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Town Jottings.

G. F. Parrish, M. E., visited the Payne mine a few days ago.

Mr. J. M. Harris is expected home about the 15th of next month.

Father Cote has gone to Quebec on a visit. He will be away for some time.

Tom McGuigan, formerly manager of the American Boy, is in the city for a few days.

The Tracy-Cudihee fracas has developed into a "hide-and-go-seek" game. We are unable to find out who is (h)it.

Mr. E. Seale, of the National Exchange Bank at Spokane, and a brother of Mrs. Fallows, is spending his holidays in the city.

Miss Luella Wilson, who has been visiting her brother for the past two years, left Wednesday for her home at Edmonton, Alberta.

R. B. Patterson left yesterday morning for Tacoma, Wash., having received a telegram from his wife stating that she had taken sick there.

W. Bailey returned to the city from Trout Lake on Wednesday, where he had been working all spring on his claims. He accompanied the baseball to Nelson.

Improvements have been made on the trail on Sunnyside hill by cribbing—the cave-in now presents a "very" creditable travelling route for teaming and packing.

Tuesday afternoon a stiff gust of wind, similar to the one experienced last week, held sway at the Slocan Star mine, but not quite so strong. The wind tore trees up by the roots and sent one crashing into the blacksmith shop and another damaged the flume near the mill.

Lestock R. Forbes has been appointed chief constable for the new police division taking in the whole East Kootenay district. The police district of Kootenay has been divided into two sections. Mr. Forbes was at one time constable at Silverton and Three Forks.

Mr. F. Hawkins, formerly assistant assayer at the Hall Mines smelter at Nelson, has been placed in charge of the late Howard West's assay office until such time as his affairs are adjusted. Mr. Hawkis is a graduate of the Royal School of Mines, London, Eng., and along with his experience in this country as well as elsewhere, he is well qualified to handle all classes of assaying.

The baseball club sent over to Nelson Thursday the strongest team they have ever sent from town and will uphold Sandon's prestige as a sporting town. The aggregation was composed of the following players: McCreary, catcher; Murphy, 1st base; Bailey, 2nd base; Mills, short stop; Petty, pitcher and 3rd base; McIntyre, pitcher and 3rd base; Richards, left field; Giegerich, center field; Isch, right field.

Union services of both the Methodist and Presbyterian congregations will be held tomorrow. The morning service is to take place in Crawford's hall, and that of the evening in the Methodist church.

Howard West has left a will with the full instructions for the disposition of his property. Harry Strickland, of New Denver, is executor of the will and has full charge of the property. Steps have been taken to have the will probated in regular form and the matter will come up at the supreme court in due time, when, if the court carries out the wish of the deceased, Strickland will be made administrator. The matter must come before the supreme court as the deceased left property to be disposed of.

An Important Ore Find.

What appears to be a phenomenal strike was made this week on the Mercury claim, about two miles from town, and just below the Payne mine.

The extent of the find is not fully known at present owing to the small amount of work done on it. The strike was made in a contact between porphyry and country rock and shows a carbonate ledge from one to two feet in width with large kidneys of ore deposited throughout the seam—some of these weighing 40 and 50 pounds. The ore appears to be high grade galena and associated with it grey copper and ruby silver; but the exact values will not be known until an assay has been made.

What makes the find more remarkable is the large amount of labor and money expended without receiving any returns, and the present strike can be said to be puerly accidental. When exploiting new ground they came across a porphyry dyke. It was while picking in wash along side the dyke, and when down about four feet, made their find.

The fortunate owners of this ground are Mayor Cunning, Albert David, of this city, and H. T. Twigg, of New Denver, and now have men uncovering and tracing the ledge down the hill to determine the extent of the showing.

They own the adjoining claim, the Silver Bill, both of which are full sized crown granted claims.

Mines and Mining.

The Chicago No. 2 is working with four men.

There are 12 men working at the Fisher Maiden.

The Echo, McGuigan basin, is likely to be opened up again.

The Bosun and the Capella have each shipped a car of ore this week.

The Hon. James Dunsmuir has finally foreclosed his mortgage and taken over the Noble Five property.

The Payne mine is putting in a brick furnace at the assay office at the foot of the tram.

No Nominations.

The city appears to be bereft of an ambitious class of citizens as was evidenced on Monday last, nomination day. This was the day chosen for the nomination of two public spirited townspeople desiring to become councilors to fill the vacancies made by Aldermen T. Duffy's and E. Stein's resignations. Up to the closing hour for nominations no one put in an appearance to shoulder civic honors. The present regime by their capricious manner in conducting the council has set a damper on parties who would hold public office and have things done in a proper and business-like manner.

The present councilors finding they could not secure the necessary co-partners in running the city's affairs by an election, appointed Alex. Crawford and A. Osborne aldermen at the council meeting on Monday evening to take the vacant seats. These gentlemen we understand will not act and, of course, the council must rustle elsewhere to secure two others with a little less modesty to make up the complement necessary to constitute a full board of councilors. The general opinion appears to be the undesirability of anyone to act.

Hotel Reco Arrivals.

B J Perry, A M Fullerton, Victoria; J Watts, J L Duncan, Winnipeg; F H Hawkins, Erie; Mrs Barclay, Mrs McIntosh, Mrs Lawson, Silverton; Fred P Wilson, W G Lillie, Vancouver; W J Blumdell, R J Hamilton, Nelson; D W Moore, Trail; G W Hughes, Alamo; G F Parrish, Greenwood; H Newcombe, McGuigan; N Nicholson, New Westminster; E Ellison, Louisville, Ky; J K Black, New Denver.

Sandon Ore Shipments.

The following are the ore shipments from Sandon for the week:

Mine.	Tons.
Ruth	138
Payne	40
Sunset	22
Total	200

Drilling Contest.

Dan Parham, formery of Sandon, and Lest Short won the drilling contest held at Randsburg, Cal., on the 4th of July. They drilled 29 3-4 inches in granite which beats all Cailornia's previous records.

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McADAMS' SENTENCE.

McAdams' sentence of nine months in the Victoria gaol, besides having to give bonds of $4,000 with good securities as a guarantee of good behaviour in the future—in default of securing them to serve another year in the gaol, has met with general approval. The sentence to a few of his friends may seem harsh, but no decent, self-respecting man or newspaper would endorse his actions. Everything of a moral or elevating character has been ridiculed and held up with contempt. Churches have been denounced as hypocritical and even the fair sex have not escaped his unsavory utterances, and any person imbued with common sense cannot stand this line of action, as it is unbecoming of a gentleman.

The article which the court convicted him on was the following one taken from the Paystreak:

"J. K. Clark's famous case against J. Frank McCollum for commission on the Arlington deal has again been postponed—this time until next December. J.K. has now been twenty-eight months trying to break into the British Columbia courts, but owing to McCollum's pull, cannot get his case heard, and it is evident that the courts intend to continue putting him off on one pretext or another until he dies or quits the game. . . . We pride ourselves on our British fair play, but we maintain a string of judges who are corrupt, lazy, debauched and prejudiced, and we permit them to conduct the business of the country in a manner that is simply outrageous. The two handed gun man is a lessor danger to society than a corrupt judiciary."

After the above article had been brought up and read, McAdams was allowed to address the court and prove his charges. The bravado spirit that characterised him appears to have simmered away while in the presence of the judges. The evidence adduced at Victoria also goes to show that he was seeking notoriety and that his charges were hopelessly groundless.

Here is McAdams evidence and remarks taken from the Victoria Colonist, viz:

Mr. Maclean, deputy attorney-general, put in the copy of the Paystreak containing the article complained of and quoted cases to show that the article was contrary to law.

McAdams addressed the court, not being represented by council, although Mr. A. E. McPhillips, K. C., watched the case in his interest. He stated that he could not comply with the summons of the court as he had no money with which to come to Victoria. The article, he said, was written in the heat of the moment, and was what he considered reflected what the people of Sandon were saying. He recited the facts of the case of Clark vs. McCollum, but said he was not prepared to prove that there was any "pull" exerted. He also admitted that he should not have used the word corrupt and tendered an apology.

After considering the case the court passed the sentence, Chief Justice Hunter saying that the court found the defendant guilty, on his own admissions, of a serious contempt of court and of a scurrilous attack upon the court with a view to scandalizing the judiciary before the country. The statements in the article in question stabbed the courts in its most vital parts, because it shook the confidence of the public in the administration of justice. The defendent appeared to be a man of some education, and should have known better than to write such an article. Not satisfied with one offence, he had repeated it. His apology was worse than no apology, because he had limited it to one portion of the offence. His Honor thought the court would be very remiss if it allowed articles of the sort in question to pass unchallenged. He wished to remind McAdams that he was not going to be made a hero of, as there were no heroes in the goals of British Columbia.

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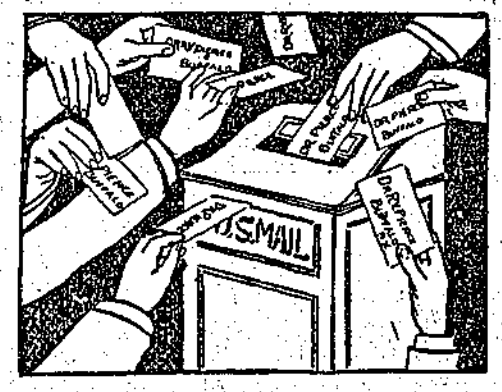

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We again call the attention of our readers to the absurdity of the people to sink the city into $10,000 additional debt for another water system that is as much needed as two trunks on an elephant. The interest on the debt, cost of management and yearly repairs will exceed $2,500, and the people are to be asked to put this additional burden on their shoulders to enable one or two aldermen to gratify a feeling against J. M. Harris. The best way, as far as we can see, is for these aldermen to purchase coffee and pistols for two. It will give them a chance to gratify their pugnacity and further save the people a debt it will require 20 years' scratching to pay. There is just as much money in a street railway to Cody as there is in a second water system in any town the size of Sandon. We know well in advance the people will not vote the money, so the only thing to be gained by the submission of a by-law is a considerable expense in advertising. The best thing the people can do is to advise the council in advance to drop their foolishness, and offer the present Water Co. what is a fair figure for the requisite fire protection. This will be money in the pockets of the people even if it does not give the fight desired to the aldermen.

THE CASE OF McADAMS.

Petitions are being circulated through the interior districts—the document at Sandon being in the hands of the deputy mining recorder—asking that the offence of Wm. McAdams, of the Sandon Paystreak, be passed over. Exactly what is meant by the petitioners it is not easy to understand. McAdams alleges that the courts of British Columbia are corrupt and that certain members of the judiciary are common drunkards. Either he is entitled to the unqualified thanks of the province for boldly exposing unsuspected venality and incapacity in the administration of justice, or he has himself abused beyond pardon or condonation the power of the press, and richly merits the full measure of punishment which the laws provide.

It is no case for an appeal for clemency. McAdams is either a journalistic hero or a blackguard, his offence being not so much against the individuals who have been the victims of his venom as against society as represented by the people of British Columbia. If the charges preferred were actuated by true journalistic determination to champion justice, truth and right, and expose corruption and incapacity, Mr. McAdams should as a man have hailed the first opportunity afforded him to prove his charges and complete his triumph.

He has chosen instead to place those whom he has attacked in the favorable position of forcing him to make good his accusations or take the consequences to be expected by the common slanderer. Up to date his course has not been such as to entitle him to the least consideration; he apparently regards the situation as demanding nothing mere than jests and mock heroics. He elects to pose as a journalistic martyr, and seeks the approval of his brother journalists not because he has manfully dared to expose a grievous wrong but because he is not allowed to write at random to make ducks and drakes of reputations. This line of action no decent, self-respecting man or paper would endorse. If the charges made in the Paystreak were well grounded, it is up to McAdams to make them good without further delay and he will have the active support of every representative paper in the province, and public opinion as well. If his accusations were nothing nobler than the frothings of an irresponsible scribbler with anarchistic leanings and an itch for notoriety, it is a reflection upon the press of British Columbia to recognize him as a co-worker and the papers should urge an adequate punishment.—Vancouver World.

A Canadian Mint.

Canada at last is to have a mint of her own. This important information has just been given out by a Dominion government official at the coast papers. The plans for its establishment have been under consideration by the government for some time, and recently plans for a distinctive coinage were formulated and forwarded from Ottawa to the British Government. The plans, it is said, have been approved of by the Imperial government, and a locaction will be selected immediately, which will be either Ottawa or Vancouver. No details are given out as to the class of coinage that will be turned out, but there can be but little doubt that gold and silver money will be issued and that the coat of arms of the Dominion will figure prominently on all coins.

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British Columbia's Mines.

Silver and Lead Production for 1901.

We are in receipt of the Minister of Mines annual report for the year ending December 31st, 1901. Below will be found an excerpt from the provincial mineralogist of the silver and lead production for last year, viz:

The total amount of silver produced in 1901 was 5,151,333 ounces, valued at $2,884,745. This is an increase over the previous year of $575,545 in value. The silver production of British Columbia this past year has been affected in two ways and requires some explanation. Silver is derived from silver-lead ores and from copper ores carrying silver, with a small percentage of "dry" silver ores. In 1900, approximately 90 per cent of the silver produced was derived from silver-lead ores, probably including most of the "dry" ores, as they were chiefly smelted together and are now impossible to separate in the statistics. This year there has been a falling off in the production of lead ores, and a consequent diminution of the silver production, which has, however, been more than offset by the greatly increased tonnage of the copper-silver ores.

As near as can be estimated, the copper-silver ores have this year produced 30 1-2 per cent of the silver output. The production from "dry" ores, although proportionately small, has greatly increased, but it would be difficult, as before stated, to separate, with any degree of accuracy, this source of production from the others.

The production of lead was this past year 51,582,906 pounds, worth $2,002,733. This shows a decrease in value of $689,-154, or about 25 per cent as compared with the production of 1900, but in fairness the comparison must not stop here; it must be remembered that in 1900 there was a phenomenal increase over 1899 of 206 per cent. The figures show, therefore, that the lead production of 1901, although showing a decrease as compared with 1900, shows an increase over 1898 of over 86 per cent, and over 1899 of 128 per cent, and is still 25 per cent higher than the highest production of any year prior to 1900. The cause of the decrease is not attributable to the mines themselves, but to the condition of the market for lead ores—too large a question to go into here—which has temporarily rendered it unprofitable to mine any large deposits of galena very low grade in silver. Reference is here made particularly to the lead ores of East Kootenay. The Slocan district has not been so seriously affected by the low price obtainable for lead ores, as the ores of this section carry much higher silver values, which has enabled them to be mined and marketed at a profit. As a matter of fact, the Slocan has this year just held its own regards tonnage of ore mined and values produced.

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Dominion of Canada.

Synopsis of Regulations for Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the North-West Territories, and the Yukon Territory.

COAL.

Coal lands may be purchased at $10.00 per acre for soft coal, and $20.00 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at such rates as may from time to time be specified by order in council shall be collected on the gross output.

QUARTZ.

Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miner's certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $10.00 per annum for an individual, and from $50.00 to $100.00 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner having discovered mineral in place may locate a claim 150 x 1500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.00.

At least $100 00 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500.00 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 per acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory of an area not exceeding 100 acres

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of royalty on the sales not exceeding five per cent.

PLACER MINING, MANITOBA, AND THE N. W. T., EXCEPTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee $5.00 renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan river claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggins, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

DREDGING IN THE RIVERS OF MANITOBA AND THE N. W. T., EXCEPTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan river, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental $10 00 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.00.

DREDGING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental, $100.00 per mile for first year, and $10.00 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty, ten per cent on the output in excess of $15,000.00.

PLACER MINING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten days if the claim is within ten miles of mining recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim, and each person in his or its employment, except house servants, must hold a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consist of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee is $15.00. Royalty at the rate of five per cent charged on the gross output of the claim, with the exception of an annual exemption of $5,000.00.

any number of claims by purchase, and free miners, not exceeding ten in number, may work their claims in partnership, by filing notice and paying fee of $2.00. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice and paying fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.00, or in lieu of work payment may be made to the mining recorder each year for the first three years of $200.00 and after that $400.00 for each year.

A certificate that work has been done or fee paid must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made, and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

HYDRAULIC MINING, YUKON TERRITORY.

Locations suitable for hydraulic mining, having a frontage of from one to five miles, and a depth of one mile or more may be leased for twenty years, providing the ground has been prospected by the applicant or his agent; is found to be unsuitable for placer mining: and does not include within its boundaries any mining claims already granted. A rental of $150.00 for each mile of frontage, and a royalty of five per cent on the gross output, less an annual exemption of $25,000, are charged. Operations must be commenced within one year from the date of the lease, and not less than $5,000.00 must be expended annually. The lease excludes all base metals, quartz and coal, and provides for the withdrawal of unoperated land for agricultural or building purposes.

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The Chicago Resumes Operations.

The Chicago No. 2 is now working with a force of four men. Work was commenced about a month ago under the direction of Frank P. O'Neil, the manager, and developing has been in progress ever since.

The Chicago No. 2 is owned by the Slocan-Chicago Mining Company, their head office being located at Spokane. The company was incorporated in Spokane last November with a capital stock fixed at $1,5000,000 shares of a par value of 25 cents a share.

The Chicago claim is situated about one mile east of Sandon and it adjoins the Freddy Lee mine and the Cube Lode property. There are four parallel veins and two lateral veins on the property. One of the parallel veins carries the same character of ore of the Slocan Star, and is believed to be a continuation of that vein. The assays go 70 ounces of silver and 70 per cent lead to the ton. In the lateral veins values run as high as 300 ounces of silver and 65 per cent lead.

Four tunnels are already opened up on the property, 115, 80, 72 and 40 feet long, respectively. There are open cuts and strippings of the viens that have proved the continuation of the leads. It is expected that the property will work on a larger scale later on, and it is the intention to have the Chicago join the shipping list of mines.

City Council Meeting.

A meeting of the city council was held in the council chambers on Monday evening. Mayor Cunning and Aldermen Folliott, Brown and Cameron were present.

City Clerk Lyons, the returning officer, notified the council that no nominations were offered for the two vacant seats in the council. Then A. Osborne and Alex. Crawford were appointed members of the board.

Alderman Brown introduced a bylaw authorizing the city to borrow $10,000 and issue debentures for the purpose of establishing a municipal waterworks system. The bylaw was read for the first time.

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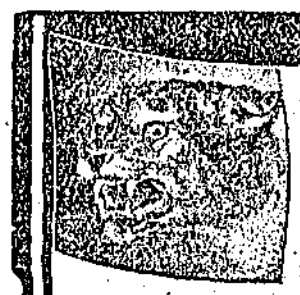

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REGULATIONS.

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ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situate, or if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the Local Agent for the district in which the land is situate, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of $10 is charged for ordinary homestead entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.

Under the present law homestead duties must be formed in one of the following ways, namely:

(1) By at least six months, residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years;

(2) If the father or the mother (if the father is deceased) or any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of the law as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a patent for his first homestead, on a certificate for the issue of such patent countersigned in the manner prescribed in the Dominion Lands Act, and has obtained entry for a second homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by residence on the first homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of the law as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

APPLICATION FOR PATENTS.

Should be made at the end of three years, before the Local Agent, Sub-Agent or the Homstead Inspector. Before making application for the patent the settler must give six month's notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of his intention to do so.

INFORMATION.

New-arrived immigrants will receive at the Immigration Office at Winnipeg, or at any Dominion Lands Office in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories information as to the lands that are open for entry, and from the officers in charge, free of expense, advice and assistance in securing lands to suit them; and full information respecting the land, timber, coal and mineral laws, as well as respecting Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia may be obtained upon application to the Secretary at the Department of the Interior, Ottawa; the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or to any of the Dominion Lands Agents in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories.

JAMES A. SMART,

Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—In addition to Free Grant Lands to which the Regulations above stated refer, thousands of acres of most desirable lands are available for lease or purchase from railroad or any other corporations and private firms in Western Canada.

Figures Talk.

The fifth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company was held in Toronto on March 7th.

The net profit of the year after paying all operation expenses and all charge of every kind amounted to $207.848.39. After paying a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, a balance of $28.-142.89 was carried forward to the credit of profit and loss.

This company's assets are their coal mines and the townsite of Fernie. Four years ago this company had no transportation facilities, and their stock sold as low as 11 cents per share. Today their stock is selling at $90.

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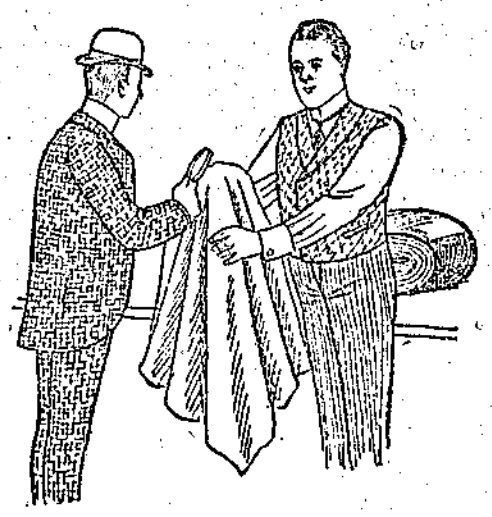

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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

GRACIE, MINNIE, LITTLE ESTELLA FRACTION AND TORNADO Mineral Claims situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located: About two miles south west of Sandon.

Take notice that the Selkirk Mining and Milling Company, Limited Liability, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 52236, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of each of the above claims.

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

Dated this 26th day of May, A. D. 1902.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

IRELAND Mineral Claim, situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located: On Tributary creek, adjoining Minnie Ha Ha, above Sandon.

Take notice that I, A. R. Heyland, of Kaslo, B. C., as agent for George Kydd, of Nelson, B. C., Free Miner's Certificate No. 50150, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 7th day of May, 1902.

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Canada Mining Institute Meeting.

Secretary B. T. A. Bell has issued a circular letter announcing that public meetings of the Canadian Mining Institute will be held in Nelson on the evenings of Wednesday and Thursday, 10th and 11th of September next.

At these meetings the following papers, among others will be read:

(a) Coarse concentration in the Slocan district, by S. S. Fowler, S. B., Nelson.

(b) Mine timbering by the square set system at Rossland, by Bernard Macdonald, M. E., Rossland.

(c) A comparison of costs for compressing air by steam and electric power at Rossland, by Wm. Thompson, M. E., Rossland.

(d) Safety lamps and mine explosions, by James Ashworth, M. E., Manchester, Eng.

(e) Notes on the machinery constituting a mining plant, by Alfred C. Garde, M. E., Sandon.

(f) Mine signalling by compressed air at Rossland, by Bernard Macdonald and Wm. Thompson.

(g) The mineral resources of Vancouver Island, by W. M. Brewer, M. E., Vancouver.

Hard Earned Wages.

An old church in Belgium decided to repair it properties and employed an artist to touch up a large painting. Upon presenting his bill the committee in charge refused payment unless the details were specified, whereupon he presented the items as follows:—

To correcting the Ten Commandments	$5 12
Embellishing Pontius Pilate and putting new ribbons on his bonnet	3 02
Putting new tail on the rooster St. Peter and mending his comb	2 20
Repluming and gilding the wing of the guardian angel	5 18
Washing the servant of the High Priest and putting carmine on his cheeks	5 02
Renewing Heaven and dusting the stars and cleaning up the moon	7 14
Touching up purgatory and restoring lost souls	3 06
Brightening up the flame of hell, putting a new tail on the devil, mending his hoof, and doing several odd jobs for the damned	7 17
Rebordering the robes of Herod and adjusting his wig	4 00
Taking the spots off the son of Tobias	1 30
Cleaning Balaam's ass and putting one shoe on him	1 70
Putting earrings in Sarah's ears	1 71
Putting a new stone in David's sling, enlarging the head of Goliath and extending Saul's legs	6 13
Decorating Noah's Ark and putting a head on Shem	4 31
Mending the shirt of the prodigal son and cleaning his ear	3 39
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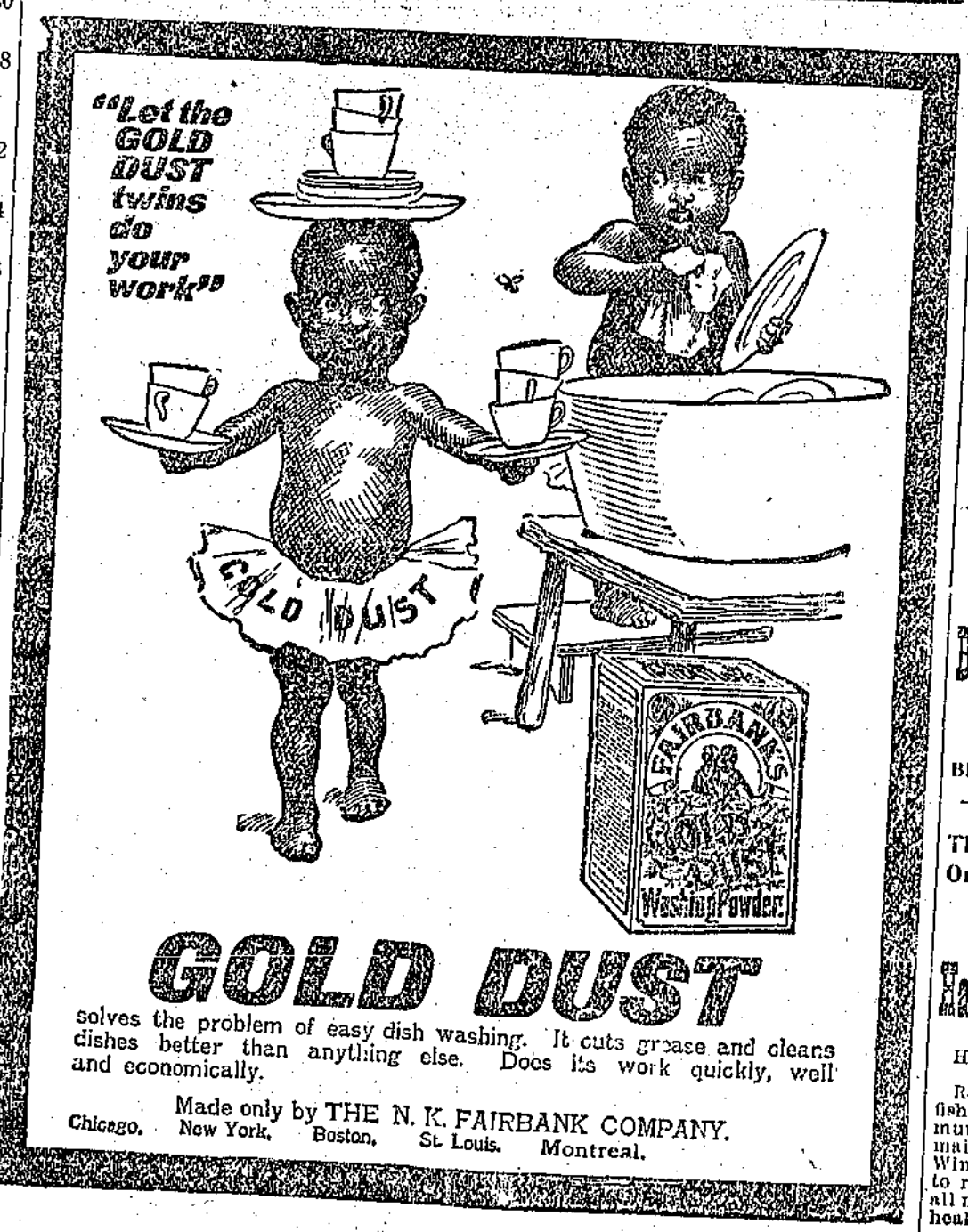

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