMOKE....

Mountaineer and Kootenay Standard Cigars. Made by

J. C. THELIN & Co., NELSON.

ASSAYER

E. W. WIDDOWSON, Assayer and Chemist, Box B1108, Nelson, B. C. Charges:—Gold, Silver, Lead or Copper, $1 each. Gold-Silver, or Silver-Lead, $1.50. Prices for other metals: Coal, Cement, Fireclay analyses on application.. The largest custom assay office in British Columbia.

LOWERY'S CLAIM

During the 37 months that Lowery's Claim was on earth it did business all over the world. It was the most unique, independent and fearless journal ever produced in Canada. Political and theological enemies pursued it with the venom of a rattlesnake until the government shut it out of the mails, and its editor consad to publish it, partly on account of a lazy liver and partly because it takes a pile of money to run a paper that is outlawed. There are still 20 different editions of this condemned journal in print. Send 10 cents and get one or $2 and get the bunch.

R. T. LOWERY,
Greenwood, B. C.

BOUNDARY MINES

Last week the Rawhide shipped 4,495 tons of ore.

Last week the Granby mine shipped 25,240 tons of ore.

Last week the Granby smelter treated 23,790 tons of ore.

Last week the Mother Lode mine shipped 4,981 tons of ore.

Last week the Greenwood smelter treated 10,530 tons of ore.

Last week the Napoleon mine shipped 736 tons of ore.

Last week the Queen Victoria mine shipped 407 tons of ore.

On the Togo claim near Greenwood, J. D. Graham has struck a small streak of high grade ore that assays over $400 to the ton in silver and gold. This rich ore is 20 feet from the surface in a shaft that is being sunk on the ledge. The Togo lies about half a mile west of the Providence.

The British Columbia Copper company produced 34,560,255 lbs. of copper in the four year period from January, 1909, to December 31, 1912, according to a report just issued. The operating cost, after deducting the gold and silver, was 9.82 cents in 1909, 9.04 cents in 1910, 11.63 cents 1911 and 12.85 in 1912 for each pound of output.

Based on the average price per pound for copper the dividend cost was 11.62 cents in 1909, 12 cents in 1910, 11.9 cents in 1911 and 15.93 cents in 1912. The ton cost of ore including all the processes from mining to marketing, was $2.68 in 1909, $2.73 in 1910, $2.88 in 1911 and $2.45 in 1912.

A new discovery has been made on the Union claim, located at Gloster City, some 45 miles up the North Fork of Kettle river, the ore being a gold-silver composition. The claim is owned by Louis Johnson who has a force of men at work constructing a wagon road from his property to the present end of the government wagon road, preparatory to the shipment of the ore by wagon to Lynch Creek where it will be loaded on Kettle Valley cars and brought to the Granby Smelter, this city, for treatment.

This discovery of a gold-silver ore in Gloster camp is a new thing, the majority of the ore located in the district being a gold-copper formation. A lead twenty feet in width has been uncovered, the ore from which assays high in both gold and silver.—Grand Forks Gazette.

B. C. MINING NEWS

One of the peculiarities of the stock market is the recent drop in the price of the Standard shares. Out of a total of two million shares, there are only 320,000 on the market. These were acquired by Patsy Clark. The remainder of the shares are owned by John A. Finch and Geo. H. Aylard. These are not on the market. Mr. Aylard has repeatedly been offered $1.50 for small blocks of his holding but would not sell. There is no reason why the Standard shares should not be $5.00 instead of $1.35. Today the owners of the majority interest in the Standard could if they wished, truthfully make the statement that the Standard has sufficient ore in sight to continue the present dividends for ten years. This is a fact. The Record has not at any time unduly boosted mining in the Slocan, believing that the actual conditions were sufficient advertising. The Record predicts that, under the present management, in the next ten years the Standard company will pay upwards of five million dollars in dividends.—Slocan Record.

Word has been received from Alice Arm that the Red Point and Race Horse groups, situated about 22 miles up the Kitsault river, have been bonded by T. F. Hopkins, of Seattle for the sum of $101,000. Mr. Hopkins, who is well-known locally, having been a principal in several deals in 1909, is said to represent Butte interests in the purchase of the two groups, on which the initial payment has been made.

The Red Point group consists of three claims and is owned by Charles Swanson, Ola Evanson, R. L. Elk, Ole Pearson and Ernest Carlson. The Race Horse group, adjoining, consists of four claims and is owned by Charles Swanson and Alf. Miner. Considerable prospecting has already been done, proving the existence of several leads measuring from four to forty feet in width. The ore is a chalcopyrite. From the Red Point showings assays of from $2.50 to $11 have been obtained and from the Race Horse from a few dollars up to $53 in gold, silver and copper.—Stewart Miner.

In a distance of some 230 feet from the portal of the upper tunnel being driven at the Indian mine, on the Salmon river, a fine shoot of galena ore has been struck recently. The adit was driven following the vein and the shoot of ore encountered is believed to be the same shoot opened up on the surface. After striking the new ore body the face of the tunnel was enlarged, showing the vein to measure six feet in width. Roy Clothier brought in some splendid samples of galena from the face of the tunnel. J. Fred Ritchie, P.L.S., of Prince Rupert, one of the directors of the Indian Mines, Ltd., is here and will shortly survey the company's holdings.—Stewart Miner.

LATE MINING NEWS

Writing to The Ledge from Rossland, E. Jacobs says:

On June 21 The Engineering and Mining Journal, New York, stated that "the Granby Consolidated Co. has secured a two-years lease on the Mount Andrew copper mine on Prince of Wales Island, southeast Alaska, which was located more than 15 years ago by by the late Samuel Lichtenstadter, of Seattle, and is one of the best known copper properties of the north. More than $250,000 is to be expended, according to the terms of the lease, in the development of the property. The work of gathering men will begun at once, and within a year the mine will be shipping. The lease was made with an option to purchase at the end of two years."

Joe Trainor, who some years ago was foreman at the Sunset mine, in Deadwood camp, is now in charge of operations at the Dividend mine, Kruger mountain, Osoyoos, where ore of good grade is being taken out, hauled to the railway at Oroville in a 5-ton motor-truck, and taken thence to the smeltery.

George Cook has been working with Andy Jensen's road-making gang a few miles beyond Tulameen city. Now that the snow is going off, George is preparing to hike for the hills, to do more prospecting in the Hope mountains, just over the Divide from Summit camp. Last summer he staked on the Hope slope and, too, he has a claim in Ranger Camp, well up from the Tulameen side.

J. C. Reilly, who eight to ten years ago was in the Boundary district, is one of the best-known claim-owners in Summitp camp, Tulameen. He has one good showing on a group down the river a couple of miles from the mouth of Sutter creek, in several of the claims of which some Coalmont people have been interested, but lately they appear to have got "cold feet," and have left him to keep the show going alone. With Andy Jensen who named Treasure Mountain, on which he located the Silver Chief in August, 1906, and afterwards with Billy Wade staked the Lakeview, Silver Plate, Copper Queen, Black Bear, and other claims, Reilly owns the Carbonate, situated about two miles up Sutter creek from the mouth, and on which there is one of the big showings of Summit camp.

The British Columbia Copper Co. continues to be busy on Copper mountain, Similkameen, having five diamond drills at work in different parts of Princess and Sunset camps, and doing a lot of exploratory work underground on various claims. Some of the piles of ore at the mouths of prospect shafts include a fair proportion of nice looking copper ore and it is hoped that a sufficiently large tonnage will be developed to warrant taking up the options on a number of the many claims explored. Mr. and Mrs. Weeks last month took a short vacation, during which they enjoyed a few weeks on Slocan lake and a flying visit to Banff, returning before the end of the month to their cottage in Princess camp. Ed. Berryman and his good wife still have their home in Voigt's camp, but as no work is now being done in that part of Copper mountain district, the former rides daily to his work higher up the hill. H. B. Cannon has removed his store from Voigt's to Princess camp and continues to be popular with the boys, who find Hughie "allright."

O. E. LeRoy, of the Geological Survey of Canada, is expected to arrive in Rossland from Ottawa about the 12th inst. Rossland is making preliminary arrangements to entertain the International Geological Congress excursionists who will visit that camp during the latter part of August.

Colonel Egan is still in the Sisters hospital at Rossland, very ill, but his many friends hope to soon see him around again as cheery as ever. Meanwhile W. K. Esling is kept busy supplying copy to the printer for his interesting paper, the "Miner."

The B. C. Copper Co. has decided to put in at the old smeltery at Boundary Falls some concentrating plant with which to reduce the percentage of silica in ore from its Lone Star and Washington mine and so make a product more suitable for smelting with ores from its other mines in the district.

Frank Coryell, for years a resident of Midway and afterwards owner of the first ranch near Grand Forks bought by the Doukhobors, recently returned from Franklin camp, up the north fork of Kettle river, to Grand Forks. He say the showings of ore on the Union claim, from which L. Johnson has been arranging to ship about 100 tons, to be hauled in wagons to Lynch creek and be taken thence to the smeltery by rail, and he thinks Johnson has a greater width of ore than he claims to have. Those interested in Franklin camp are very hopeful that the smelting works will show this ore to be of much higher average value than ores from that camp have in the past been found to contain, and that Johnson's results will encourage other claim owners to "get in and dig," and so help the camp along. It is reported that the B. C. Copper Co. will shortly resume the work of prospecting some claims in the camp held by it under option of purchase.

All a woman asks is to be allowed to go her own way and take her husband with her.

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THE MORMONS

At the Presbyterian Assembly in Toronto Wm. Shearer said that "Southern Alberta has already become a stronghold of Mormonism. Four of them settled in Cardston in 1886; today they number 8,000, and are scattered over the province. In the archives of the Department of the Interior a report commends the Mormons for their industry, but at the same time a solemn note of warning is given against the immigration of these people, and it is suggested that some decisive action be taken in the beginning to prevent the growth in this new country of a power that, beginning in such a small way in the United States, has for years past set the law at defiance. The writer goes on to quote from an authority to the effect that "the Mormon religion is so arrogant in its claims, so baseless in its origin, and so unchristian in its doctrines and practices that it excites the intense disgust of all thinking people. Its history has been bad, its doctrines are detestable, and some of its practices such as polygamy and celestial marriage rites are exceedingly reprehensible to the ordinary Christian."

Mr. Shearer in proceeding states that today the Church of the Latter Day Saints holds the balance of political power in seven of the Western States, and boasts that it will do the same in Alberta before ten years. "At the present rate of progress it will easily do so," he says. "It has bought a tract of the finest land in Alberta, 67,500 acres, which it is colonizing with Utah Mormons. It has built a $30,000 academy at Raymond, equipped with important Mormon teachers, where scores of young men are trained for mission work among Gentiles, all non-Mormon. It will erect at Cardston a temple to cost about $200,000 for the celebration of its secret rites and ceremonies. This is the only temple outside of Utah, where there are four. It is at present carrying on a propaganda of proselytism in Southern Alberta on a huge scale, the chief point of assault being Calgary."

Took the Baby

Just as we go to press we learn that while Mrs. Joe Johnson, who lives about one mile east of town was in Molson doing some shopping Wednesday, her husband Joe Johnson, from whom she has been separated for some months, and who lives near Bridesville, B.C., went to her home she alleges, and kidnapped their nine months old baby boy, probably taking him across the line into British Columbia. She immediately came to Molson to seek legal advice.

Mrs. Johnson says she was deserted by her husband over a year ago, and that he has failed to support her.

As the kidnapping has taken an international aspect by the child being taken across the line, it will probably require an extended legal battle to settle the matter.—Molson Leader.

Big Money.

On Wednesday of this week, Henry Young and Albert Derrick, both expert Haida Indian fishermen realized $75 for a night's dog fishing off the Ti-el river.

Loaded to the gunwale, they were forced to cease fishing and "liver up" from the boat.

It takes eight livers to make a gallon of oil, for which 15 cents is paid, thus our readers may get an idea of the number caught and the dexterity with which these small sharks are handled, some of which are about five feet in length and have a skin like sandpaper.—Queen Charlotte News.

Post Hole Pete

Amongst the interesting characters who arrived here recently must be mentioned "Post Hole Pete," wanderer, crude philosopher and digger of post holes extraordinary. Pete earned his peculiar appellation during the time he was working on a Montana ranch in the "early days." Pete's employer became involved in a lawsuit which took him to the city many leagues distant from the ranch where Pete was engaged digging post holes in a given direction until his return. Pete kept on the job. The rancher was detained many moons, and Pete dug a line of post holes clear across the state of Montana and over the Canadian border. The matter became an international problem and threatened to disrupt the diplomatic relations of two world powers. Finally the boss returned, and had to come across to Peter for the line of excavations. Further we have Pete's assurance that he was later paid six cents each to fill the post holes up again, and he collected many large silver dollars therefor.—Fort George Herald.

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