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The largest copper mines in the Dominion are situated at Phoenix. The Granby Co. employs 500 men, and has a monthly pay roll of over $50,000, while the Rawhide pay roll is $18,000.

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GRANBY CONSOLIDATED FAVORITE INVESTMENT

Another Spurt in Stocks Due—Surprises Expected at Forthcoming Annual Meeting.

With the steady increase in the price of copper, which was quoted this week in eastern metal markets at 17¼c. @ 17½c. all of the northwestern copper properties are receiving a great deal of attention from stock brokers, and orders are being received almost daily from eastern clients by local dealers.

Granby seems to be the favorite issue among New York and Boston investors. A report received in the west from Boston stated that while Granby had been neglected lately it was due for another spurt immediately, and there was an unmistakably bullish tendency to all copper stocks.

The tone of the report indicated that there was something of importance pending in Granby, but the nature of the information on which the prediction of a boom in the security was based could not be learned.

The report shortly to be submitted by the Granby directorate is evidently awaited with much impatience by the shareholders of that corporation, and hints as to unexpected surprises connected with developments appeared this week in the United States press. Although by no means writing with official authority, we might state that probably the unexpected surprise is in connection with the recent well-planned scheme of diamond drilling which the company has inaugurated some time ago, and which is said to have revealed the presence of ore at depth. Of course, we only speak from hearsay, and as far as is known to the ordinary layman, the present operations are for the purpose of determining the extent of the newly found ore bodies.

The benefits accruing to the camp in the event of the above being correct will be incalculable. It will mean in the first place a considerable addition to the mine payroll, while the lifetime of the mine will be extended indefinitely, and the other valuable properties of the camp may be taken in hand and just as profitably worked.

Returns From Lillooet

M. Kane returned to town on Saturday from the Lillooet, where he was engaged in completing the annual assessment on some mining property he posseses in that locality. He travelled from Lytton by auto stage. Mr. Kane's property consists of two claims, situate on McGillivray creek, a tributary of the Bridge river. The showing is quite 3000 feet, with a width of five feet, and carries good values in gold and silver. The district is undergoing a revival in mining, consequent on the early opening of the district by the Pacific Great Western railway, the line of which runs quite close to Mr. Kane's claims. While away, he had an interview with Pat. Welsh, the noted contractor, who informed Mr. Kane that by the 1st of November, he would have 2000 men employed on construction. The road will give direct communication between Fort George and Vancouver, opening up one of the richest mining, lumbering and agricultural areas in British Cobumbia. The mines already in operation in the Bridge river district, are the Coronation and Lorne, both of which are employing about thirty men each. Only recently a rich strike was made on the Coronation, assays of which ran as high as $2000, while the average is reputed to be in the neighborhood of $45 per ton. Another good strike was that on the claims of Messrs. Shuster and Taylor, where they exposed a lead of 18ft of arsenical iron, of good quality, averaging $20 per ton.

B. C. Mining

Joseph Jacquot, who has just returned from Fort Macpherson, says that as he and party were decending the Porcupine River they met a party of white men headed up the Porcupine to look for a fabled lost mine. It is known that gold has come out of the country on the Arctic slope beyond the Porcupine.

W. B. Smith and A. G. Pearson, lessees of the U. S. mine, on Jackson creek, owned by H. Giegerich, have struck two and one-half feet of first-class zinc blende, assaying 57 per cent zinc, $3.04 in silver and $1.60 gold. Zinc of 44 per cent is shipping ore. Arrangements to run an 800-foot tunnel immediately are in progress, as the flood of water in the wing where the ore was struck prevents further sinking.

The prospect of an amicable settlement of the dispute between the men of the Britannia mines and their employees is becoming rather hopeless, according to the statement of Jas. A. Harvey, chairman of the arbitration committee which is trying to settle the trouble. The principal bone of contention at present is the question of the men holding union meetings on the mine property, and this is being stubbornly contested.

Within the last week there has been a very decided change in mining affairs at Sandon. The Noonday, situated above Cody, and operated by B. N. White and Bruce White, have been working a small force all winter. They have now a splendid showing. William Hunter, M.P.P., and M. McLean, road superintendent, were in Sandon last week and went up to the mine. They will put in a wagon road as soon as possible to give the mine proper transportation.

After having completed a comprehensive mineral survey along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, R. G. McConnell of the Dominion Geological Survey returned to Vancouver last Saturday. *The survey along the railway line was in order to prepare a report which will be available for members of the International Congress of Geologists, which will meet in Toronto next August. Mr. McConnell stated that he saw indications of silver, lead and other minerals which he thought could be profitably worked.*

Mat Trewhella, lessee of the Phoenix mine, shipped twenty tons of ore from that mine on Monday last to the Trail smelter, says the Rossland Miner. It was hauled to the Burn's siding by Robert Barrie's team. A former shipment of 30 tons gave returns of $25 per ton. It is thought the last shipment will go higher as it was more carefully sorted than the first one, and the ore seems to be of a higher grade. There is about two feet of ore in the drift running from the shaft, and one and a half feet of this seems to be ore of higher grade than as yet encountered. It is expected that the last shipment will run upwards of $100 to the ton.

Another big strike has been made on Rocher de Boule mine at Hazelton. This time it is on the lower vein, where the long tunnel was driven last winter. A short time ago a drift was started on the vein about thirty feet from the surface and just west of the point where the tunnel tapped the vein at a depth of 130 feet. The men have opened up a four-foot vein of 15 per cent copper, which looks to be the very same stuff as found in the big upper vein. Along side the copper is eighteen inches of high-grade silver-lead ore. This makes the lower vein just as promising as the upper vein and nearly doubles the value of the mine. Men will now be put to work on a drift west from the big tunnel level and pick up this ore shoot.

Principal Qualifies as Instructor

E. E. Barnes, principal of the public schools, took the combined course of physical and military training, at the military headquarters, Esquimault, on Vancouver Island, during the recent summer holidays. This excellent training qualifies him as cadet corp instructor, but unfortunately, he informs us, the formation in this town of a cadet corp is not likely, the requisite number of boys (30) not being available. The physical drill course, however, is compulsory in all the schools throughout British Columbia. While the male teachers were undergoing instruction on the island, the ladies of the various staffs were assembled at various points throughout the province and trained under the direction of special instructors from the Imperial service. About 180 ladies underwent training at Victoria, 90 at Nelson and 50 at Kelowna in the Okanagan district. The men were all under canvas and were allowed the sum of $1.50 per day for supplies and cooks. The training, Mr. Barnes informs us, was most thorough. The following was the daily routine: 6.30 to 8 a.m., physical drill; 8 to 9, breakfast; 9 to 12, military drill; 12 to 2 p.m., dinner; 2 to 3.30 p.m., military drill; 3.30 to 4 p.m., lecture on military tactics.

The scheme was originated by Lord Strathcona, in 1908, when that gentleman subscribed the sum of $500,000 to the Canadian government, the interest at 4 per cent to be used for the purpose of defraying the expenses of preparing the male teachers of the dominion to act as instructors of cadet corps. The donation of the High Commissioner was of course supplemented by a grant from the Dominion government.

Business Good in the Forks

Theo. Biner, who recently took over both the ownership and proprietorship of the Colin hotel, at Grand Forks, was in town for a few days this week. *Speaking of the future prospects of the Forks, Mr. Biner is most enthusiastic in his praise of that town and states that already the signs of a rapid rise in its property wealth has already manifested itself, several ranches in that vicinity having already changed hands at extraordinary high figures.* "Every habitable house in the municipality is occupied," said Mr. Biner, and the demand for residences is becoming more and more persistent. As showing the influx of families into that town, he informed us that large orders for domestic furnishings were being placed with the stores, which last week were nineteen cook stoves short of the demand. Mr. Biner seems to place his faith in the Columbia section of the townsite and says that J. Tierney, with his gang had already commenced work in connection with the erection of the new railroad shops and roundhouse.

Boundary Ore Tonnages

Following are the returns of the output of the Granby mines and smelters for the week ending Aug. 25th, and the B.C. Copper company for the week ending Aug. 18th, and year to date:

Granby	24,386	790,796
Mother Lode	8,208	331,598
Rawhide	5,852	152,175
Napoleon	466	6,078
Lone Star	...	2,022
Others	598	9,648
SMELTER TONNAGES		
Granby	25,035	871,005
B. C. Copper Co.	15,205	433,252

B. C. Copper Treatment

The B. C. Columbia company's smelter treated 15,205 tons of ore this week, as follows: Mother Lode, 8,414; Rawhide, 6,212; Napoleon, 289; others, 290.

ANNUAL REPORT OF NEW DOMINION COPPER

B. C. Copper Guarantees New Dominion Copper 15c. Per Ton Profit.

The report of the New Dominion Copper company for the fiscal year ended March 31, last, says the Boston Commercial, shows total shipments during the year amounting to 179,605 tons. Four shipments were made to the British Columbia Copper company's smelter at Greenwood, under various treatment rates. The existing rate on April 1, 1911, was upon the basis of the Dominion company paying the actual smelting cost of the British Columbia company plus 50 cents a ton.

Owing to the strike of the coal miners in the Crow's Nest Pass coal district and the importation of Connellsville coke by the British Columbia company, the smelting costs of that company were increased and a new arrangement for the smelting of the New Dominion ores was accordingly made. This arrangement was put into effect June 1, 1911, and was in substance a minimum royalty of 20 cents a ton to be paid to the New Dominion Copper company by the British Columbia Copper company after calculating ore returns on the basis of the previous arrangement.

The grade of ore combined with the increase in smelting costs due to Pennsylvania coke, and the decreasing price of copper, did not allow of any royalty being paid beyond this. Subsequent to July 1 the ores have been handled on a new basis arrived at by a committee of impartial engineers representing the interests concerned, the engineers having fixed a definite smelting rate and slag deductions. Apart from this the British Columbia Copper company guarantees to the New Dominion Copper company a fixed profit of 15 cents a ton, regardless of whether such amount is realized from the ores.

The balance sheet as of March 31 last, follows: Assets: Mines, smelter and other properties, $1,311,891; inventories and ore in transit, $26,059; unexpired insurance, $701; accounts receivable, $91,125; cash in banks, $114,578; profit and loss account, $149,102; total, $1,693,457. Liabilities: Capital stock, $1,178,320; income bonds, $491,725; accounts payable, $15,778; reserve, $7,634; total, $1,693,457.

The British Columbia Copper company's metal production for the first ten days in August was the largest in the history of the company. Earnings as published for July do not include the income from its Dominion Copper company investment. Including these, the total *is more than double its dividend requirements.*

Looting at Eholt

An urgent wire from Eholt on Monday notified Geo. Stanfield of the provincial police that looters were at work in the burned area in that burg. Accordingly that officer left immediately for the scene to investigate. The result of his watchfulness was the arrest of a couple of Austrian section men, Mike and and John Papey, father and son, who were observed packing and caching a sack under suspicious circumstances. On the sack being opened it was found that the culprits had anticipated Labor and Christmas Day jags by taking in a large supply of headache powders; there was also a pair of rubbers to account for. The accused received a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Woods of Greenwood, who remanded them until the following day, when they appeared before Messrs. Woods and McCulloch. The old man was discharged but his hopeful offspring was ordered to the Nelson pen for thirty days. He offered no defence, other than to remark that our alert police official had "worked fine trick on me."

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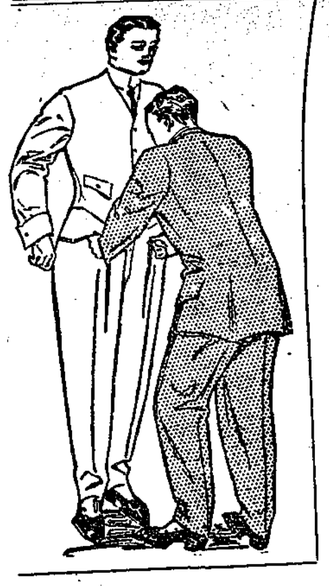

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In Vancouver city, there is a reserve on which seven lone Indians are holding the fort during such times as they are not away fishing. The reserve consists of eighty acres and is approximately worth about four million dollars.

Occasionally they do things very well in New York. They sentenced a white slaver the other day to thirty-three years in the penetentiary. In British Columbia they get about the same number of months.

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A lodge of the I.O.O.F. was formed in Merritt recently.

A little boy, named Cox, was drowned a few days ago in Yale creek.

A mounted corps of the Legion of Frontiersmen is to be formed in Vancouver.

Memorial services for General Booth are to be held in this province on September 1st.

Hal. Tisdale was recently fined $10 and costs for putting it all over a Chink, at Merritt.

Miss Ethel Roosevelt was a guest of Sir Wilfred and Lady Laurier, in Ottawa, a few days ago.

Rt. Hon. Walter Long, a former Imperial cabinet minister, is on the road to British Columbia.

Colonel Wadmore, district officer commanding British Columbia and Yukon districts, will retire on the 1st of December.

John Johnson, the Swede, who fell from the fire escape of an hotel, at Penticton, died a few days ago in the Kelowna hospital.

The Bank of Nova Scotia has notified its shareholders that the capital of the bank is to be increased by another million dollars.

Mrs. J. A. McKee, a San Francisco white slaver, was sentenced to three years in the penetentiary, by Judge McInnis of Vancouver.

The weekly payroll of the Chilliwack Canning and Preserving company amounts to almost $600. There are 67 hands on the roll.

About 285 families, who have been living in tents on the old naval reserve at Point Grey, have been served with peremptory notices to quit.

Kier Hardie, the British Socialist and member of parliament, has joined the big parliamentary pilgrimage to Canada. He landed at Montreal last week.

With the mark of a terrible blow across the forehead, the dead body of a Liverpool man, named Wm. Johnson, was found in the surf near Gossitt island. Foul play is suspected.

Kid McKoy says "the British detectives appear to be rather high-class men, beyond reproach from a mercenary standpoint." This looks as if Kid had tried them and found it no use.

Henry Yuen, a half-breed Chinese and Indian, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, without the option of a fine, by the Chilliwack magistrates, for supplying whisky to an Indian.

Skull Johnson, wanted by the North Vancouver police on a charge of fraud, was lured across the boundary line into Canada and arrested, last week. He was offered a fine job in British Columbia.

J. D. McNiven, fair wage officer of the Dominion Labor Department, has finished his report on the wage, food and sanitary conditions in the construction camps along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific in this province.

Twenty cadets from New Zealand dressed in picturesque uniforms, arrived in Vancouver, last week, and left for Toronto the next day. Their expenses were defrayed partly by the Canadian and New Zealand governments.

News comes from Ottawa to the effect that the various government departments are doing everything possible to facilitate a speedy movement of the western crop, and to prevent a repetition of the grain blockade a year ago.

Canada is to have another mixture added to its population, arrangements being made to bring out a party of Maltese immigrants. The mixture is a doubtful one as these people already have the reputation of composing a big percentage of prisoners in the Mediterranean jails.

Canon Henson, who recently in a sermon preached in Westminster Abbey, vigorously denounced the Peruvian-Amazon Rubber company, has been asked to withdraw his statements. Not only has he refused, but he has added the words pirates, bandits and murderers to his already long string of charges.

The salmon fishing on the Fraser has closed after a poor season.

Chas. S. Babbitt committed suicide in Rossland on Sunday last.

R. L. Borden, Prime Minister, is expected to reach Ottawa, on September 7.

A Chinaman named Leon Gwain, is in strict isolation in Vancouver, suspected of being a leper.

It is rumored that the proposed visit of Winston Churchill has been postponed.—Vide Liberal organs.

1039 boxes of peaches were packed and shipped, in one day, by the Okanagan Fruit Union of Penticton.

A steamer of the British Columbia Salvage company has gone to Panama to raise the sunken Pacific liner, Newport.

Mexico buys more from Germany and less from Canada. The decrease of Mexican imports from the Dominion is 78 per cent.

A Nelson man who recently returned from the east, declares that that portion of Canada has now outlived its title of the "cent belt."

The home of Colonel Hobday, near Duncan, Vancouver Island, was recently burned to the ground, and his eight-year old daughter burned to death.

Sir Richard McBride informed the Victoria Board of Trade, recently, that railway development projects to the extent of $100,000,000 were under way in British Columbia.

The Chinese Free Masons living in Kamloops have offered to erect a splendid arch on Main street, in Chinatown, on the occasion of the forthcoming centenary celebration.

The memorial services of Alpha Chapter No. 1, Eastern Star, were held in Rossland on August 26. After the service the members decorated the graves in the local cemetery.

Six masked bandits, armed with automatic guns, held up the Cedar Cottage branch of the Bank of Hamilton, at South Vancouver, last week. They escaped in an automobile after an exchange of shots with the police.

S. Maber, who has been commissioned by the Department of the Interior to inquire into the conditions affecting the administration of land in the railway belt in British Columbia, is shortly expected in the Shuswap district.

A report is current to the effect that practically all the land in the vicinity of Raft river, in the North Thompson district, have now been thrown open for settlement. The land was formerly covered by coal licenses, which have now expired.

E. G. Rykert, who has just returned from a business trip to Europe, states that during his trip he had made preliminary arrangements for bringing a large number of Boer settlers from the Transvaal to take up land in the Peace river district.

Mission city is to have a calithumpian parade (whatever that is) on Labor Day. It's a bit too far for us to go and find out, but whatever it is it would be a welcome change to the successive monotony of celebrationless Labor Days in Phoenix. It's too late to arrange a celebration now, but suppose we celebrate the opening of the local graveyard.

The new five dollar Dominion bank notes are proving quite popular. Already eight million dollars have been placed in circulation. Canadians, however, are not taking much to gold, the demand for the recent gold coinage not being as brisk as was anticipated. The principle demand for gold comes from British Columbia.

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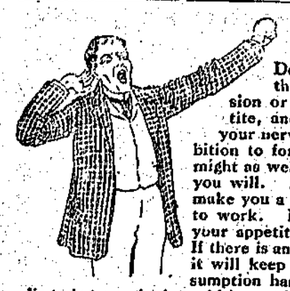

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Drop in and try our delicious ice cream and soft drinks. We keep a full assortment of

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Subscription, 2.00 per year
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G. KAY, Publisher.

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Delinquent Co-owner notices (90 days) $10.00
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All other legal advertising, 12 cents a line, single column, for the first insertion; and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion, nonpareil measurement.

SATURDAY, AUG. 31, 1912

Immunity from Typhoid

Owing to the prevalence of typhoid fever in many parts of the Dominion of Canada, the attention of the general public is called by the Provincial Board of Health, to the protection afforded against attack by the inoculation of tphoid vaccine.

According to the circular just issued to the press, the procedure is quite simple and entirely free from danger. The vaccine may be injected by a doctor, or in the absence of a medical man, the services of a trained nurse could be called upon. The first injection, amounting to a few drops, introduced under the skin, is followed in ten days' time by a larger quantity, while to afford greater security a third may be given ten days after the second.

A few hours after the first injection, a little headache and slight malise may be experienced, with a tenderness about the point of inocculation, the inconvenience being seldom sufficient to stop a man from working, as the next morning he usually feels as well as ever. No reaction, whatever, is produced after the second and third injections.

Many large employers of labor throughout the Dominion have introduced the above system in their works and factories, with gratifying results, the statistics having shown that of those properly treated, practically none have taken typhoid within a year, while it is advanced that immunity may be obtained for much longer periods. The pamphlet concludes with the statement that the above preventative is worth considering by the members of labor unions and friendly societies, and concludes with the information that the vaccine may be obtained on application to the Provincial Board of Health, Victoria.

Save the Canadian Forests

In 1910 the value of the forest products of Canada was $166,000,000 or over $22 for every inhabitant.

Everyone can see how this touches him. If we go on as in the past, slashing and burning our forests, this immense industry will be lost in a few years, and with it will go all its subsidiary industries. Great as this loss will be, it will be exceeded by the loss to our agriculture, waterpowers and navigation.

On the other hand the amount of land in Canada suited only to trees is such that if the forests are maintained in these areas and properly worked, the resulting product will not only keep every existing wood-working industry going for ever, but these industries can be greatly increased without using more than the annual growth. At the same time our agriculture, navigation and waterpowers will be enabled to reach their highest development.

The question is, shall we allow this great resource to be destroyed, or shall we save and develop it.

The purpose of the Canadian Forestry association is to save our forests for posterity; to stir up the people, and through them, the governments, to do their duty in this respect. It has already accomplished a great deal since its inception in 1910, but it could do more if it had a larger membership and more funds. The association holds conventions, publishes an annual report, including the Canadian Forestry Journal, provides lantern lectures and in other ways agitates the matter of forest conservation. The membership is one dollar per year, and the 14th annual meeting of the association is to take place at Victoria, on the 4th, 5th and 6th of the coming month.

German Colonists in Brazil

Signor Pinoretta, an agent of the Brazilian government, who was in Montreal recently, told a newspaper man in that city that the German menace against his country was not only real but imminent. It is apparently not so much the number of German immigrants pouring into Brazil that alarms the people there, as the fact that few of these show any inclination of becoming naturalized, and the suspicion is growing that most of them are simply agents of the German government, sent forward to spy out the land and secure information against the day when the kaiser will make an effort to seize the country. It is a significant fact, Signor Pinoretta says, that every German in Brazil keeps in constant touch with headquarters at home. Every month strange officials are seen interviewing these people and giving them instructions. "We are confident," declared Signor Pinoretta, "that German aggrandizement is aiming directly at the integrity of the South American republics, and we feel that our only safeguard will be the intervention of the United States and Great Britain."

Canada to Ratify

All of the West Indian colonies, concerned in the conference of last winter, have now ratified the agreement and it only remains for the Canadian parliament to do the same. The agreement will be laid before parliament as soon as it assembles and ratification will be an early item on the government program. The disposing of the trade agreement proper, clears the way for two older important subjects pertaining to West Indies steamship and cable connection. With regard to each of these Canada agreed to co-operate vigorously with the colonies in obtaining an improvement of the present conditions.

Fowls as an Aid to Prospectors

"Hereafter, the common or garden fowl should be recognized as a necessary addition to every prospector's equipment," says the Canadian Mining Journal. "We are informed that as a result of the discovery of gold in the crops of a number of chickens, several rich claims were recently staked near Winnipeg. There can be no doubt that with a little direction where to scratch, the fowls could be made to play a very useful part in aiding the prospector. They could also be eaten if they didn't do their duty, or when other grub was at a discount. The eggs, too, would come in handy.

Boost the District

While the local newspapers of this and every other place are "boosting" week in and week out for the benefit of their several communities, what are the business people doing for the newspapers? For the latter cannot exist on words of praise alone.

The best booster a district can have is the local paper, and it should fairly represent the enterprise of the locality in which it is published. A glance at the advertising columns of the local papers should give an outsider some idea of the business interests of the vicinity that do not carry a line of advertising in their home paper.

Imagine the metal picture this district would present to the outsider picking up this paper and glancing over it, if the name of every business firm appeared in its advertising columns in a space large or small.

Every man for his own and the general good should advertise regularly in the local papers, even if he only takes an inch space.

The local newspaper should be a business directory of the locality in which it circulates.

Therefore, however, several good advertisers who constantly keep themselves and their district to the front, and their example should be generally followed.—Ex.

GO-CARTS

We have just a few Carts left which we will sell on the following terms:

With every Cart purchased we will give a Pair of Runners to fit.

RUNNERS, Per Pair - - $1.00

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FRESH CHURNED CREAMERY BUTTER
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PHOENIX, B. C. PHONE 2

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We have a new selection of CUFF LINKS, TEA PINS, etc. Very Nice Designs.

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Mineral Act.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

"Atlantic Fraction No. 2" Mineral Claim, situate in Greenwood Mining Division of Yale district.

Where located:—Greenwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Donald J. Matheson, agent for Gust. Johnson, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 49802, intend 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

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SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

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Local and General

Mrs. A. Kreider is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Biner.

Born—At Phoenix, on August 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, a son.

Mrs. Albert Biner spent a few days of last week visiting in Spokane.

Miss Nellie Ingram returned to Coalmont on Monday.

For Sale.—One .32 calibre Colt automatic pistol. Apply Pioneer office.

Geo. Biner, who spent the summer holidays with his parents, returned to school in Spokane on Friday.

Mrs. R. J. Gardner, of Grand Forks, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Al. Almstrom, for a few days this week.

The mayor, D. J. Matheson, left on Monday on a business trip to the prairie provinces.

J. A. Morrin left on Saturday for Walla Walla, where Mrs. Morrin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Russell.

E. E. Spraggett, supt. of provincial roads, was up from the Forks on business during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McCoskrie returned on Saturday from their wedding trip to the coast.

Miss Esther Ericson returned on Saturday from a prolonged stay in Vancouver.

Mrs. Jas. Pyper and Mrs. Orrin Bush were presented recently with Past Grand jewels by Phoenix Lodge, No. 17, Daughters of Rebekah.

Miss. Lily Backlin, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. Dawson, for a few days recently, returned on Saturday to her home near Spokane.

Theo. McCammon left this week for Paris, Ont., to attend the high school. Win. Almstrom will succeed him in the circulation department of the Phoenix Pioneer.

Do you want to purchase a blacksmith business, situate in a first-class locality; the only shop in town; horse shoeing in connection; business will be disposed of cheaply.

A. F. Perkins, who has been visiting his son, W. X. Perkins, for a few days, returned to his home in Colville, on Monday, very much improved in health.

Presbyterian service will be held on Sunday evening, September 1, at 7.30 p.m., in the lodgeroom, Miners' Union Hall. A cordial welcome. J. R. Munro, pastor.

Rev. C. H. Huestis, M.A., field sec. of the Lord's Day Alliance, will address a meeting in the Methodist church on Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, at eight o'clock. All are invited.

Mrs. R. Laurie and sons, who have been spending the past few months with Mr. Laurie, manager of the Granby hotel, returned on Thursday to their home in Chewelah.

Thos. McCammon of Paris, Ontario, arrived in town on Wednesday to visit his son, R. K. McCammon. After a stay of a couple of weeks he leaves for a tour of the coast before returning home.

The Services on Sunday in St. John's Church are: Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m., Morning Prayer at 10.30, Holy Communion at 11 a.m., Sunday School at 2.30 p.m., Evening Prayer at 7.30. Rev. L. B. Lee; Rector.

The Miners' Union have arranged a dance for the evening of Labor Day. The Phoenix orchestra have promised and are preparing an excellent program of music, consisting of new and old favorites.

The stated services in the Catholic church are as follows: First and third Sundays in the month. Mass at 10 a.m., Sunday School at 2.30 pm.; Evening Service at 7.30 p.m. Rev. Father Beck, pastor.

On account of Labor Day, September 2, the Great Northern railway are quoting fares to local B.C. points at a fare and a third for round trips. Selling dates to September 2nd, with return limit to September 4th.

Methodist Church—Sunday school and Bible class, 2.30 p.m.; evening service, 7.30 p.m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7.45 p.m. Tomorrow, on Sunday evening, there will be a special Labor Day address and a warm welcome is extended to everyone.

Messrs. Tony and Pete. Turano, who were both married in Spokane on Wednesday of last week, arrived in town on Monday evening, accompanied by their brides, who have only recently arrived from that land of sunshine and music—Italy.

Chas. King writes us from Christina lake to say the weather there is charming, with every prospect for a beautiful week end at that popular resort. He also informs us that the fish are biting freely, particularly the bass. The C.P.R. are offering reduced fares at the rate of a fare and a third.

The wedding of Patrick Elmo Crane of the Granby company's engineering staff, to Miss Margaret Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Walton, of Snohomish, Wash., took place at the latter town on August 21. Mr. and Mrs. Crane arrived in town on Saturday and have taken up their residence on Ironsides avenue.

A correspondent, evidently fond of figures and facts, sends us the following: "From a bushel of grain, the distiller gets four gallons of whisky, which retails for $16.00. Out of this the government gets $4.00; the farmer who raises the grain gets 75c.; the railroad gets $2.00; the manufacturer gets $9.25; the retailer gets hell, while the consumer gets drunk."

Owing to unforeseen circumstances no special train will be run on Labor Day from Phoenix to Christina lake, but the C.P.R. have made concessions in rates for ordinary trains. A rate of a fare and a third will be available for bookings on Friday, Saturday and Monday, available for return on the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday following. An interesting program of sports, with valuable prizes, has been arranged by the Christina lake management; prizes also will be awarded for the heaviest bass and trout caught with hook and line during the period covering the festivities. Special arrangements have been made for the accommodation of visitors staying over.

Nelson Fruit Fair

In past years the management of the Nelson Fruit Fair have furnished some excellent attractions for the benefit of their patrons, but this year they have exceeded all past records in the selection of the attractions which will be seen daily and are to be free to all in attendance. The committee in charge have now selected for this years fair, the following well-known artistes: The "Ishikawa Japs" and the "Le Roy and Paul Idanias Troupe."

These acts are without doubt the best of their kind, and have only been secured at considerable expense. Their very appearance is an indication of how faithfully the committee have performed their duties, for without doubt, there is no problem more difficult for fair committees than that of providing amusement attractions for the visitors. That these attractions will give universal satisfaction there can be little doubt.

Probably the feature attraction of all will be the performances of Aviator Edwards, who will make daily aeroplane flights from the fair grounds, and who will be the first aviator to fly in the Kootenay. The fair opens on September 23 and continues until the 28th.

Fire at Eholt

Eholt about saw its finish early on Sunday morning, when a fire broke out in one of its buildings and quickly spread to adjoining structures. To fight the fire a locomotive was called into service and fair supply of water secured in that way. This with a bucket brigade was all that could be done to keep the fire within bounds. The damage done was considerable, six buildings being totally destroyed, besides the Summit and Northern hotels. The premises destroyed include the drug store and postoffice. Insurance to the extent of $4100 was carried on the two hotels and the origin of the outbreak is up to the present unknown.

Spokane Interstate Fair

Spokane, Aug. 30.—Visitors to the Spokane Interstate Fair this fall will have an opportunity of seeing a complete city playground in operation on the fair ground, and several acres of playground will be set apart for the exclusive use of the young visitors. The fair association has turned over the large section of the grounds to the city park board for public purposes and the playgrounds have been installed for the use of the children this fall. Parallel bars, teeter trotters, swings, chute-the-chutes and everything a healthy child delights in, will be open to the young folk, while the watchful eyes of competent attendants will be constantly on them to prevent accidents. Visitors will be able to leave their children at the playground and be certain of finding them when they have finished their sightseeing.

The Doukhobor Inquiry

The Provincial government have taken cognizance of the many complaints respecting the Doukhobors settled in British Columbia, and have appointed a commissioner in the person of Wm. Blakemore, of Victoria, to inquire into the conditions prevailing in the Doukhobor settlements. Unlike the farcical inquiry which the Laurier government instituted in Vancouver to enquire into the Chinese immigration frauds, Mr. Blakemore has been invested with authority to subpoena witnesses and examine them under oath. The government evidently wants no Yip On burlesques.

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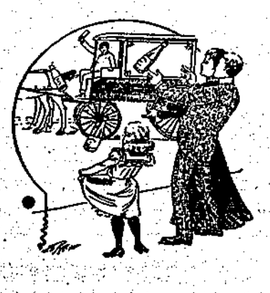

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