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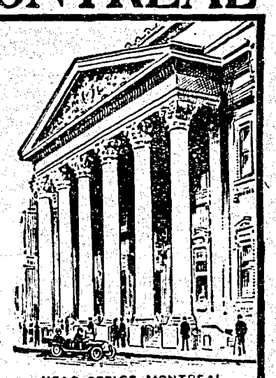

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FOR SALE. — Bluestem seed wheat for sale at $1 50 a hundred pounds. Joseph Caron, Anaconda.

FOR SALE.—5,400 shares of Midway Coal stock at five cents a share. Apply to Robert Robinson, Greenwood.

NOTICE

Michael Baum is hereby notified that if within 30 days he does not remove his trunk from my hotel it will be sold to pay his board bill and expenses.

Rock Creek, March 16, 1916.

S. T. LARSEN.

Butte Payroll

The payrolls of Butte mines for February were the largest for any month in the history of the Butte camp. The Anaconda Co. pay roll exceeds $1,200,000, Butte & Superior is approximately $235,000, North Butte $120,000, and the Elm Orlu and other Clark companies paid about $75,000. East Butte Co. rolls are close to 50,000, while Davis-Daily and other companies that employs smaller numbers of men are estimated to have pay rolls totaling $50,000 to $75,000. The total amount paid out by the mining companies alone in Butte amounts to about $1,800,000, which does not include any other lines nor does it take into account railroads and transportation lines connected with the mining industries.

Around Home

Bob Perry was in town yesterday.

It snowed about four inches in Phoenix last week.

Buy your field seeds at Brown's, Midway, B. C.

BORN.—On April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Sivitilla, a son.

For Columbia Grafonola's and Records, see A. L. White.

The water service hydrant in Anaconda is to be repaired.

H. S. Brown is now living on his ranch near Mead, Wash.

Home-cured ham and bacon at Brown's Midway.

The stores in Midway are hives of industry this spring.

The Grand Forks creamery is paying 30 cents for butter fat.

BORN.—On April 6, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Ganzini, a daughter.

The B. C. Copper Co. has bought a new McLaughlin car.

A. L. White agent for Cleveland bicycles. Rambler wheel $32.90.

Captain Kirk and family have returned to Grand Forks from England.

Church of England service will be held Sunday, April 16th, at 11 a. m.

Lately from five to 22 carloads of coke have been arriving daily in Greenwood.

Several mining deals are in sight, and Greenwood may yet be a second Butte.

F. K. McMann will soon be in Greenwood to do some work on his mining claims.

For prices on Alfalfa, Timothy, and Clover seeds write to Brown's, Midway.

BORN.—In Grand Forks, on April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Hewer, a daughter.

There will be plenty of logging next winter, along the Kettle river, and its branches.

The streets and alleys in Greenwood are to be cleaned, and the side walks repaired.

Hon. Martin Burrell is spending a few weeks in Virginia, for the benefit of his health.

Service in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday, April 16th, at 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

O. D. Bush was in town on Saturday, and spent a few minutes with his many friends.

You can save money by buying your field and garden seeds at Brown's Midway, B. C.

Beefsteak Pie Dinner, Easter Monday, April 24, in the Methodist church. Tickets 50 cents.

The City Council accepted $10 from Mr. Forshaw, in full payment of the pound fees that he owed.

James Dale will spend the summer, working on his mining claims near Bridesville and Carmi.

Mrs. James Sutherland, after spending the winter in Spokane returned to Greenwood last month.

It looks as though Greenwood would have another mining boom this year. Get your claims ready for inspection.

Miss Erma Ingram has returned to the Forks, after spending two weeks with her parents at Rock Creek.

After this week it will probably be many moons, before the chairs in the police court are again perfumed.

Owing to the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Dawson, Mrs. G. B. Taylor went to New Denver on Friday.

In order to recover $540 due him for wages as watchman, R. H. Whitford has put a mechanics lien upon the Carmi mine, at Carmi.

The city of Greenwood owns several acres of idle land. Why not raise hay or something else on it, and increase the municipal revenue?

F. C. Buckless was in Spokane this week attending court, as a witness for the G. N. Ry. During his absence Emile Clerf drove the auto stage.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Guy, of Grand Forks, will be at the Pacific Hotel, Greenwood, from April 10 to April 22, prepared to execute all kinds of dentistry.

John Finlay, Jr., of the 172nd Battalion came in from Kamloops last Thursday on a ten days furlough. John is a model soldier. He has never taken a drink of liquor in his life, eschews butter, eats fruit when he gets out of bed, and walks five miles before he eats breakfast. He expects to be in Europe before Christmas.

A. L. White has it.

The changes proposed for the telephone lines on Gold and Garland streets have been approved by the City Council.

Charles Haitch has retired from the range in the Windsor hotel, and will develop his mineral claims all summer.

H. C. Adney, and several other Mother Lode miners are now pounding the drill at Copper Mountain, near Princeton.

Mr. M. L. McCarren of Boundary Falls will be 93 years old on April 15. He eats plenty, takes a walk before breakfast, and never worries.

All political parties, can have their announcements, and reports of meetings, printed in The Ledge by paying the usual line rate for this kind of advertising.

M. W. Ludlow was in town on Tuesday, advising people to keep their eyes on Denoro. He is boarding the Emma miners, and his hens are producing 120 eggs daily.

The clerks in the postoffice at Grand Forks should buy a few calendars The Ledge recently received a notice from that office, two days ahead of the date. It is not always thus.

F. F Ketchum, James Drum, George Hambly and James Sutherland came to town last week from Beaverdell, in order to embrace the pleasures of a short holiday in the city.

About nine o'clock Tuesday morning, the Queens hotel in Phoenix was damaged by fire. The part of the building over the bar was gutted. Origin of fire unknown. The fire brigade did good work, but found some mud in the water.

The annual meeting of the Greenwood Riding Liberal Association, will be held in Larsens Hall, Rock Creek, Thursday evening, April 20, at 8 p. m., for the election of officers and other business. Do not forget the date, and come early. James Kerr, secretary.

Charles Gafvert, Wm. Plunkett and son, and Frank Woodworth were in town from Chesaw on Tuesday. They are shipping ore from the Gold Ax to Greenwood. The Gold-Ax is a copper-gold mine, four miles from Chesaw. It has an eight foot ledge and a fine showing.

The "Nurse and Martyr" pictures booked for the Star Theatre for last Tuesday were unavoidably postponed, due to the fact that one of the reels of film was destroyed on the road, thus delaying the exhibition of the feature at several cities along the circuit until a new copy of film can be secured, which the feature agency informs us shall be in the course of a couple of weeks. Watch for further announcement. See contract and letter in Rendell's window.

From the Front

Capt. R. G. Hargreaves is now on active service in France. A letter posted by him at the front reached The Ledge office in 17 days. He states that he reads The Ledge regularly, and appreciates it very much amid the roaring of cannon, and the mad whiz of flying shells. He is now just behind one of the warmest spots along the British front, and quite happy, although the weather has been execrable. It is amazing how the men and horses stand the weather. Recently it rained for three days, and while the horses were in mud past their hocks, it froze in the early morning, and the soldiers had to dig the equines out. In spite of the weather and the hellish game they bump into occasionally the boys are in splendid form. Bob has several cowboys with him, many of whom took part in the last Calgary Stampede, and nearly all of them read Lowery's Claim years ago.

A mother sent this somewhat satirical note to the teacher of her small son:

"Pardon me for calling your attention to the fact that you have pulled Johnnie's right ear until it is getting longer than the other. Please pull his left ear for a while, and oblige his mother.

Western Float

The Trail hospital will be enlarged.

Eggs are 20 cents a dozen in Telkwa.

Butter is 45 cents a pound in Creston.

Telkwa is called "The Town of Many Bridges."

The police force at Cranbrook has been reduced.

Dr. Howie has opened a dental office in Rossland.

In Vancouver some people are still playing poker.

In making people moral compulsion is a failure.

Armstrong will have an ice cream factory this summer.

Even Rossland did not escape the epidemic of measles.

James Doherty has opened a barber shop at Port Hill.

Ole Crosby of Rupe is working a placer claim in California.

The Bank of Hamilton has closed its Penticton branch.

Turkey, China and India have had prohibition for some time.

There are 150 miners working at Kimberley in East Kootenay.

On the 4th of May, the Cyprians walk the plank in Greenwood.

It will be 30 years on June 13 since the big fire in Vancouver.

At Alice Siding there is a hen that sometimes lays two eggs a day.

The people at Ashcroft sometimes get live fish from the water pipes.

The city employees of Port Alberni have had their salaries raised.

It costs less than $3 a ton to grow field roots in the Bulkley valley.

At Hazelton the wagon road brigade took to the trenches last month.

It is 51 years tomorrow since Abraham Lincoln was shot. He is dead.

The Eagle mine near Chesaw is shipping ore to the Northport smelter.

Chicago men will build a theatre in New York that will cost $6,500,000.

Daily 450 carloads of ore, grain, lumber and livestock, pass through Spokane.

Large quantities of lumber are being shipped from Port Alberni to Alaska.

A load of rails fell on Neil Darrough at Hat Creek, and broke one of his arms.

The Canford sawmills in the Nicola valley, are working day and night shifts.

Tulameen means red water. There is a river of that name in the Similkameen.

Mrs. A. McPherson of Enderby has a lily bulb, that has grown flowers for 23 years.

It is criminal to use force in matters of love, religion, morality, and personal habits.

L. D. Taylor has started a new weekly paper in Vancouver. Joe Martin should get busy.

The sawmill at Enderby has resumed operations, and will cut 16,000,000 feet of logs this season.

There are eight school teachers in Merritt, and they donate one days pay every month for patriotic purposes.

Red Paddy is planting spuds on his ranch near Princeton. He still has the crop of whiskers that he raised last year.

In Vancouver over 60 per cent. of the meal tickets, issued by the relief bureaus, are being used at Chinese restaurants.

Tea coffee and beefsteaks are killing thousands of people every year, but as yet there is no talk of prohibiting there use.

It costs the farmers in the Bulkley valley, $12 to produce and haul hay to the railway, He sells it for $28 a ton, making a profit of $14.

A thousand people will tell you not to mix your drinks, and not one will say that you should not your foods. One evil is as great as the other.

There is something the matter in B. C. when any smelter has to run short of coke. The govesnment should see that more coke ovens are put in operation.

Ed Marshall of Petrolia, Ontario, is 64 years old, and has been a butcher for 55 years. He learned the trade in England, and killed his first pig when nine years old.

If the threatened strike of railway employees in the United States comes off, it will cripple that country as much as a war would do, but it would help teamsters and pack train owners.

Pat's Adventures

Pat Emery, the well-known writer, novelist and globe trotter was raised in one of the big mining camps of Central Australia. Although water was $1 a gallon in that camp, Pat has never taken a drink of booze in his life, and only played one game of cards since he was born. He is 40 years old, and has a fine pair of black eyes. He has been busy of late in compiling and publishing advertising literature in B. C. In one of these publications he roasted Al Traunwiser of Grand Forks to a rich and golden brown. Al resented this kind of notoriety by hitting Pat in the top lights. Pat says he will sue Traunwesser for damages, and if successful, he intends to give the proceeds to the Patriotic Fund.

B. C. Mines

The Apex, near New Denver is being worked by Tony Becker.

It is reported that a mill will be built at the Surprise near Sandon.

It is rumored that the Brooklyn mine in Phoenix is to resume operations.

The Mountain Con near Cody in the Slocan will resume operations next month

The Bunker Hill & Sullivan Co. has decided to build a smelter this year at Kellogg, Wash.

The force at the Red Buck mine near Princeton, has been increased. The property will also be diamond drilled.

There are 15 men working at the Emma mine near Eholt. The Emma was recently bought by the Trail smelter.

The Greenwood smelter has increased its working force, and is treating about 1500 tons of ore daily, with two furnaces.

The Silver Hoard Mines Co. will build a 50-ton mill and flotation plant at Ainsworth. The company owns five claims in that camp.

This summer a wagon road may be built in the Slocan, from Three Forks up the north fork of Carpenter creek. Better start it before the election.

The B. C. Copper Co. are gradually increasing its force at Copper Mountain, near Princeton, and will soon have a hundred men doing shaft and tunnel work.

The high wages in Butte and the Coeur d'Alenes has caused several miners to leave the Slocan. The Standard mine at Silverton has recently raised wages 50 cents a day. The other mines may follow suit.

The Jackson Basin Zinc Co. has recently been formed by Volney D. Williamson, A. L. White and Yolen Williams, of Spokane, and Charles F. Caldwell, of Kaslo, B. C., to operate the Sunset group, Bell and U. S. claims at the head of Jackson basin in the Slocan district.

Two Los Angeles girls recently organized a club to "Live One Hundred years." All members must subscribe to live up to the following rules:

Rise at dawn, walk around the block rapidly twice before breakfast, drink buttermilk before eating, avoid hot cakes, coffee, ham, bacon and pork, eat little meat and Fletcherize, drink distilled water, work outdoors among flowers, smiling, laughing, singing. Never get "mad." never lie, keep late hours or smoke; take a nap every afternoon.

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R. T. LOWERY,
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The blue cross means that your subscription is due, and that the editor would be pleased to have more money.

SPRING is here. We heard a hen cackling in our woodshed the other day.

POVERTY and politics make strange partners and bedfellows.

IT looks as though that shell game in Ottawa is now wide open.

BY granting compensation to hotelmen, the sting can be extracted from Prohibition.

AT last Sam Hughes is under fire, and has been hit by many a paper bullet during the past week.

JUDGING from the thin condition of our job hook, most of the people around these parts have cut out job printing during Lent.

Canada Copper

President Mayer of the British Columbia Copper company, which controls the Canada Copper company, when interviewed by a representative of the Industrial And Mining Age as to the cause of the rise in Canada Copper shares, seemed somewhat surprised. He stated that there were no particular reason at this time for market enhancement, but that it was probably due to the advance in the price of copper metal. With regard to development at the mine, he stated that they were progressing satisfactorily and that the company was making a fair profit at present prices of copper.

According to latest reports, the Copper Mountain property has developed about 10,900,000 tons of ore of an average grade of 1.75 per cent. copper, or 35 pounds per ton, with small values in gold and silver. This would give the ore reserves a total copper content of 381,500,000 pounds, which at an average price of 15c and a working cost of 8½ cents per pound, would yield a net profit of $24,798,500, equivalent to $16 per share.

The company is now erecting a 2,000-ton plant to treat these ores, which will result in a production at the rate of 60,000 pounds per day, or 22,600,000 pounds per annum. On the same basis of cost or production and average price of copper, this would ensure earnings of $1,474,200 per annum, equivalent to 9½ per share, which on the present price of the issue is about 48 per cent. on the capital invested. As the present ore reserves, with a milling capacity of 2,000-tons per day, would have a life of about 16 years, this would mean a return of about $16 per share for that period, which indicates that the stock is worth considerably more than present quotations.

The Canada Copper Company has thus far developed a fair-sized low grade mine. With the recent financing through the issuing of the $2,000,000 of bonds, it promises to enter the ranks of the low-price copper issues within a year or two as a dividend paying proposition.

The Canadian Pacific engineers are convinced of the successful outcome of the Canada Copper Corporation's Copper Mountain property, and the railway company has decided to run a spur to the mine from Princeton Junction, a distance of 12 mile in air line. The location has been practically determined and it is understood that construction will be started in the spring.—N. Y. Mining Age.

Ainsworth-Slocan Mines

Of particular interest to prospectors is the possibility that Lorne A. Campbell, minister of mines, may introduce legislation providing for the giving of rights to prospect forfeited crown granted mineral claims. The idea originated with W. R. Winstead and was dealt with exclusively and fully by the Kootenaian in one of its issues of last winter. The plan is to give prospecting rights at a nominal figure and the person securing such rights is to have the first opportunity to acquire the ground if anything worth while is uncovered.

Henry Murhard, of Three Forks, who secured a lease of the Black Grouse up the north fork of Carpenter, after the property was dropped by William Barner, reports having opened up an encouraging looking four inch streak of dry ore, assaying 151 oz. in silver to the ton and carrying some antimony. Development of this ore body is being proceeded with. In the vicinity of the Black Grouse, Oliver Landreville and partners are developing a re-location of the Silver Key claim, and ore of a similar nature is being found, some samples being taken down to Three Forks last week, which give indications of carrying good values.

Some apprehension has been caused in local mining circles as the result of a reported order of the Canadian Pacific railway forbidding the turning over to the American railways of any Canadian Pacific freight cars, loaded or unloaded. This order, if adhered to, would adversely affect zinc ore shipments from this section, which is almost wholly dependent upon American smelters for the handling of zinc ores and concentrates. It is stated that the order has gone into effect as the result of the car shortage in the United States, the railways there apparently turning every C. P. R. empty they could lay hands on to for their own use, and as the Canadian line wants its own cars, it naturally objects to this. It is reported that some 150,000 C. P. R. cars are being used by the American lines.—Kaslo Kootenaian.

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SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Friday, the 21st day of April, 1916, for the purchase of the Pre Emption rights in what is known as the Peter Johnstone Ranch (Pre Emption Record No. 872s) and being Lot 299s, Similkameen Division of Yale District, situate on Nicholson creek, and about seven miles from the mouth of said creek, and said to contain 160 acres, more or less.

On the land is a Log house and a good barn and implement shed, and part of the Lot is fenced and sown in timothy and alfalfa.

Further particulars may be obtained by applying to the undersigned. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Sale to be subject to the approval of a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia. A certified cheque for 10 per cent of amount tendered must accompany each tender.

Dated 29th March, 1916.

F. W. McLAINE,
Official Administrator,
Greenwood, B. C.

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 inwhich 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 perton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent wth 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.—58782

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