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PREPARING FOR A HEAVIER TONNAGE

Supt. Ross Visited Phoenix This Week—New Spurs at Old Ironsides and Oro Denoro—Loop to Be Used.

Every once in a while the C. P. R. finds that its increasing Boundary ore traffic requires more betterments, and then a spur or two is put in and an engine or two added to the motive power, to say nothing of a dozen or so additional ore dump cars. Under normal conditions, with a steady growth of ore shipments, these betterments must be put into effect about so often, and just now is one of those times.

Eight furnaces in blast in the three Boundary smelters mean that about 3,000 tons of ore, more or less, must be moved daily, and the C. P. R., through its operating department, must do the moving, in order to gather in the upwards of a thousand dollars per day, directly and indirectly, from the ore freight. All of which supplies the grease to make the wheels go 'round.

To look into all these matters D. G. Ross, of Nelson, superintendent of the Kootenay-Boundary division of the C. P. R., came into Phoenix last Wednesday, being accompanied by Mrs. Ross. Roadmaster Johnson also came up the hill with Mr. Ross, and together with Wm. Yolen Williams they went over the Granby mines—the result of which will be another long sidetrack at the Old Ironsides ore bins; besides other improvements in trackage facilities.

While here Mr. Ross and Mr. Johnson walked over the uncompleted portions of the Brooklyn and Stemwinder spurs with W. R. Williams of the Dominion Copper Co. About 4,000 feet of track are to be laid here, if some one does not change his mind. It will be settled in a few days, after McKenzie & Mann are communicated with, and also providing they do not forget all about it.

In addition to this, one spur has already been laid to the Oro Denoro, and a second spur is being put down for that mine this week.

Mr. Ross informed the Pioneer that the loop at Hartford Junction, built more than a year ago to do away with the switchback, but never used, will be put into commission shortly. The two powerful Shay engines are once more working on the Phoenix hill, and a much heavier one still is expected to arrive from the makers at Lima, Ohio, in September, when it will help to handle the Phoenix ore traffic.

Mr. Ross brought his whole family with him on this trip, and they were quite comfortable in the unique private caboose formerly used by his predecessor. He returned directly to Nelson Wednesday night, his car being attached to the regular passenger train.

Will Use Four Horses.

J. F. Royer, of Grand Forks, proprietor of the Grand Forks, Phoenix and Greenwood stage line, which makes connections both ways with the Great Northern trains, a great accomodation to travellers generally, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday, having driven the Premier's party over the Boundary. Mr. Royer states that, contrary to the expectations of many, the line is a success, so much so in fact, that he will make it a four horse line on the first of next month if he can secure a suitable stage in time. Quite frequently he has to send out two rigs with passengers and baggage.

Candidates Nominated.

Islands—T. W. Patterson, Liberal.
Nelson—S. S. Taylor, Liberal.
Okanagan—T. W. Sterling, Liberal.
New Westminster—Thos. Gifford, Conservative.
Grand Forks—J. Riordan, Socialist-Labor.
Cassiar—C. W. D. Clifford, Conservative.
Vancouver City—T. Ogle, Socialist; A. R. Stebbings, Socialist; Ald. McPherson, Labor; Francis Williams, Labor; A. G. Perry, Labor.

R. Meyerhoff is doing the ore hauling for the Athelstan mine.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

Born, to the wife of Isaac H. Hallet, Greenwood, July 11th, a son.

The Citizens Supply Co., of Grand Forks has gone into liquidation.

The city has decided to sell the old isolation hospital to Joe Twombly for $15.

Mrs. J. H. Graham and two children are away on a visit to her parents in Ontario.

T. H. Richards will perform assessment work on a couple claims in Wellington camp.

It will probably be the 1st of August before the electric pump is installed and running at the city water works.

Rev. McColl, formerly of Columbia, occupied the Presbyterian pulpit here last Sunday, Rev. Purdy preaching in Greenwood.

Arthur O. Cochrane, a brother of W. B. Cochrane, has successfully passed his law examination, recently taken at Victoria.

Andy Hackett, made famous by his many coal locations in East Kootenay in the last few months, came in from the coast this week.

Lizzie Gill was taken to Spokane Thursday, to take a course of treatment for spinal trouble. R. S. Fraser, her uncle, accompanied her.

Joseph Morton, representing the New Westminster Columbian, has been taking subscriptions for his publication through the Boundary towns.

Posters are out announcing a celebration by Greenwood Miners' Union No. 22 on the 19th of August, the anniversary of the organization of the union.

Work has been started on the right of way for the short pole line, from Old Ironsides avenue to lower town, through the timber for the Greenwood Electric Co.

Foundations have been laid for an oil house near the new Granby compressor building. An addition has also been made to the compressor house proper.

Hon. Mr. Blair, minister of railways in Premier Laurier's cabinet has resigned on account of a disagreement about the eastern end of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Work has been started on an additional large tank, near the Aetna shaft, for the purpose of storing mine water from the lower levels of the Old Ironsides and Knob Hill.

The new barn for the Granby Co. has been practically completed, and is being used, there being accomodations for 16 horses. The structure is most complete in every way.

It is given out that the prospects of the promoters of Midway and Vernon railway soon receiving substantial aid towards construction from the Dominion government, are very favorable.

Wednesday was the semi-annual date for the receipt of liquor and other licenses by the city clerk. As a result the city's bank account was considerably increased for the time being.

The only business done at the city council meeting this week was the reading of the V., V. and E. by-law the second time. Alderman Riordan occupied the chair in the absence of the mayor.

The Phoenix Electric Lighting Co. has let the contract to W. C. Tilsley for putting in about 850 feet of water main, to connect the new supply well with the main leading to the 100,000 gallon tank.

Wednesday evening a purse was presented to Miss Mabel Hackett by the members of the Methodist church, she having acted as organist for the last year. Mr. Green was also surprised with a purse.

Tuesday Nurse Howell, of the staff of the Phoenix General Hospital, had the misfortune to slip on the front steps of the institution and break her collar bone. She will probably be laid up for two or three weeks.

James Marshall has been selected as the delegate from Phoenix Aerie No. 158 to attend the provincial convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which will be held at Victoria July 27th, 28th and 29th. At the meeting a delegate to the national convention at New York will be chosen.

EXTENDING ITS POWER CIRCUIT

Greenwood Smelter to Operate By Electricity.

FURNISHED BY THE CASCADE COMPANY

Surveys Already Made From Phoenix—Contract Reported Let to Lorne A. Campbell, of Rossland.

For several months—and after four years of preparation—the only concern using the magnificent water power of the Kettle river at Cascade, through long distance electric transmission lines, was the Granby Co. at its mines and smelter. Within the last month the Snowshoe mine also has been using this power, which has cost $500,000 to equip and deliver in Phoenix.

Arrangements have now been completed, however, by which a second smelter, the Mother Lode, will utilize this cheaper electric power, and discard the more expensive steam power, in use since the smelter first began operations, two or three years ago.

Last week S. S. Fowler, of Nelson, general manager of the Cascade Water, Power & Light Co., was in Phoenix with Wm. Anderson, of Cascade, the superintending engineer, in connection with the extension of the company's power line to Greenwood and the Mother Lode smelter. It is understood that the contract for the clearing of the five miles of right of way required, and the erection and equipment of the pole line, has been awarded to Lorne A. Campbell, of Rossland. The necessary surveys for the new line have already been completed, and the active work of construction will be begun shortly. In the course of a month or six weeks thereafter the pole line can be completed if there are no delays on account of lack of material.

The substitution of electric for steam power at the Greenwood smelter is a long step towards the more economical reduction of Mother Lode ore, and it is believed that Manager Goodell, of the Sunset smelter, located three miles further down Boundary creek, will also have the same thing in mind in the near future — especially as he is now putting in place a third furnace.

Tennis Games Saturday.

The Phoenix tennis courts are now as good as any in the interior, being in almost perfect condition. Last Saturday Messrs. Gray, Hodge, Merritt and Wilmot, of Greenwood, came up and played several sets with members of the Phoenix club, the results being as follows:

In the doubles Boucher and Smith beat Gray and Hodge, 2—1, and Merritt and Wilmot beat Spier and Morkill, 2—0.

In the singles Boucher beat Gray, 2—1; Hodge beat Smith, 2—1 Merritt beat Morkill, 2—1; Wilmot beat Spier, 2—0.

Preparing For Labor Day.

At last Monday's meeting of the Phoenix Trades and Labor Council a committee was appointed to meet the city council and secure its cooperation in the celebration of Labor Day in Phoenix this year, which occurs on Monday, Septembr 7th. The committee met the city council Wednesday evening, and it was decided to call a public meeting of citizens and business men, which will be held next Tuesday evening in the lower room in Miners' Union hall at eight o'clock, to consider the subject, and arrange for ways and means for the celebration. there is a general feeling that such a celebration should be held, and the Trades and Labor council have fully decided to go on with it, but would prefer to work with all the people of the town in arranging the details.

Latest Prices of Metals.

NEW YORK — Copper, electrolytic and lake, $13.37@$14.
Bar silver, 53¾.
Lead, $4.12½.

According to those present Thursday evening, if the audience at the McCoy-Kerr concert had been equal to the entertainment, the house would have been crowded. As it was, the house was small.

Boundary Mining Notes.

Recent information from Fairview is to the effect that the New Fairview Corporation continues to employ between 60 and 70 men in its Stemwinder mine.

The third furnace has been received from Spokane at the Sunset smelter at Boundary Falls, and a force of men are now at work putting it in place.

So far about ten cars of ore have been shipped from the dump of the Morrison mine, Deadwood camp, to the Mother Lode smelter. It is expected that about 1,000 tons will be shipped altogether.

Last Saturday was the anniversary of the shipping of the first car of ore out of Phoenix, that event occurring July 11, 1900. Since then the Granby mines have shipped a total of over 780,000 tons of ore.

From the last car of ore from the E. P. U. mine D. W. McVicar received $2211 net, or an average of $110 per ton. After paying all costs he had $1200 clear. There are ten men employed on this property.

Since eight furnaces have been in blast in Boundary smelters, requiring more men at the mines generally, there has been a scarcity of men for mine work. The quotas are gradually being made up, however.

A claim near Eholt that is attracting attention is the Boulder, under lease to Mike Tebo. It has two shafts, 12 and 15 feet deep, all in ore, and the ore body on the surface has been uncovered for 1,300 feet in length.

On the Queen of Sheba claim in Deadwood camp, Geo. Andrews is taking out some fine looking ore. He is now down to a depth of twenty-five feet in an incline shaft. The ore lies between two well defined walls of lime and porphyry and gives every indication of permanence. L. A. Smith of Anaconda, and Geo. Andrews own the property.

POLITICAL POINTERS.

Upwards of 400 names have been placed on the voters' list in Greenwood riding.

As the Pioneer was going to press last night, the Liberal convention for Greenwood riding was being held.

Premier McBride held conferences with the conservatives in Grand Forks Phoenix, Greenwood and Midway this week.

The Phoenix Conservative Association has opened committee rooms in the old school house on Dominion avenue.

It is asserted that over 275 voters have been registered in Phoenix already. The Phoenix vote at the last election was 167.

Duncan Ross, of Greenwood, secretary of the Interior Liberal Council, is taking a trip into the Similkameen, on an organizing tour.

It is probable that the Liberal committees from the three associations in this riding will meet on July 20th, to arrange for a convention.

The socialists have organized at Boundary Falls, and say they will do the same at Eholt, Mother Lode and Midway in the next two weeks.

October 31st has been set for election day. H. C. Kerman is returning officer for this riding and George Cunningham for Greenwood riding.

PREMIER McBRIDE IN THE BOUNDARY

Thinks Election Prospects Are Bright.

IS COMING AGAIN BEFORE ELECTION

Will Take No Action Regarding East Kootenay Coal and Oil Lands Till Ballots Are Cast.

Hon. Richard McBride, premier of the province, visited Phoenix last Wednesday on a trip through the interior. His last visit here occurred about two years ago, when he was minister of mines, which position he shortly thereafter resigned.

This time the first minister was quite naturally looking into the political situation, with an election in sight, and after going as far as East Kootenay, expressed himself as pleased with the prospects for the conservatives at the polls.

The premier stopped in Grand Forks over Tuesday night, spending most of the next day in Phoenix; and then dtiving to Greenwood, leaving direct for the capital the next day. He was accompanied by Wm. McNeill, assistant commissioner of lands and works, the premier himself being the chief commissioner.

The Pioneer man asked the premier the direct question as to whether the government intended to issue coal prospecting licenses for tracts on the much talked of two blocks of valuable land in East Kootenay.

In replying to the question Mr. McBride made his position on this question quite clear. Nothing would be done in the matter until after election, for the excellent reason, the premier explained, that it was quite proper that the present administration should be endorsed by the people before taking action on such an important matter. In fact, he did not think any other course would be right.

The premier stated that those who had acquired legal rights in East Kootenay should be protected in the exercise of the same. Hon. Green and Hon. Wilson, now in Ottawa, would insist on the allowance of Bill No. 16, which nullified the C. P. R.'s claim to the lands in dispute. And further than that, if the Dominion government should happen to disallow Bill No. 16, it would be re-enacted by the British Columbia government as often as it might be disallowed.

Joint I. O. O. F. Installation.

Tuesday evening a joint installation of the Knights of Pythias lodges of Phoenix and Greenwood took place at the latter place, the installation officer being deputy grand master David Whiteside, of Grand Forks. Some 25 or 30 Pythians went down from Phoenix, and two were present from the Grand Forks lodge. After the ceremonies a supper was served to the visitors. In January a joint installation will be held in Phoenix.

J. C. Poff, of Vancouver, representing the Sun Life, J. Burtt Morgan, of Grand Forks, representing the Mutual Life of New York, and L. M. Rice, representing the Great West Life, were some of the insurance agents in the city this week.

BOUNDARY ORE SHIPMENTS.

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

	1900	1901	1902	1903	Past Week
Granby Mines, Phoenix	64,533	231,762	300,858	178,476	7,344
Snowshoe, "	297	1,731	20,800	29,442	1,950
Brooklyn, "	150	....	....	....	....
Mother Lode, Deadwood	5,340	99,034	141,826	55,730	3,131
Sunset, "	....	802	7,455	8,225	1,150
Morrison, "	....	150	....	....	....
B. C. Mine, Summit	19,494	47,405	14,811	17,875	810
R. Bell, "	....	560	....	....	....
Emma, "	....	650	8,530	10,016	240
Oro Denoro "	....	....	....	300	270
Winnipeg, Wellington	1,076	1,040	785	....	....
Golden Crown, "	2,250	....	625	....	....
Athelstan, "	1,200	550	....	375	175
King Solomon, W. Copper	....	875	....	....	....
No. 7 Mine, Central	....	665	482	....	....
City of Paris, "	2,000	....	....	....	....
Jewel, Long Lake	160	350	2,175	....	....
Carmi, West Fork	....	890	....	....	....
Providence, Providence	....	....	219	634	....
Elkhorn	....	....	....	129	....
Ruby, Boundary Falls	....	80	....	....	....
Miscellaneous	3,230	3,456	325	....	....
Total, tons	99,730	390,000	507,545	301,332	15,070
Granby Smelter treated, tons	62,387	230,828	312,340	168,405	8,343

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Paeans of joy are still arising from the silver-lead districts on account of the bonus of $15 per ton on lead recently granted by the Dominion government. When the assistance given to the Eastern Canadians in the way of a tariff is considered, the silver-lead producers are getting no more than they are entitled to. Whether impending Dominion elections, or the election in this province had anything to do with the matter, does not appear on the surface.

It does not seem to be the intention of the Dominion government to do anything satisfactory along the line of stopping Japanese immigration, as promised to this province repeatedly. Do the rank and file believe that this sort of thing will help the liberal cause in the elections, now not so far away? If they do, they reckon without their host.

Lowery's Claim has followed in the steps of the Ozonagram, and has preempted a choice spot in the now almost overcrowded journalistic graveyard, but the Colonel asserts that the Claim will be resurrected at no distant date. Should that occur it will mean more trouble for the editor.

R. W. Brock, of the Geological Survey, advises prospectors to search for diamonds, being confident that they can be found. So far, the only kind found worth having in the Kootenays, were discovered in a jewelrys ore—outside of the black variety which have made East Kootenay famous.

All the world has been listening for days for the news from Rome that Pope Leo XIII had breathed his last. The head of the Roman Catholic church attained the advanced age of ninety-three years, and millions, in all climes, revere his name.

With the Russian bear making faces at the mikado of Japan, there is good chance for lively and interesting fracas when the latter gets ready to resent it. The little brown men are known to be among the best of fighters when they once make up their minds to it.

Our calendar states that this is summer, but barometers and thermometers do not agree with that. In the far east people are dying from the extreme heat, so that, after all, our climate might be much worse.

Government ownership seems to be the declared policy in regard to the new Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Is the Laurier government taking a leaf out of the book of the socialists?

Campaignitis is a disease that is becoming more and more prevalent in British Columbia, though it is believed it will have run its course by November.

In Nelson the conservative factions appear to get along something after the style of the world's famous Kilkenny cats—at least, for the present.

That story from the east about a lead famine should make pleasant reading to the Slocan and East Kootenay silver-lead mine owners.

WHAT EDITORS SAY

After Four Years—After a lapse of about four years of decadence, the Slocan now has every appearance of assuming a bright future, and one, if not outdoing the years of 1896 and 1897, will be equally as prosperous.—Sandon Mining Review.

Good Reason—With a prospective shortage of about 100,000 tons of lead this year, and the Dominion bonus, the silver-lead mines of the Kootenays have good reason to look forward to prosperous times in the near future.—Rossland Miner.

Chinese Labor—A press report says that the Provincial government means to rigidly enforce the Coal Mines Regulation Act excluding the Chinese from working under ground in coal mines. It is time that something was done. There are about 900 celestials employed at the Cumberland mines alone, taking the place of the *striking* white miners. — Kamloops Sentinel.

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Lue Vernon asserts that there are many obstacles in the poetry line and long-haired verse writers have to be careful of "feet." It is not always "poetic feet," but the editor's feet that the would-be poet must be careful of.

World Wide Mining

Late reports from Tonopah state that there are now 793 men at work there.

The Highland Boy Mining Company, Utah, produced last year 12,500,000 pounds of copper.

Investors in the mineral and metallurgical industries of the United States received in April dividends amounting to $5,505,045.

Hoisting engines in very deep mines in a few instances run at a speed of 6,000 feet per minute, but the ordinary speed is 1,000 to 3,000 feet per minute in most deep mines.

The Rio Tinto copper mine, Spain, produced 34,478 tons of copper in the year 1902. The total profits of the company for this period were $7,206,530, of which $4,443,780 was distributed in dividends.

There is no business in the world today safer or more profitable than mining. Statistics show that there is 45 per cent. less failures in mining than in any other industry and dividends of 25 to 100 per cent are not at all unusual.

A bond has been taken on 105 copper claims owned by New York men in Copper River valley above Valdes. The amount is said to be $12,000,000. The Glad Laugh on Latouch island, Prince William sound, is reported sold for $1,000,000.

The Western Federation of Miners, although but twelve years old, claims to have 200 unions and a membership of 75,000. It is said to be the richest labor organization in the world, its wealth being estimated at over $3,000,000. The local union at Butte, Mont., has $119,000 in its treasury.

B. C. MINING

Crawford creek iron deposits are attracting attention.

In the Slocan the demand for miners still continues.

A three mile tram line is to be built to connect the Britannia mine with tide water.

The Bosun mine continues to ship steadily, sending out its usual shipment of 100 tons a week.

Confirmation of the richness of the new Poplar creek gold fields, in the Lardeau, is now being received.

Five carloads of machinery for the zinc plant have arrived at the Payne and is rapidly being placed in position.

The Byron N. White Company have entered into a contract with the Trail smelter for the Slocan Star output.

The bonus on lead will undoubtedly cause the Sullivan people to push forward the completion of their smelter at Marysville.

The B. C. Exploring Syndicate, owning and operating the Iron Mask mine, near Kamloops, will probably build a concentration plant.

Application is to be made for 400 inches of water in Springer creek, to run the large concentrator plant shortly to be erected by the Arlington mine owners.

The Jackson mine, at McGuigan, has started up with a few men and the force will be increased before long. This property has paid $20,000 in dividends.

Last week's Rossland ore shipments were as follows: Le Roi, 3,840; Center Star, 1,470; War Eagle, 1,170, Kootenay, 279; Le Roi No. 2, 450; Velvet, 125; Giant, 60; Jumbo, 100. Total, 7,485 tons; total for year, 192,997 tons.

A third stamp mill will be running on Wild Horse creek this year. The Pilot (Ymir) company operating the Pilot group has perfected its arrangements for the erection of a mill, and machinery has been ordered. The property lies about nine miles up the creek from Ymir.

The Provincial Mining association directs attention to the fact that there are now twenty branches in the province, and that other points are seeking information with a view to organizing. An appeal is made to all branches to to put forth every effort to increase membership in the hope that the president's ideal of 12,000 members may be realized by the first of the year.

PERFECT CURE FOR LOCKJAW.

The English Tourist and the Welsh Shepherdess.

Scene: On the side of Snowdon.

Tourist—Good morning, my pretty. Whose sheep are these?

Shepherdess—They belong to Goronwy Cadwaladr, sir.

T.—Oh! a very nice name, too. And where does he live?

S.—At Tre'rgeifrgwylltion.

T.—Nicer still. Do you lose any of them sometimes?

S.—Not often, sir; last year five of them tumbled over into Nanterchyclogwyncoch and were killed.

T.—What a place to tumble into, to be sure. What lake is that over there?

S.—Llynlle'rllyfnwygwyrdd.

T.—Another jaw-breaker! Have you been much from home at all?

S.—Only in Anglesea, sir; I went with my brother and sister to Llianerchymeddymmondo, and from there to see Creigiua'r Crigyll, and came back to Llanfairmathafarneithaf, and—

T.—Hold hard! let me breathe a little, my dear; well, where afterwards?

S.—Well, my brother had to go back to Chwarelcaebrichycafn, and my sister to Tre'rhianod Llanaelhaiarn, but on the way home we went to see the little church by the river—a funny old-fashioned church, sir.

T.—Where is it, I mean in what Parish?

S.—It's in Llanfairpwlligwyngyllgogerychwyrndrobwlltysiliogogogoch.

T.—Mercy on us! That's enough! how shall I find such a place? Good day, girl.

S.—Good morning, sir.

Big Pay Rolls in Mines.

The larger mines of the United States employ armies of men. It is estimated that there are fifteen thousand men employed in the copper mines of northern Michigan. The largest number of men employed by any one mine is that of the Calumet and Hecla of Houghton, Michigan, which give employment to 5,000 men; the Anaconda Mining company, of Butte, to almost as many, and the Homestake Gold Mining company, of Lead, 2,500 men. Some of the Arizona copper mines employ 1,000 men or more, while away up at Douglas Island, in Alaska, the Alaska Treadwell Mining company has 1,599 men on its pay roll.

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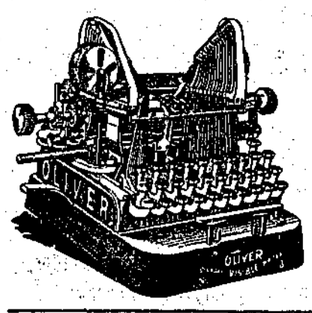

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THE OBSERVATORY

Things Talked of at Home and Elsewhere

The Pioneer has been favored with Bulletin No. 11, from the Bureau of Provincial Information at Victoria, presided over by R. E. Gosnell, formerly a newspaper man in the Boundary. Overlooking the fact that the pamphlet is nearly two months late in being published from the time it is dated—an old weakness, by the way, of almost anything issued by the provincial government—the document is one of the most useful yet issued. It is a compact resume of the mining industry, as it appears today in the province, and while not so voluminous as the minister of mines' report, it has a sufficient number of tables of statistics to answer almost any purpose. Doubtless Mr. Gosnell will be only too pleased to send it to any one writing for it.

While the socialists have a candidate in the field in this riding, the liberals and conservatives do not seem to to be in any hurry to nominate their men. This, some of the friends of the would-be candidates naively assert is because the nominees are expected to supply a goodly share of the expenses of the campaign, and the longer it is the more it will cost. Just the same, some of the wisest of the political campaigners do not agree with this idea, for the reason that in a campaign of education, and especially where there is supposed to be a considerable floating vote, the first man in the field has a chance to get a certain number of votes pledged. This John Riordan, the socialist candidate, is undoubtedly proceeding to attend to.

Many of the political leaders do not like the idea of the local campaign being conducted from the coast or from Nelson or Rossland, and in conservative and liberal ranks alike, there is a tendency hereabouts, to a large extent, to paddle their own canoes in local matters.

Recently the Pioneer received a mimeograph copy of a dispatch, or what purported to be such, from the management of the St. Louis World's Fair, and was asked to give the same gratuitous insertion. The item was an advertisement for the fair, pure and simple, and was one of the countless schemes put forward to give the fair free advertising. It is needless to say that we could not find room for the story, if it did have the name of Canada and Sir Wilfrid Laurier worked in a few times to give it the right kind of flavor and make the pill go down. Some of our contemporaries were caught all right, and gave the article the space of a column or two, but possibly the editors of those papers did not realize that they were being "worked." Such, however, is the case.

As regards advertising, the St. Louis fair is being conducted along the same lines as that at Buffalo a couple of years ago, which, as a direct result, proved a huge failure from a financial standpoint. Mighty little money will the newspapers ever see from the St. Louis people, and why, when this is the case, the fair should be given a lot of gratuitous publicity, passes our comprehension. It is a safe bet that not one cent will any Canadian paper ever see of the fair money.

As the campaign is drawing on the people at large are looking for political news in their local papers. The Pioneer will take pains to secure and publish all the news that is worth having of all the political parties. In this regard, as in all others in the past, it will be the policy of this paper to be a newspaper. Here is the way the Cranbrook Herald editor sizes up the idea of publishing political news, and he is not far out:

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Immigration Returns.

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The terms of the bond provide for the expenditure by the purchasing parties of sufficient money to put a diamond drill outfit upon the property and to thoroughly exploit the claims. Work is to be started within the next four weeks, by which time the property is to be inspected by experts.

The deal provides for the formation of a company to be capitalized at $2,500,000, in which the Boundary shareholders receive share for share. Of this capital stock $1,500,000 is to remain in the treasury.

The company was formed a few months ago by Percy F. Godenrath and a number of local men. The capital is 1,200,000 shares with 500,000 in the treasury. The property comprises 2,560 acres in the North Fork coal basin, 50 miles north of Grand Forks. George A. McLeod of Grand Forks, was instrumental in interesting the eastern parties.

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[L. S.]
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CANADA.

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EDWARD VII., by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the faith, etc., etc., etc.,

To all to whom these presents shall come—Greeting.

A PROCLAMATION

A. E. McPhillips, Attorney-General

Whereas, We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature, We do make known Our Royal will and pleasure to call a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province; and do further declare that by the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia, We have this day given orders for issuing Our writs in due form, for calling a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, which writs are to bear date the sixteenth day of July, and to be returnable on or before the eighteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and three.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed:

Witness, the Honourable Sir Henri Gustave Joly de Lotbiniere, K. C. M. G., Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, at Our Government House, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this sixteenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, and in the third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

R. F. GREEN,
Provincial Secretary.

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To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, at Our City of Victoria—Greeting:

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Whereas, We are desirous and resolved as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature:

Now know ye, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents, enjoin you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the twenty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and four, you meet Us in Our said Legislature, or Parliament of the said Province at Our City of Victoria, for the dispatch of business, to treat, do, act and conclude, upon those things which, in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the common council of Our said Province may, by the favour of God be ordained.

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Dr. Northrup, of Grand Forks, was in the city Tuesday on a consultation case.

Thomas J. Hardy returned late last week from a trip to the Northwest Territories.

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"Noses" is the bill at the hall tonight. Everybody invited. Admission, 25 cents.

Contractor Munro this week framed and roofed the John Miller residence on Old Ironsides avenue.

Don't miss the entertainment at Miners' Union hall tonight. The Petitts can't be beat.

From the endorsements received the entertainments by Marshal Petitt are well worth attending.

At the Methodist strawberry and ice cream social, held last week, nearly $60 was cleared. Hardy hall was crowded to the doors.

The Republic press speak in the highest terms of the Petitts. They will be at Miners' Union hall Saturday evening, July 18th.

Mrs. Applequist, of Spokane, is spending a week or two with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Ross. Guy Ross has also returned from Spokane.

Last Sunday the Phoenix base ball team went down to Greenwood and were beaten by the team from the latter place by the close score of 9 to 8.

Marshal Petitt was one of the experts at the famous Durant murder trial in San Francisco a few years ago. See him at the Miners' Union hall tonight.

W. S. Cook, who has been employed at the Granby mines for over four years, started Wednesday for his old home at Waterloo, Que., on a holiday for a couple months.

Tom Brown, of Phoenix, formerly held down an aldermanic chair in Sandon, resigning when he left. An election is now being held in Sandon to choose his successor.

J. W. Ellis, for a number of years connected with the Greenwood Times, passed through the city Wednesday on his way to Spokane, on a well earned vacation of several months.

Wm. Spier, manager of the Eastern Townships Bank, Grand Forks, accompanied by Mrs. Spier, spent Sunday in the city. Miss Meigs, a friend from the east, was also with them.

Last week Friday Bishop Dart confirmed two at the services held at S. John's church that evening. On Sunday he also held confirmation service at Greenwood, and during the week at Grand Forks.

Andrew Sutherland master mechanic at the Velvet mine, has been appointed government boiler inspector for the Kootenays, in place of George O. Madigan, who is removed to the coast in a similiar capacity.

Canadian Pacific employees to the number of a thousand will hold a picnic at Rossland next month, including all those on the Kootenay-Boundary division. Extensive plans are now being arranged for the event,

Patrick J. Dermody, foreman of the Granby mines, took his wife and two children, with Miss Punch, his wife's sister, to Spokane last Wednesday, in which vicinity they will spend a month or two. Mr. Dermody will return next week.

Marshall Petitt, the humorist and entertainer, assisted by Lillian Lewis Petitt, vocalist and impersonator, will appear at Miners' Union hall Saturday evening, July 18th, in a musical sketch entitled, "Noses." Everybody invited. Admission, 25 cents.

H. A. Munro, who has the contract for the new Catholic church, is under bond to have the building completed by the 25th of September. The building, when furnished, will cost about $2,500. Mr. Munro is getting the preliminaries for actual work arranged this week.

Charles Magee, president of the Hesperus Gold and Copper Mines Co., which has just started development on the company's claims in the South Wellington camp, went through the Granby mines last week, accompanied by T. H. Rea. They were dumbfounded at the massive ore bodies already in sight, and think we have a second Butte here.

Dr. Simmons, dentist, postoffice blk.

Dr. Mathison, dentist, will start Monday on a three weeks' vacation at the coast.

A meeting of the members of the fire department will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the No. 2 station.

Yesterday Judge Williams fined two young fellows $5 each and another $10 for disturbing the entertainment at Miners' Union hall the previous evening.

Not being able to get men in Rossland or Nelson, this week the management of the Granby mines sent to Spokane, and men are now coming in more freely.

This week Marshall & Shea, of the Hotel Brooklyn, took over the Summit Hotel, and will hereafter conduct both establishments on two of the best corners in the city.

At its recent meeting at Grand Forks, the Presbytery of Kootenay did not accept the resignation of Rev. J. R. Robertson, of Grand Forks, but deferred action till the fall meeting of that body, which will be held in Rossland.

The remains of John Sucksmith, the Grand Forks sawmill man, who was drowned in Kettle river in May of last year, were found Monday at the dam at Cascade, being identified by his clothes. The insurance on his life has already been paid to his widow.

F. J. Finucane, manager of the Bank of Montreal, at Spokane, has offered his good offices to the Greenwood Board of Trade for the purpose of having a mineral display, if sent to Spokane for the interstate fair, placed on permanent exhibition there.

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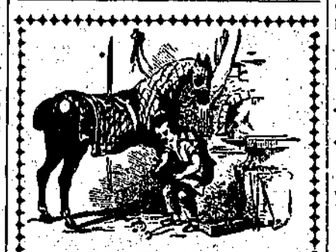

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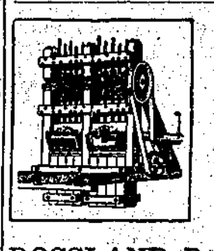

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