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Christmas Goods Now on Sale.

MORRIN, THOMPSON & CO.

MINING COSTS ARE CHEAP

Good Record at the Mother Lode.

EACH MAN 51 TONS OF ORE PER WEEK

B. C. Copper Co. is Making Some Money—Now Owns Three-Quarter Interest in the Emma.

Manager Keffer, of the B.C. Copper Co., Ltd., is confident that it will not be easy to duplicate the low cost of mining at the company's Mother Lode mine, and from the showing made it would appear that he has pretty good cause for thinking that way.

For instance, for the last three weeks, the average number of men on mining and development, including engineers, carpenters, miners, bosses, muckers, carmen, office, store, and all men of every description at the mine, was 64 per day. In the same time the output mined and shipped per week averged 3253 tons of ore. This gives an average per week per man of 51 tons, or a little more than seven tons of ore per man per day.

It has come to be an absolute necessity in our low grade mining to get the cost of production as low as possible, and no little credit is due Foreman Holman, at the Mother Lode, for the above showing.

Incidentally, it is said that the Mother Lode never looked better than it does today, and it is a current report, which is doubtless correct, that tee B. C.Copper Co. is now making money. The company is out of debt, is running its two furnaces and converter plant steadily, and is handling considerable custom ore. When the new furnaces are installed during the coming year it will be in a position to make even a better showing than at present.

The British Columbia Copper Co. has also recently acquired by bond a three-quarter interest in the Emma mine in Summit camp, a property the ore of which is desirable for fluxing properties. It was owned by J. J. Campbell, of Nelson. The Hall Mining and Smelting Co., of Nelson, own the other qnarter interest, and the property is worked and ore shipped by mutual arrangement.

Farewell to Mrs. Cardinal.

Tuesday evening a farewell was given Mrs. Jennie Cardinal at the Aetna building, and some 25 of her friends gathered there at that time, when a most enjoyable time was had. Mrs. Cardinal has been in charge of the Aetna for two years, and has made many friends in camp in that time. She left on Wednesday's train with Miss Katie Laughran, their destination being the new mining town, widely heralded as one of the richest yet, Goldfield, Nevada, not far from Tonapah, where they expect to locate.

Presidential Election Statistics.

Roosevelt, Republican	7,640,560
Parker, Democrat	5,094,391
Debs, Socialist	392,857
Swallow, Prohibitionist	248,411
Watson, Populist	124.391
Corrigan, Socialist-Labor	33,519
Total vote	13,634,119
Roosevelt will get, electoral vote	336
Parker will get, electoral vote	140
Roosevelt defeated Parker by	5,546.169

Excursion Rates East.

The Canadian Pacific railway announce a low round trip excursion rate, first class, from Kootenays to Montreal and all eastern Canadian points, except points north of Gravenhurst and west of Pembroke. Rate from Phoenix to Montreal and points west is $84, with corresponding rates from all stations to all eastern points. Tickets are on sale daily till 31st December, with transit limit of 10 days going, 15 days returning, and good stopover east of Port Arthur. Final limit three months from date of sale. For further information, tickets, berth reservations, etc., apply to local agents or write J. S. Carter, district passenger agent, Nelson.

Chapter of Accidents.

Wednesday was quite a day for accidents in town, all the victims being employees of the Granby mines, although but one of the accidents happened in the mines.

John Fife, an employee at the Granby mines, was badly hurt that morning in the No. 2 tunnel of the Knob Hill. He was taken to the hospital, where it was found that his left leg was broken twice, his collar bone dislocated and his shoulder bone fractured. His recovery will probably be slow. This accident occurred about eight in the morning.

Late in the afternoon Carl Helmer was on his way to the Granby hotel, when he slipped, fell and broke his forearm.

In the evening Dick Silverthorne was on the way to the theatre with his wife, and going down the steep and slippery sidewalk on School street—made doubly so by the school children sliding there—when he slipped and broke his left wrist.

Charles Johnson, who fell last week on the fifth floor of the No. 1 stope of the Knob Hill 200 level and broke a rib or two, with some internal injuries, is doing as well as could be expected at the hospital.

Methodist Christmas Tree.

The Sunday school of the Methodist church will hold its annual Christmas tree and entertainment in the church Saturday evening, December 24th. An excellent programme consisting of dialogues, recitations, drills and songs, has been prepared, and a good time is expected. Those wishing to put gifts on the tree for their friends will please communicate with some of the officials of the school before December 24th.

WAS KILLED BY AN ORE TRAIN

William P. Darst Was The Victim.

ALMOST HIS FIRST TRIP TO THIS CITY

Occurred About Four Miles From This City—Not Discovered till Train Reached Eholt.—Only 25 Years Old.

Another fatality happened on the Phoenix branch of the C.P.R. last Saturday night, by which William P. Darst, a brakeman, was killed.

It was almost the first trip Darst made on the Phoenix ore run, and while there were no eyewitnesses to the accident, it is thought the victim was walking over the loaded ore cars after the train left Williams siding, about four miles below Phoenix. He must have fallen between the cars and his life instantly crushed out, the remains being dragged as far as B.C. Junction. When Eholt was reached Darst was missed, and the trainmen sent back found the terribly mangled body.

Constable Darraugh and Coroner Foster were notified and the body sent to Greenwood, but an inquest was not deemed necessary. He was buried in Greenwood Thursday.

Darst was about 25 years of age, unmarried, and is said to have come from Stanford, Kentucky. He had been employed as brakeman on the Eholt-Greenwood run previous to his trips to Phoenix.

Nelson Board Resolves.

The Nelson Board of Trade recently passed the following important resolution:

Whereas, American rough lumber is at present being imported in large quantities into Manitoba and the Northwest Territories free of duty, to the great detriment of the lumber industry of Canada; and

Whereas, the lumber is being sold to the consumer at the price of Canadian rough lumber, the difference in price being absorbed by the middlemen, and

Whereas, the lumber manufacturers agree not to make any increase in prices, therefore

Be it resolved, that this Board of Trade urge upon the Dominion government that an equalization in the duty on rough lumber be established immediately between the tariffs of Canada and the United States.

The city council did not gather at its usual weekly business session this week.

HIGH GRADE ORE SHIPPING

Many Properties Now on the List.

LAST CHANCE ALSO FALLS IN LINE

Skylark Mine Sends Out a Car of First-Class Ore to Nelson Smelter, and Providence, Elkhorn, and E. P. U Continue to Ship.

Steadily, and not so slowly, Boundary's high-grade mines are coming to the front and showing up better and better. Nearly every month a new property joins the shipping list—and, best of all, the smelter returns from nearly all of them are of a most encouraging character. Ore that runs $75, $100, $150 and even $200 per ton is no uncommon thing, nowadays. The result is that, while the low-grade mines, with their large payrolls, are the backbone of the country beyond a doubt, the high-grade mines, which do not require so much capital for development, are a most important factor in the Boundary.

This week the Last Chance joined the shipping list, sending out a car of ore to the Trail smelter. This mine, which is owned by Spokane men, recently resumed work after an idleness of five years, and is charge of D. W. McVicar, the results so far being said to be most satisfactory to him and others interested.

Yesterday the Skylark, also a few miles below Phoenix, sent out its first car of high grade ore, the shipment going to the Nelson smelter. This property, with a dozen men under foreman Rowe, is extremely well thought of by those who have seen it. It is controlled entirely by Phoenicians.

The E. P. U., under Duncan McIntosh, is shipping steadily, with good returns; the Providence, under foreman Dermody and 40 men, is sending out a couple of cars per month of high grade ore, and the Elkhorn is quite successfully breaking records for high-grade shipments with considerable regularity. The Strathmore, and several others are preparing to send out ore also.

$37,000,000 of assets in the Mutual Life of Canada backs up all our policies. Christmas is the time to present the missus with one of our policies. So get Ed. Mortimer to take your application.

Excavations for the abutments for the School street bridge over the Great Northern tracks have been made, and work on the structure will be started shortly by Porter Brothers, the contractors.

Ronald McColl, of the timber gang at the Granby mines, sustained a broken rib last week Friday, while assisting in the moving of the huge castings of the new ore crusher. He will probably be laid up for a month.

We have averaged selling a bed per day, a stove in two days, since we decided on selling out. Now we will give another cut. $4.25 new Queen Heaters $2. We have $5.50 and $6.25 new stoves at $3 and $4. Old stoves from $1 up. Granby Exchange.

Wm. H. Covert, the Kettle valley rancher, was in town yesterday, and stated that his crop this last year brought nearly $10,000. It consisted of 54 tons of prunes, 1,500 boxes of apples, 4,000 sacks of potatoes, and about $1,000 worth of small fruits.

C. P. Webster, travelling representative of the B. C. Mining Exchange, a bright monthly published at Vancouver, spent seven days in camp this week. He went through the Brooklyn and Granby mines, and asserted that the people at the Coast do not begin to realize the possibilities of mining in the Boundary.

Draisey Benefit Netted $200.

Tuesday evening a benefit dance was given at Phoenix Miners' Union hall, the proceeds to go to Daniel Draisey, a member of the union, who has been incapacitated by illness. The hall was well filled, and the net proceeds are stated to amount to about $200. Mr. Draisey, who was in the hospital for many weeks, went to Spokane a few weeks ago, with his family, where his friends will regret to hear he is still in bad shape.

Howard Moore has taken over the dining room of the Bellevue hotel.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

Going out of business; come and see our prices. Granby exchange.

Local Masons are preparing to celebrate S. John's day, December 27th.

E. W. Ruff, of Rossland, was registered at the Hotel Balmoral Wednesday.

Greenwood Knights of Pythias will give a ball on the evening of January 2, 1905.

Jas. McGregor, government mining inspector, with headquarters at Nelson, was in camp Tuesday.

Wm. Spier, manager of the Eastern Townships Bank at Grand Forks, was a visitor here Thursday.

Danny Daane has taken a lease on the Aetna, and will conduct it in connection with the Metropolitan cafe.

P. W. Gordon, of Nelson, travelling agent for the Imperial Oil Co., of Winnipeg, was a visitor here Thursday.

Patrick Welch, the railway contractor, who spent Sunday in the city, is expecting to leave for a visit to New York City shortly.

Rev. W. J. Wood, formerly of Phoenix, is to sail for England today from St. John, N. B. He expects to remain in England or Ireland.

Work has been started on getting ready the open air skating rink at Grand Forks, which is expected to be opened on Christmas day.

Both the Grand Forks News-Gazette and Sun think the present mayor and city council of that city are likely to be returned by acclamation.

Peter Gagnon, who has been a resident here for several years, being employed at different mines, left last Saturday for Tucson, Arizona.

The automobile which J. F. Royer proposes to put on the route between Phoenix and Greenwood, is to be delivered here by April 15th, 1905.

The work of flooding the skating rink is going on steadily, and Prendergast & Munro, the proprietors, hope to be ready for business before long.

Miss Ada Palmer Walker, with her company of players, presented "Pretty Polly" at Miners' Union hall Wednesday evening. It was called a comic opera.

Theodore Herchmer has been appointed superintendent of the Betts and Hesperus mines on Hardy mountain, and has entered upon the performance of his duties.

Helen Burns, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burns, who has been ill for some little time, is improving. A trained nurse was sent for to Spokane, and arrived this week.

E. B. Kirby, manager of the Centre Star and War Eagle groups of mines since August, 1899, has resigned, to take effect January 15th. His successhas not yet been announced.

Sydney T. Coulton, who for the past three years has been in the employ of the Hunter-Kendrick Co. here, left on Wednesday's train for an extended visit to his old home at Stratford, Ontario.

E. A. Gardner, who came to the Boundary three years ago from Seattle as a detective, at the time of the Hot Air railway scandals, but who latterly has been conducting a sawmill at Danville, recently died at the latter place, leaving a widow and five children.

Latest Prices in Metals.

New York—Copper, electrolytic, $14.75@$15 00; lake, $14 67½@ 15 25
Bar Silver, 59¾
Lead, $4.60 at $4 75.

GETTING $50,000 PER MONTH

Montreal & Boston's Good Work.

WITH BUT ONE FURNACE RUNNING

Suspension of Munroe & Munroe, of New York, it is Said, Will not Affect the Company—Large Cash Payment Made.

There seems to be no doubt whatever that the Montreal & Boston Consolidated is getting splendid results from the operation of one furnace at the smelter, the ores from which come from this camp. It is general report that the smelter is now earning over $50,000 per month for the company with one furnace, and this is considered as an excellent achievement.

Last week there was a flurry in copper stocks in New York city, in which there was considerable speculation. Munroe & Munroe, the fiscal agents of the Montreal & Boston Consolidated, were caught in the crash, and much to the regret of their friends, were forced to suspend for the time being, anyway. Several scraps of the story have appeared in the daily press, and the question has been repeatedly asked if their troubles will affect the operation of the company's mines and smelting works in the Boundary.

Manager Pemberton, of the company, who was here Thursday, states that it will not affect the company at all. The contract for the purchase of the Brooklyn mine and other properties is guaranteed by a strong underwriting syndicate, who are amply able to take care of their obligations. The best proof of this is the fact that another large payment on the contract has been made since the suspension of Munre & Munroe—namely, last Saturday, the 10th. This payment was for many thousands of dollars.

In addition to this, the work of the company so far has demonstrated that the combination of the several claims is one of the best in the Boundary, which accounts for the excellent results being obtained in the operations. One man, thoroughly familiar with the entire situation and with the mines themselves, asserts that the Brooklyn mine alone is worth the entire capital of the company, to say nothing of the other mines in the combination.

Special Holiday Rates.

For Christmas and New Year's holidays, Canadian Pacific railway announce a rate of a fare and a third, return, between all stations from Port Arthur to Vancouver, including branches. Tickets on sale December 23–26, also 30th, 31st, and January 1 and 2. Final limit on all tickets January 4

Presbyterian Christmas Tree.

Next Friday evening, December 23, the annual Christmas tree entertainment of the Presbyterian church will be held in accordance with usual custom. There will be bright choruses, tableaux and a ring drill by 12 girls, with other things to interest the little and older folks. Exercises will begin at 7:30 sharp, and it is desired that special notice be taken of this fact. Admission free, but a free-will offering will be taken.

Catholic—Mass will be held tomorrow at 10 a. m.; evening service at 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., standard time. Father J. A. Bedard B. A.

BOUNDARY ORE TONNAGE.

The following table gives the ore shipments of Boundary mines for 1900, for 1901, for 1902, for 1903, and 1904, as reported to the Phoenix Pioneer—

		1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	Past Week
Granby Mines,	Phoenix	64,533	231,762	309,858	393,718	521 270	11,160
Snowshoe,	"	297	1,731	20,800	71,212	.....	.....
Brooklyn-Stemwinder		.....	150	.....	.....	20,773	2,190
Mother Lode,	Deadwood	5,340	99,034	141.326	138.079	192.848	3,908
Sunset,	"	.....	802	7,455	15.731	2,223	240
Morrison,	"	.....	.....	150	3,339	.....	.....
B. C. Mine,	Summit	19,494	47,405	14,811	19,365	.....	.....
R. Bell,	"	.....	.....	560	.....	.....	.....
Emma,	"	.....	650	8,530	22,937	37,264	627
Senator	"	.....	.....	.....	363	3.118	132
Oro Denoro	"	.....	.....	.....	15.537	16,339	198
Brey Fogle	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	222	
No. 37	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	364	
Mountain Rose	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,651	99
Reliance		.....	.....	.....	.....	33	.....
Winnipeg,	Wellington	1,076	1,040	785	2,435	.....	.....
Golden Crown,	"	2,250	.....	625	.....	.....	.....
Athelstan-Jackpot	"	1,200	550	.....	5,646	4,586	.....
King Solomon,	W.Copper	.....	875	.....	.....	.....	.....
No. 7 Mine,	Central	.....	665	482	.....	.....	.....
City of Paris,	"	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jewel,	Long Lake	160	350	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carmi,	West Fork	.....	.....	890	.....	.....	.....
Providence,	Providence	.....	.....	219	993	686	25
Elkhorn		.....	.....	.....	400	305	.....
Skylark	Skylark	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	20
Last Chance	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	25
E. P. U and	Goldfinch	.....	.....	.....	167	291	25
Ruby,	Boundary Falls	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous		3,230	3,456	325	.....	.....	.....
Total, tons		99,730	390.000	507.545	684,461	782,529	18,649
Granby Smelter treated,		62,387	230.828	312,340	401,921	556 665	11,460
G'wood	" "	.....	.....	.....	.....	202,107	4,184
M. & B.	" "	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,360	2,430

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One week from tomorrow is Christmas. Have you prepared that stocking yet?

That Baltic fleet of the Russians is a hoo-doo, and will be safest in the Baltic sea. Evidently Nicholas thinks so, too,

Coppers were a sensation on the eastern stock exchanges last week. As usual when they dropped a little it caused the pinching of a few.

Last week about seventeen yards of President Roosevelt's message were in the American papers, but it is safe to say that the proofreaders in the newspaper offices comprise the bulk of those who read it from Alpha to Omega.

In three or four weeks there will be a civic election in Phoenix, and so far possible candidates have been backward about coming forward and announcing themselves as such. The present aldermanic board has done good work during the year, and, with the exception of the trouble over the chief of police, has acted harmoniously. Doubtless, however, each member will be too pleased to allow others to earn the honors.

A Seattle paper has the following: "The Canadian Pacific and the Hill interests are building a smelter at Cascade."

The above is the result of the sending out of "hot air" reports from Grand Forks—the home of "hot air" railways, despatches, etc. It is safe to say that neither C.P.R. nor Hill interests have any more idea of erecting a smelter at Cascade that at Grand Forks or Phoenix.

Seemingly, there is just as much call for placing a bounty on copper produced in the Dominion, as there was on lead. The Pioneer called attention to this matter more than a year ago, and we are pleased to see that it is being taken up in Rossland. For years the low grade copper producers have, it is only too well known, been scarcely able to operate, and yet they distribute enormous sums in the course of their operations. Of this there can be no question. If the Ottawa government can assist the copper industry, it should be done.

A cry, loud and long, is going up from those interested in the lumbering industry in this province, that they are receiving no protection from the Ottawa government, but are undersold at home by their American cousins. The "Solid Seven" have the matter in hand, and say they will do what they can at Ottawa. As the Hon. Mr. Sifton, however, will count more than all of British Columbia's representatives at the Dominion capital, those best posted look for little relief. Meanwhile plants all over the province are closing down indefinitely.

IT HAS BEEN REMARKED

That the few railroaders still at work do not appreciate "beautiful snow."

That Duncan Ross, M.P.-elect, will surely be heard as well as seen at Ottawa.

That December will show the largest tonnage of any month this year from Boundary mines.

That Phoenix today, according to travellers, is the best town in the Boundary, and is likely to remain so.

That delinquent subscribers should be sure and start the next year aright by visiting ye editor in the course of the next two weeks.

That Grand Trunk Pacific officials are preparing to drop in on the government of this province, with the 'big mit" plainly in sight.

That the man who sold Granby stock two or three years ago at less than $3 is now wondering why the foolkiller was not around at that time.

That James J. Hill will do the right thing if he runs an excursion from Spokane to Phoenix on the occasion of the completion of his line to Phoenix.

That the tables will soon be turned on the Greenwood people, when they begin climbing the hill to take the Great Northern passenger trains at Phoenix.

That Santa Claus is already beginning to do quite a business in the leading town of the Boundary, and in the next week will break all previous records.

That if some patent medicine concern could secure the free publicity being accorded to Mrs. Chadwick, the "frenzied financieress," it would be worth a pretty penny.

That it took Hunter-Kendrick Co., of Phoenix, just two months to clear a case of goods at the Grand Forks customs. Ottawa papers and the Victoria Times and Greenwood Times please copy.

Almost Every Woman

Is inclined to habitual constipation and should use Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut which cleanse the system and regulate the stomach and bowels. For mild and sure relief use only Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Price 25c.

PROVINCIAL.

The Kootenay Central surveys will be completed in two or three weeks.

Schedule trains will be running into Fernie over the Great Northern by January 1st.

Important improvements are to be made on the Slocan branch of the C. P. R. next year.

Official count shows that in the recent election in Kootenay Galliher received 2,487 votes, Mackintosh 1,735, and Baker 605.

Owing to lack of protection from the American market, sawmills are steadily closing all over the province, with no prospect of re-opening at an early date.

LINGERING COLD.

Withstood Other Treatment But Quickly Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I caught a severe cold which lingered for weeks," says J. Urquhart, of Zephyr, Ontario. "My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and guaranteed it, so I gave it a trial. One 25 cent bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have ever used." This is one of the most staple medicines in use. Thousands have testified to its excellence. It not only cures a cold quickly and effectually but counteracts any tendency towards pneumonia. It is equally valuable for children and may be given to them with with implicit confidence. It always cures and is pleasant to take. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no opium or other harmful drug. Sold by all druggists.

B. C. MINING

Trail's lead refinery turns out about 20 tons per day.

Sandon mines last week shipped 138 tons of galena and 100 tons of zinc.

In November the Nelson smelter handled 1,048,262 pounds of lead ore.

At the 1,450-foot level of the LeRoi mine, the values run about $25 per ton.

A recent shipment of 12½ tons from the Empress, at Bear Lake, netted $3,332.

Rossland ore shipments last week were 6,485 tons, or 228,697 tons for the year to date.

G. B. McMillan is getting eastern capitalists interested in his iron mines on Crawford bay.

The Silver Cup silver mill, in the Lardeau, is reported to be turning out a 2,000 ounce brick per day.

The output of the St. Eugene mine for November was 2 ,000 tons, 15,000 of which were concentrates.

Operations at the Rossland Power Co.'s large mill at Trail have been suspended until more machinery is installed.

The 1,700-foot tram line connecting the may and Jennie mine and mill, near Nelson, is to be completed in 30 days.

Lemon Creek, in the Slocan, is receiving considerable attention this winter, and some properties will join the shipping list.

P. J. Hickey has closed a contract with Batchelor & Co., of Spokane, for 500 tons of zinc from the Ivanhoe. The ore is for the European market and 200 tons have already been shipped.

Catarrhal Deafness is Caused

By a thickening of the lining membranes of the middle ear, owing to prolonged inflammation from catarrhal germs. The only cure is fragrant, healing Catarrhozone, one which is carried by the air you breathe to the remotest parts of the throat and ear; it reaches the source of the trouble and cures deafness permanently. Every sufferer from impaired hearing should use Catarrhozone which has effected many wonderful cures. You simply breathe its healing medicated vapor—very easy and pleasant. Do this and your hearing will be restored. Catarrhozone never fails; it is guaranteed. Two months' treatment for $1.00 at druggists.

Political Coercion.

The fiat has gone forth. The political Czar of all British Columbia has announced because the members of the Provincial government have exercised their right as Liberal-Conservatives to oppose the Laurier government in the recent elections, that no representations of the British Columbia government either separately or in conjunction with other provincial governments, will have consideration at Ottawa. It is proclaimed in thunder tones that any delegation to Ottawa must go headed by a Liberal premier in the person of J. A. Macdonald. It makes no difference whether the demands are just or not. Whether we have grievances, which it is the duty of the government to consider, irrespective of politics, matters not. The fact that we have an administration not in sympathy with the political views of the federal administration is sufficient—and we are asked to subscribe to it as a righteous and common sense principle—to debar us from all consideration or redress. It makes no difference if the Provincial government is in power as the choice of the people. It is a case of compliance or the lash. Those who dare to oppose the Liberal government must suffer. — Victoria Colonist.

Inevitably Forgotten.

Inevitably the business man who does not keep his establishment before the public will be forgotten, and, as long as there are men who advertise constantly and loudly, nobody will charge his mind with remembering those who do not advertise. Gladstone said that "nothing except the mint can make money without advertising." The famous statesman might have gone farther and said that advertising is the mint in which money is coined for wide-awake men.

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MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

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Where located—in Summit camp.

Take Notice that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as agent for Dougald McInnis, Free Miner's Certificate No. B74591; George W. Rumberger, Free Miner's Certificate No. B80322; and Thomas Roderick, Free Miner's Certificate No B80101, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for certificates of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants for the above claims.

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

Dated this 29th day of September, A. D. 1904.

—6— I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

Seth and Jerry Mineral Claims, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located, in Long Lake camp.

Take notice that I, Albert E. Ashcroft, acting as agent for the Jewel Gold Mines, Limited, Free Miner's Certificate No. B85,647, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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Dated this 15th day of August, 1904.

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Center Star	25	20
Crow's Nest Pass Coal		
Denoro Mines		
Fairview	3	2
Fisher Maiden	3	2
Giant	2	1
Granby Consolidated	$5 75	$5 25
International Coal	30	25
Juno	5	4
Morning Glory	1	
Mountain Lion	8	5½
Montreal & Boston	$1 60	$1 50
North Star, (E. K.)	2	1
Payne	4½	3
Quilp	11	8
Rambler-Cariboo	17	14
San Poil	2¾	2¼
Sullivan	9	7
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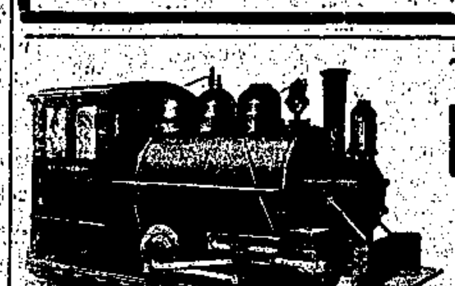

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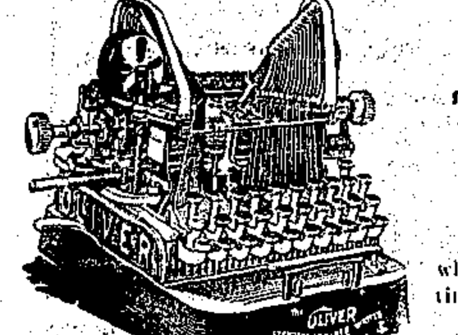

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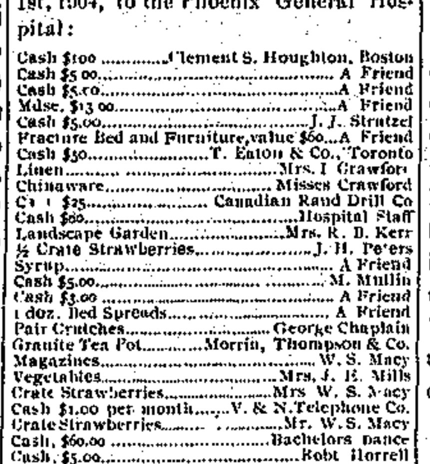

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What The Rossland Board of Trade Did.

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Copper Industry in Canada Needs Assistance and Has Paid Heavy Tribute to Manufacturers of the Dominion.

"Resolved, that in view of the great disadvantages which gold-copper mining is laboring under in this province, and the vast revenue derived from it by the Dominion government, the Rossland board of trade do take steps to petition the Dominion government to grant a bonus on copper, as they have done on lead and iron, and, that this board shall, as a preliminary step, invite the co-operation of the various boards of trade throughout the province, with a view to presenting a unanimous memorial through our representatives in the Dominion parliament."

The above resolution, introduced by John Dean, was adopted at last night's regular monthly meeting of the board of trade, which was presided over by C. O. Lalonde, in the absence of J. S. C. Fraser, says the Rossland Miner. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one.

Mr. Dean in speaking in favor of the resolution said he had gathered some statistics as to the production of copper. In the year 1902 the total production of copper in the Dominion was 38,804,259 pounds, and the proportion that British Columbia produced of this was about two-thirds. The production of copper in 1902 in the province was 27,436,057 pounds, and the total amount of copper produced so far in the province was 127,012,329 pounds. He alluded to the fact that the silver-lead mines of the province have paid $3,500,000 in dividends, while the the gold-copper properties have paid only $2,500,000, although the latter have much more money invested. He said this was a contention in favor of bonusing of the copper production. Then he touched on the large amount of import duty which the people of Rossland have had to pay direct to the custom house here. He said it had been stated that it amounted since the custom house was located here to about $2,500,000. Following are the figures for some of the years of amounts paid in customs duties in the Rossland custom house:

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He held that the customs duties collected here only represent a portion of that which the residents paid, as on many of the goods consumed duty had been collected for them before they arrived here at other ports of entry in the Dominion. These taxes were collected to help the manufecturer in the east. Copper came in free, with the exception of certain manufactured articles of copper, and this, too, was in aid of the eastern manufacturer. Iron was protected and lead had a bounty, and as the lead mines had paid more dividends than those of copper he thought it was nothing more than right that copper, too, should be given the benefit of a bounty.

E. B. Kirby, in seconding the resolution, said he thoroughly indorsed all that had been said in favor of the resolution, and declared that all that Mr. Dean had said was true. It was high time, he thought, that the copper industry should be aided with a bounty. The lead mines, he declared, had paid more dividends than the copper mines. The copper mines should have the benefit of a bounty, as they certainly need it more, if anything, than the lead mines.

C. V. Jenkins heartily endorsed the resolution and its objects. The eastern manufacturer was protected, and at great cost to the copper miner, and it was only fair that he should be taxed a little to pay for the copper bounty.

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Do not overlook Dey, the jeweler, when selecting your holiday gifts.

Almstrom has a fine assortment of Cigars and Tobaccos for the holiday trade.

Dr. Mathison, dentist, will be at his office, Bank block, from Jan. 10th to 14th.

Those chocolates of Almstrom's will melt in your mouth—if you give them a chance.

McRae Bros. & Smith have a larger and better stock of holiday goods this year than ever before.

Cut Glass makes one of the nicest presents you can give. Dey the jeweler has it from $1.50 to $15.00

For large returns and good dividends buy International Coal stock of J. L. Martin, Phoenix, B. C.

Saturday evening, December 24th, the Methodist church will hold its Christmas tree and entertainment.

Geo. E. Dey, the jeweler, has just received a fine line of Pearl Broaches and Pins, ranging from $3.50 to $25.

When you are thinking of Christmas presents remember that Ed. Black, the jeweler, is getting in a fine line of silver goods.

Mining shares in all the local properties. International Coal, Granby, Strathmore, Oro Denoro and Providence. For sale by Ed. H. Mortimer.

A start was made on the water tank this week which will be built for the Great Northern, and pipes were laid to a spring on the hillside, south of the town.

Ed. H. Mortimer, insurance, real estate and mining broker. I have a cheap residence lot on Old Ironsides avenue for sale at $225. A corner and a snap.

The proprietors of the Brooklyn hotel have received a stock of pure Oregon grape wine, and are prepared to supply it to families by the gallon at a reasonable price.

Ask any policyholder of the Mutual Life of Canada if he is not satisfied with the policy of the company. Then come and give your application to Ed. Mortimer and be one of the many.

This week all danger of a green Christmas for this year was dispelled by the fleecy flakes falling most of the time. For the two or three days considerable snow fell, something over a foot.

Broken wrists, arms and legs have been the fashion for the last week. Moral—get Mortimer to write you up for an accident policy. Costs little, but gives you good returns in case of accident or sickness.

Melt in your mouth. Boyle, the druggist.

Webb's fine chocolates, fresh goods, at Almstrom's.

Beautiful China, large assortment. Boyle, the druggist.

Dey the jeweler has a fine line of souvenir spoons.

Dr. Simmons, dentist, McMillan block, Jan. 13 to 16.

A choice line of Sterling Silver presents at Dey's.

Toilet and manicure sets make nice gifts. Boyle the druggist.

Christmas goods, toys, etc., at Almstrom's. Do not overlook them.

A fine selection of ladies' gold filled and solid gold watches, Dey the jeweler.

If you want something for the youngsters, remember that Almstrom's stock is well worth examining.

What about a fine Mason & Risch piano for a Christmas present to the wife. See Ed. Mortimer, the agent here, about prices.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all persons are prohibited from coasting on First street or on the sidewalks, within the limits of the corporation of the city of Phoenix.

By Order of Chief of Police.
Dated at Phoenix, B.C., November 24, 1904.

Hockey Officers.

Last Monday evening a meeting of the hockey boys of the city was held and an organization perfected for the season, with the following officers:

President, G. W. Rumberger.
Vice-President, W. R. Williams.
Secretary, F. R. Munshaw.
Treasurer, Jas. Marshall.
Manager, J. E. W. Thompson.
Captain, T. Collins.
Executive Committee, Alex McRae and the seven members of the team.

Another meeting will be held next Monday evening, and it is the intention, as soon as there is ice, to give a benefit to A. E. H. Clark, recently so badly hurt in a coasting accident.

For Excursion to Spokane.

This week a memorial was circulated throughout the city, addressed to the Great Northern, and signed by nearly every business man and mine superintendent here, asking the Great Northern to run a free excursion from Phoenix to Spokane, as a fitting opening of the new railway to this city, which will soon be completed. The idea is to go to Spokane one day, and return the day but one. The document was forwarded to R. C. Morgan, superintendent at Spokane, and it is hoped that a favorable response will be received and a day set for some time in January for the excursion. The plan has the endorsement of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce.

Returns from the Silver Cloud shipment gave $100 in silver and $20 in gold.

The public school closed yesterday for the Christmas holidays. Examinations were held.

Ed. Black, the jeweler, will have a choice line of silverware, suitable for holiday presents this year.

Changes for advertisements in the Pioneer must reach this office by noon Thursdays to insure insertion.

Beginning tonight H. A. Munro will give a dance in Hardy hall every Saturday night for the winter months.

Don't worry. Get Mortimer to insure you. Life, Fire, Accident or Sickness in the best English and Canadian Companies.

Each one is a foot long. What is? Why those panoramic views of Phoenix by G. B. R. Kinney up at Black's Jewelry store.

The qualifications of those entitled to vote at the municipal elections to be held in January, will be found in another column of this issue.

Friday, December 23rd, is the date already selected by the Presbyterian church for the annual Christmas tree and Sunday School entertainment.

This week a dividend of five per cent on the issued shares of the Phoenix Electric Lighting Co. was declared, amounting to a little less than $2,000.

"Means and Ends," and "Universal Law and Human Responsibilities," will be the topics tomorrow in the Presbyterian church. Anthem by the choir.

It is the expectation now to begin shipments from the Rawhide next Monday, when the second furnace at Boundary Falls will be blown in. Some adjustments to the tramway machinery were found necessary this week, and these are now being made.

Dance tonight, Hardy hall. H. A. Munro.

For Sale—Cheap.

"Bravo" Diamond Drill and accessories. For further particulars apply to
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Situations as Cooks Wanted.

Man and wife would like to secure situations as cooks in mine boarding house, or something similar.
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Corporation of the City of Phoenix

Municipal Elections 1905

Voters' Lists.

The following persons are entitled to have their names placed on the Voters' Lists for the Municipal Elections for the year 1905, for Mayor, Aldermen and School Trustees of the City of Phoenix.

Any male or female, being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years who

1. Is the owner of real estate of the assessed value of not less than one hundred dollars, or
2. Is the representative, being a resident British subject duly authorized by the directors of an incorporated company, which is the assessed owner of lands, or of improvements of lands situate within the municipality, or
3. Is the holder of a trades licence, the annual fee of which is not less than five dollars, or
4. Is a householder, who has paid on or before the 31st day of December in the year immediately prior to the day of the nomination, all municipal rates, taxes, assessment rentals, and license fees, which are not chargeable on and payable by him or her to the municipality.

Provided, however that in the case of the holder of a trades license or in the case of a householder, he or she shall, during the month of December, in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the City Clerk, a statutory declaration set out in Section 2 of the Municipal Elections Act Amendment Act 1892.

Forms of the said declaration may be obtained at the offices of the City Clerk at the city offices, Phoenix, B. C.

D. J. MATHESON,
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Application for Transfer of Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that I will make application to the Board of License Commissioners of the Boundary Creek license district, at its next meeting, for a transfer of the liquor license, now held by me, to sell liquor by retail in the Oro Denoro Hotel, situated at Denoro in Summit camp, B. C., to Andrew E. O'Brien.

Dated this 26th day of November 1904.

M. W. LUDLOW.

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Geo. E. Dey,

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MACKINAW CLOTHING,

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