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MORE COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Program is Being Outlined—\$500 Will Likely Be Hung Up For Drilling Contests—Another Meeting To-Night.

Last Saturday evening the general committee in charge of the Labor Day celebration, held a well attended meeting at the school house. It was stated that the citizens of Greenwood had been intending to celebrate Labor Day, but would put off their celebration till the day after, if the people of Phoenix would co-operate with them on that day. Mr. Hemenway did not think the mines would stop work for two days on account of the recent arrangement by which their mines are closed Sundays.

The secretary was instructed to extend an invitation to neighboring towns to unite with Phoenix in the celebration.

The finance committee reported that they had not finished their work. About \$1,400 had been promised, and it was expected to raise at least \$2,000, and possibly more.

A press committee was appointed, consisting of W. H. Baumbury, V. Monnier and John Reardon. Said committee called to meet Monday evening at school house.

A committee on program was appointed, consisting of P. J. Hollahan (Miners' Union), Robert Scott (Carpenters' Union), George McKenzie (Clerks' Union), J. T. Lawrence (Cooks and Waiters' Union), S. C. Mitchell (Federal Labor Union), Charles Schalm (Barbers' Union), Elmer Hall (Typographical Union), J. F. Hemenway, Thos. Hardy and J. E. W. Thompson. Said committee to meet at school house Monday evening July 15 (9 p. m.).

The transportation committee appointed consisted of G. W. Rumberger, W. J. Foster and W. B. Wilcox, to meet at call of chairman.

It was ordered that \$50 or \$75 be expended by the proper committee in improving the hall ground.

A committee on parade was appointed, consisting of James Dunbar, James Barry, Mr. Barlow, J. T. Lawrence and John Reardon, to meet on call of chairman of committee.

A committee on general decoration was appointed, consisting of V. Monnier, Bert Detcher and Thomas Hardy. James Dunbar was appointed marshal of the day.
The secretary was requested to confer with different mining companies to see if they will not stop work for Labor Day and the day after in order to permit of an arrangement with Greenwood in relation to their celebration. Meeting adjourned until Saturday, July 20th, at 9 o'clock p. m., at which time all committees are requested to be present.

Some of the Events.

The various committees held meetings this week, and report good progress thus far. The program committee has outlined some of the events, as follows, subject to change:

Parade of all labor organizations and secret societies.
Double hand drilling contest.
Single hand drilling contest.
Air drilling contest at the Glory Hole.

Boys' drilling contest.
Football match for the championship of Southern British Columbia, and a purse of \$200.
220-yard dash.
100-yard dash.
50-yard prospectors' race.
220-yard hurdle race.
100-yard race for boys.
50-yard race for girls.

Caledonian Sports.

Throwing 16-pound hammer.
Throwing 36-pound weight.
Putting 16-pound shot.
Tossing caber.
Running hop, step and jump.
Running broad jump.
Running high jump.
Standing broad jump.
Wood chopping contest.
Tug of war.
Tennis tournament.
Ball in evening.

Work to be Started Here Soon.

James H. Kennedy, chief engineer of the V. & E. railway, came up from Grand Forks last Sunday on company business. While in Phoenix he stated that the actual work of grading at the Phoenix end of the line would begin very shortly, as it was intended to get the road built and running by next winter. This will require the starting of the work up here at an early date.

Excavation for the \$15,000 Bank block is finally completed, and tons of rock have been gotten out for the foundations. The masonry work will probably be started next week.

FOR SIDEWALKS AND FLUMES.

City Will Buy Its Lumber for These Purposes by the Car Load.

At Wednesday's meeting of the city council, Mayor Rumberger and Councilmen Clark, Morrin, Punch, Marshall and Roy were present, Alderman McMillan being the only absentee.

Two communications were read by the clerk. One was from the newly organized fire brigade, asking for the appointment of J. P. Hemenway as fire chief. This the council unanimously ratified. The other was from fifteen musicians and others, asking the council for assistance, to the amount of \$300, in purchasing band instruments. The council could not at this time see its way clear to granting this request.

On the recommendation of the finance committee, the following accounts were ordered paid:
Dr. G. E. Gordon, salary, \$20 00
Greenwood Electric Co., 3 30
Columbia Telephone Co., 2 60
Pioneer Publishing Co., 25 00
John Henderson, labor, 3 75
Yale-Columbia Lumber Co., 14 80
Total, \$74 35

Street Improvements Loan By-Law No. 25 was read, and the city clerk ordered to give due notice to the electors. The day of election was set as Monday, August 5th, at the city office, and the city clerk was appointed returning officer.

The city clerk was instructed to secure prices on lumber by the car load to be used in sidewalks and flumes on Dominion avenue, and the city engineer was asked to furnish plans and specifications for the construction of the flume. This work must be done before the grading of that part of the street can begin.

The board of works was instructed to lay a sidewalk in front of the McMillan block and Bellevue hotel on Knob Hill avenue.

Will Have Two Teachers.

When the Phoenix public school opens next month in the new school building, now in process of erection, there will be two instructors to teach the young ideas of the little Phoenixians how to shoot. Secretary Matheson, of the school board, has received official notice from the department of education that the additional teacher asked for will be allowed at the coming term of school.

Accordingly, Mr. Matheson has advertised in the coast papers for a teacher, who will receive \$70 per month, and has something like twenty replies thus far. A selection will be made shortly. The second teacher will probably receive a salary of about \$50 per month.

PHOENIX BRANCH ORE SHIPMENTS.

The following table gives the ore shipments of Phoenix Branch and other Boundary mines for 1900, for the past week, for 1901, and the total to date:

	1900	Week	1901	Totals
Old Ironsides, Knob Hill and Victoria	64,533	4,488	118,175	182,808
B. C. Mine	19,494	1,370	27,001	46,495
Golden Crown	2,500			2,500
Winnipeg	1,075			1,125
Athelstan	1,200		550	1,750
Snowshoe	300		375	675
Brooklyn	150			150
R. Hill		40	180	180
Totals, tons	89,252	5,898	146,281	235,683
Mother Lode, Deadwood, Other Boundary mines	5,340	2,010	44,680	50,020
	3,180		500	3,680
Grand Totals, tons	97,772	7,908	191,461	289,383

Kelly Merry-makers Coming.

Friday evening, August 2nd, the Kelly Merry-makers will appear at Miners' Union Hall. In regard to the entertainment the Calgary Herald says:

"The show was a great success. For two hours without a moment's stop the audience was either shrieking at the gags of the experienced fun producers or admiring their musical specialties. In less than two minutes after their entrance the Kellys had the audience tickled in seventeen places. Kelly were the remnant of a heard like unto the ornament that Caesar's black goat sported under his nether lip. Also, he wore an infectious smile and a new suit of pattern not before seen within the pale of civilization."

Spokane's Big Fair.

Spokane will hold an industrial fair from September 10th to 21st this year. It will be on a scale of magnificence unparalleled in the history of the city, although previous efforts have always been remarkably successful. Over \$25,000 will be disbursed by the management in connection with premiums, purses for horse racing and providing attractions for visitors.

T. W. Holland, of Grand Forks, who has been for some weeks in the east, has returned, and states that the Grand Forks and Republic railway will certainly be built.

It is believed that Ed. Rowe and John Tapill, the two miners who were hurt in the Snowshoe mine last week, will not lose their eyesight, as was at first feared. They are being treated in Spokane.

OUR MINES

Smelters.

One day last week the B. C. mine shipped 12 cars of ore.

This last week the Granby smelter at Grand Forks, treated 4,519 tons of ore.

For the first time since the machinery was installed at the No. 7 mine, in Central camp, a car of ore was sent out to the Greenwood smelter last week, to be followed by others.

E. J. Wilson, manager of the Standard Pyritic Smelting Co., of Boundary Falls, is quoted in the Spokane papers this week as saying that the smelter would start operations as soon as the Sunset mine could give a steady tonnage of 300 tons daily, which seemed likely with further development.

Parties who claim to be in a position to know, assert that it is virtually decided that the smelter to be erected by James Green, manager of the Dominion Copper Co., will be located on the north fork of the Kettle river, directly opposite the Granby smelter, and that the latter company will furnish power for the new reduction works.

Contract for a New Building.

Thomas Hardy has let a contract for the erection of his new building to be erected on the south side of Dominion avenue, a few doors west of P. Burns & Co., to R. A. Scott. The structure will be two stories high, with a high basement, making practically three stories. The ground floor will have a 14-foot ceiling. When completed the building will be occupied by Mr. Hardy for his grocery business and A. P. McKenzie & Co., the druggists. The second floor will be fitted up for the use of fraternal societies. The building will be 25x60 feet in size.

HEMENWAY IS FIRE CHIEF.

Was Chosen at Last Tuesday Night's Meeting of Brigade.

Last Tuesday evening a meeting of the citizens was held in the school house to complete the organization of a fire brigade. T. Hardy occupied the chair. The report of the committee appointed at a previous meeting to draft a constitution and by-laws was received and the by-laws were adopted clause by clause.

J. P. Hemenway, who has had a wide experience with volunteer fire brigades, was chosen as chief and J. E. W. Thompson was appointed assistant chief. P. C. McArthur and J. E. Mills were elected secretary and treasurer respectively. The executive committee consists of the chief and Messrs. D. McMillan and T. Hardy, and the finance committee of Messrs. A. P. Mackenzie, John Riordan and E. W. Monk. The fire apparatus ordered by the city is expected shortly and on its arrival fire drill will begin immediately.

IN AND AROUND PHOENIX.

Dave McBeath, contractor of Nelson, was an arrival last Tuesday.

For the year ending June 30th, the Greenwood postoffice issued \$46,000 in money orders.

Abbott & Mooney have taken an interest in a hotel at Cascade, and have rented the Butte to Frank G. Smith.

Alderman Marshall made a trip over the line of the new wagon road from Phoenix to Summit camp last Wednesday.

For Sale—A fine walnut secretary's desk and some household furniture. Apply to J. E. Mills, Agent, Morrison-Anderson block.

Tuesday an engine got off the rails on the Knob Hill spur, and as there were no section men handy the train men had to put it on again.

The V. & E. survey in Phoenix calls for a 40-foot trestle to be built across the gulch directly in the rear of the Pioneer office.

Another clerk has been added to the force in the Eastern Townships Bank in Phoenix, in the person of F. G. White, formerly of Grand Forks.

George D. Curtis, the Nelson architect, who has charge of the construction of the McMillan block, was registered at the Knob Hill Hotel Tuesday.

Several rooms have been added to the capacity of the Victoria hotel this week, by fitting up the basement. This hotel is frequently full to overflowing.

George Rumberger and V. Monnier went down on yesterday's train to Cascade, and will expert the Mountain View and Russell mines, just back of Russell.

There is nothing specially new in regard to the Rossland strike this week. Both sides remain firm, and there is every evidence of the struggle being a long one.

Thomas Miller, one of the Greenwood aldermen, died last week at Los Angeles, where he had gone in search of better health. He came to Greenwood first in 1896.

Chas. D. Hunter, of the local branch of the Hunter-Kendrick Co., Ltd., has been spending the week on his monthly visit to the Sandon branch. He is expected back tonight.

Dr. H. A. Whillans, who was located in Phoenix a year and a half ago, but who later moved to Princeton, was married by Father Pat to Miss Mary S. Dunlop, at Fairview a few days ago.

Sub-contractors on the line of the new railway being built into the Boundary from Marcus, Wash., are getting their outfits on the ground and beginning the actual work of construction.

N. Jerry, formerly of Sandon, but who has been successfully wooing the fickle goddess in the Klondike since 1897, arrived in town Thursday. He will take a trip to the old country soon.

J. H. McKechnie, of Granby, Que., with a party of other directors of the Granby Co., is expected in Phoenix next week. Mr. Miner, the president of the company, will probably be in Phoenix in September.

John Christian was sued by the Wynkoop-Stephens Trading Co. for a debt of \$35 in the small debts court this week. He claimed to have paid the amount, but could not show a receipt, and so had judgment rendered against him, which he paid.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church services tomorrow as usual at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Millar, M. A. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Capt. H. Cock and wife, of New South Wales, were visitors in Phoenix yesterday, and were shown over the Granby properties by Supt. Williams. The captain is a mine and smelter superintendent in Australia, and this is the first vacation he has had in 40 years, on which he is enjoying a trip around the world.

ARE CLOSED ON SUNDAYS

Large Phoenix Properties Are Now Doing This.

IT IS A NEW IDEA IN MINING

Inaugurated Last Sunday For The First Time—Idea of President Miner—Snowshoe Also.

For the first time in the history of the Boundary country the largest mines in this section, the Old Ironsides, Knob Hill and Victoria, were closed last Sunday. The whistle was not blown, and not a man was kept at work except those needed to keep the machinery and pumps running, etc. This new departure will be the rule in these properties hereafter. It is understood that this has always been the idea of Mr. S. H. C. Miner, president of the Granby Co., and that he wished to inaugurate it some time ago. Now that the development and shipping departments are in the best of running order, and able to send the smelter its needed quota of 600 or more tons every day, the plan is being permanently put into practice.

With many miners it has long been a firm belief that a mine could not be run to the best advantage unless it was worked every day of the year. In fact it has been asserted that miners did not care to work only six days per week. Mr. Miner, however, thinks differently, and believes that the company and the workmen themselves are the better off for the one day of rest in seven. He is now putting his theory in regard to conducting the mines in which he is interested, into effect. For the present some shipping will be done on Sundays, but after a little no ore will be sent out from the big Phoenix producers except on week days.

The Snowshoe mine is also shut down now on Sundays, but the Brooklyn, owned by the Dominion Copper Co., is still running as usual, seven days per week.

TENDERS FOR STREET GRADING.

Bids to be Submitted to City Clerk by Eight This Evening.

City Clerk McMillan has issued the following call for tenders for street grading:

Sealed tenders will be received by the Corporation of the City of Phoenix, B. C., for the following street grading:

Dominion avenue from the west side of Cimeron street to east side of School street.

School street from south side of Dominion avenue to south side of Knob Hill avenue.

Knob Hill avenue from School street to west side of Second street.

Specifications, profiles and details of quantities may be seen at the city engineer's office.

All tenders must be addressed to the city clerk, marked "street grade tender," and must be sent in by 8 p. m. Saturday, July 20th, 1901.

Security will be required for the work to be performed.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

At the Glasgow Exhibition.

Angus K. Stuart, of Greenwood, who represents British Columbia at the Glasgow exhibition, has this to say regarding the mining exhibit:

"The mineral exhibit is attracting great attention here and it is quite impossible to supply me with too much information of all kinds. I am doing my best but would be much obliged if the provincial government, and the mining community generally, would keep supplying me with detailed information of every kind, so as to facilitate my work. At least the British Columbia mining papers might be sent to me as long as the exhibition lasts. Personally, I believe that the mineral exhibit will help immensely to make our resources understood, especially if, after this exhibition closes, the collection is sent on to London and placed there in the city, so that it can be viewed by people practically interested in mining."

Joseph H. Graham has resumed the management of the Union hotel.

Jay P. Graves, general manager of the Granby Co., is expected in camp next week.

J. P. Vance and R. A. Weir, C. P. R. engineers, were registered at the Knob Hill hotel Wednesday.

G. A. Cox, W. X. McDonald, W. I. Pierce, Martin McHale, Walter Cook, John Baker, and others were in a party that went to Boundary Falls last Sunday, looking for specimens of the finny tribe, in which they are reported to have been successful.

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THE WATER WORKS BY-LAW.

Next Monday the ratepayers of the corporation of the city of Phoenix will have an opportunity of voting on the water and light franchise by-law. By the terms of this by-law the city will grant to Jay P. Graves, A. C. Flumerfelt and Wm. Volen Williams the exclusive privilege for a term of twenty-five years of putting in the electric light and water systems of Phoenix. The full text of the by-law and of the agreement between the city and the promoters will be found on another page of this issue of the Pioneer. Every ratepayer should read it carefully.

There are many reasons why this by-law should receive the assent of the people of Phoenix. In the first place, and it is a point of no small importance, Mr. Graves and his associates have justly earned the reputation of carrying through to a successful issue any enterprise they may undertake. They are also among the largest individual property holders in the city, and are therefore interested in having the new systems for light and water put in at the earliest possible moment and in the best possible manner. It is true that the term of the franchise is a long one, but it should be remembered that supplying the city of Phoenix with an adequate water system situated as it is on the hill tops, is no small undertaking, and one that is not expected to pay a profit for years to come at least. The by-law should be supported by every ratepayer.

ROSSLAND'S GREAT STRIKE.

The long threatened and much to be deplored pitting of capital and labor against each other in Rossland camp has come to be a stern reality. Some 1,200 men are out on a strike, the leading mines in that camp are closed, the Trail smelter is partially closed, and operations on the enlargement of the Bonington Falls have ceased. This is a bare statement of the conditions as they exist and are likely to exist for some time to come in Rossland. It is needless to add that business in that section is paralyzed in consequence of these conditions.

One of the claims of the working miners that have voluntarily quit work is that common labor was underpaid in getting \$2.50 per day, when the wages in every other camp in the interior of British Columbia for muckers is \$3 per day. Other reasons for striking are coupled with this, but this was one of the chief causes. The mine managers say they cannot and will not pay the \$3 scale, and thus the issue is plain. Both sides are preparing for a long and bitter struggle, but it is to be hoped they will be disappointed.

It is not clear to the average man why mines that could pay dividends regularly under American management, and had no trouble with their employees about the rate of pay, find it impossible to either pay the going scale or declare dividends when they pass into the hands of British owners. It will take considerable ingenuity on the part of the mine managers to explain this away satisfactorily.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

It is pleasing to note that the reports from the Slocan are to the effect that a better feeling prevails.

It is only a few weeks now till the

ore shipments from this camp will amount to over 1,200 tons per day—four trains of over 300 tons each.

It is asserted that 33 out of 34 mining camps in British Columbia pay muckers a wage of \$3 per day. The single exception is Rossland.

The Kaslo Kootenaiian calls attention to the fact that grass is growing in the main streets of that city. Is this intended as an advertisement?

Turkey has paid the \$95,000 indemnity long claimed by the United States, and which it has evaded for years. But the sultan did not like the appearance of the cruiser Philadelphia in Turkish waters.

Rumor again has it that Grand Forks, by the new international survey, will be in Uncle Sam's domain. Greenwood is also said to be south of the line, by the same token, but credence is not placed in either report.

Some of the best prizes yet hung up in the interior will be offered in Phoenix on Labor day this year. All of the various committees are hard at work, and already there is every promise of a most successful celebration.

At last the much needed era of street grading is about to be inaugurated in Phoenix, the city council having called for tenders for doing this kind of work on Dominion and Knob Hill avenues and School street. May the good work continue.

Among the factors necessary to make a desirable residential city, says the Greenwood Times, are good schools and good hospitals. In a short time this will be the exact condition in Phoenix. Over \$10,000 is now being spent on two institutions of this kind in Phoenix.

The mine managers of Phoenix do not object to paying a fair wage to their employees. That is probably one reason why the miners of this camp are a most contented lot. And on an average, it is safe to say that our ore is of lower grade than that taken out of the mines in Rossland.

A few days ago the secretary of the Le Roi Mining company made the statement in London that the mine now had \$20,000,000 worth of ore in sight. But the Rossland manager of the mine asserts that he cannot pay the same wages to his muckers that are paid all over this part of British Columbia.

Judging from the fact that the mines of Phoenix shipped over 110,000 tons of ore during the first six months of 1901, and the output will be doubled during the last three months of this year, it is perfectly safe to estimate the value of the output of this camp for 1901 at least \$2,000,000. This is not so bad for a camp that less than two years ago was not shipping a ton of ore.

WHAT THE EDITORS SAY.

It would appear that the congratulations extended to the people of Rossland on having avoided a strike were premature.—Vancouver World.

The Canadians may be slow about some things, but they are not so when it comes to hunting down criminals and giving them their deserts.—Spokane Review.

A combination of collarmakers is being formed with a capital stock of \$20,000,000. It is hardly necessary to say where the general public will get it.—Province.

The "blue-ruin" press shout one day against the infamous mining laws of the province, and the next day shout equally vehement against any changes being made in the mining laws.—Nelson Tribune.

John Houston is right when he says that the report of the minister of mines is valuable only as a matter of history. A supplement of a few pages would have given valuable information as to conditions at the time the report was issued.—Cranbrook Herald.

FLOTATION OF THE SNOWSHOE.

Property Will be Worked on a Business-Like Basis.

Mr. G. S. Waterlow, of the well-known publishing house, informs us that the Snowshoe mine has been at last successfully floated, although the time was exceptionally inopportune, coming as it did immediately after the collapse of the B. A. C. The capitalization of the new venture is relatively speaking small, while an ample amount has been set aside for working expenses. The Snowshoe is one of the most promising copper mines in the most promising camp in the Boundary district. The men connected with its direction are not market manipulators, but reputable men of affairs, most of them are associated with great financial or industrial undertakings in the city of London. The Snowshoe mine will therefore be worked for what the ground contains, and not as a means of extracting money from the pockets of a gullible public. The conditions all point to the conclusion that the faith of the promoters in the value of the property is justified and their confidence that the undertaking will be a profitable one is not likely to be disappointed.—Victoria Colonist.

What to Write the Editor.

"What are you crying about?" asked a kind-hearted stranger of a lad standing in front of a newspaper office, weeping as if his heart would break. "Oh, pa's gone up stairs to whip the editor."

"Well, has he come down yet?" pursued the gentle samaritan.

"Pieces of him have," said the boy with a fresh burst of tears, "and I'm expecting the rest every minute."

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvement.
NOTICE.
Cracker Jack Mineral Claim, situated in Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood Camp.
Take notice that I, George G. Bonberger, Free Miner's Certificate No. 458, acting for myself and agent for Harry Nash, Free Miner's Certificate No. 4, have intended 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 named claim.
And further take notice, that action under section 27, must be commenced before the expiration of such certificate of improvements. Dated this 1st day of July, A. D., 1901.
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