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Town Jottings.

The 26 and 27th will be public holidays, Coronation days.

D. W. Moore, ore buyer for the Trail smelter was in town this week.

Slocan City will have a big celebration on the 1st, Nelson on the 12th, and Sardon on the 0.

Remember the Coronation ball in Sardon on the 26th, if you have to forget all other amusements.

John Daly spent a few hours in town on Tuesday with kindred spirits, "Shady" being of the number.

The Rev. McIntyre preached his first sermons in the Methodist church on Sunday last, and this week he and Miss McIntyre are busy arranging the parsonage.

It is in the air that the American smelter trust will enter this province, building one or more smelters. There is room for it, if it will help the mining industry any.

Michael McAndrews, an old miner and prospector of these parts, died in the Nelson hospital the other day and was taken to Kaslo for interment. He had been ailing for a long time.

T. H. Wilson and Miss Helen Hunter were married in Silverton on Monday by Rev. McColl. They have gone to the coast on a honeymoon.

The citizens of New Denver are making arrangements for a coronation day picnic. A cordial invitation is extended to Sardon and Three Forks.

A good way to adjust matters in this province would be to abolish the two per cent tax on mines and levy the amount collected on Jim Dunsmeir's tin title, if he brings one back from the coronation.

The British Columbia government has now given the franchise in provincial elections to boys of eighteen. This is much like female franchise; it will be duplicating the votes of the heads of the household.

On June 23rd and 24th the C. P. R. will sell round trip tickets from all points in the Kootenay to Vancouver and Victoria to the coronation celebrations at single, first class fare for the round trip, tickets good for 15 days. Full particulars from local agents.

The public generally will regret to learn of the death of James Martin, ex-M. P. P., of Rossland. Faults he had for he was human, but he was a whole souled, generous man, honorable in all his dealings, and respected beyond the ordinary mortal by all his intimate acquaintances.

Alderman Jalland is likely to move on to the farm near Edmonton on the 1st of July, Thos. Jalland having sold out his interests at Enderby and taken charge of the Sardon branch. The city council will soon be like Job's turkey when he had but one feather in his tail, the law being walked on and no effort made to fill the vacancies.

C. D. Hunter came in from Phoenix on Thursday on business with his branch store, the Hunter-Kendrick Co.

As there is a general misunderstanding as to who are the real promoters of the coronation dance to be held on the 26th inst., we are requested to state that several married women as well as those that ought to be are to equally share the honor.

Mining Cases in Court.

A mining suit from Cody furnished the appeal which occupied the Full court Friday, and brings again before the court a lot of matters which for several years past have been up time and time again. Callaghan vs. Coplen was the old suit arising over the Cube Lode and the Cody and Joker fractions fight. This was carried from court to court, the appeals both here and at Ottawa going against the Cube Lode claims. In Fry vs. Botsford and Macquillan, however, A. C. and F. L. Fry come in claiming to be co-owners with Coplen to the extent of a half interest in the Cube Lode, and want once more to fight the old case over again, claiming in addition that Wm. Botsford and J. Macquillan are only in the matter to the extent of financing the former law suit.

The present appeal, which was heard Friday by the Chief Justice, with Messrs. Justices Drake and Martin, will be continued this morning, is from an order of Mr. Justice Irving, by which he held that the judgment rendered by the the Full court of British Columbia, and the Supreme court of Canada was not an estoppel to the plaintiffs from asserting their claim to title in the Cube Lode mineral claim, although by the former judgment it was held that the Cube Lode claim was an invalid and illegal survey, and that the action by a part owner of the Cube Lode did not bind the co-owners, who are the plaintiffs in this action. — Victoria Colonist.

Another Fight at McGuigan.

Constable Black, of New Denver, arrived in the city on Thursday in charge of Henry Gibson, of McGuigan, whom he arrested there on the charge of doing grievous bodily injury to John Rothnie, ore loader for the Rambler mine at McGuigan. Gibson bit and scratched Rothnie considerably. Among the other indignities he called Rothnie a "scab." This man Gibson was among the gang that prevented the Hoag Bros. from going on with a contract they secured at McGuigan. As the information was laid at Kaslo, and was not sent up, after spending a night in the cooler here, Mr. Black took his man to Kaslo for trial yesterday. There is a class of idlers in this country who would like to use unions as a shield to commit many wrongs on men who are endeavoring to earn an honest living.

Slocan Star Will Just Develop.

Byron N. White has been in the city for the past week looking over things at the Slocan Star, and talking them over with his colleagues and assistants. He says they have come to the conclusion not to work the mine this summer. They have some law suits on hand, and it will pay better to look after them properly than to mine at present prices. A little development and other unimportant work will be done, but that is all. Asked by a reporter how the removal of the two per cent tax would affect them, he said that, "In one quarter recently, we paid the government over \$1,700 on that tax, or at the rate of about \$7,000 a year, and this sum with present low prices is a long step to profit and loss. The removal of this tax would so far assist low grade properties, as to greatly facilitate operations in the country. The better government is to encourage mining, the great industry of the country, and collect necessary revenue from minor industries, properties and businesses made prosperous in consequence of the developed mining operations."

Mining Around Sardon.

The Payne Company put W. de Rose and a few other men to work on the St. Keverine on Monday. The intention is to do considerable work on the property this summer.

Manager Pratt says the workings of the Last Chance are so wet from surface water, they cannot employ many men. As soon as the mine dries up a fair force will be put on.

They are packing down a small quantity of ore from the Reco that is lying in the workings. In other respects there is nothing doing at the mine, the night watchman alone being employed on the property.

The Ruth is opening up on an extensive scale. The mill was started Tuesday and has considerable ore ahead, a large quantity of ore being ready for it; and in the workings from 40 to 60 men will be employed.

The Sunset, owned by G. W. Hughes and associates, keeps up its record as a dividend payer, yielding \$6,000 again this week. The ore runs about 134½ silver and 75 per cent lead. It is proving to be, expenses and outlays considered, the best paying property in these parts.

Hotel Reco Arrivals.

L. R. Lindsay, Mrs. Jennie H. Harris, W. J. Twiss, Kaslo; R. Baker, J. M. Curtis, Toronto; Mrs. W. J. McDonald, Whitewater; W. R. Wilson, Nelson; W. B. Strathearn, Rosebery; Alf. Blackson, C. L. Lightfoot, J. A. Hepperton, Vancouver; Chas. Lunn, C. J. Parsons, F. W. Middleton, Winnipeg; J. T. Black, C. C. Nelson, W. S. Drewry, New Denver; D. W. Moore, Trail, C. D. Hunter, Phoenix; Geo. W. Hughes, Alamo.

Mines and Mining.

The Bosun shipped last month five cars of ore. One car gave returns of \$1,100.

A Montreal syndicate have purchased the Caroline and Hastings claims on Whitewater creek. A force will be put to work them next week. These are asbestos properties.

The Fisher Maiden's ore shoot in the lower workings is 110 feet long and is without a break. The shoot measures eight feet across at the widest point and will average from two and one-half to three feet across. Shipments will not commence until the new wagon road from the mine is built.

Must Be Recorded When Done.

In the B. C. Gazette notice is given that the lieutenant-governor in council has made the following order relating to Sec. 143 of the Mineral Act:

That paragraph two of Sec. 5 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act, 1898, be so interpreted that should any free miner perform assessment work on his claim during any one year to the value of one hundred dollars or more in excess of the amount required to be done in any one year of the Mineral Act, the right thereby given such free miner of recording a certificate of work done to the value of each hundred dollars so as to cover his assessment work for an additional year in respect of each one hundred dollars in excess, shall be exercisable only at the time of record of the certificate of work in respect to the amount required to hold the claim during the year in which such excess shall be performed. This order came into force on June 1st.

Sardon Ore Shipments.

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

Mine.	Tons.
Slocan Star.....	42
American Boy.....	44
Reco.....	20
Total.....	106

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ACT IN TIME.

In reading between the lines of the provincial press and scanning the utterances of many prominent men, there is much anxiety abroad as to the future of this province. Wealth there is here certain enough; but this is a matter of no moment if conditions in the country prevent its extraction. It is poor satisfaction to the hungry horse to be told there is hay in the barn if he is not allowed access to it; it is equally senseless to talk of our "great resources" if the necessary capital to develop them be not secured, rendered safe in investment, and assured of a moderate interest in turn for employment. Much of the legislation of the past few years is in the direction of rendering these things impossible. This is the result of our selection of representatives in the legislature. We have too often chosen the mere political adventurer, the men whose first consideration is the construction of a ladder to advance themselves into position through the purchase by enactments of the irresponsible vote. Summed up the situation is causing the sensible people of the country to ask themselves the question, Is it worth making another effort to restore confidence in the country or allow it to drift bodily into the hands of the rabble? The consideration is not, as the anarchist may claim it is to throw the country into the hands of the capitalist class to crush labor, because every one knows that labor was never driven more to desperation in the province than it is at the present when it itself virtually has control. The feeling is now to either let the country drift on further in the hands of the irresponsibles until the worst shall have been reached, or make a strong effort to restore desired conditions, those that will assure the capitalist money invested here is safe from the hands of the destroyer, and assured of moderate returns.

From the experiences of the past three years, labor should be well assured that it cannot unaided by investments procure profitable employment for itself, any more than capital can earn money without investment. In the controversy, however, capital is bound to have the best of it in that it can stand longer without investment than labor can without employment. We are fully advised the Dominion authorities are looking on with much anxiety as to the turn of events in the province, and would be willing to encourage any movement in the country calculated to restore stability. We hear it out of the mouths of every agitator in labor circles, that labor is going to become a political factor in securing for itself a better

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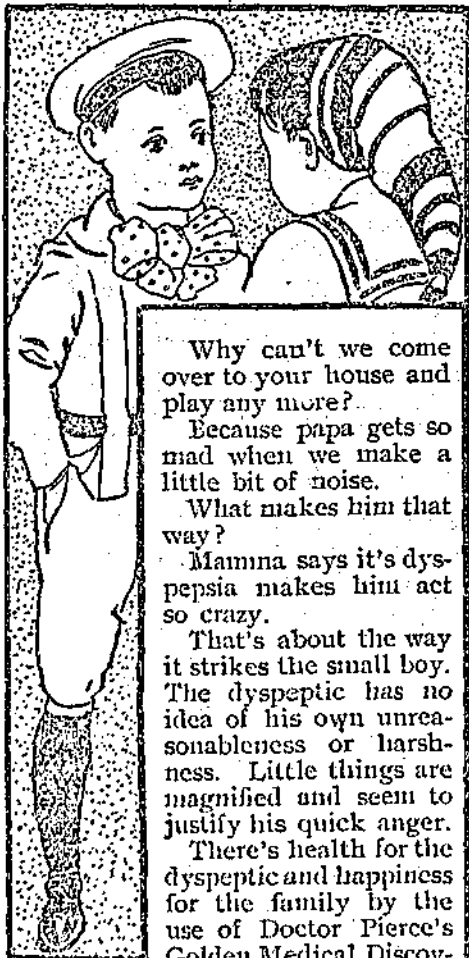
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status. No one could object to this, in fact every man should encourage every such effort that was directed by discretion and sound common sense. When, however, it becomes known most of these utterances are made with a view to still further strangle capital for anarchistic gratification, the situation becomes the more serious.

We submit, and we know we cannot be successfully contradicted, that the best days the country saw, and the best ones it will ever see, would be ushered in at once if English and other eastern and southern capital was by any means protected, that for the future all invest-



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Mamma says it's dyspepsia makes him act so crazy.

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ments in this country would unalterably be assured of from three to five per cent interest for the future. No one will say this is too much, and yet our legislation is in the direction of even preventing this. With such an assurance, capital would pour in, new mining properties would be opened up every day, the country would be scoured for men, to whom every cent they could earn would be paid, every inch of our agricultural, fruit growing and ranching land would become occupied as a market for their products would be opened at their doors, and the country would bound in all directions into unprecedented prosperity. Now even the sensible laborer and mechanic in the country who allows his own judgment to influence him, knows this is the best for him, still he allows the political fakir, the agitator and the charlatan to influence him every time he goes to cast his ballot. We honestly believe this thing can be cured, if thorough, independent action was taken by those who have much to gain by activity. Union mouthers, Progressive party agitators and labor union officials, who are making wealth out of their dupes in the country everywhere, opposite this uncontradicted by the intelligence of the naked facts and absolute truth. We are quite assured there is a large sprinkling of the vote carried away by such men, that is thoroughly convinced everything is not working right in the country; but in the absence of proper light they follow the shadows that flit before them. Every true lover of this country should be willing to allow labor every cent it was worth in every calling, and no honest laborer should look for more.

We have before referred to this matter, and are convinced that if any organization of the substantial interests of the country was perfected, and sensible, moderate and capable speakers were secured to tour the province over, much of our political lameness would be cured, and that at the next elections common sense rather than prejudice would have an important bearing on the results.

McAdams is improving very fast. An inquest is being held at Fernie to ascertain the cause of the accident there, and McAdams comes out boldly and says it was the Crows Nest Pass Coal Company who killed the 140 men. He says, too, to get justice in the courts of British Columbia a suitor must have money to buy up the judges. In the Western States where cowboy rule prevails, an effort would be made to stamp this kind of thing out of existence, and the question is how long will it be tolerated in what is supposed to be a civilized British province, especially when the object of it all is to make McAdams a "h—l of a fellow" among the most lawless and reckless elements of the country.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: 1st, commencing at a post marked J. H. Lavelley's north-west corner post, situated near the mouth of the West Fork of Wilson Creek, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres. Dated this 14th day of May, 1902.

J. H. LAVELLEY.

2nd, Commencing at a post marked J. H. Lavelley's north-west corner post, situated on the north side of the west fork of Wilson Creek, about four miles from the forks, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres. Dated this 14th day of May, 1902.

J. H. LAVELLEY.

NOTICE.

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THOS. CHEW.

2nd, Commencing at a post marked Thos. Chew's north-east post, situated on the north side of the West Fork of Wilson Creek, about 12 miles from the forks, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres. Dated this 16th day of May, 1902.

THOS. CHEW.

NOTICE.

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A. MCPHERSON.

2nd, Commencing at a post marked A. McPherson's north-west post, situated on the north side of the West Fork of Wilson Creek, about eight miles from the forks, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres. Dated this 15th day of May, 1902.

A. MCPHERSON.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria, B. C., for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: 1st, commencing at a post marked Geo. Chew's south-east post, situated on the south side of the west branch of Wilson Creek, about 14 miles from the forks, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres. Dated this 19th day of May, 1902.

GEO. CHEW.

The Canadian Northwest HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even-numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or Northwest Territories, excepting 8 and 26, which has not been homesteaded, reserved to provide wood lots for settlers, or for other purposes, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, of any male over 18 years, to the extent of one quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

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 Homestead 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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NOTICE.

To John H. Gray and to any and all others to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Pansy and Violet mineral claims situated on Payne mountain, in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District, British Columbia.

Take notice that I, D. E. Sprague, a co-owner in each of the said Pansy and Violet mineral claims, have expended \$102.50 in doing and having recorded the annual assessment work on the said Pansy mineral claim for the year ending July 29th, 1901, as required by section 24 of the Mineral Act, and \$102.50 in doing and having recorded the annual assessment work on the said Violet mineral claim for the year ending August 9th, 1901, as required by section 24 of the Mineral Act, and that if within ninety days from the date of the first publication of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of the said expenditure, being one-eighth of the amount expended in respect of each of the said mineral claims, amounting to \$12.80 in respect of each of said claims, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in the said claims will become vested in me the undersigned, under the provisions of section 4 of the "Mineral Act, Amendment Act, 1900."

The address for payment of the said moneys to me the said D. E. Sprague is, care of McAnn & Mackay, Barristers, Kaslo, B. C.

Dated the 11th day of March, 1902.

D. E. SPRAGUE.

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 47, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 7th day of May, 1902.

A. R. HEYLAND.

M. L. GRIMMETT, LL. B.

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W. B. STRATHEARN, Manager.

The Two Per Cent Tax.

It is not unlikely that the B. C. government will see the advisability of removing the two per cent tax on mining output, and doing something to put the industry on a better footing. By adoption of the eight-hour law, the output is made to cost the mine owners in the neighborhood of 12 per cent more than it used to—that is 20 per cent lost on the day for a gain of seven per cent in the reduction of day wages. Prices have gone down very seriously on all minerals save gold, and the two per cent only added grievously to the burden of the low grade properties. With the latter removed, refining accomplished in the province, and sufficient protection given to refined lead and lead products to lead, the manufacture of corrugated leads, shot, piping, leaf, and all other products of lead consumed in the country, a new era ought to become a reality in the province. No doubt concessions will also have to be yet made by the railways and smelters that will still further improve conditions in the country. In the Kootenays we have sufficient minerals, acknowledged to be of good grade and in big bodies, to establish an industry of sufficient proportions to give employment directly and indirectly to many millions of people. To secure that population and employ it should be the main aim of the governments, the railways and other corporations similarly interested. The Federal government is taking commendable steps to settle up waste lands in the territories, for the revenues that population may create; and our B. C. government ought to be equally active and determined as to the mining activity in the Kootenay country, that similar advantages may accrue to the provincial revenue.

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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 52336, 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.

A. R. HEYLAND,

ENGINEER,
AND PROVINCIAL LAND SURVEYOR.

SANDON, B. C.

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The Mining Review.

SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 1902.

CITY MATTERS.

Our city council has now another bit of a tangle on hand, Gilbert Malcolm Sproat says he will pay his taxes due before the fire if the council will only send a statement of what they are; but Gilbert Malcolm is foxing. He knows just what they are as well as he knows how many eyes he has in his head, but he hopes to gain by bantering. No doubt he has preserved every paper he ever got from our officials bearing on the matter. To make up the statement, however, the council called in Mr. F. C. Sewell's assistance, and he wants \$25 for his trouble, which the council don't want to pay. As a matter of fact Mr. Sewell cannot remember old assessment, and cannot therefore give any information that cannot be given by anyone else, but being employed he must be paid.

If the council had kept appointments and adjusted differences with Mr. Harris on a proper basis, all this might be averted, as no doubt Mr. Harris' records would give them all the information they required for a proper statement to Sproat. In some cases Harris and Sproat are assessed jointly, and in most other cases as Sproat's lots are lying along side of Harris' the assessments should be the same. However, a careful examination of Harris' books and papers, most of which were preserved, would give the council all the data they required to meet Sproat's request. Instead, however, of trying to adjust matters with Harris on a proper basis, the council are courting litigation they will get to the mortification of the taxpayers. When we say the council, we do not wish to be understood as saying all the members of the board, as we know Alderman Cameron, ex-Mayor Lovatt, in his time, and others, were disposed to do the right thing. City Clerk Lyons' past blunders have already cost the city considerable, and by the time other agencies employed in his education are paid off, his special friends will find they have an expensive luxury. The best thing the council can do is to have some competent Victoria man call on Gilbert Malcolm Sproat, take up the papers he has, and make up a statement of liabilities. If any papers are missing, the link can be more easily filled up here than the whole chain can be made out of nothing, but finger nails and prejudice.

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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 after it is 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 diggings, 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 20 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 consists 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 \$100.00 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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Deputy to the Minister of the Interior
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Mining at Three Forks.

There are a number of mining properties and prospects being worked and developed at Three Forks and the North Fork this summer, which will give this camp a certain amount of activity in mining. Most of the properties are just worked to keep up the assessments.

The Bachelor group will be worked all summer. Supplies have already gone up to the mine. So far considerable money has been spent in developing and opening up these claims, and there has been considerable tunnelling done within the last few years.

The Silverite, adjoining the Bachelor, will be developed by Corey & Foster. This property was under bond to a Toronto company a few years ago. A wagon road is being built from the Silverite to the Cinderella claim lower down the hill, and when completed it will be a mile and a half long.

The old Grey Eagle has just finished up assessment work. In 1894 ore was first found in the first workings, and shortly after Col. Walton took a bond on the property. It has since been relocated under another name. There has never been much work done so far.

There are four men at work on a claim nearly opposite the Alamo concentrator on the north side of Carpenter creek.

The Roulette and Joe Joe groups on the North Fork are being worked.

The Monitor mine is keeping up steady development and is looking well.

The Iron Hand.

Slowly but surely the claims and other mining properties around White-water are being developed and opened up. Word reached the Mining Review Monday that a three to four foot seam of solid ore was struck on the Iron Hand near the surface. The ledge has also been tapped at a depth of 200 feet, for a distance of 20 feet, and there is a good showing of concentrating ore all the way. This lead has been traced through several claims.

It is one of the properties that has come to the front through development in the past year. Banting brothers, the owners, have spent time and money in working the property, and so far have made several good showings in a number of the tunnels. On the dump there is considerable ore which will be shipped. Most of the ore found in the mine is concentrating ore.

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