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GALLANT OFFICERS.

Heroism Displayed in the Action at Landikai.

The following account from the London Times of the cavalry charge at the action of Landikai, in the Swat valley, will be read with interest:

While the artillery were shelling the position, occupied by the tribesmen, and the turning movement of General Meiklejohn's brigade was being completed the Guides' cavalry were waiting near the foot of the hill for an opportunity to move forward. When the enemy broke the Guides made their way along a narrow causeway leading into the plain of Landikai. By the time that the head of the leading squadron had emerged on the plain the enemy were already more than a mile away in full retreat towards the shelter which they knew was to be found in the distant hills. The pursuers started without a moment's delay, determined to overtake the fugitives before they had taken refuge where cavalry would be unable to punish them; and as they advanced the squdron gradually strung out, the best mounted forging ahead, and the sowars being gradually outpaced. Captain Palmer and Lieutenant Greaves maintained a strong lead, closely followed by Colonel Adams and Lord Fincastle, and as the enemy were approached Colonel Adams pushed on farther in order to direct Captain Palmer to keep to his left and take shelter in a clump of trees, which stands some 50 yards from the foot of the hill where the enemy had taken refuge.

Unfortunately this order was unheard by Captain Palmer, and he and Greaves rode straight into the small knot of tribesmen who were still on the plain, under a very heavy fire from those on the hill. Poor Greaves was shot almost instantly, and fell to the ground, and Colonel Adams and Lord Fincastle at once dashed in to rescue him from the Ghazis, who were hacking with their swords at his prostrate body. It was at this juncture that Captain Palmer's horse was killed and he himself received a bullut through the right wrist. As Colonel Adams and Lord Fincastle dashed up the Ghazis retreated from the body and began firing at them from a distance of about 20 yards, while the enemy on the hill also poured in a stream of bullets. Lord Fincastle's horse was shot and several bullet holes were found afterward's in his saddle, and his scabbard was shattered by a ball. How he and Colonel Adams escaped appears a miracle. Lord Fincastle then endeavored to raise poor Greaves' body on to Colonel Adam's saddle, but found himself unable to do so, and a rush of Ghazis coming down the hill at the moment Colonel Adams moved a few yards to the right to intercept them. Lord Fincastle then dropped the body and stood over it until the arrival of two sowars. While one of the latter was assisting Lord Fincastle to raise Greaves a bullet passed through the latter's chest, and it was this that killed him, as he had hitherto been breathing, though unconscious. All this time Colonel Adams sat quietly on his horse guarding the others as far as he could from the hot fire kept up by the enemy, which now killed one of the Sowars' horses.

Meanwhile Lieutenant MacLean having guided the remainder of the squadron under cover of the neighboring clump of trees, dashed out to the rescue with three sowars. Two horses were at once shot. Lieutenant MacLean dismounted and with his help Lieutenant Greaves' body was at length raised on to a Sowar's saddle and borne safely away. All now made off towards the trees, Lieutenant MacLean and Lord Fincastle on foot, and on the way the former was shot through both thighs, was helped under cover, but died almost at once from loss of blood. Colonel Adam's horse meanwhile was wounded and he himself received a cut in the right hand. Thus the losses during the few minutes which these events occupied were two British officers killed and two wounded, and four horses killed and two wounded. Both Colonel Adams and Lord Fincastle displayed great courage in their determined rescue of poor Greaves, unhappily dead, under a heavy fire at so short a range, and the coolness of the former, while resolutely protecting the others, so far as lay in his power, by interposing himself between them and the Ghazis, cannot be too highly praised.

It is impossible to make an accurate estimate of the enemy's losses during the battle of Landikai; it was first put down at about 150, but news has since been received from various villages and from Buner from which it would appear that they must amount to several hundreds, as might indeed be expected from the heavy artillery fire to which they were exposed.

WHITEWATER.

Whitewater, Oct. 11.—Everything is looking well at the Whitewater mine. Isaac Waldron has three teams hauling ore from it and daily shipments of one or more car loads continue to be made. There were numerous visitors at the mine during the week, some of them agents for foreign capitalists.

Development at the Hillside continues to show up favorably, and the beaming looks of the managers and officials testify thereto.

The Eureka mine, adjacent to Sproule's B. C., is being actively worked at present. Three hundred sacks of ore have been packed down, and sufficient ore to fill six hundred sacks more had been taken out of the mine when last heard from.

Word was received to-day that the London, Bear Lake, is looking better than ever, a body of very rich ore having been struck lately.

Hotel improvements is the order of the day at Whitewater. J.H.McKim's hostelry, the Whitewater hotel, has been doubled in size and exterior tastefully painted.

The neighboring camps, Sproule's and Bear Lake, are showing signs of increasing business. Packers are having a harvest.

Herbert Wright, the young man who had his leg broken by sliding timber at the Whitewater mine on the 1st inst., is progressing favorably under the care of Dr. Rogers, at Kaslo. A subscription raised among his friends at the mine and here for his benefit netted a handsome amount.

Operations on the Charleston mine are being pushed vigorously, and by the time there is sufficient snow for rawhiding it will have everything ready for regular shipments.

Considerable is also being done at the Northern Belle. A consignment of hoisting machinery etc., is expected daily. The new bunk house is nearly completed, and work on a new ore house started.

The Echo is expected to start up soon.

The Antoine now has a foot of solid 300-oz. ore.—Ledge.

BOND ON THE QUEEN BESS GROUP.

C. K. Milbourn, Who Has the Claim, Will Work the Mine.

The Spokesman-Review has the following to say about the Queen Bess, near this town: There have been a great many reports in regard to the transfer of the Queen Bess group in the Slocan. It is asserted that none of these reports have been correct. The fact of the matter is that C. K. Milbourn bonded the group for $110,000, of which $35,000 was cash and the balance in three payments. The present owner will at once start to work the mine for all it is worth. The group comprises the Queen Bess, American Girl, Young Dominion and Young Dominion Fraction. The claims are situated near the Idaho mine and promise to turn out well.

Has Faith in the Slocan.

John Dean, of the firm of Smith, Dean & Co., Rossland in an interview with the Ymir Miner, said; "Times are as lively there as ever. Slocan has some grand mines, and their richness will prevent them shutting down even should the price of silver fall below the fifty cent mark. British Columbia has a grand future when such mines as the Reco and Slon Star can show results ranging from 200 ounces up to 1,200 ounces. This province is destined to be one of the big mining centres of the world, in time even rivalling Johannesburg—we have British Laws and British government—a government that will protect the poor as well as the rich. Let each man put his shoulder to the wheel—that will bring the Province of British Columbia to the front.

A BIG PIECE OF ORE.

A. H. Kelley brought into Nelson the other day a large specimen of ore weighing over 3,000 pounds and Mr. Kelley has put it on exhibition in front of his office on Baker street, where it has attracted a great deal of attention. It is from the Dandy mine, owned by Mr. Kelley, and located on Toad mountain. It runs on an average of $80 in gold, silver and copper. The ledge from which it was taken is over five feet in width. The Dandy mine is the source from which Mr. Kelley derived his nickname "Dandy" Kelley.

THE RECO MINE.

Some Interesting Figures Relative to the Value of Shipments.

The management of this mine have just received word from the Omaha and Grant smelter of 3 cars of ore (Oct. 7th, 7th and 9th) that is very satisfactory reading to them. They are not picked cars from picked lots, but three consecutively from the ordinary working of the mine. Another feature of the business is that they are an advance on past shipments showing an improvement in the grade of ore as the mine is worked.

LOT NO. 10, 41,047 LBS.

Assay per ton, 389.8 ozs. silver and 46 per cent. lead.	
Total net oz. silver 7,600.06 at 56¾	$4 313.03
16,994 lbs of lead at $4.00	679.76
Total gross value	4,992.72
Less freight and treatment	711.92
Net proceeds	4,280.87

LOT 11, LBS 42,036.

Assay per ton 405.5 oz. of silver and 50 per cent. lead.	
Total net, oz. silver, 8,096.66 at 56¾	$4,594.85
Total net lbs lead, 18,916, at $4.00	756.64
Total gross value	5,351.49
Less freight and treatment	755.29
Net proceeds	4,596.20

LOT NO. 12, LBS 38,518.

Assay per ton, 435.10 oz. silver, lead 46 per cent	
Total net oz. silver 7,960.6 at 55¾	$4,447.79
Total net lbs of lead 15,946 at $4.00	637.84
Total gross value	5,085.83
Less freight and treatment	693.40
Net proceeds	4,392.43

These three cars net $13,269.50, or $4,423 17 per car; and in silver 410.18 oz. per ton. This characteristic of the Reco shews that it does not have to ship a large lot of ore to net a pot of money.

THE K. OF P. FIRST ANNUAL BALL

A Decided Success in Every way.

As was expected the first annual assembly given by the above society on Thursday evening proved to be a very enjoyable affair. The several committees, floor, etc., arranged everything with precision so that all the devotees of the terpsichorean art had to do was to go, select their partners, dance to the excellent music and enjoy the evening without stint. Above sixty couples were in attendance making a gay and festive scene. The programme of dances was well selected and proved a great convenience. Virginia hall is very suitable for dances, being roomy and well ventilated, with an excellent floor.

The supper at the Hotel Sandon gave eclat to the occasion, Mine Host Cunning sparing no pains in catering to the inner man. The tables were prettily decorated and laden with viands of the best in the land so that there was no lack of cheer.

The society deserve credit for the efficient management of this, their first assembly, and it is hoped the liberal patronage it received may induce them to give another during the winter.

THE NEW TELEPHOME LINE.

Nelson Will be Enabled to Talk With Trail, Rossland and Spokane.

The new telephone line, which the Vernon & Nelson Telephone company is building from Trail to Nelson is rapidly nearing completion and will probably be in running order by the middle of the month. A metallic circuit is being installed, which will insure the best possible service. The line is a continuation of the telephone sytem which at present connects Spokane with Rossland, and when it is completed Nelson and Spokane will be equally accessible by 'phone, while by long distance connections at the latter city it is possible to carry on a conversation with Portland.

Matthew Byrne's Opinion.

Mr. Matthew Byrne, an Australian and South African miner, who has been visiting Kootenay in the interests of Johannesburg capitalists has been interviewed by the Toronto Telegram on his way to the Old Country. He considers that the country has an assured mining feature before it. After reviewing the various districts of Kootenay more or less favorably he says: "The Lardeau district I did not visit till later in the summer, but I consider the most permanent of any in quantity and quality of ore excepting, perhaps, Sandon, in the latter particular. One lode discovered recently is the Pingsto., and the length of it is almost incredible. It extends for twelve miles over the country, and in claim after claim it is exposed on the surface. This lode is 100 feet in width in one or two claims and it contains gold, silver and lead. It will run $20 to the ton. It is only about six miles from the lake, and they can start right on the face of the hill and take out the ore. It could be mined at a profit if it only ran $6 to the ton. The last claim on this lode was located the day before I got there."

MINING BRIEFS.

The Sovereign mine close to town, within the last few days made some important discoveries or finds. They have now ten men at work which no doubt will be largely increased shortly. Mr. B. Ribblett is at present managing it.

The St. Kiberne mine close to town has made a very important strike and the management think it is the same lead as that of the Payne.

We have a letter from one of the officials of the Ibex mine complaining of our comments on its operations. In the first place we have no desire to injure any person, place, or thing in the Kootenay country, on the other hand we would rather do all a service when we can; but public journalism compels us to handle all public matters in public interest. The public would like to know if the Ibex has lots of good ore on hand, why the Bartlett Bros. were not permitted to finish their packing contract according to agreement. They say that instead of pulling out of it well paid they lost $900 in the deal, and that some of the ore is worthless and would not pay the freight. However, our correspondent says that all the mine requires is development, and that there are large bodies of paying ore in reach. We hope for the sake of the country all this is true, as the report of one failure will do more to damage the country than three successes will correct.

Relief for Gold-Seekers.

Mr. Joseph Ladue, the Alaskan explorer and pioneer, who recently went to Washington to consult with Secretary Alger about a method of relief of the destitution which he believes will overtake those who have crowded the Klondyke, called on President McKinley. The president discussed the situation with Ladue and appeared deeply interested in his suggestions for the relief of the Klondykers. Ladue estimates that there are about 6,0000 people in the Klondyke, and there are provisions for only about 3,000. He says navigation will not close for a month. He advises that a courier be dispatched immediately across Chilkoot pass to Klondyke to urge all who can to embark on the last outgoing steamer for St. Michaels. This suggestion will probably be adopted. In addition he advises the establishment of stations along the Chilkoot Pass, with dog trains for conveying relief supplies. Before leaving the White House, Ladue presented Mrs. McKinley with a half-ounce of virgin gold.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7.15 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7.45. Epworth League, Monday evenings at 7.45. Pastor, Rev. A. M. Sanford, A.B.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Spencer's Hall every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p.m., and at 3 p.m. in Three Forks. Pastor, Rev. T. Menzies.

Union Sabbath School at 3 p. m. in the Methodist church.

Sandon Ore Shipments.

The following is a list of ore shipments over the K. & S. from Sandon for the week ending Oct. 14:

MINE.	TONS
Payne	350
Ruth	205
Slocan Star	15

PEACE RIVER MINES.

Nearly $20,000 Cleaned Up by Three Men in Three Months.

The next mining excitement is likely to be on the Peace river in Athabasca and northeastern British Columbia. Mining has been carried on there in a slow way for years, but discoveries made the past summer leave no room to doubt that an immense amount of gold will be taken out of the Peace river and its tributaries during the next few years. Men who are now taking out gold in large quantities are not trying to create a boom but are quietly sending for friends to come into the country and secure claims, says the Calgary Herald.

A young man named Johnson recently came down from Peace river with his partner, bringing $18,000 in dust. A third partner was left at the diggings. The two men have come south to purchase supplies for the winter. The money that was brought out was placed in a Vancouver bank. Part of it was drawn out for the purpose of purchasing supplies, which were at once shipped to Edmonton, N. W. T., whence they were to be sent to the mines by large pack trains.

The $18,000 brought out had been cleaned up by the three men in three months. They went to the Peace river early in the spring, and Johnson started out in July. Johnson said all the miners of Peace river were making big money with the crudest appliances. Up to the time he had left only pans and 12 foot sluices had been used. Most of the miners are not coming out this fall, because is was possible to purchase supplies at trading posts of the Hudson Bay Company near the mouth of Peace river.

It is reported that more than 200 men are placer mining along Peace river at the present time, and they are experiencing satisfactory results from their efforts.

The Peace river country is reached most easily from Edmonton, 191 miles north of Calgary on the Canadian Pacific railroad. Fort Chippewyan, on Athabasca lake, at the mouth of Peace river, is reached by taking a stage from Edmonton to Athabasca Landing, 90 miles, and thence down Athabasca river and lake by boat. Chippewyan is 465 miles from Edmonton.

Steamboats can ascend Peace river for a considerable distance and small boats can go up nearly its entire length. A number of its tributaries, including Loon and Deer rivers, are as rich as the main streams.

Peace river rises in the eastern slopes of the Rocky Mountains, a little north of the centre of British Columbia. In the northern continuation of the same mountains rise the Pelly, Stewart and other important gold-bearing tributaries of the Yukon. Their is this important difference, that the Peace river rises in the eastern slope of the mountains, while the Yukon's tributaries rise on the west side. Along Peace river north are the Reindeer or Cariboo mountains, which are believed to be rich in gold-bearing quartz.

The hardy miners who played prominent parts in the Cariboo excitement of 30 years ago, explored the country to the north and east of the headwaters of the Fraser with very satisfactory results, and although the output of gold from the Peace river and its tributaries has fallen off somewhat in recent years, the auriferous deposits there are known to be rich and extensive. It is expected that next spring will see a great influx of miners to that section.

THE "FROGMORE."

A Sumptuous C. P. R. Dining Car.

The latest addition to the rolling stock of the C. P. R., is a splendid dining car, the 'Frogmore,' to be used on the transcontinental route, made and fitted up entirely at the company's own works in the east end. The car is fitted up in the finest mahogany, and will seat twenty-nine passengers at the tables, which are arranged so as to give the notion of comfort and ease, the idea being to cheat the immagination into the belief that instead of dining on a train rushing through space across a continent at the rate of fifty miles an hour, one is sitting in a cosy dining-room, with friends, enjoying a cuisine to the taste and predilection 'Aunt Dinah' was a nonpareil cook, but her kitchen was an abomination; and it is a charge frequently brought against cooks in general that while they may have skill in manipulation and creation, they do their work in an environment which dare not be shown to those who enjoy the viands placed before them. The kitchen of the 'Frogmore,' on the contrary, would delight the most fastidious housekeeper. It cannot be called roomy, but every inch of space is as clean as a new pin, while the range, cunningly set so as to make the utmost of the space at disposal shines and glitters again. The locker is a little gem, while the refrigerator is arranged in a serious of small shelves which permits of each vessel containing food, receiving its share of coolness. Then there is the store-room, and the linen room and the pantry, where the most beautiful delft ware is displayed. The napery is like the driven show; the tables are adorned with plants and flowers; while the mirrors and decorations of the ceiling heighten the illusion that the dining-room is home. The 'Frogmore' in its construction, appointment and luxurious decoration and embellishment, reflects credit alike upon the progressive spirit of the company and the skill of the workmen who have turned out a dining car second to none on this continent.—Montreal "Witness" Sept. 15, 1897.

MUSTARD GOLD RESEMBLING CLAY.

This Peculiar Form Indicates the Presence of Telluride.

The following is a paper read by Arthur G. Holroyd before the members of the Australian Institute of Mining Engineers. Speeking of the recent finding of telluride of gold in Kalgoorlie, he says regarding "mustard gold":

"This peculiar form of gold, resembling clay, was first brought under my notice in 1894, while acting as manager of the Australian Otis metallurgical works in South Melbourne. It came from the Hannans Star Gold Milling Company, and I was told it occurred in a vein varying in width from a pencil line to half an inch. Upon examining this clay-like gold under the microscope I found it consisted of minutest particles, rounded globules, and filigree, conglomerated together, resembling a sponge filling up similar shaped cavities and veins to those occupied by the telluride of gold in the sulphide ores. If this sponge gold is pressed with the blade of a knife (being exceedingly soft and malleable) its metallic lustre is at once apparent. This mustard or clay-like gold can be artificially obtained in the laboratory by dissolving a piece of tellurid of gold with sulphuric acid very slowly. The tellurium is leached out, and leaves the gold in an exactly similar form to that which is found in nature here opon this field. This, among other reasons, led me to conclude that the mustard gold in a mine here is an indication of the presence of telluride of gold at a depth. The greater quantities of the gold ores in Kalgoorlie field carry mustard gold, and in most cases telluride of gold has already been found, in many cases very rich and in solid hard country. I mention those mines in which I have already proved the presence of tellurium and those in which my experiments have proved to me that it will occur, and from the names mentioned it shows that telluride of gold is generally distributed throughout the field, and will be the eventual mainstay of the field."

"Another class of gold, 'sponge gold,' resembling mustard gold, but more spongy in appearance, having also a metallic lustre, occurs upon this field. It resembles the most beautiful filigree work. This gold was found in large quantities in stoping from the 200-foot level to the 150-foot in the Great Boulder, and as much as 20 pounds of pure gold was obtained in one bunch of ore. This gold is also due to the oxidation of the tellurium, and at a depth large quantities of telluride of gold should be found. Under the microscope this gold presents the appearance of a mass of gold crystals (octohedron and dodecahedron), with brilliant faces and gold in filiform and arborescent shape. There are evidently several other forms of telurium besides calverite—sylvanite, krennerite and native tellurium are among the number."

Dardenelles is Ready.

Manager Trethewey, of the Dardelles mine, announces the completion of the machinery plant and everything in readiness for the extensive development planned on the organization of the company. The pumps were started up the first of this week, and the machines will be put at work as soon as the mine is cleared of water. During the summer the lead has been thoroughly prospected on the surface; ore has been found in numerous places and the value of the lead established beyond a doubt. The buildings have been put in first-class order and all preparations made for steady development during the coming winter.

EARLY SLOCAN HISTORY.

Something About the Pioneer Days of 1891-3.

The discovery of mineral in the Slocan country by Eli Carpenter in 1891 was quickly followed by the splendid finds made and located by J. L. Seaton, W. F. and J. J. Hennessey, J. G. McGuigan and F. W. Flint, The "Noble Five" brought the country to its feet. For the moment Toad Mountain, Ainsworth and the Hendryx camp were forgotten. Every one poured into the "Silver Slocan." There were no roads leading into the new district, but trails were quickly pushed in over the three available passes: from Nakusp on the north, Kaslo on the east and up the valley of the Slocan river from the south. Nelson might probably have served her own interests best, if she had forced a way up Yuill creek, but she was busy with her own affairs or was content with the Slocan river trail. These three trails are now the routes of railways, the last to be made being the one up the Slocan river, the easiest of the lot. But the merchants of Nelson were not slow to avail themselves of the new market opened for their goods, and R. E. Lemon established a branch store at Three Forks, which was then the central point of the Slocan. The government laid out a town on an extensive flat at the mouth of Carpenter creek and called it New Denver. But, the eager crowd, only happy at the very mouth of the mine, has squeezed itself into Sandon. In spite of her distance from the mines, Nelson, thanks to the energy of her merchants, benefitted largely by the newly opened district, and was proportionally injured by the "slump" in silver in 1893.

For a time the fall in the price of her staple commodity almost paralyzed Kootenay, but her people were not of the sort to be knocked out at one blow. They soon recovered and again went to work with a will. It is pleasant here to be able to record of those in this uphill claim, British and Americans worked side by side, showing indeed that they are members of the same family and inheritors of the pluck and endurance which have for centuries been the characteristic of the parent race.—Charles St. Carbe in Nelson Tribune.

A Fort Steel Deal.

The Rio Tinto Mining Company of Spain, which owns the greatest copper property in the world, is also the real owner of a most valuable group of mines on Pyramid creek, in this district, says the Fort Steel Prospector. The claims number 14 in all, and on several of them good development work has been done. At one place there is a dump of silver-copper ore valued at $5000, and a force of 40 men are now at work. Next year a six-drill air compressor is to be put in, and preperations are already made to receive it. The camp on Pyramid creek is properly tributary to Fort Steel, but on account of the trail up St. Mary's river being practically impassible for packs nearly all the supplies have so far been taken in via Pilot Bay trail. To get in that way the Selkirk divide has to be crossed, an ardous job that would be wholly oblivated if the St. Mary's trail were in shape. The Pyramid Company intend next year to use the St. Mary's trail to bring in their compressors and other materials, but a great deal of work will need to be done before it can be used. The company, we are informed, is asking bids for a wagon road from the headwaters of Pyramid creek accross to the upper reaches of Matthew creek, thence down that creek to its junction with St. Mary's river. This will be a comparatively easy route, and with the St. Mary's wagon road in good condition there will be a good line of communication established between this city and the Pyramid camp. The merchants of Fort Steele will be losing a fine opportunity for increasing their trade if they fail to take timely action in supplying the Pyramid creek camp as cheaply and efficiently as merchants elsewhere can do, and there will no doubt be keen competition for the business.—Spokesman Review.

News At The Beak.

Jas. Fogarty for cutting the dress of a demimonde was taxed $20 damages, and $10 fine and costs. James is not quite certain Justice Lilly is posted on the values of ladies' dresses.

Squire Lovatt has an action against James Fitzgerald for cutting timber on his premises, to come up before Gold Commissioner Dennis on the 21st inst.

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HOW THE MONEY GOES.

What is meant by the Liberal convention at New Westminster at this juncture may not be hard to imagine though very difficult to understand. There is no questioning the fact that the Turner government has not done the best it oould have done for the Kootenay country at least; but if the strongest argument against it by the Liberals is its "Toryism," in the name of all that is sensible leave it alone. It is bad enough to run Federal elections on party names that half a century since lost all their significance, but infinitely worse to manipulate them "sub rosa" with the same machinations.

The province has an annual revenue of $1,156,078, by far the largest per capita of any province in confederation, and the battle of parties should be on the proper expenditure of this money rather than over old party names whose uses have long since gone to their graves. Like most other provinces British Columbia has been in too great a hurry to get into debt, and the province is now liable for no less a sum than $6,469,768, $4,088,-291 of which is net and which it will have to pay. The other $2,381,477 is conditional—a debt for which we hold assets of more or less value. some of it being guarantees that may or may not be met. According to the run of these things it may be safe to discount these assets a third, which will leave the province liable for, perhaps, all told $5,000,000. If it was at this late date, reasonable or proper to censure preceding governments and parliaments for this burden of debt, which bears interest all the way from 3 to 7 per cent., unqualified vengeance would be the proper measure of treatment for them. In the light of present reason there is no defence for all this debt, the issue of $20,000 in 1874 bearing 7 per cent. interest. This heavy debt eats in on our revenue annually to the tune of $283,424, but still the $1,331,299 is a very large expenditure to make in operating a small machine like the B. C. government annually. The expenditure of $204,930 on education is a large one for a province of our population but a small one with a province of our annual revenue. Looking at the way the rest of the money goes, as we will detail it in later issues, the expenditure on education should be 50 per cent. greater.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

In our issue of last week we quoted the annual output of gold the world over at $35,000,000 and stated that to realize the fond dreams of the gold bugs—the displacment of the four and a half billions of silver now in circulation by gold—it would take 128 years of prospecting and producing even if all the gold mined went into coin; but, as at least one half of it goes into the arts, if the commerce of the world stood still it would take at least 250 years to realize the expectations of the gold bugs. It appears reasonable to believe there is sufficient sound, common sense among the business men of Great Britain, to remain no longer blind to this circumstance and allow the gold bugs to play ducks and drakes with the money system of the world.

But this is not all. Many of England's most prominent colonies are large producers of silver, giving employment to a large number of miners. Are the dreams of the monied few of Mother Country to be allowed to pauperize the hundreds of thousands of miners, and the institutions depending on silver mining for their existence and prosperity? Besides all this again India is a great consumer of silver and her mints must again be opened or the colonies will become estranged from the Mother Country. Can the statesmen of England stand blind to these facts to meet the wishes of the monied few of old England? These are facts that it appears to the ordinary observer should arouse the consideration of the statesmen and the commercial community of the Mother Country and set them fully at thinking.

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HUMOR OF HE KLONDYKE.

Some Incidents in Real Life That Lighten the Situation.

"Oh, Mr. Cumback," eagerly asked the credulous lad, who had been listening open-mouthed to the returned Klondyker's astonishing yarns of the rigors of an Arctic winter, "did you ever have any of your toes frozen off?"

"Hundreds of 'em, my boy!" replied the truthful man; "hundreds of 'em!"

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"I guess the old saying is true that variety is the spice of life," remarked Farmer Rakestraw, looking up from his reading, "but it kind of strikes me that there is a little more of that kind of spice than is just exactly palatable in the newspaper reports from the Klondyke gold fields.

"I have been reading that there is little or no vacant mining land left there, and that there are plenty of rich claims for all comers; statements that the reports of the fabulous finds are grossly exaggerated, and that the half has not yet been told of the riches of that new El Dorado; that crime and violence are rampant there, and that the people are open-handed, law-abiding and hospitable; that the winters are prolonged stretches of almost unbearable cold interspersed with terrible blizzards, which only the strongest and hardies can hope to survive, and that the climate, though cold, is extremely healthful, and that when one gets used to it the exceedingly low temperature is felt hardly more than a much milder degree of cold would be; that only one man in a thousand can justly hope to win a fortune there even at the risk and probable sacrifice of his health, and that after passing through the clear, pure cold of the winter the gold-seeker emerges in the spring fatter and healthier than at the beginning of the winter, ready to pick up the golden wealth which is his for the taking.

"I like variety in my newspaper reading, as a general thing, but I'll have to confess that the Klondyke information, that I have been acquiring of late, is just a little too spicy for my taste."

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"One day," said the returned Klondyke millionaire, "we found a poor fellow with a high bulging brow, dead in the snow and frozen as stiff as a crowbar. The body was terribly emaciated from lack of food, and there were no papers or any other articles on his person to indicate his identity.

"His pockets did not contain a cent of money, but in them we found a description of a $10,000 summer cottage, a receipe for making ice-cream soda, a fomula for curing gout, a newspaper clipping warning its readers against a dangerous counterfeit hundred-dollar bill, a description of an ancient Roman banquet, full directions for raising orchids, an advertisement of a Florida orange grove, a clipping describing a plutocrat's steam yacht, another about the management of a thoroughbred racing stable, a small pocket map of Samoa, a price list of rare coins, instructions for detecting flaws in diamonds, a solemn warning against habitual over-eating, advice on wooing and winning a wealthy and beautiful young widow, and directions for the cure of a sunstroke. There was absolutely nothing on the body to show who or what he might have been, so we decided to call him an optimist, and let it go at that."

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"I understand that your husband returned from Klondyke last night, Mrs. Jurnigan," said the inquisitive villager. "Is he about the house now? I'd like to have a little talk with him regarding that region."

"I am sorry, Mr. Askington," replied the good woman, "but I am afraid you can't see him now. He is in bed upstairs, suffering from what the doctor calls nervous—er—er—prosperity, I believe it was."

"That's too bad, Mrs. Jurnigan! By the way, the report is in circulation that he brought all kinds of money home with him. Is that true?"

"Well, I don't know that he brought all kinds of money Mr. Askington, but he certainly brought several kinds. He fetched back two copper cents, a Chinese coin that he had used for a lucky piece, a Confederate bill which he had taken along to swap to the Indians, a few pieces of Esquimau shell money, a bit of wampum, a lead nickel, and a poker chip. If he hasn't brought home all kinds of money, he has certainly returned with quite a variety."

GOLD EXPECTED IN ABUNDANCE.

Hydraulic Method Will Be Given a Thorough Test on East Kootenay Claims.

The company that has taken the lease of the hydraulic claims on Forty-nine Mile creek, just above the Nelson Hydraulic Company's property, evidently means business. Ten feet of the shaft has been sunk in an effort to reach bedrock. Mr. Bennett who is in charge of the operations believes that bedrock will be reached in 50 feet and that a big clean-up may be made. It will take at least six weeks to get the shaft down to bedrock. At present some water is being encountered, but this will be disposed of by the bailing system. The fall of the creek is about 10 per cent., and it is the intention of the new company to start in 500 feet below if necessary and drift up to the main shaft for the purpose of draining it. Mr. Bennett is of the opinion that bedrock has never been reached at Forty-nine Mile creek and that the Nelson Hydraulic Company's and other companies have been working on rimrock. This theory is borne out in part by the Nelson Hydraulic Company's work during the past year. Mr. Bennett believes that at a depth of 50 feet they will find gold in such abundance that the marvelous finds of Klondyke will pale into insignificance.

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Negotiations have been concluded between the promoters of the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and William Mackenzie, the well-known capitalist, President of the Toronto Street Railway and other important enterprises, and D. D. Mann, whereby Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann acquire the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Ry. charter. The charter covering the line from Vancouver through Boundary Creek and Rossland, and is the charter which Heinze opposed the subsidizing of by the Dominion Government at the last session of the Dominion Parliament. The British Columbia Government has voted $4,000 per mile for any company building on this route, and Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann will apply immediately that this subsidy be attached to this charter. They also apply for a Dominion subsidy at next session of the Dominion Parliament. They will put surveyors in the field immediately on the portion of the road between Penticton and Boundary Creek, and the construction of that section will be completed as rapidly as possible. When this is completed, railway communication with the important mineral district of Boundary Creek will be opened over the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway, from Penticton to Sicamous, on the Canadian Pacific Railway. This section is only about a hundred miles long and easy of construction. It is expected that within less than a year the line will be opened, and one of the most important mineral sections of British Columbia have the railway facilities necessary to enable mines to be developed. This deal will effectually check the possibility of the Columbia and Western Railway, (Heinze road) getting either the Dominion or Provincial subsidies for which he applied at the last session.

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A GOLD COUNTRY

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Western Borneo has something of a history in gold mining, extending back 100 years. At all events, in 1854 there was a Chinese mining population that must have reached 100,000. The remains of their extensive workings are still to be seen. The Kongsis were rich and powerful—and, consequently, arrogant and independent. In the early fifties they had obtained such power that they defied alike the nominal rulers of the States and the Dutch. But the latter waged a war against them that put an end to the industry, and effectually reduced them to subjection. The principal Kongsis, of which there were about 20, were ruined and practically driven out of the country. Their work appears to have been almost entirely alluvial, washing for gold from the hill drifts in their own method, and bringing down with marvelous skill, considering that they use neither level nor surveying instruments, water from the hills to their workings, and from their deepest works, manipulating it entirely with their Teohs and Chinese pumps. One great effect of the Chinese was to clear the country of much of the heavy jungle, most of it being now covered with ordinary growth. Another was to encourage, to some extent, agriculture, for the large population was fed, as to vegetables, etc., from the country itself. The Chinaman is not yet extinct as a gold worker in Sambas, but the Dutch, while not actually placing any restrictions upon their entering into the country, make it obligatory on all immigrants to obtain a permit, and to give particulars whence they come, and whither they go. To the gold-miner, essentially a wandering animal, this is distasteful, and there are not many Chinese. The Dyaks are fairly industrious, and many of them get a good living by their primitive methods of working, even going to the extent of crushing the stone in wooden mortars. The prevalence of gold ornaments in the country is a noteworty evidence of its auriferous nature. At present there is one Dutch company prospecting in the old Chinese districts. But it is a long and expensive process to find lodes in a tropical country, even though the primeval forest has gone. The affect of the sun, the air, and abundant rain on the surface of the land is to decompose the rock, making it difficult to get at the real formation. The outcrop may be under many feet of soil, hidden by the remains of centuries of decayed vegetation. The main point is, however, that alluvial gold is and has been found in considerable quantities, and where the stream is, there must also be the fountain head. It may be added that the feature of the Western Borneo mining, as far as Europeans are concerned, will mainly depend upon lode mining. At present the country is practically unknown commercially. The Dutch have sent out their military surveyors and have made splendid maps. There are also some good military roads, and generally speaking, it is easy to get about.

The chief towns are Pontianak, Singkawang and Bengkajang, the latter about seven days up the river. The Sultan of Pontianak is moderately wealthy, having gone in extensively for cocoanut planting, but neither planting nor mining, although both bear promise for the future, can be said to flourish. Communication with the outside world is confined to three or four steamers a month. The European population is mainly official, and the country is not too thickly populated. Copra and jungle produce are the chief articles of export; in the collecting of the latter the Dyaks are chiefly occupied. They work well and are fairly industrious. The old practice of head-hunting is nearly dead, gave in the far interior, not from the fear of the result altogether, but from the growing influence of civilization. If they could only be persuaded to abandon their exceedingly insanitary kampungs, their bright and cheerful and naturally hardy bodies would make them into a people.

FROM DAWSON CITY.

F. H. Strong Makes the Trip From Vancouver to Dawson in Less Than Two Months.

After some remarkable experiences and hair-breadth escapes one of the passengers who left by the Coquitlam, on her first trip to Dyea, leaving here on August 8th, is again in Vancouver, having made an exceptionally quick trip to Dawson City and return. He is F. H. Strong and his partner who made the trip with him were T. J. Collins and J. Marshall. In an interview he gave a detail of his experiences and told an interesting story of his quick trip.

"We landed at Dyea on August 14th, said Mr. Strong," "and started packing for a party, rates then being from 12 to 40 cents per pound. We went over the Dyea trail, Which, I believe, is much the best route to the Yukon. We carried from 100 to 140 lbs. each and with that could go through to Lake Linderman from Dyea, a distance, by the trail, of about 38 miles, in two days. One can walk through with no baggage, or travelling light, as the saying is, in a day and you can ride a horse all the way except across the summit. From Dyea to the foot of the canyon is nine miles and from there the grade is a pretty hard one. When I came back from Dawson and through the trail a Juneau company had put a wire cable from the summit to Lake Linderman, a distance of between three-quarters of a mile and a mile, for the transportation of goods. We got everything packed through to the lake in a few days and started down the river in a boat which was made by other members of the party for which we were working in seven days and a half we were at Dawson City, having covered a distance of 530 miles."

"Did you have to make any portages?" asked the interviewer.

"We didn't make any at all," was the reply. "The rapids in August are not difficult or dangerous for men who are used to a boat. As a consequence of the water freezing on the mountains the river was very low, but of course it would be difficult in midsummer. At Dawson we stayed three days, and then, as we hadn't any clothes or provisions to last us through the winter, and these are not procurable at Dawson, we came back. Wages there are from $15 to $25 per day and we made good wages all through the trip. The reports from Klondyke were to the effect that it was very rich and a great deal of money has been taken from there. On the way back we met two men who had just come from Stewart river and they had 75 lbs. of gold each. They said their was any amount of gold there, but like every other place on the Yukon there was no grub to be had."

"Then in your opinion there is a possibility of a famine at Dawson?" was asked.

"I can't see anything for it but that, because the grub isn't there and you can't buy it. Whisky is the only thing that is plentiful and a new-comer simply can't buy any provisions at all. Old customers of the commercial companies alone can buy provisions and to them flour is $100 a sack. Four of us went into a Dawson restaurant for breakfast on August 28th and got some bacon and eggs and a cup of coffee without any sugar in it—sugar and butter are unheard of commodities there—and we were taxed just $7.40 each. Some of the people arriving there have as much as a year's provisions while others don't have enough to last them a month. Some take such nonsensical goods too. When we were coming back we met a man who had become discouraged and was selling his outfit. He had a whole sack full of white shirts and a lot of cans of condensed milk, for which he had paid 40 cents a pound to pack 14 miles up the trail from Dyea. We made the return trip in 17 days an a half fro Dawson to Lake Linderman. By taking advantage of back eddies and currents we made much better progress than might be expected, and some days would go over 50 miles. We even got up all the rapids without making any portages. I don't thing a boat could be paddled through in the spring or summer, and in the freshet just after we arrived at Lake Linderman two men were drowned in the White Horse rapids, six miles from the lake. On the way back we pitched our tent at Sheep's Camp and nearly got washed out by the freshet. It was just as we got up in the morning and I heard someone cry, 'Run for your lives,' and we did run to the opposite side of the ridge, about 300 yards away. Horses, tents and outfits were swept away in dozens before the avalanche of water, trees and mud that came down."

Mr. Strong is now making arrangments for the transportation of 20 oxen, 20 dogs and a lot of provisions to Dyea and will start with these for Dawson City about Christmas. The dogs are now on the way here.

The Purchase of Alaska.

Through the persistency and eloquence of Secretary Seward, who struggled against public opinion for years, Alaska was purchased from Russia by the United States for $7,200,000. This vast territory, that became one of the possessions of the United States at the cost of two cents per acre, comprises 1,000 miles from north to south; the archipelago contains 1,100 islands, and the whole area covers 580,107 square miles.

Notwithstanding that revenue from the fur trade and the fisheries brought the United States an increased income of $2,000,000 a year, Americans continued to look upon the purchase of Alaska as a mistake—"Seward's folly," it was called, but Seward himself considered it the most notable achievement of his official career. At a public dinner given him upon retiring to private life, the question was put to him as to what he considered the most important act of his public life. He unhesitatingly replied, "The purchase of Alaska"; then, after a moment's pause, he added, "But it may take two generations before the purchase is appreciated." It is doubtful, however, if, in his most sanguine moments, Mr. Seward foresaw that thirty years later Alaska would become a new El Dorado.—Metropolitan Magazine.

ANOTHER GIGANTIC TRUST.

Glass Men Meet in Columbus to Form a Combine.

Columbus, O., Oct. 8.—It developed to-day that the meeting which continued late last night of the glass men behind closed doors completed the organization of one of the most gigantic associations from a commercial standpoint that ever came into existence. There is represented practically the entire glass industry of the country. The object was to bring under one head every glass manufactury in the United States.

In the old frontier days hundreds of pioneers were tortured and burned at the stake by cruel Indians. The tortures endured by these martyrs must have been something horrible. There are thousands of men to-day who are being slowly tortured to death at the stake of disease. Their bodies cry out but in a language that only the sufferers themselves can hear. When a man is suffering in this way his body cries out with an aching head, a sluggish body, muscles that are lax and lazy, a brain that is dull, a stomach that disdains food and nerves that will not rest.

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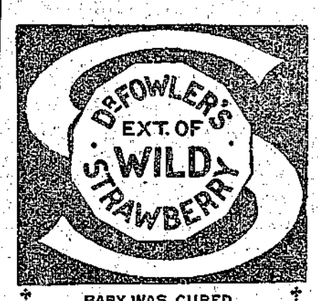

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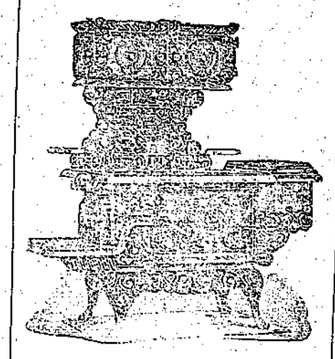

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" 10.03 "	Bear Lake	" 1.48 "
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" 10.38 "	Cody Junction	" 1.12 "
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MOUNTAIN ECHOES.

All the latest magazines at Cliffe's bookstore.

Harrie Watson captivated the audience.—Panama Herald.

Miss Harrie Watson was "facile primus."—Hawaiian News.

Silver went up to 58¾ yesterday, and firm at that; lead holds at $4.00.

If the frosts of Thursday night continue hockey will soon be in order.

Master Sammy Johnson took the house by storm.—Victoria Colonist.

The Star shipped 80 tons of ore and the Reco 20 over the C. P. R. the past week.

Brother Lowry, of the Ledge, says, "we are going to the coast for a few days."

The promoters of the Johnson-Smily entertainment are $2 in the hole by their enterprise.

It is long since we have had such a clever and captivating singer here as Harrie Watson.—Panama Herald

Miss Gertrude Marrack rendered "Ar Guel Grarno" in a most brilliant and effective manner.—San Francisco Call.

The voice of Miss Gertrude Marrack is a marvel of purity and volume showing the highest culture.—Hawaiian Star.

The Pearson & Fisher new hotel is now about finished. When completed it will be one of the best institutions of its class in the country.

Lawyers Grimmett and Christie went to Nelson Tuesday night to "chaw the rag" over some cases, but they are none the worse friends on their return.

Ex-Constable Hamilton appears to be non est camatibus. He may have been wronged in some particulars as an official, but he has not turned out the clean quill in all respects himself.

"Jac" Thompson, an old-time Slocan Miner, sold out the last of his interests in this country the other day for $35,000 cash, and goes to California to spend the rest of his days in ease and luxury.

The Australian Variety and Concert Co. will play in Sandon on the 13th, 14th and 15th of Nov. In our columns we insert some press notices, which comment favorably on the different performers.

Cliffe's bookstore has been removed to the Harris block in the store between the two chartered banks. We are now opening up an immense new stock including a quarter of a ton of new novels.

The wagon road is now practically finished to Three Forks from New Denver. It cost about $2,000 more than the estimate, and the government and citizens will be asked to whack up the difference.

Mr McDonald opened his new hotel at Bear Lake on Wednesday evening by a fashionable dance. Though but short notice was given, everything passed off well, the whole entertainment being a decided success.

Mr. Harris has now three cars of piping at Kaslo for the new water system of the town. They will be here and work will be begun in a few days. He also has there one car of heating apparatus for his new buildings.

Sandonites are now straggling home from the Spokane fruit fair. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smith returned Wednesday. Mr. Gable and several others have also put in appearance in the homeward flight and all report a good time.

The Stewart-Webb entertainment on Tuesday evening did not pan out. To be a success, such things have to be advertised in The MINING REVIEW that everybody reads. The success of K. of P. ball on Thursday evening is a case in point.

The New York Brewing Co. on the Cody roady have made a decided hit of their institution. They put in a very extensive plant at a heavy cost, and they are rewarded with the bulk of the business of the Slocan country. They now ship to Kaslo, Nakusp, Slocan City and all intermediate points. We never advise people to drink, but when they do it it is always wise to get the best, and it can always be got at the New York brewery.

AT THE HOTELS.

Balmoral—P L Hughes, D. W. McKay, C. F. Yates, Kaslo; W. Smith, New Denver; J. Burns, Buffalo; J. O. Covington, R. M. Covington, W. J. Damill, Spokane; C. D. Blackwood, Winnipeg; M. J. Halpin, Whitewater; P. Slacy, Canghnawaga; D. Potras, Nelson, H. M. Lamb, Victoria.

Goodenough—R. C. Alexander, E. Wilson, J. T. Wilkinson, W. Godfrey, Vancouver; E. L. Heatly, A. Morton, London; Jno. Keen, E. J. Mathews, Kaslo; O. G. Dennis, C. H. Melbourne, W. F. Carson, Nelson; T. H. Wilson, L. Smith, Silverton; D. Wilson, M. Leeson, Victoria; R. Cais, Tamworth; J. S. Hudson, Slocan City.

Sandon—T. B. Braden, Calgary; J. F. Sheridan, Toronto; J. P. McGuigan, H. Covington, J. Morgan, A. David, Spokane; P. Jones, Whitewater; Capt. Lemew, Newport; Ike Thompson, Ferguson; G. Clark, Burton City; G. Fairbourn, G. Hamley, J. E. Bryans, Silverton; H. E. Crowse, Rossland; J. H. Werely, J. C. Butler, New Denver; R. B. Smith, New York; W. B. Turner, Kaslo; G. H. Harper, Saskatchewan.

Black's—Wm. McKenzie, E. Farmer and wife, J. P. Snooks, Toronto; P. Burns, A. Hodgins, J. Moffatt, G. Church, J. A. Gibson, Nelson; T. M. Gibson, Wm Trethery, E. A. Murphy, J. H. Thompson and wife, J. A. Whittier, D. W. Moore, G. O. Foss, Kaslo; J. W. Clancy, Bessemer; J. B. Power, Brooklyn; H. Ingram, Calgary; J. H. Freeman, Victoria; W. A. Alexander, Slocan City; Alto Abeling, Moscow; R. Connell, Ottawa; S. Wase, Ainsworth; L. S. Jean, Anaconda; G. H. Ham, Montreal; E. P. Dunn, Percy Woods, Vevey; A. P. Jeffrey, Fred Morse, Winnipeg; M. Tanquier, New Denver; R. M. Gibson, Birtle; R. M. Cornell, Revelstoke; G. Baker, Rossland; A. D. Bain, Montreal.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. Harris returned from Spokane yesterday full of the fruit fair.

Mr. Rand is in Montreal, and we listen for some large stroke of business shortly.

Mr. McArthur, C.P.R. agent, is leaving in a few days on what he considers a well-earned holiday.

MINING RECORDS.

Recorded at New Denver.

LOCATIONS.

Oct 5—Flood Fraction, Best basin, J A Wood; Mecole, Trout Creek, R C Graham and R S Nicholson.

Oct 6—Oregonogo, Payne mountain, Frank C Perew; Camperdown and Seattle, Sandon, Frank S Campbell.

Oct 7—Latona and Altamont, Carpenter, Carl C Stein; Minnehaha, Payne mountain, Joseph Chipman; Sad, Granite creek, Howard D Cameron.

Oct 8—Okanagan Chief, Queen Bess mountain, Thos Hurlean; Shamrock, Eight Mile, Isaac Longhead; Jefferson and Billie, Carpenter, John McNeil.

Oct 9—Kathleen, Slocan Tramway, same, C P Long; Algoma, Carpenter, Thos Knight; Kingsley, Queen Bess mountain, Frank Hansen.

Oct 12—Manhatten, St. John Hill, Ira W Black; Wabcegon, same, Thos Hurlean.

ASSESSMENTS.

Oct 5—Antoine.

Oct 6—Bell, Pamilco, Starlight.

Oct 7—I C.

Oct 8—Robertson, Beaver, L H Winning, Hidden Treasure, Hard Scrambble, Columbus.

Oct 9—Florence No 6, Barbara.

TRANSFERS.

Oct 5—Christie Fraction ½, McWilliams to J A Williams, June 16.

Keystone and Evening Star, D C McDonald to Sam McDonald, Oct 4.

Mohawk ½, J S McFarlane to W H Robertson, Sept 4.

O K Fraction ½, F H Bartlett to W H Robertson, March 12.

Jennie Jones Fraction ¼, J G McCallum to W H Robertson and A R Fingland, June 8.

Cascade and Sprag ½, N F McNaught to H C Wheeler and C H Abercrombie and R R Kerr.

Oct 6—Helena ½, Geo H Hyland for W H Robertson to Chas E Hope.

O K Fractional ½, Mohawk ½, and all interest in the Sandon, W H Robertson to M E Rammelmeyer, Oct 6.

Emily Edith ½, Silverton Boy ½, J I C ¼ and W H B ¼, W H Robertson to Chas E Hope, Oct 6, $1,650.

Jennie Jones Fraction ½, White Horse No 4 1-6, Black Horse 1-6 and Folsom 1-6, W H Robertson to Chas E Hope, Oct 6, $1,650.

Pembrook ½, J A Stewart to W L Carruthers, July 2.

Lottery, Bell, Pamilco, Pembroke, Oswego, Power of Attorney, Walter L Carruthers to Chas A Haller.

Queen Bess, First Extension, American Girl, Concord, Young Dominion, Young Dominion Fraction, agreement of sale, John A Finch, Wm Glynn, Peter Larson, Jas A Moran to C K Milbourne, Aug 7, $110,000.

Major Fraction ½, Chas Moore to the Washington Mining Co, Oct 2.

Inverness, Arthur Mullen to John Brown, April 3.

Mountain Goat ½, Michael Murphy to H C Taylor, Sept 21.

Oct 8—Wakefield, Cazabazua, Ottawa No 2, Geo Fairbain W H Smith, L Calvert, Paul Anderson and Chas Ander to M R W Rathborne, Oct 22, '96, $25,750.

Wakefield, Cazabazua, Ottowa No 2, M R Rathborne to A H Bremner, same, $25,000.

Wakefield, and Cazabazua, M R W Rathborne, A F Culver and Geo Fairbain to A H Bremner, Oct 7.

Beaver, Jenny Lind, Robertson, The Ben, Ridgeway, Onyxdonor, Dalkieth, Columbus Fraction and Burnside, A H Bremner, to the West Kootenay B C Exploration & Mining Co, Oct 8.

Cazabazua, Wakefield, Ottawa No 2, same to same, same.

Wakefield Fraction—Frank to same, Oct 7.

Silver Bell No 2, Clive Pringle to the Native Bell Mining Co, Sept 28, $5,000.

Oct 11—Victory, Clarence, Morning, Continental, Alamo Mining Co to D H McPherson, as trustee, June 26.

Victory, Clarence, Morning, Hampden, Continental ½, D H McPherson to the Scottish Colonial Goldfields, Sept 20.

Cedar, Currant and Tramway, J J Farrell to D H McPherson, June 12.

Same, D H McPherson to Scottish Colonial Goldfields, Sept 20.

The Daisy, Eattern, Thistle, the Cumberland Mining Co to D H McPherson, July 5.

Daisy, Eastern, Thistle,, D H McPherson to the Scottish Colonial Goldfields, Sept 20.

Detroit, the Slocan Mining Co to D H McPherson, June 26.

Same, D H McPherson to the Scottish Colonial Goldfields, Sept 20.

Eureka and Mineral Hill 1-6, Chas Chambers to J S C Fraser, Oct 1, $35,000.

Omega Fraction 1-5, Geo E Smith to Henry A Smith, Oct 11.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as the proprietors of the Sandon Boot & Shoe store, in Sandon, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Wm. Golden retiring from said partnership.

F. J. Golden will carry on the business, and will collect all debts owing to said partnership and pay all accounts owing by said partnership.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1897.

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Sandon, Oct 12, 1897.

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