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SPECIAL TRAIN TO GREENWOOD

Recognition of the Importance of Phoenix by the C. P. R.—Present Time Table Changes June 10.

Whether it is the presence of so many V., V. & E. engineers in and around Phoenix, indicating that we will soon have another railway, or for some other good and sufficient reason, the C. P. R. has definitely decided to give an improved service in a passenger way on the Phoenix branch. Jay P. Graves, manager of the Granby Co., took the matter up recently with Manager Marpole, and he in turn is trying to arrange it with Supt. Downie, of this division. The new arrangement will probably go into effect at the same time that the Imperial Limited train is started on the main line, which will be June 10th.

This is the information conveyed to the Pioneer by the district passenger agent, Mr. Carter, of Nelson, who visited Phoenix this week. He said it was the expectation to arrange for a double daily passenger service on the Phoenix branch. One train would run to connect with the main line trains, east and west, at Eholt, while the other would run through to Greenwood and return each day. The officials of the railway think that there is traffic enough between the two places to make it worth while, and are now arranging the schedule to this end.

In addition to this, the service will be improved in other ways. At present the passenger coach is carried on the ore trains, and on this account is not at all satisfactory, as it requires more time to make the trip and the ore train from the smelter is sometimes late in arriving at Eholt. The new plan is to run a regular mixed passenger and freight service, by which much better time can be made, and an improvement will be had in both passenger and freight service.

Let Hospital Contract Today.

Among the various contracts in sight local builders have been figuring on the new structure for the Phoenix General Hospital this week. The plans were drawn by F. M. Ratten bury, of Victoria, who was architect for the capital buildings, and the local physicians agree that the hospital plans are most satisfactory. The hospital will, when finally completed, have two large wings and a central building. At present is is the intention to put up but one of the wings, 120x34 feet in size, and that is what is being figured on now. W. R. Williams, the treasurer, will receive tenders up to noon today, when the contract will be awarded.

Platting Almost Completed.

John A. Coryell, P. L. S. has nearly completed the platting of the Dominion Copper Co.'s ground, between the upper and lower parts of town. The street staking has all been done, and Mr. Coryell is getting out the blue prints to be registered with the government. It is probable that the lots will be on the market some time early in the week. Reservation is being made for the depot grounds and freight yards for the V., V. & E. railway, on the Idaho flat, where this railway is expected to make its head quarters in Phoenix.

Reduced Rates East.

On 31st May and 8th June agents of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Kootenay common points will issue round trip tickets to St. Paul for $50.00, good for sixty days with corresponding reductions to all Eastern points from all stations. For Pan-American Exhibition tickets will be sold June 4th and 18th, July 2nd and 16th, and August 6th and 20th to Buffalo, at $76.00. For full particulars apply to local agents.

Improvements at the Snowshoe.

Anthony J McMillan, managing director of the Snowshoe, is expected back from London, England, the last of this month, and some announcement will then be made in regard to the improvements that will be made at that property. The new company, recently organized in England to take over and operate this property, is headed by a strong directorate. Among the contemplated improvements will be a residence for the local manager, with other buildings, and an enlarged machinery plant.

Married at Greenwood, Wednesday, at the Methodist church, by Rev. B. H. Balderston, R. E. Dawson, of Phoenix, and Miss Bessie Stevens, of Vancouver; also, at the same time and place, Warren Mathienson, of Phoenix, and Miss Susan Matheson, of Oxford, Nova Scotia.

MACHINERY FOR THE LAKE GROUP.

Arrived at Phoenix Saturday—Now Being Installed.

The new machinery plant recently ordered of the Jenckes Machine Co. by Manager G. W. Raithel for the Lake group, arrived at the Phoenix station last Saturday, has since been hauled to the property, and is now being installed. It consists of a 60-horse power horizontal return tubular boiler, a 6¼x8 hoisting engine, a machine drill, a No. 5 Cameron sinking pump, ore bucket and car, wire rope, etc.

The Lake group comprises the Lake, Yellowstone, Don Pedro, Idola, and the Yellowstone and Crescent fractions, being located near the Last Chance group in Skylark camp, about two and a half miles from Phoenix. It is being operated by the Chicago and British Columbia Mining Co., under Foreman McCullough, and so far a double compartment shaft has been sunk on the Lake claim for a distance of about 70 feet. Ore was reached at a depth of 50 feet, and it was decided to equip the property with a small power plant, for its more expeditious exploitation. A shaft-house is being put up, and work will be continued.

Catholics Will Build.

This week Father J. A. Bedard made a payment on the site on which the Catholic church will be built. It is comprised of lots 1 to 4, block 27, Old Ironsides addition, being on the corner of Grey Eagle avenue and Second street. Father Bedard informed the Pioneer that it is the intention to proceed at once with the erection of a large house, the upper floor of which will be finished into rooms, and the lower story left unfinished for church purposes, the cost being about $1,500. Later on a suitable church edifice will be erected, when the exact needs are better known and when the finances are in better shape. The site acquired is one of the best in city.

WILL BUILD TO PHOENIX AT ONCE.

Cascade Water Power to be Ready for Business by Christmas.

For a year and a half the right of way for the pole line for the Cascade Water, Power and Light Co. has been cut out to Phoenix. Superintendent Anderson is now calling for tenders for 2,500 poles, and there seems to be no longer any doubt but that the line will be completed at an early date. The big dam at the magnificent falls at Cascade was completed many moons since, and the large power house and pole line are to be finished without further delay. In this connection the following is taken from the last issue of the Cascade Record:

"'Tis with the greatest pleasure we learn the long delay of completing the Water, Power & Light Co.'s works is at an end. Mr. S. S. Fowler, of the company owning the water power, who was in town Saturday last, stated he anticipated no further delay. Financial conditions in England have not been such the past year as to encourage foreign expenditures; ample funds are now however available, and no further delay in completing the works is looked for.

Orders for all the necessary machinery have been placed with the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co., of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and tenders for furnishing poles to extend the wires from Cascade to the mining camps in the neighborhood, are asked for. It is expected the machinery will be installed, and the entire plant completed and in running order by Christmas."

DOMINION DAY AT GRAND FORKS.

Finest Affair of the Kind Ever Held in the Boundary.

The Dominion Day celebration at Grand Forks on July 1st promises to be the finest affair of the kind ever held in the Boundary country. The program includes horse races, a lacrosse match, foot races and drilling contests. At a meeting of the various committees held Tuesday evening it was announced that $3000 will be offered in prizes. The new half-mile track will be completed in ample time for the meet. It is expected that Montana, Idaho, and Washington and Okanagan horses will compete. The events include the following:

Quarter-mile dash, first prize $200; second prize, $75. Five-eighths of a mile, first prize, $175; second prize, $75. Boys' pony race, quarter of a mile, first prize, $75; second prize, $25. Saddle race, distance 300 yards, first prize, $50; second prize, $25. Three hundred yards in heats, first prize, $175; second prize, $75. Half mile dash, first prize, $200; second prize, $75. In the horse races the conditions are four to enter and three to start, entry $10. The first prize in the double-hand drilling contest will be a purse of $200. This event is open to all comers.

An effort is being made to secure a large attendance of American horses. In addition a program of athletic sports will be carried out, for which substantial prizes will be offered. In the evening $1,000 worth of fireworks will be discharged from the summit of Observation mountain overlooking the city.

WERE FROM "OLD M'GILL"

Party of 22 Visit the Mines of Phonix.

MADE AN EXHAUSTIVE INSPECTION

Travel in Their own Special car, and are Taking in Leading Mining Camps in This Province.

Last Sunday Dr. J. B. Porter, professor of mining and metallurgy in McGill University, Montreal, visited Phoenix to make arrangements for the visit here of the summer school of mining this week. On Tuesday the special car of the class arrived in town and was switched to the Old Ironsides spur, back of the Granby apartment house, for a couple of days.

The party consists of the following: Dr. J. B. Porter, who is in charge; Dr. F. D. Adams, professor of geology and a distinguished savant; Prof. Landry, chief of the mechanical department; F. W. Draper, assistant professor of metallurgy; graduates in order of seniority—N. W. Evans, O. E. Leroy, L. O. Howard and A. R. Archer; also the following students—Messrs. Corliss, Campbell, Coulson, McBride, McLaren, Porcheron, Despensier, Johnson, Robertson, Brainerd, Carlyle, Lucas, Langley, Pemberton and Hall. They travel in a specially fitted up tourist car, which was selected in preference to the plush finished first class coaches, and have two cooks and a porter to look after their needs.

Objects of the Trip.

Each year a special excursion is taken by the mining department of McGill to some section, for the purpose of examining ore bodies in working mines and securing practical information in regard to mining and smelting—information that cannot be obtained in the class room. On these trips they are together socially as well as in the more serious part of the excursions, and so have a thoroughly enjoyable time while on a tour of the mining districts.

These tours are a comparatively new feature in the course. One year they spent the term in Cape Breton, another in Pennsylvania, and last year a small party went to New York state. This year the longest and most comprehensive excursion thus far given is now being taken to British Columbia.

Where They Have Been.

Leaving Montreal some three weeks ago, the party came straight west, and made no stops of importance till the coal fields on the main line were reached. Canmore, Anthracite and the famous Banff were each taken in in turn, and then direct to the coast. Nanaimo, Victoria and Vancouver were visited, and the mining districts of the Kootenays and Yale were next on the list. A stop was made at Sandon, and the Payne and Slocan Star mines visited. After a brief look at the Hall Mines smelter at Nelson, the party proceeded to Rossland, and spent a week. Here they made an exhaustive examination of the LeRoi and War Eagle mines. In this connection there is an interesting incident. Dr. Porter was informed by a friend before leaving the east that the party would probably be banquetted by the War Eagle people in Rossland, but would not be allowed to go through the property. It happened that they were shown every courtesy in examining the mine, and were not banquetted.

How the Work is Done.

This summer school is designed to give instruction in the relations of practical and theoretical mining, and is modelled after those to be found in many of the American colleges. So popular has it become that McGill now has more students in the mining course than any university on the American continent, save one. There are over 1,400 students in McGill in the various courses, and of these there are nearly 100 in the mining department.

In order that the advantages of these trips may be utilized to the utmost, each man receives a printed outline of the points to be observed in each class of mine and smelter visited. He must take full notes, measurements etc., as he goes along, which are examined daily. As the train proceeds informal lectures are delivered upon the geological characteristics of the country through which they are travelling, and the special features of the mines to be visited are pointed out.

Inspecting Mines of Phoenix.

The party, with the professors, made a careful examination of the Old Ironsides, Victoria and Knob Hill mines in this camp, accompanied by the superintendent, William Yolen Williams, and Assistant Treasurer, J. F. Hemenway. Every possible courtesy was shown the McGill boys by the local officials, and their investigations facilitated in every way. Numerous photographs of the mines and works were taken for future use in lectures, etc., and as Dr. Porter exchanges photographs with the Royal School of Mines at London, these views will be seen there in a short time.

The numbers of the party were greatly impressed with what they saw of the mines of Phoenix, and copious notes were taken as well as numerous samples.

Leave Men in Each Large Camp.

Dr. Porter informed the Pioneer that, in order to get a better understanding of the workings of the more important mines, members of the party would be left to work in many of the camps that were visited. In fact, he did not intend to take any of them back home at this time. They would all go as far as Nelson, and would then go to the mines where they had been allowed to go to work, and spend the rest of the summer in mucking or drilling or whatever they were put at, in order that they may gain some practical experience. Two will be left in Phoenix, Messrs. Depensier and Campbell, and others elsewhere.

From Phoenix the party went to Greenwood, there they were entertained at lunch, and then took in the Mother Lode and Sunset mines in Deadwood camp, and also inspected the B. C. Copper Co.'s smelter. Then they proceeded to Nelson and to East Kootenay. Here steps were to be made to see the St. Eugene and North Star mines, as well as the coal mines at Fernie.

SCHOOL REPORT FOR MAY

Standing of Phoenix Scholars For the Last Month.

Class V. Total 650.—John Graham, 566; Jay Cramer, 579; Claude Stent, 513.

Class IV. Total 550.—Stanley Graham, 438; Bertha Heidman, 390.

Class III. Total 600.—Willie Biner 449; Gladys Hall, 442; Ruth Petrie, 442; Mabel Heidman 442, (equal); Mary Biner, 441.

Class II. Total 450.—Ernest Kline, 359; Cora Graham, 348; Jeddie Summers, 339; Ivy Walters, 316; Cecil Hackett, 314.

Class I, Sr. Total 450.—Milby Marshall, 362; Kerby Munro, 362; Lucy Marshall, 350; Russell McLaren, 333.

Class I, Jr. Total 450.—Lizzie Bell, 391; Alice Thomas 372; Lucy Graham, 351; George Heidman, 333; Everett McLaren, 332; William Grier, 331.

Primer II. Total 450.—August Mueller, 366; May Burns, 362; James Trevorrow, 358; Nellie Kelly, 356; Viva Lee, 332; Ervin McMullen, 318; Richard Thomas, 308.

Primer I, Sr. Total 450.—Arthur Swanson, 402; Hazel Marshall, 391; Esther McDonald, 354; Ruby McMullen, 326; Glynn Evans, 324.

Total attendance 54; average 43.

T. L. BUCKTON, Teacher.

Endorsed Improvements By-Law.

Last Monday the vote of the ratepayers was taken on the by-law to raise $15,000 by issuing debentures, for the purpose of improving Dominion avenue, Knob Hill avenue, Phoenix street and a street to be laid out through the Dominion Copper Co.'s ground from Phoenix street to School street. The polls were open all day. City Clerk McMillan being the returning officer. Every vote cast was in favor of issuing the bonds, and the city officials will place them to the best possible advantage. The debentures will run 20 years, and carry six per cent interest.

Phoenix Branch Ore Shipments.

The following table gives the ore shipments of Phoenix Branch 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	3,916	88,947	154,390
B. C. Mine	19,494	1,025	18,846	38,340
Golden Crown	2,500	....	....	2,500
Winnipeg	1,075			1,125
Athelstan	1,200	....	550	1,750
Snowshoe	300	....	150	450
Brooklyn	150	....	....	150
Totals, tons	89,252	4,941	108,493	198,705

NEW WAR EAGLE CO'Y

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ENGLISH CAPITALISTS TAKING HOLD

Well Known Properties in Phoenix Camp Will in all Probability be Running Again Soon.

It is announced from Sherbrooke, Quebec, that a consolidation of the War Eagle, Red Rock and Lulu claims in Phoenix camp has been made and the controlling interest sold to a London, England, company. The new undertaking is to be known as the Sherbrooke Consolidated, capitalized at £150,000 in £1 shares. Active operations will shortly be commenced on the properties.

The War Eagle was staked in August, 1891, and has an immense outcrop of gold-copper ore. About two years since it was acquired by the War Eagle Copper-Gold Mining Company, the majority of the stockholders being prominent Eastern Townships business men, the mine being equipped with a 5-drill compressor plant. Development consists of a shaft sunk to a depth of 100 feet; with 660 feet of drifting and crosscutting, the other claims being only partially prospected.

WEEKLY WORK OF THE COUNCIL.

Mayor Rumberger Has Donated a Cemetery Site to the City.

The full aldermanic board and the mayor were present at Wednesday evening's meeting of the city council. The first business was the reading of a communication from Sister Superior Teresa, of the Rossland hospital, to the effect that she would like to arrange to take charge of the new Phoenix general hospital when built. The council took no action in the matter.

Early closing By-Law No. 22 was read the first time. It calls for the closing of all general places of business at 7 p. m., except on Saturdays and the days preceding public holidays.

Street Improvements By-Law No. 16, which was ratified by the ratepayers last Monday, was reconsidered and finally passed. It provides for the issuance of $15,000 in debentures for street grading, etc.

Mayor Rumberger offered to donate a cemetery site to the city, and the offer was accepted. It is located near the old saw mill site below the city.

James Breen, manager of the Dominion Copper Co., was given permission to ditch the ground on the new addition from Phoenix to Church street.

Alderman Punch gave notice of his intention to introduce a by-law to rearrange the lots in blocks 1 and 6 in Rumberger's addition, abutting on Standard avenue, and to alter the width of Standard avenue.

In accordance with a motion made, the mayor appointed a committee, consisting of Aldermen Punch, McInnis and Roy, to consult the owners of property adjoining the city to ascertain their wishes in regard to coming into the municipality.

Alderman Punch gave notice of his intention to introduce a Water and Light Franchise By-Law.

The clerk was instructed to send copies of Street Improvements By-Law No. 16, to Messrs. F. J. Finucane, Alex Miller, William Spier and L. A. Manly.

The following accounts were reported favorably by the finance committee, and ordered paid:

Phil Mahr, labor on streets	$ 18 00
D. S. Forbes, labor on streets	12 00
David Smith, labor on streets	9 00
R. A. Scott, hospital dishes	16 65
N. Stewart, First street sidewalk	127 00
Pioneer Publishing Co., advertising and stationery	39 00
Total	$221 65

The council adjourned to meet Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

The alterations in the basement of the Granby apartment house are about completed, and W. S. Macy & Co. expect to serve breakfast there tomorrow morning. They will be able to seat nearly 200 persons at one time.

Chas. D. Hunter returned Monday from his monthly visit to the company's branch at Sandon, where he says there is a more cheerful spirit, on account of the recently granted bonus on lead by the Dominion government.

Rev. R. B. Kinney, who has been pastor of the Methodist church in Golden, arrived in the city this week to take up the work in Phoenix. He will hold services tomorrow at the school house at 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.

Services will be held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning servic, "Keeping back part of the price." Evening service, "The worth of man. A cordial invitation extended to all.

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TALE OF THE TONS.

Statistics and figures are but dry reading to a large number of those who peruse the press. And yet in a mining country that is steadily progressing there is a great deal that is interesting about reliable data that is occasionally published. Especially is this the case in regard to the ore output of any particular camp. Sometimes, of course, comparisons are not relished, but that depends largely on the point of view.

Now, for instance, take this camp of Phoenix. It is not so long ago that the majority of the mining men of the Boundary shook their heads when this camp was mentioned, and did not believe its ores could ever be made to yield a profit. Of course that has all been settled now, and in the most satisfactory manner. Those who had the capital have proved the faith that was in them.

And now it is naturally the tale of the tons that is attracting attention everywhere. The shipments from this camp alone now average 18,000 tons of ore per month. This is steadily maintained without trouble, and in about three months this output will be at least doubled. This is not merely hearsay, for every preparation is being made to handle this larger tonnage, as is now universally well known. Some time in September, therefore, there is every reason to believe that the output of Phoenix will be at the rate of from 35,000 to 40,020 tons per month as a minimum. By the time this increase takes effect there will have been shipped over the Phoenix branch of the C. P. R. during 1901 in the neighborhood of 175,000 tons of ore. For the balance of the year, the output will be about 40,000 tons monthly, or 160,000 tons for the remaining four months of this year. This will make a total of 335,000 tons for the year 1901, and while contingencies may arise that may change these figures, there is every likelihood that the total will be close to the figure mentioned.

WATER AND LIGHT IN PHOENIX.

It was thought three weeks ago that the question of who would put in the water system in this city would have been settled by this time. Those desirous of installing water works are also anxious to secure the privilege of supplying an electric service here. In order to get the latter they must also supply the former. The first proposition came to the city council from McArthur & Monk a couple of months ago, but the rates quoted were not at all satisfactory to the council and the city decided virtually that if no better rates could be had from private capitalists, it would undertake the installation of a water system itself. To this end the permission of the ratepayers to issue water bonds to the amount of $20,000 was sought and obtained.

Just about this time Messrs. Graves, Flumerfelt and Williams made an offer to supply the city with water and light at better rates than McArthur & Monk had quoted, and the council thought favorably of it. Then McArthur & Monk came down in their figures, and made what is considered a favorable proposal. One other estimate is expected from the Greenwood Electric Co., who already have an electric light service in operation here—when it is in order. This latter company is probably not anxious to go into the water business as it is out of their line.

But here we have practically four propositions, three from private capitalists and the city itself. There is a growing impression that if private capital will undertake the water and light installation under proper safeguards for both public and individual interests, the franchise should be granted without further delay.

The season is slipping away, and whoever is to undertake the work should be given the privilege at once. Now that the matter has been aired at such a length, and thoroughly threshed out, the Pioneer has confidence that the council will act definitely shortly. What we need and must have is a guarantee of sufficient water supply at all times. Nothing else will be satisfactory to the ratepayers. Whatever agreement is made, this should be a part of it.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

When the Canadian mint gets started, if the director will increase the size of the five cent piece he will receive the thanks of the public.

The "jointers" will soon be at work again. That is, the High Joint Commission, to settle all matters in question between Canada and the United States, will re-assemble shortly.

It is to be regretted that the Northport smelter has closed down for an indefinite period. A large part of the prosperity of Rossland is dependent on the operation of those reduction works.

The members at Ottawa thought the example of increasing the sessional indemnity, set by the British Columbia solons, was so good that they went and did likewise. They are looking out for their precious selves, anyway.

It is pretty safe to say that the McGill mining students, who went through the Knob Hill and Old Ironsides mines last Tuesday, saw more ore in a few hours than they will see in as many days in any other camp in British Columbia.

Andrew Carnegie is still giving away his millions where much good will be done. The latest is a gift of £2,000,000 for the establishment of free education in four Scottish universities. He has not endowed a free library in Phoenix yet, but no one can tell what will happen next.

Appearances indicate that the affairs of the Morrison Mines, Ltd., will soon be in a bad tangle. Boundary stockholders in this property are all at outs with the Spokane stockholders. This Deadwood mine is said to be a good one, and it is unfortunate that it should be tied up.

The wooer of business must use printer's ink if he would be successful, and, according to the evidence of the most successful business men of the day, he can do this best through newspaper advertising. If he does not advertise he cannot expect to reach the highest or even a moderate pinnacle of success.

The passage of the lead bounty bill has made things have a brighter look in the Slocan and in other parts of the Kootenays. Coupled with it comes the announcement that the C. P. R. proposes to erect a lead refinery at some point in this province. This will not please those working for a refinery at Kaslo, Nelson and a few other places.

Many a mining man has an abiding faith in the future of Republic, although at present that camp is a little in the shade. There is said to be something tangible to the recent placer discoveries there, and while just now the camp is not much in the public eye, with railway facilities now about to be afforded, it will come to the front again rapidly.

The people of Greenwood are exceedingly anxious that Mr. Breen should locate the Dominion Copper Co.'s smelter in or near that town, and we do not blame them. It would be a good thing for Greenwood in more ways than one. But Mr. Breen as yet has said nothing. He will undoubtedly locate the reduction works at some point on the Kettle river or near it, where he can get plenty of power and plenty of water, and also secure the silicious ores of Republic camp without trouble.

WHAT THE EDITORS SAY.

It is simply amusing to read the arguments put forth by a portion of the eastern press to show that Eastern Canadians have lost money "mining" in this province. It is just as sensible for a man who has lost his all in the bucket shops of Chicago on the grain exchange, to say he was ruined by farming in Manitoba.—Sandon Mining Review.

There seems to be a remarkable unanimity of opinion that one of the chief factors among the causes which are responsible for the temporary depression which is felt in local mining circles is the failure of certain influential parties entrusted with the management of large properties to properly conduct their affairs.—Rossland Miner.

If there is one thing that the Slocan can be congratulated upon it is the fact that panic in the country caused by over-speculation or otherwise can have no bad effect upon business here, which has been dead for some time. An inquest on the Slocan would produce a verdict of killed by agitation, hesitation and legislation.—Silvertonian.

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RE-SURVEYING THE LINE

American and Dominion Government at it.

LARGE PARTY ARRIVE IN BOUNDARY

W. T. O'Hara, Engineer of Topographical Department, Ottawa, and J. J. McArthur, For United States.

W. F. O'Hara, an engineer connected with the topographical surveys branch of the department of the interior, arrived in Greenwood last Friday night, and will come down to Midway in a few days and commence the work of surveying the international boundary, as agreed to by the international boundary commission.

The Canadian party operating in this district will assemble at Greenwood, where its strength will be made up to 12 or 14. Mr. O'Hara will be in complete charge, and his party will operate in conjunction with an American party under the direction of the United States government engineers, and acting on lines laid down by the international commission. It is proposed to take in the section of the line from Midway to Similkameen river, and it is estimated that with normal weather conditions this part of the work can be completed in the present season, which extends to the end of October. At the same time another outfit, comprising parties of United States and Canadian engineers, the latter under the direction of Mr. J. J. McArthur, will operate from the coast east. The task undertaken by the international commission, that of re-locating the line between the two countries, is one of very considerable magnitude, and will probably require several years for its consummation.

The two sets of parties will act in conjunction with each other. At Midway Mr. O'Hara will confer with the chief of the United States party, and will arrive at an allotment of the work, the principle being to have the respective engineers check each other's work and take sections of the country in rotation. The detail to be followed will be that of taking a system of triangulations on this side of the line by the Canadian party and on the other side by the United States party, together with photographic surveys, the latter being a rapid means of covering the ground with absolute accuracy and without the ordinary course of surveying work.

It is not generally understood that the work carried on by the survey parties of the respective countries is wholly of a preliminary nature. The engineers are on the ground for the purpose of determining the exact location of the geographical line and reporting the information thus obtained to the international commission, which will then confer and determine where the line will be placed. When this decision is arrived at the line will be marked by a series of stone monuments distant from each other about a mile. A straight line will be run connecting the mounds, and the line will be marked by a broad blaze, ten or twelve feet in width, so that no future doubt can arise as to the status of land within the area close to the boundary.—Midway Advance.

Success Open to All.

The father of the late J. C. Van Houten began the manufacture and sale of cocoa in Holland in 1817. There was only a local demand for the product until the son took charge of the establishment and began advertising. Before his death Mr. Van Houten said that his enormous success was due mainly to advertising, especially in the newspapers. He expended as much as $1,000,000 a year for newspaper space. By the same method any other business can achieve success in proportion to its advertising expenditure.

Will be Damned, Anyway.

Editing this paper is a nice thing. If we publish jokes people say we are rattle-brained. If we don't we are an old fossil. If we publish original matter they say we don't give them enough selections. If we give them selections they say we are too lazy to write. If we don't go to church we are heathen; if we do we are a hypocrite. If we remain in the office we ought to go out and hustle locals. If we go out then we are not attending to our business. If we wear old clothes they laugh at us. If we wear good clothes they say we have a pull. Now, what are we going to do? Just as likely some one will say we took this from our exchanges, and so we did.

AMENDMENTS TO MINERAL ACT.

Full Text of Those Made at the Last Session of the Legislature.

Only two amendments to the mineral act were made this year, as follows:—

An Act to Amend the Mineral Act.

His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the province of British Columbia, enacts as follows:

1. This act may be cited as the "Mineral Act Amendment Act, 1901."

2. Section 4 of the "Mineral Act Amendment Act, 1899," is hereby repealed, and the following substituted therefor:

"4. In case any person shall allow his free miner's certificate to expire he may, at any time within six months from the date of such expiration, obtain from the proper officer, upon the payment of a fee of fifteen dollars, a special free miner's certificate. Such special certificate shall have the effect of reviving the title of the person to whom it is issued to all mineral claims which such person owned at the time of the lapse of his former certificate, except such as under the provisions of the "Mineral Act" and amending acts had become the property of some other person at or before the time of the issue of such special certificate, and shall also operate as a free miner's certificate until midnight of the thirty-first day of May next after its issue. In the case of a joint stock company the fee for such special certificate shall be three hundred dollars. Such certificate shall be in the following form:

BRITISH COLUMBIA,

SPECIAL FREE MINER'S CERTIFICATE.
(Not transferable.)

No.

"This is to certify that , of has paid me the sum of (fifteen or three hundred as the case may be) dollars, and is entitled to all the rights and privileges of a free miner from midnight of the [here insert the date of the day immediately preceding the date of the issue of certificate] day of , A. D., 19 , until midnight of the 31st day of May, A. D., 19 .

"This special certificate, so far only as such title depends upon such person having a free miner's certificate, shall have the effect of reviving the title of the person to whom it is issued to all mining properties which such persons owned at the time of the lapse of his former certificate, except such as have become the property of some other person.

"Issued at the day of A. D., 19 .

"(Signature of officer issuing same.)"

3. Section 141 of the Mineral Act is hereby repealed, and the following substituted therefore

"141. Affidavits and declarations required under the provisions of this Act shall be made before one of the following officials having jurisdiction in the Province of British Columbia, or the part thereof where such affidavits or declarations may be sworn or made, that is to say: Supreme or County Court Judge, Registrar of a Court of Record, Gold Commissioner, Mining Recordor, Stipendiary Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or Commissioner for taking Affidavits."

4. This Act shall not come into force until the first day of July, A. D., 1901.

FROM FAR AND NEAR.

A new case of small pox was discovered in Nelson last Sunday, a man by the name of Isaac Fleming.

Fred Collins, who killed A. Dando at Peterborough, B. C., has been sentenced to be hanged at Nelson on July 26.

The International Mining Congress meets at Boise City, Idaho, July 23, 24 and 25. It is now estimated that about 1,000 mining men will be present as delegates.

In the Slocan it is expected the Miner-Graves syndicate will operate the Rockland group on an extensive scale shortly. This property is a gold-copper proposition carrying good values.

The act for incorporating the City of Trail has received the endorsement of the provincial secretary, and barring unforseen contingencies, it is expected that Trail will become a city on or about July 1.

Among the Best.

The Phoenix Pioneer is now settled in a new office specially erected for the home of that enterprising journal. A Campbell cylinder press has been put in and other additions made to plant and stock. The Pioneer is prosperous in appearance also, and is one of the best of the list of Provincial papers.—B. C. Trade Budget.

The rich strike made at the Silver King mine, Nelson, some time ago has been confirmed. The ore body was encountered in what is known as the south vein on the No. 6 level. It is claimed that the ore body is 8 feet wide and assays 120 ounces silver and 17 per cent copper.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the Wynkoop-Stephens Trading Company Limited, and in the matter of the "Companies Winding Up Act, 1898."

Notice is hereby given that the creditors of the above named company are required on or before the 9th day of July, 1901, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned J. F. Hemenway, the liquidator of the said company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said liquidator are to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated at Phoenix, B. C., this 25th day of May, 1901.

J. F. HEMENWAY,
Liquidator of the above named Company.
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BOUNDARY CREEK LICENSE DISTRICT.

Applications For Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that the undermentioned have applied to the Board of License Commissioners for the Boundary Creek License District at their next sitting for a renewal of their licenses to sell liquor by retail on the premises named beginning on the first day of July, 1901; said next sitting of the board will be held on Saturday, 15th day of June, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Commercial Hotel, Eholt, B. C.

W. T. Buker, Clifton Hotel, Hartford Junction

C. A. Hagelberg, Copper Plate Hotel, Summit.
R. V. Chisholm, Windsor Hotel, Summit.

I. A. DINSMORE,
Chief License Inspector.

NOTICE.

Steam Boiler Inspectors' Examination.

Applications for examination for Steam Boiler Inspectors will be received by the Chief Inspector of Steam Boilers, New Westminster, B. C., up to June 10th, 1901. Applicants must be between the ages of 25 and 50 years, they must have had at least five years' practical workshop experience as machinists or boiler makers, and must also have a thorough understanding of steam engineering.

Forms of particulars may be obtained, on request of intending applicants, from the Chief Inspector of Steam Boilers, New Westminster, B.C., and must be properly filled in and returned to him on or before the above-mentioned date.

The candidates selected for examination will then be notified as to date and place of examination.

The salary will be $100 per month.

W. C. WELLS,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 22nd May, 1901. 30

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificates of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Alma Fractional and Fairplay Fraction Mineral Claims. Situate in Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—in Greenwood camp, east of the City of Phoenix.

Take notice that I, John Louis Grahame Abbott acting as agent for the British Columbia (Rossland and Slocan) Syndicate, Limited, Free Miner's certificate No. b 41161, intend 60 days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for certificates of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of each of 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 26th day January, 1901.

36 J. L. G. ABBOTT.

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WINTER SCHEDULE.

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EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, DEC. 25, 1900.

Leave.	Daily Train	Arrive.
8:30 a. m.	Spokane	6:40 p. m.
11:50 a. m.	Rossland	3:10 p. m.
7:00 a. m.	Nelson	7:15 p. m.
	Night Train.	
9:45 p. m.	Spokane	7:00 a. m.
11:00 p. m.	Rossland	7:00 a. m.

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The Local Grist.

Dr. Mathison, dentist, Greenwood, both 'phones.

Alderman Roy returned Monday from a trip to Vernon and Nelson.

J. H. Blome, photographer, arrived in town yesterday to stay a month.

Alex McDonald returned Monday from a trip to the Similkameen.

J. Berkman, of the Victoria house, left on Saturday for a trip to East Kootenay.

W. B. Cochrane has returned from a three weeks visit to his old home at Vernon.

F. L. Cock will shortly begin the erection of a residence adjoining that of W. R. Lee.

P. C. McArthur, accompanied by C. W. Rice took a trip to Summit camp yesterday.

R. Wollerstan Thomas, with Mrs. Thomas, of Vancouver, were visitors in the city early in the week.

Mrs. W. M. Crane left on Saturday for Idaho, being called by the serious illness of her father.

Tom Floss is wanted by the police for drawing a gun on the C.P.R. train near Denoro Tuesday.

Stephen Tripp, of Greenwood, secured the contract to erect the new school building in Phoenix.

J. Fleishmann, of Vancouver, president of the B. C. Hotel Co., Ltd., spent two days in town this week.

No word has yet been received as to who will receive the contract for the Phoenix-Summit wagon road.

A meeting has been called of those interested in base ball, to take place at the school house next Tuesday evening.

Rev. W. A. Robins will hold Church of England services at the school house next Wednesday evening, June 5th.

George Lovatt has been chosen mayor of Sandon, vice H. H. Pitts, who is now interested in the Similkameen.

The plastering of the Delahay block has been completed, and the building will probably be ready for occupancy next week.

This week the skating rink, which is on the Dominion Copper Co.'s new townsite, is being dismantled by Wm. Drever.

N. J. Tregear and family leave today for Butte, Mont. Mr. Tregear has been foreman at the Winnipeg for the last few months.

Frank Bristow, of Rossland, district deputy grand master A. F. and A. M., was a visitor in town Wednesday, on his way to Greenwood.

Wm. Sparks, whose eyes were injured at the glory hole some weeks ago, is improving under the care of an eye specialist in Spokane.

The Phoenix football club came out ahead in the game with the Greenwood boys on Victoria day at Midway, the score being 1 to 0.

Those interested in the formation of a lacrosse club are requested to meet at the Old Ironsides hotel next Monday evening at 7:30.

Joseph H. Carter, district passenger agent of the C. P. R., with headquarters at Nelson, visited Phoenix last Thursday for the first time.

Nelson's junior lacrosse team went down in one, two, three order before the Grand Forks boys on Victoria day. The score was 8 to 0.

Out of the general repair account the government has allowed $400 for the road from Phoenix to Greenwood and Phoenix to Wellington camp.

The Greenwood Choral Society will give a concert at the Auditorium next Wednesday evening. The society has the best musical talent in that town.

W. R. Lee has secured the contract to build a sidewalk from Brooklyn avenue to the New York townsite on the hill. It will be a great improvement.

Frank Nelson, who was hurt at the Old Ironsides mine, and has been spending a couple of weeks in the hospital at Greenwood, is around town once more.

Amos H. Rumberger, brother of Mayor Rumberger, arrived in Phoenix on Wednesday's train from his old home in Houtzdale, Penn., to spend a month or two.

It is expected that when the Odd Fellows lodge is organized in Phoenix it will start with 30 or more members. The necessary regalia is expected to arrive daily.

Solicitor H. G. S. Heisterman, of Grand Forks, came up Thursday, in connection with the Graves-Williams-Flumerfelt water proposition, now before the city council.

Next Monday evening the regular monthly meeting of the Phoenix Board of Trade will be held in the school house at eight o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

The Grand Forks Gazette says that E. Charles, right of way agent for the V. V. & E. railway, is now busy arranging for the right of way from Cascade to Grand Forks.

Preparatory to raising the building to the new Dominion avenue grade, the Butte concert hall has been closed. Other alterations and improvements to the Butte will probably be made at the same time.

Noble Binns, of the firm of Clark & Binns, came over from Trail with his daughter last Saturday and spent a day. He reports a general improvement in business conditions in the Smoky City.

Jay P. Graves is expected in town some time next week, when the contract for the new brick block on Knob Hill avenue will be let. Excavations for the new building will be started early in the week.

W. F. O'Hara, who has charge of the survey of the international boundary line for the dominion government, left Greenwood Wednesday with a force of 12 men, and utilized 20 pack horses for his supplies.

D. D. Ferguson, a well known Cascade business man, came in on Wednesday's train. He is sizing up the right of way of the Cascade Water Power and Light Co., which is calling for tenders for the poles for the line to Phoenix.

This week's rains have played havoc with the bridges over Boundary creek at Greenwood, three of which have been washed away, as well as the old Dewdney trail bridge at Boundary Falls. The cribbing on the creek at Greenwood has also been badly damaged.

The officers of the recently organized Greenwood Clerks' Union, are as follows: D. A. McKenzie, president; J. M. Driscoll, vice-president; E. B. Dill, secretary-treasurer; A. C. Ridout, guard. The other members were, B. F. Petch, C. H. Fair, P. S. Weber, and L. G. Whitbeck.

Bob Hogan, L. C. Barnes and Alex Glencross were held for trial by Magistrate Hallett at Greenwood Tuesday. They were charged with intending to hold up Frank McGoogan on the Greenwood-Phoenix wagon road. Constable Darraugh worked on the case, and secured a confession.

Neil Stewart began the work this week of raising the old Morrin & Thompson block on Dominion avenue, for the purpose of placing it on the rear end of the lot. When this is done a substantial two story structure will be built on the front end, and both buildings will be used by the firm.

R. W. Brainard, son of H. M. Brainerd, president of the Hamilton Powder Co., and also of the Gold Drop Mining Co., was one of the McGill students in town this week. Mr. Brainerd spent two months with Manager S. A. Easton at the Gold Drop a yeargago. He says that Mr. Easton is now in Virginia, looking at some properties for the B. C. Copper Co.

A. F. McMillan is asking for tenders for his new two story block, to be erected on the corner of Knob Hill avenue and First street. The plans show one of the best blocks yet erected in town, with three stores on the lower floor and eight offices above. H. D. Curtis, of Nelson, is the architect. Mr. McMillan is expected to arrive in the city today.

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