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ORE SHIPMENTS.

Record of the Mineral Being Handled Over the N. & S. Railway.

Last week three carloads of ore left Three Forks, the first to go out since April 17. It came from the Reco and was billed to the Tacoma smelter. With this shipment the orehouses at the Forks are emptied and many moons will shine ere they be so full as during the past winter. The only shipments in view at present are the monthly contract of the Slocan Star, for 200 tons, to the C.P.R., and the ore from the Alpha. The first has not yet begun, because of bad roads, and the other is delayed for the 443rd time for reasons not made known to the public.

From the initial shipment on September 13, 1894, till January 1, 1895, the Slocan mines sent out over the Nakusp & Slocan Railway:—

Alpha mine	771½ tons, valued at	$ 77,125
Mountain Chief	91¼	9,125
Slocan Star	1,081¼	108,150
Fisher Maiden	47¾	4,775
Noble Five	87	8,700
Minnesota Silver Co	15	1,500
Reco	42¼	4,225
Idaho	60	6,000
Last Chance	15	1,500
Total	2,151	$215,100

Since the first of the year the list by the same route shows:—

January 1-31	1,397 tons, valued at	$139,700
February 1-28	814 tons	81,400
March 1-31	884 tons	88,400
April 1-30	1,327 tons	132,700

DATE.	MINE.	WEIGHT.	VALUE.
June 4	Reco	52½ tons	$ 5,250

Black Diamond Money.

The Nanaimo-Rossland Mining Co., with a capital of $500,000, has been organized in Nanaimo, to carry on a general mining business, especially at Rossland. C. N. Westwood, James McGregor, Alfred Jenkins, W. K. Leighton and Thos. Kitchin are the trustees.

The Ruth is a Daisy.

The force on the Ruth has been increased this week. This claim is situated across the gulch from the Slocan Star, and Sandon people assert that it will surpass the latter. The tunnel is in 300 feet and shows five feet of clean ore in the breast. A crosscut of 12 feet has been run without striking the foot wall on either side. The Ruth will be a heavy shipper this fall.

More Capital for Trail.

The St. Elmo Gold Mining Company has taken out articles of incorporation in Spokane, with a capital stock of $1,000,000. The incorporators are R. E Coe, F. C. Loring, E. D. Olmstead, Geo. W. Crane, and F. E. Snodgrass. The St. Elmo mine is located on Red mountain, in the Trail creek camp. It adjoins the Mountain View claim, and has one of the largest veins in the camp running through its entire length. It is certain to prove a valuable property.

KASLO ASSAYED.

Murmurings of Life in the Baby City by Kootenay Lake.

There was a large influx of visitors during the week.

There is a good prospect of an hospital being built in the near future.

The schoolhouse, moved to the top of the hill, is ready again for occupation.

Another saloon on Fourth street. Gething & Kinman opened up on Saturday.

Building will have to begin soon, as there is not a vacant house or cabin in the city.

The creek is now behaving itself, thanks to the Keen interest taken in it by the city fathers.

Plans are being prepared for a new fire hall, to include a council chamber, offices, and police headquarters.

The owners of the steamer Alberta have opened an office in the Dardanelles block, Front street, with D. W. Moore in charge.

Sunday's excursion to Pilot Bay and other lake ports on the steamer Alberta was well attended, a large crowd going from here.

George Pettit, of Victoria, has leased the Potter building, on Front street, and opens this week a large stock of gents' furnishings.

Bert Campbell, Si. Simmons and Henry Covington, who own valuable claims at the head of Fry creek, have gone up to do development work.

The work of grading the Kaslo & Slocan Railway is going ahead very fast, almost 1,000 men being employed. There is no doubt about the road being ready at the appointed time.

The prisoner recently sentenced to 30 days, which time he was to spend on the creek, on being taken to the Idaho for breakfast, went into the washroom, opened a window and skipped.

The council has brought in a bylaw to exempt the railway lands, plant, station grounds, and right of way from taxation for 10 years. It has to be voted on on Monday, 17th instant, when "we shall see what we shall see." Feeling is very strong in the matter.

Several lots and houses changed hands last week. Among others, J. D. Moore gets the lot next his building on Fourth street, then sells 33 feet on Fourth street, 50 feet deep, to the Blandy Bros., $450 being the price in each case. This sale, with others, was consummated through J. W. Sanders.

A mining bureau and a banking agency will commence operations on July 1.

R. G. McConnell, of the Dominion Geological Survey Department, with H. Y. Russel as assistant, arrived in last week from Ottawa. They organized a party under Jack Watson, and are now sizing up the country round the lake. They will be in the country all summer.

KETTLE BELLY BROWN.

Tells Us Some Attractive Yarns About the Old Days.

We met Kettle Belly Brown the other day. Brown has a ranch a few miles from Nelson, and is the man who once flagged the fast express on the C.& K. Railway to find out the time of day so that he could set his alarm clock. We met him in the baggage car, and recognizing that he was a '49er by the manner in which he chewed tobacco, we wound him up and he spun the following:

"They call me Kettle Belly Brown and I came across the plains in '49, and I have done nearly everything since then, except preaching. Talking about preaching, did you ever hear the story about the blacksmith who once turned preacher in a new settlement? He had noticed that preachers were pretty well dressed, and apparently had a better time than he, so he quit blowing the bellows, and, being well educated, he struck a job of preaching in a Methodist church, his pay to be half cash and the balance in rye. His preaching did not suit the Methodists and he had to resign. After trying nearly all the other denominations and being fired from each, he called a convention of the elders of the different churches, and told them he would like to know what to preach them so that he could suit them, as it was impossible for him to get along without the rye.

"I went to church once long ago in Virginia City. Another fellow and I had been playing faro until I had but $7.50 left and he $11. We jumped the game and went to church. When the fellow came round with the plate to get the rake-off, I put in the $7.50 and went broke right there. The fellow with the plate never forgot it, and that one little deal helped me out wonderfully during my stay in that city."

The train stopped here and Kettle Belly toddled over to his ranch, the locomotive afterwards continuing the even tenor of its way to Robson.

The Grim Destroyer—Death.

D. A. McDougald, of Nakusp, while on his way to Salt Lake City, died on the train at Glenn's Falls, Idaho, last Friday morning. He had been ill with consumption for a long time, and only recently returned from the Sandwich Islands. He was a native of Ontario, and had lived in California and British Columbia for the past eight years. As proprietor of the Leland Hotel, in Nakusp, he was well-known and popular with all classes. He was identified with public matters wherever he lived, and his demise at a comparatively early age will be regretted by a host of friends. Deceased leaves a wife and three children, who have the sympathy of the whole district in their sad bereavement.

Bob Colwell, late C. P. R. operator here, has gone to Sandon, where he will probably open out in the tobacco and cigar business.

MINING NOTES.

Happenings of Interest Among the Treasure Vaults.

The mining receipts for May at the sub-recording office in Nakusp were $235.

The Ora Granda on Cariboo creek will make a shipment when the trail is finished.

The Noble Five people are considering the advisability of putting in an aerial tramway.

Poker Smith and Black Jack Cockle have made a couple of rich strikes on Cody creek.

Wm. Thomlinson has purchased a third in the Evening Star, on Springer creek, from Nels Nelson. This claim adjoins the Morning Star.

McGillivery and Shannon are opening up their property recently staked on Ten Mile. They have a beautiful showing of six feet of dry ore between walls.

A. Harrison has a bonanza in his last staked claim, on Eight Mile. The ledge is 50 feet in width, 17 feet of which have yielded the average assay of $85 in gold.

Heckman and McKinnon have obtained assays of 96 oz. of silver and $15 in gold from their claims on the townsite. The tale ran over 50 oz. in silver and $8 in gold.

Messrs. McKay and Richmond have tumbled on to a good thing just behind the sawmill. It is a ledge of gold-bearing quartz, from four to 10 feet wide, and easily traceable for a fifth of a mile. A surface assay of $12 has been realized.

J. Findley, when last in Vancouver, obtained specifications of ore wagons, and on his return here sold half a dozen vehicles. They will be extra heavy and capable of bearing up six tons. The London Carriage Factory, in the Terminal City, has the order. This is opening up a new line of business.

High Returns.

Frank Dick, the assayer, obtained phenomenally high returns upon a sample of rock from Springer creek last week. The figures were $314 in gold and 8 to 15 ounces in silver. This was from a specimen taken from the Morning Star, a sixth in which was recently purchased by F. Bourne. Springer creek will develop some uncommonly fine properties.

Silverton's Celebration.

The citizens of Silverton are busy with their preparations for the celebration of Dominion Day. They are going about it in a systematic manner, which promises success. They have an array of liberal prizes on the programme, which will follow in the line of the recent Denver affair. The New Denver Brass Band have decided upon taking part in the fun, and they will be a drawing card. They are to be the guests of the Silvertonians. Many will go from here to take in the ball in the evening.

CŒUR D'ALENE NUGGETS.

Prospected for the Benefit of Former Residents of that Camp.

WARDNER.

Mrs. E. A. Bevis has gone to join her husband in Leadville.

Snake river strawberries and cherries are now among the luxuries offered for sale here.

Judge Albert Hagan still continues in a precarious condition and his recovery is doubtful. His son George is still confined to the house, but is improving.

D. H. Turner, nephew of Hugh Turner, died on Thursday night, aged 36. Death was caused by consumption. He had resided in Wardner for four years.

The Tiger mine at Burke closed down on Thursday night. Seventy men were discharged, but a force of ten has been retained to do prospecting and development work.

The petition sent to the Bunker Hill and Sullivan people to open their property has been published. It contains upward of 200 names of citizens pledged to support the company.

Joseph Ehrlich, of Barger & Sears' meat market, was knocked down on Saturday morning in front of his place of business. His assailant struck him a heavy blow on the back of the head, but made his escape unnoticed. The wound inflicted was severe and caused the blood to flow freely. No clue has yet been obtained to the cowardly assailant.

WALLACE.

John Cassey is very low in the hospital with pneumonia.

M. A. Muir, the grocer, has removed his store from Cedar street to the foot of Sixth street.

The little child of John B. LeFever died Tuesday at Gem. It was taken to Mullan for burial.

James Curran, from the Tiger, is in the hospital, suffering from lead poisoning in the hands.

Tom Cassidy, who had his leg broken a few days ago at the Poorman, is getting along nicely.

Wm. Dooley, of Burke, has been discharged from hospital, where he has been nursing a broken leg.

Wm. Cross' farmhouse, near Medimont, was completely destroyed by fire Morday night. The family is left destitute.

John McLaughlin, of Gem, had three fingers of his right hand badly smashed, Thursday, by a falling rock at the Frisco.

Thomas McAvoy, who strained his back by lifting heavy machinery at the Poorman last week, has recovered and returned home from the hospital.

A letter was received this week by Mullan parties from Longmaid Bros., stating that they would start up the Morning mine in due time. They will pay full union wages.

Harvey, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Barger, of Burke, died last Thursday. The child got hold of a box of sugar coated pills and ate 15 of them, causing his death before medical assistance could reach him. The funeral took place to this town on Saturday.

AROUND THE STATE.

John Gehrig and Alexander Stretchen attempted to cross Wood river, near Shoshone, in a wagon, Saturday. The current carried them down the stream and both were drowned. The body of Gehrig was found the next day.

Ex-Congressman G. W. Dorsey, of Nebraska, has arrived in Lemhi. He is president of the Lemhi Gold Mining Company; is examining the valuable properties of his company and making preparations for extensive development work.

J. Williams, two or three days ago, uncovered a rich ledge of quartz 2½ miles above O. Corder's ranch, on Indian creek, 25 miles east of Boise on the old stage road. He had been sinking prospect holes for some time before getting the ledge. Assays show the rock to be very rich, specks as large as pinheads being freely scattered through it. He has procured an outfit in Boise to open up the property.

The Secretary of the Interior has decided the Boise military reserve strip case in favor of the property owners as against the Government. The land involved is a strip about 80 feet in width, which has been claimed as a part of the military reservation. John Krall claimed the larger portion of the strip, while other property owners claimed the balance. There has been a great deal of difficulty in determining the vexatious question.

The Nabob and Christalite, two adjoining claims on Pine creek, owned by George Stone, H. M. Ross and L. W. Gay, have been undergoing development for some months past. The property is six miles from the railroad, but a wagon road will be completed to it within two weeks. They have a tunnel in 125 feet, 75 feet being on the ledge. The solid ore encountered is heavy galena, assaying 15 ounces of silver per ton. There are 3½ feet of concentrates.

Pocatello indulged in a smallpox scare last Sunday which, however, proved to be a false alarm. A tramp floated in Saturday night and was gathered up by the vigilant police and housed in the bastile of the city, which stands among the mud pits at the north end of Front street. Next morning the fellow had a rash all over his face, and the police at once scented smallpox in the air. The mayor was notified and all the M.D.s in town chased up. The investigation developed nothing but a choice crop of whiskey pimples.

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THE KOOTENAY HOTELS

Some of Their Characteristics Slightly Chirographed.

The hotelkeepers doing business in the Kootenay country are tolerably fair specimens of the human race. Most of them speak English, and while, as a rule they are not artists in compounding mysterious morning beverages that will suit every taste, most of them are able to tell rye from Scotch. Some of them know more about pounding a drill or skinning mules than they do about making life pleasant for weary travellers, but, they are mostly very good fellows, some a little lazy, but still, good fellows. Their houses are far superior to what we have seen in other districts. It is true that the rooms are principally telephone, but that has its advantages. When you desire anything all you have to do is to whisper and your wants are supplied, without having to ring a bell, and, after waiting an age pay the bell-boy four dollars for bringing up John Collins or some of his near relatives. The telephone room has saved many a life, by enabling the bartender to rush Mr. Collins to the bedside of a dying guest, ere it is too late to save a thirsty soul. It may be heart-breaking to lie awake some night listening to your neighbor telling his wife a tale of woe, but with all its faults the telephone room never loses its accoustic properties.

The landlords have always been good friends to the press. The press has reciprocated the kindness by never publishing long sermons on the causes of red noses, or endeavoring to divert trade from the booze factory to the gospel mill.

Ainsworth has two of the most intelligent landlords we have ever known. We drifted into that town last winter when everything was still and serene, and tarried over night. When leaving we threw a twenty on the bar to settle our bill, and to our surprise he shoved it back and said, "You do not me anything. You are a newspaper man, and I recognize the fact that if it had not been for the free advertising the press has given the Kootenay country, it would not occupy the position it does to-day. I appreciate the value of the press and my house is always free to you." We were amazed. It was the first time a landlord had ever refused to take our collateral, and we went away rejoicing that we had met the most intelligent boniface in the universe. The other day we returned to Ainsworth and stopped at another hotel To our surprise the landlord of the second hotel would not take a cent from us, stating that he never charged newspaper men anything. We warned him to be careful, or he would have editors from Nelson and other small towns always with him. This is no josh. We are giving true facts, and there will always be a bright spot in our memory for the landlords of Ainsworth.

How different the treatment we received from one each of Nelson and Revelstoke's landlords. Both hotels had received this paper for nearly a year before we called for the pay. The Nelson man said he never ordered it, and that the little local papers were no good, and he only wanted coast papers. He was not intelligent enough to know that the most interesting portion of the coast papers is stolen or credited matter from the Kootenay press. We made him a present of the bill, and apologized for having sent him the paper at all. The fellow at Revelstoke wanted proof that he had ordered it, and commenced a $100 argument for a $2 account, but eventually loosened up and paid the bill with bad grace and two American dollars.

The Kootenay hotel man is nearly always generous, and often feeds a broken prospector, when many a more pretentious class would turn him away from their doors.

The Audience Smiled a Smole.

In a city, not a thousand miles from Providence, there died the other day a well known and respected citizen who had successfully failed in business three or four times, and whose widow it is believed, was pretty well fixed in consequence. He was a pillar of the church, in fact, an ostentatious and highly ornamental pillar, and the church gave him an elaborate funeral, but the devil must have had a hand in the selection of the hymns. The audience snickered when the choir sang: "Failing, still failing," and a broad smile suffused its countenance when this was followed by: "Jesus paid it all."

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Correspondence from every part of the Kootenay District and communications upon live topics always acceptable. Write on both sides of the paper if you wish. Always send something good no matter how crude. Get your copy in while it is hot, and we will do the rest.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1895.

MORE NAMES WANTED.

A larger list of names is wanted for the many new claims. Prospectors ought to carry a dictionary and evolve new names instead of using the old ones over and over. There are plenty of Stars, Eurekas, Surprises, Echoes, Last Chances, etc. Thousands of names have never yet been used, and we see no necessity of any repetition whatever. Prospectors often apply strange names to their properties, a prominent mine in Colorado being named the Holy Moses. A prospector aping that name called a claim near Creede the Jumping Jesus, but the recorder considered it irreverent and would not allow it to be used. In order to help out the boys we suggest that some of the following names be applied to new claims: Colonel, Professor, Doctor, Captain, General, Straight Flush, The Tragic Queen, Etc., The Flowing Bowl, The Little Cub, The Ledge, Sow Belly, Bacon and Beans, Flap Jack, Old Glory, Johnnie Bull, The Golden Stairs, The Kitty, Pass in Your Cheques, Old Nick—all very appropriate and suggestive.

No agricultural fairs will be held in the Slocan this year.

Marriage is the only legalized lottery at present allowed to do business in Canada.

The bicycle is a stranger in the Slocan. This is one blessing we are thankful for.

You may have this paper free for two years if you will send us a copy of the Nakusp Ledge of June 21, 1894.

The forest fire is about due. It has always done well in the Slocan and no doubt will be fairly prosperous this season.

Many springs of sparkling water are to be found along the mountain roads, and in some places thoughtful persons have left a tin can for those to drink out of who come after them We always look upon men who do these things as public benefactors, and before fall we hope to see every roadside spring in the Slocan supplied with tin cans or other drinking appliances.

The Coolgardie gold bubble has burst, and most of the prospectors who went there from the Slocan have returned. The balance would return, but are unable to do so owing to lack of funds. We warned the boys last fall to keep away from Coolgardie and stay with Kootenay, where water is plentiful and the mineral prospects brighter than almost any other part of the world.

There is a great deal of fun poked at the New Woman fad by the comic papers. The new female is depicted as smoking cigars, staying out lodge nights, and doing many other things that the men have always monopolized in the past. We still prefer the Old Woman. She knows more about cooking a beefsteak, which is a better occupation than riding a bicycle in bloomers, as the New Woman does today.

Some say that the men working on the Kaslo & Slocan Railway will be paid at Kaslo This would certainly benefit Kaslo, but work a hardship on the men. Others say that the men will be paid where they work, which would be more satisfactory to the people of Three Forks, Sandon and New Denver. Wherever they are paid it is to be hoped that the men will be paid promptly, and not humbugged the way the poor railroader has been more than once in this province.

Thursday last was the fourth anniversary of the death of Sir John A. Macdonald. In commemoration of the event an "In Memoriam" wreath was placed upon the desk he used to occupy in the House of Commons, while a large vase of roses, his favorite flower, adorned the table in the centre of the legislative hall. As with Disraeli in the Mother Land, Canada's Grand Old Chieftain will never be forgotten by his devoted followers.

The bye-election, recently held in East Lillooet, has resulted in the return of the Government nominee, Mr. Stoddart, by a majority of 12, over the Opposition standard-bearer, Mr. Prentice. The latter was successful in the general contest held last year by a plurality of one, but corrupt practices were alleged. Rather than go through an election trial, the contestants agreed to fight it out again after the session closed, a special bill having been passed to that effect. This has been done with the above result.

S. S. ARROW

Capt. Vanderburg, Master.

Time Table.

LEAVES Nakusp on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 7 a m, for Leon and Halcyon Hot Springs, Hall's Landing, Wigwam and Revelstoke.

On Mondays and Thursdays the boat leaves Nakusp for Burton City, at 7 a m.

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Leaves Nelson for Pilot Bay, Ainsworth and Kaslo on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 3 p m; Tuesdays and Fridays at 6 pm

Close connection is thus made between lake points and all incoming and outgoing trains of the C P R at Nelson.

The steamer is newly equipped in every particular, is lit throughout by electricity, and contains a bathroom and all modern conveniences for the comfort of passengers.

The above schedule is in effect May 16, 1895, subject to change.

JAS. WAUGH, Purser. GEO. F. HAYWARD, Master

Nakusp & Slocan Railway

TIME CARD.

IN EFFECT APRIL 5TH 1895.

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Tuesdays at 13 "	Wednesdays at 9 "
Fridays "	Saturdays "

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Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays and Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Passengers for Trail Creek mines connect at Northport with stage daily.

COLUMBIA & KOOTENAY

Steam Nav. Co., Ltd.

TIME CARD No. 7.

In Effect on Monday, April 29, 1895.

REVELSTOKE ROUTE—STR. LYTTON.

Leaves Revelstoke, south bound, on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 4 a.m., for all points in West Kootenay and the south.

Leaves Robson, north bound, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 8 p.m., for all points east and west, via the C.P.R.

NORTHPORT ROUTE—STR. LYTTON.

Leaves Northport, north bound, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 1 p.m.

Leaves Robson, south bound, on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 6 p.m.

Stages run in connection with the steamer from Trail Creek Landing to Rossland.

KASLO ROUTE—STR. NELSON.

Leaves Nelson for Kaslo, on Tuesdays, at 5:40 p m; Wednesdays, at 4 p m; Thursdays, at 5:40 p m; Saturdays, at 5:40 p m. Connecting on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays with N & S F Railway for Kaslo and lake points.

Leaves Kaslo for Nelson on Mondays, at 4 a m; Wednesdays, at 4 a m; Thursdays, at 8 a m; Fridays, at 4 a m. Connecting on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays with N & F S Railway for Spokane.

Close connections with Columbia & Kootenay Railway at Nelson for points north and south.

BONNER'S FERRY ROUTE—STEAMER NELSON.

Leaves Nelson for Bonner's Ferry on Mondays and Fridays at 8:30 a m.

Leaves Kaslo for Bonner's Ferry on Mondays and Fridays at 4 a m.

Leaves Bonner's Ferry for Pilot Bay, Nelson, Ainsworth and Kaslo, on Tuesdays and Saturdays at 2 a m.

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The company reserves the right to change this schedule at any time without notice.

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T. ALLAN, Sec'y NELSON, B. C.. J. W. TROUP, Manager

LOCAL ASSAYS.

Little Twinklers Crowded Out From Their Accustomed Nook.

W. A. Jowett, of Nelson, was here on Saturday.

Thos. Norquay is opening a restaurant in the Pronged City.

Another hotel, making the fourth, is under way at Sandon.

Hunter & McKinnon are building a powder magazine at the Forks.

Work has commenced or the new Methodist church at Three Forks.

Geo. M. Spencer, of Nakusp, will likely start a barber shop at Sandon.

H. N. Coursier, of Revelstoke, is making a business trip through the Slocan.

The baseball club has decided to take in the Dominion day celebration at Nakusp.

Local Methodists are planning a reception to Rev. Mr. Nicholls, the new incumbent.

When the C.P.R. grade at Cody is definitely settled, J. M. Winter will erect his big hotel.

Algebra, thine epistle anent the absorbing question of baseball, will appear next issue. Yea, verily.

Quite a number of people from Three Forks and Silverton were in attendance at Sunday's ball game.

Over 100 men are working on the railway grade around Sandon, and the woods are full of tents and shacks.

Messrs. Garland and Giegerich, two of Kaslo's solid business men, came over to view the metropolis on Friday last.

M. M. Williams closed out of the drug business here this week, with a view to opening a lunch counter at Sandon.

J. Bowes was unfortunate enough to lose his gold watch at Sunday's ball game. A case of mysterious disappearance.

J. E. W. Macfarlane, manager of the B. C. Iron Works, Vancouver, may be expected in soon to size up the country.

J. Millard has purchased an interest in Bowen's hotel, Three Forks. A pool table will be added to the equipment of the house.

Graders on the Kaslo railway are paid $1.75 per day, and those working on the right of way $2 to $2.25. Their board costs them $5 a week.

By Saturday's mail a petition was sent to the educational authorities at Victoria, praying for the establishment of a school here. It contained the names of 12 scholars.

Local athletes have ordered from the B. C. Iron Works, Vancouver, a set of 18, 16, and 12 pound weights, six pairs of dumbbells and two sets of quoits. J. Findley is donating the weights.

The Windsor House has been fixed up in good style of late. The bedrooms and bar have been repapered and everything about the establishment spruced up. It is now as cozy a hostelry as any in the country.

Capt. Holden is now a citizen of New Denver and he will be a worthy one. His stock of drugs came down from the Pronged City on Friday and has been opened out in the Newmarket block. It is one of the largest displays in the district.

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CARIBOO CREEK LOCATIONS.

Recorded at Nakusp During the Past few Weeks.

Centre Star—M. J. Conway, Apr. 4.
Marguerite—M. E. Whyte, Apr 15.
Canyon—W. H. Wall, Apr. 20.
Mountain King—J. H. O'Leary, April 30.
Elkhorn Queen—S. A. McLeod, May 2.
Silver Cup—A. McDonald, May 2.
War Eagle—W. Huston, May 6.
Lincoln—W. Huston, May 6.
Castor—J. B. Anderson, May 9.
Arta—C. Vader, May 9,
American Eagle—H. B. Boie, May 9.
Excelsior—J. P. Jones, May 9.
Victoria—J. Radcliffe, May 16.
Gopher—B. C. Rodd, May 18.
Ruby—B. C. Rodd and N. Demers, May 18.
Black Diamond—M. E. Whyte, May 18.
Garnet—M. E. Whyte, May 18.
Queen of Cariboo—J. S. Davis, May 18.
Mountain View—J. D. McLeod, May 20.
Kentucky Girl No. 1—S. J. Humphreys, May 20.
Kentucky Girl No. 2—C. Drouin, May 24.
Lenard—A. Tasser, May 24.
B. C.—L. Sherrin, May 24.
Cat Hop—L. Sherrin and P. McDonald, May 24.
Canadian Boy—A. McDonald, May 24.
Lytton—H. J. Blain, May 25.
Top Knot—J. Collison, May 27.
Peerless—J. Radcliffe, May 31.
Ivanhoe—J. P. Jones, May 31.
No. 1, 2 and 3 Snow Groups—B. Lee and W. Hopkins, May 31.
Isabella—On Columbia river opposite Trout creek, by A. T. Stevens, May 24.
Spokane—Adjoining the Isabella, N. H. Dunn, May 24.
London—A mica claim across the the lake from Nakusp, G. W. Jordan May 24.
Great Western—Adjoining the London, F. W. Jordan, May 24.

Mining Craze Abroad.

A list of mining companies registered in Great Britain during 1894 has been published. Summarizing this table, it is seen that out of a total of 331 companies, representing a capital of £21,296,361, 68 were in Great Britain, with a combined capital of £1,518,140, of which £149,500 was in gold, tin, copper and lead mines, and £292,500 in stone and slate quarries. Eighteen companies, representing £1,221,500, were registered for operations in Europe; 10 in Asia, having £932,007 capital; 79 in Africa, with £6,230,780 capital; 25 in North America, with £1,685,700 capital; 18 in South America, with £2,269,120 capital, and 113 in Australia, representing £7,439,014 capital.

Several new business houses are opening out in Rossland.

Trail creek exported close on to $100,000 worth of ore last month to American smelters.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

CURRIE Mineral Claim.—Situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District Where located: South side of Gold creek, Slocan lake.

Take Notice that I, Herbert T. Twigg, as agent for James H. Currie, free miner's certificate No. 51,320, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this first day of May, 1895.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

LOUDOUN Mineral Claim.—Situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: At the confluence of Sandon and Carpenter creeks.

Take notice that I, J. M. Harris, No. 56,917, for myself, and as agent for G. M. Sproat, free miner's certificate No. 53,817, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1895.

J. M. HARRIS

May 16.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

DEADMAN Mineral Claim.—Situate in the Slocan mining division of the West Kootenay District, B. C. Where located: Between the Bonanza King and Texas, on north side of east fork of Carpenter creek.

Take notice that I, Charles E. Perry, as agent for Robinson Morton Sherman, free miner's certificate No. 59,783, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant to the above claim.

And further, take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1895.

CHARLES E. PERRY

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

VANCOUVER, MOUNTAIN BOOMER AND ZILOR Mineral Claims.—Situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District Where located: Adjoining one another on south side of Four Mile creek, Slocan Lake.

Take notice that I, Herbert T. Twigg, as agent for Edward Mahon, free miner's certificate No. 54,931, and Henry L. Mahon, free miner's certificate No. 54,318, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for certificates of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of each of the above claims.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificates of improvements.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1895.

HERBERT T. TWIGG

May 23, 1895.

Notice of Assignment.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joseph Almoure, of the town of New Denver, and Province of British Columbia, trading as the Balfour Trading Company, has by deed, dated the 15th day of May, 1895, assigned all his personal estate, credits and effects which may be seized and sold under execution, and all his real estate, to John Weatherill, of the said town of New Denver, Merchant, for the purpose of satisfying rateably and proportionately, and without preference or priority, all his creditors. Said deed was executed by the said Joseph Almoure and the said John Weatherill on the 15th day of May, 1895. All creditors are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the said trustee on or before the 20th day of June, 1895, after which date the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Joseph Almoure among the creditors of whose claims he shall then have received notice.

Dated at New Denver, B. C., the 15th day of May, 1895.

JOHN WEATHERILL,
Trustee

R. B. KERR,
Solicitor for Trustee.

Creditors' Meeting.

A MEETING of the creditors of the said Joseph Almoure will be held at the Balfour Trading Company's store, New Denver, B. C., on Saturday, the 25th day of May, 1895, at 10 o'clock a.m.

May 23, 1895.

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The total value of the mineral production of the United States in 1893 and 1894 was: 1893, $615,846,806; 1894, $553,227,902; a decline of about $62,573,904, or 9 per cent. This falling off was, however, due more to lower prices than a decrease in production. Thus the value of the coal production declined last year $13,783,828, or 7 per cent., while in quantity it only fell off 3½ per cent. This small decline in the volume of the coal produced is substantially a measure of the entire mineral output of the country. The copper output increased 8 per cent., from 327,255,788 pounds in 1883 to 353,504,314 pounds in 1894, though in value it declined no less than $1,639,500, or 4½ per cent.

The production of gold increased from $35,955,000 in 1893 to $39,761,205 in 1894, but the commercial value of the silver production declined from $47,311,450 in 1893 to $31,403,531 in 1894, a decrease of $15,907,929, or 34 per cent. This was partly due to reduced production, but the price declined from 78.2 cents per ounce in 1893 to 63 cents in 1894. Other mineral industrials have made a highly satisfactory record.

Too Powerful For Mining.

The new American explosive is called emmensite. The trouble with it seems to be to handle it. Up to date it has burst every gun in which it has been tested in large charges. A charge of 230 pounds, fired at Sandy Hook, burst a 15 inch gun into small fragments and then tore a hole in the earth 10 feet deep and 25 feet in diameter. It is a fine yellow powder, prepared by a secret process. It is exploded through friction, and is but slightly affected by atmospheric changes. It looks as though the only way to use it would be to take it up under a balloon and drop it at the right point.

East Lillooet Election.

Full returns of the voting in the East Lillooet bye election have been received, and show that Mr. Stoddart, the former member, has been elected by a majority of 12 votes. The votes at the different polling places were as follows:

	Stoddart.	Prentice.
Clinton	47	36
Lac La Hache	17	13
Blue Tent	15	7
Big Bar	7	6
Dog Creek	4	16
Alkali Lake	3	8
Bonaparte	10	5
Total	103	91

Majority for Stoddart, 12.

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MINING RECORDS.

Recorded at New Denver, for the week ending June 12, 1895

TRANSFERS.

H. Hansen to J. Bowes—All interest in Baby Ruth, on June 4. Recorded June 6; amount, $200

Mrs. C. W. Miller to R. Saunders—½ in Mazeppa, on April 22. Recorded June 7; amount, $300.

G. T. Kane and D. P. Kane to H. Giegerich—⅓ in certain claims and ½ in the Revelstoke, on January 21. Recorded June 7; amount, $2,242.10.

Neil McInnes to D. P. Grant—All interest in the Mabau, on June 8. Recorded June 8; amount, $100

R. H. Pratt to E. Bowen—½ in the Empire, on May 27. Recorded June 8; amount, $1.

J. H. Adams to M. P. Adams—½ in Sarah B, on May 26. Recorded June 10; amount, $1.

W. C. McKinnon to T. Henderson—1-6 in Nancy Hanks, on May 29. Recorded June 10; amount, $1

D. McCuaig to Charles Martin to John Popham—⅓ to each other in the Lone Star, Pine Log, and Bondholder, on June 4. Recorded June 11; amount $1.

W. Ryan to J. R. Campbell—½ in Northern Pacific, on June 4. Recorded June 11; amount, $15.

D. McCuaig to A. Wallace—1-9 in Lone Star, Bondholder and Pine Log, on April 15. Recorded June 11; amount, $1.

H. H. Ward to R. T. Lowery—2-9 in Nabob, on April 18. Recorded June 11; amount, $1.

S. Shaw to E. McDougald—¼ in the Crown Point No. 3, on May 28. Recorded June 11; amount, $75.

CROWN GRANTS.

Chamblet—R. C. Adams, on April 12. Recorded June 11.

Britomarte—W. C. Adams, on August 10. Recorded June 11.

Surprise No. 2—Slocan Surprise Mining Co., on May 22. Recorded June 11.

MORTGAGE.

W. C. Adams to J. C. Haynes and P. Lyall—Mortgage on Britomarte, April 10. Recorded on June 11; amount, $2,000.

R. C. Adams to same parties—Mortgage on the Chamblet, on April 10. Recorded June 11; amount $2,000.

ASSESSMENTS.

Wallace, Marino and Republic—Jas. Marino, on June 6.

Silver Bow—T. Avison, on June 6.

Mollie O—N. McFadden, on June 7.

Sarah B, Katie D, Adams, and Brandon—M. P. Adams et al, on June 10.

Silver Bill and Mercury—C. A. Teasdale et al, on June 10.

Grover and Stevenson—J. L. Drumheller, on June 10.

California and Clipper—J. Marino, on June 10.

Rambler—R. Shea et al, on June 10.

Tiger No. 2—P. Aspinwall, on June 10.

St. Keverne—Sid Norman et al, on June 10.

Baby Ruth—P. Grant, on June 10.

Cariboo No. 3, Okanagan, Hidden Treasure No. 3, Dardanelles No. 2, Lady of the Lake, Diamond Cross, Buffalo, and Little Jim—A. McClaine, on June 11.

Elgin and Ivanhoe—H. Donelly, on June 12.

American Boy—T. McGuigan et al, on June 12.

LOCATIONS.

Gettysburg No. 2—South fork of Carpenter, June 6, by M. McAndrews.

Viking—On Springer creek, June 7, by N. Nelson.

Queen Lode—Across lake from Denver, June 7, by W. K. Richmond.

Badger State—Near Sandon, June 7, by M. H. McKelvey.

Tamarack No. 2—On Springer creek, June 7, by Con Fielding.

Falls View—On Springer creek, June 7, by Sam Whittaker.

Pinto—Near New Denver, June 8, by P. Hughes

Columbia No. 5—South fork of Springer creek, June 8, by J. T. Beauchesne.

Star—Near Sandon, June 8, by A. P. Blandy.

Hyack—Near Wharton's mill, June 10, by F. L. McInnes.

Klatawa—Adjoining Hyack, June 10, by M. J. Pyman.

Superstition—On Alpha wagon road, June 10, by A. McKenzie.

Miantonomah—Divide between Four Mile and Carpenter, June 11, by James Gilhooley

Trilby No 3—Close to Miantonomah, on June 11, by Andy Murphy

Congo No 2—On Eight Mile, June 11, by C Kruger and D K McDonald

Mogul No 2—On Alpha wagon road, June 12, by W Harris

Sultana—Near Bear lake, June 12, by W C McLean

LEDGE CROPPINGS

C. Menhinick has opened up the hotel at Lardeau.

Many new buildings are being erected in Revelstoke.

Mrs. Saunders has reduced the price of her baths to 25 cents.

C. B. Hume has been appointed postmaster at Trout Lake City.

A Spokane party has opened a laundry and bathhouse at Sandon.

Mesdames Scott and Hoyt are opening a bathhouse in the Bolander building.

Three Forks people are thinking seriously of celebrating the Fourth of July.

The Columbia river steamers have never had so much to do as at present, both ways.

The baseball club received quite a large outfit of supplies from Vancouver last Friday.

For sale or to rent.—A five-roomed cottage in Nakusp. Conveniently located. For terms, apply to F. G. Fauquier, Nakusp, B. C. †

H. N. Coursier says the Revelstoke townsite dispute is not yet settled, as Mr. Farwell refuses to recognize J. A. Mara's titles to certain tracts of land.

The C.P.R. has secured the contract of transporting the entire output of bullion from the Pilot Bay smelter to Aurora, Illinois. It amounts to 20 tons per day.

The Alamo Mining Co. gives notice in the B. C. Gazette, through Frank Cox, secretary, of its intention to remove its principal place of business to the concentrator from New Denver.

F. Pyman, New Denver's watchmaker and jeweller makes cleaning and repairing watches a specialty He visits Three Forks every Friday to accommodate customers in that town. †

Frank Cox, secretary of the Slocan Milling Co., gives notice in the B. C. Gazette, of the purpose of his concern to remove its principal place of business from New Denver to the concentrator.

Henry Barnard, of Victoria, brother of Frank Barnard, M.P., was married at Ashburnham, Ont., last Wednesday, to Miss E. B. Rogers, daughter of Lieut.-Col. Rogers, postmaster of Peterborough.

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Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of F. C. Gamble, Esq., Victoria, B.C., and at the Post Office, New Westminster, B.C., on and after Monday, 10th June, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

By order.
E. F. E. ROY,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
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