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The Copper Market

Copper is decidedly stronger and the indications are that prices are about to have a further advance. Lake is 20 to 23 cents and electrolytic is 19 to 19½ cents a pound. Consumers who have been holding aloof from the market for about 30 days past, waiting for the price to decline are again bidding for supplies. The new demand is coming from both domestic users and from abroad, as for some time past, the larger number of the purchasers are engaged in the manufacture of ammunition and other war supplies. Just at present the stocks of copper in hand are dangerously small. The producers have sold so heavily for delivery as far ahead as September and October as to make it altogether improbable that they would offer the price of the metal down, even though they should find that there was a tendency for a surplus to accumulate, says the Boston Commercial. All sellers of commodities feel that they are required to carry stocks from which to supply any immediate demand that may come to them, and the rush of buying during the past several months has put most of the producing companies in a position where they are unable to do this.

C.P.R. Schedule

The following is the local C.P.R. schedule which began on May 31st. Cut it out and paste it up for reference:

Arrive from Nelson and east at 2.45 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Arrive from Penticton and west on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.45 p.m.

Depart for Penticton and west at 2.15 p.m., on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

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Mrs. Jory, wife of Sergeant Jory of the 54th, in company with her brother, John Finlay, were visitors to the military quarters in Grand Forks on Wednesday.

B. C. Mining

Two fours are now at work on the hauling of concentrates from the Cork-Province. The various bridges along the route are not yet all in such shape as to stand very heavy loads, so that concentrates are piling up at the mill much faster than they can be removed.—Kootenai.

The receipt by mines in the Crow's Nest Pass district of new orders of about 1,000 tons of coal per day, is expected to greatly improve conditions, and to increase the number of men to be employed in the mines. Coal for the Manitoba division of the Canadian Pacific railway which formerly was obtained from mines in the East will be procured from mines in the Crow's Nest Pass district. The demand for coke has been good, Canadian smelters west of Fernie being supplied entirely from that locality. The opening of a large smelter in Great Falls, Montana, is expected to increase the demand for Fernie coke. Operations at Beaver Mines have been discontinued and a number of men thrown out of work.—Rossland Miner.

A Canadian Pasha

The brief telegram received a few days ago in Canada, announcing the death at Constantinople of Bucknam Pasha, vice admiral of the Turkish navy, is of special interest to the west. Bucknam was born in Nova Scotia and entered the service of the infamous Abdul Hamid, when the latter went there in charge of a new Turkish cruiser, built in the United States. For a time he was engaged in the British Columbia coast trade, and his brother Enos was the C.P.R. engineer in charge of the construction of the bridges on the Crows Nest branch during 1897-98. He had retired from active service when the war broke out, but it is reported that he figured in the councils that planned the Turkish naval campaign in the Black sea.

Harry Booth left for Nelson on Tuesday.

Letter From Front

Mrs. J. A. Morrin, whose brother-in-law, W. A. Morrin, is serving as a lieutenant in the Imperial army veterinary corps, was in receipt of a letter from him this week. The missive was written on notepaper that Mrs. Morrin had forwarded to him, which goes to show how useful many of the little articles sent to the front are. Following is the letter written amid the roar of the artillery and the shriek of shells:

"I have just received your parcel, with the contents all perfect, and am extremely obliged to you and your friends. I will appreciate the cake, by reason of the fact that I had given up hope of ever seeing it, that is if it was the one you wrote to me about months ago.

"Well, I have at last got to where I have long been wanting to get. That is where the real fun is. I have been here for a week and a half, and the fighting has never ceased; night and day the explosions of shells in every direction, with trench fighting thrown in for a little diversion. In some parts there is not a single house standing. The churches have been a great mark for the Hun's shells, and they have taken great pride in demolishing them. It is a sad sight to see so much wanton destruction, but which cannot be compared to the awful massacre of human lives. I am in charge of two Indian brigades of artillery, and at times it is rather noisy, but very interesting especially at night. It is a beautiful sight to see miles of a semi-circle, with hundreds of guns with other deadly instruments of war, pouring out their missiles and at the same time issuing flashes of light on a darkened sky, a sight one will never forget.

"Although at times rather uncomfortable, one soon gets accustomed, and I have got so that I can sleep through it all. The only time I move is when it gets too hot and we have to get to safer quarters. But I must say that I would rather see a football flying over my head than a shell, as the sound of the latter is much more suggestive of injury; but I'm here for experience and I'm getting quite an amount at present, and hope to get much more before I get to Berlin. We have just heard that Italy has declared war, so that may make a change towards shortening this terrible slaughter."

Miner Killed

A particularly heavy blast, fired in the "glory hole" of the Granby mine, shortly after noon on Tuesday, resulted in the death of a miner, named Matt Kajula. The deceased, contrary to the ordinary rules of safety, was eating his dinner out in the open air at a spot near to the carpenter's shop, and one of the flying pieces of rock struck the unfortunate man on the head. He was hurried as quickly as possible to the general hospital, but from the first Dr. Ritchie entertained little or no hopes for his recovery, and later in the evening he died. The funeral service takes place today, Saturday, in the Miners' Union hall, and the interment will be in the local cemetery. The deceased was 26 years of age.

Jas. Trumppour Wounded

A letter received in Phoenix from Jas. Trumppour, one of the first to enlist in the 7th B.C. Regiment, says that at the time of writing D. Paterson had recovered from his wound and rejoined the ranks. The writer also says that the whereabouts of Teddy Horrell were unknown, and the fellows have not the slightest idea as to whether he is wounded, dead or a prisoner. Since writing the letter, however, the news has arrived this week that Trumppour was among the recently wounded. No word has been received of late as to the welfare of Jack Robinson, but his brother is thought to be dead.

New Lodge Organized

Phoenix has now added another fraternal order to its already strong list. On Saturday last the ceremonies attending the installation of the officers of Mountain Rose Lodge, No. 24, an auxiliary of the S.H. and E.F., took place. The installing officials were Messrs. Emil Carlson and Ed. Mellrud, and the following were elected: Pres., Mrs. Ed. Mellrud; vice, Mrs. A. Andren; recording sec., Mrs. B. A. Johnson; financial secretary, Mrs. A. Stenwald; treasurer, Mrs. G. Kay; marshal, Mrs. Gus Peterson; chaplain, Mrs. Louis Carlson; inner guard, Mrs. M. Olsen; outer guard, Mrs. O. Larsen. This is the second lodge of the order formed in B.C., the other being at Rossland, but 24 have been instituted in the States. After the serious work of the evening was finished, the new sisters were the hostesses at supper and the remainder of the evening was passed in dancing to the strains of the music of the Ironsides orchestra.

Former Resident Married

The wedding of C. A. Best (Lorne) late of Phoenix to Miss Nellie Clarke, of Dundee, Scotland, took place on June 3rd, at Anyox. After the ceremony, the happy couple left for Vancouver, en route for the Panama-Pacific exhibition. The groom will be remembered as the proprietor of the lower town hair-dressing parlor, and left here two years ago for Anyox. His many friends in the Boundary will heartily join in wishing for him and his Scottish bride the calmest of voyages amid the shallows and deeps of the sea of matrimony.

Boundary Boys Leave

Stirring scenes attended the departure of the Grand Forks quota of the 54th Battalion on Friday. The detachment presented a fine appearance as it marched through the streets to the station, followed by large crowds of citizens, who vented their enthusiasm by hearty cheers and counter cheers as the gallant boys steamed out of the depot en route for the big military training camp at Vernon.

City Street Repairs

This week the city works department embarked on an extensive program of improvements, and the result, as far as the thoroughfares under repair are concerned is highly commendable and well worth the outlay. The big roller has done in a few days, work that would have taken a year of traffic to achieve, and the stretch of road through the town will prove a source of satisfaction to both visiting and local motorists.

No Call Yet For Italians

Beyond receiving the same general intimation that other Italian communities have got, the local Italian residents in Phoenix report no new developments. In some quarters the belief is expressed that no special call will be sent out at all. Italians, however, even those naturalized, who are contemplating enlisting in Canada's army, should take note of the recent decision of the Italian authorities, to regard as deserters all such as are called upon and fail to respond.

The following appeared in the current issue of the British Columbia Gazette: "During the war no probate of a will or letters of administration of the estate of any German, Austro-Hungarian, or Turkish subject wherever resident will be granted in respect of any assets in this province without the express license of the crown."

Mrs. W. Hufty was a visitor to Columbia over Sunday. Mr. Hufty will probably be stationed there indefinitely.

Franklin Camp News

Julius Carson came into town on Wednesday from Gloucester camp, where in co-operation with another party he has been actively engaged for some months on the Black Prince group of claims. The inrush of water into the shaft has made further work impossible for the next two months, but the showing of ore (silver and gold in a white quartz) is very promising. He brought back with him a large picked sample of the two-foot ledge that assays about one hundred dollars to the ton. He says that the deal talked of some time ago for the sale of the Union mine at Franklin appears to have hung fire, but he understood there were several other parties in the market after it. Another property up there looking extremely well is Gloucester, in Gloucester camp, where Thos. Newby and co-owners have four feet of solid ore, averaging from seven to eight dollars in values and carrying 25 per cent copper. This latter was one of the properties once held under bond by the British Columbia Copper company and eventually thrown up.

That Copper Refinery

It is urged on behalf of the establishment of a state-aided copper refinery in Canada, that all the copper ore mined in the Dominion has to be shipped to the United States for refining. Thus entailing a heavy freight charge while the refined metal has to be re-imported. It is further stated that the cost of establishing the plant would be quickly repaid if the metal is required in such large quantities as are called for by the heavy orders from the Allies for war munitions. The suggested government bonus is two cents a pound.

The Lake Studio Opened

Any order in the line of artistic photography will be undertaken by F. J. Lake, who has established a studio in the lower town, next to the Pioneer office. Call and inspect his show case. It will convince you.

Hello, Victoria

Long distance telephoning to the coast is now an actual fact. It is just as easy now to telephone from Phoenix and points in the eastern part of the province to Vancouver and Victoria, as it is between points in the Kootenay and Boundary districts. Commercial calls are now taken for all points in the territory of the B. C. Telephone company in the lower Mainland and Vancouver Island, and already many calls have been handled to the satisfaction of the company's patrons.

It is a source of gratification to the company that it has been possible to connect up the different parts of its system sooner than was expected. Physical conditions have been a handicap, but now the Kootenay and the coast are in close touch with each other. It is the materialization of the aim of business men, who years ago planned to have a direct railway line connecting the coast and the Kootenay, so that interior trade in the province could be kept in the province. The Kettle Valley railway is now in operation, and the long distance telephone will greatly assist in increasing business with coast points, and form a bond of mutual interest between these two parts of the province.

Internment!

A press dispatch, which has been given wide publication, announces that the acting premier, Hon. W. Bowser, has definitely decided to order a wide sweeping movement embracing all the mining camps in the province, with a view to the internment of all alien enemies. Their places will no doubt be easily filled out of the many thousands of other naturalized foreign out-of-works that are roaming the country and augmenting the bread lines. It's another case of one dam thing after another.

Mrs. Wm. Hower, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Dawson, returned home this week from their visit to California.

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The probability of the use of gas by the British forces, except in shells, as a means of reprisal, is extremely remote. The fact of the matter is that if it was decided to retaliate in such a way, the means are not at hand to allow of it. In other words the manufacture of chlorine gas on such a scale to be effective would necessitate the construction of huge and elaborate plants. These Germans have possessed for years, as a necessity for the production of dyes, in which industry, thanks to the Liberal fetish of free trade, the Germans possess a practical world's monopoly. Most of these huge concerns lie along the Rhine, and until they are in the hands of the Allies, the deathroll by the use of gas may be expected to continue. The price, however, if there can be such a thing, will be paid to the last cent by the German manufacturers, as by the perverted use of the gas, the Allies will treat their factories in much the same manner as they would a factory for the making of the ordinary munitions of war. A few of these were in Belgium and France, but with an eye to the still furthering of their dye monopoly, they were quickly and permanently put out of business by the Hun invaders. It will be seen then that by their use of gas the Germans will be "hoist with their own petard." Millions upon millions have been invested in their dye stuff industry, but their factories which otherwise would have been protected by the provisions of the Hague Convention, have now taken on another guise and will be ruthlessly destroyed.

The New York Tribune says: "Whether we now join in the war, whether we now draw our own sword, henceforth until the destruction of those who today domi-

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The silent boycott which has been going on in New York since the news of the Lusitania was first received, is already affecting many German shopkeepers. One large establishment on Broadway in particular, has been seriously affected.

Commenting on the Canadian dead who strewed the field of Langemarck, the London Times says: "It is but a few months since the men for whom we grieve today heard the first call of the empire's need. They were scattered from the eastern boundaries of Quebec to farthest British Columbia. From the eastern cities and the homes of the habitants, from the lakes and orchards of Ontario, from prairie farm and cattle ranch, and frontier settlement and far beyond the Rocky mountains, when the first news thrilled across the continent, they came. They left their offices and their stores, their crops standing and their fruit unpicked, work half done or holidays just begun, parents and wives and children, sweethearts and comrades, all their hopes and ambitions; everything they left as it chanced to be, because the motherland and empire called them."

The righteous tide of British indignation against even the naturalized of enemy origin, is steadily rising in Great Britain. Not only has it affected the rank and file of the populace, but it bids fair to carry with it the men and women of rank and influence in the land. This was to be seen only recently, when all naturalized German, Austrian, and Turkish "British" subjects, members of the stock and produce exchanges of the United Kingdom, have been pointedly and officially warned to keep away from the exchanges until further notice. A few however, with more daring than the rest, made light of the warning and attempted to carry on business, but were forcibly seized and pitched headlong into the street. The only exceptions made was in the cases of members who have sons fighting in the British ranks.

A news item of exceptional interest to those engaged in the handling of explosives, was contained in a despatch this week from London, England. At an inquest held to determine the cause of an explosion resulting in the death of four men, the theory was advanced that the explosive was set off owing to one of the men having accumulated an extraordinary amount of electricity in his body. This statement was put forward by an officer of Royal Engineers, one of whom by the way is always present at such inquiries, and he added that the accident might have been averted, if the man handling the powder had taken the precaution to insert a metal stud in the sole of his rubber overshoe.

A contemporary reports that a number of Chinese placer miners had come into town with a story of failure to find any of the "stuff." But whoever ran across a Chink miner that admitted he was cleaning up more than six bits a day, and on second thoughts, who but a blithering idiot would ever take the word of even a white man under the same circumstances. The proper way to find out if there is any gold in a creek, is to dig in on your own. Too many white men have been dissuaded from trying their luck at placer mining by the verdict of a bunch of wily Chinks.

At the instance of W. R. Ross, the Commissioner of Commerce, at Ottawa, has written to every saw-

mill and shinglemill operator in the province offering to supply free of charge future numbers of the weekly report issued by the department of trade and commerce. Such is the consideration shown by the government to an industry whose employees consist principally of Japs, Chinks and Hindoos.

Trouble is brewing in Sask. because the schoolchildren are being taught to sing the patriotic songs of Canada. This, the German parents of the pupils "naturally" object to, and shame on Canada, the minister of education sustains the objection and advises against any action that will hurt the delicate susceptibilities of the hyphenated Canadians.

Dr. Sarolea, the eminent Belgian scholar and publicist, laid bare the heart of the war mystery, when he described the Kaiser's empire as "a huge madhouse whose inmates were afflicted with collectivist political insanity."

The editor of the Golden Star has laid aside the pen and buckled on the sword. He has enlisted in the 54th Battalion and the publication of the Star has been suspended indefinitely.

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W. White, an Eburne blacksmith, recently shod a horse in 42 minutes, 11 1/2 seconds.

The flags of all the allied nations have been placed in the city council chamber at Vancouver.

"Gyp," the mascot of the 54th at Fernie was assassinated last week. The boys scent a German plot.

Three cougars have been seen of late in Stanley park. They are supposed to have swam the inlet.

Chief Peps, head of the Indians at Devil's Canyon, near Barkerville, was recently killed by a fall from his horse.

The Fernie city council pays its employees in currency, and thus avoids the payment of the war tax on cheques.

A cinnamon bear, weighing over 550 pounds was killed, last week, six miles from Princeton. It took eleven bullets to finish it.

At the Rizzuto timber camp, near Fernie, the bears are so tame that they visit the cookhouse. As many as five have been seen in one day.

The fire marshal and port authorities of Seattle give it as their opinion that the dynamite explosion that occurred there was the result of a deliberately laid scheme.

Sam Lotoran, an unregistered Austrian, was arrested at four o'clock on Saturday morning prowling along the water pipe line in Stanley park, Vancouver.

The very latest fish yarn comes from the States, where a man named Brown is credited with catching a catfish that had \$35.00 in his stomach. The money was in a purse.

The attention of the British war office authorities has been drawn to the large number of fashionable women who are frequenting the headquarters of the army in France.

The contributions from the employees of the Trail smelter aggregate \$2130 monthly. It was agreed that the money should be divided between the Belgian Relief, Canadian Patriotic and Red Cross funds.

A reward of \$10,000 has been offered for information that will lead to the recovery of the jewels valued at a quarter of a million, belonging to the Maharni of Cooch Behar, wife of one of the feudal princes of India.

Owing to the difficulty experienced by the Canadians in securing baseball paraphernalia in France, the president of the American league has very thoughtfully promised to help the boys out by sending them several boxes of baseballs.

Between two and three hundred alien enemies, principally Austrians, formerly employed at Vancouver Island collieries, have been rounded up and interned. The attorney-general has appealed to the companies to fill their places with British employees.

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Just at present an immense amount of interest is being directed to the recent free gold discovery in Greenwood, while in the same district is to be seen one of the best equipped free gold properties in the west, a not inconsiderable asset in these days of industrial depression and shrinkage of gold reserves. It is in this district where is situated the Phoenix and Grand Forks properties of the Granby Consolidated, together with those of the British Columbia Copper company. In the former camp, and surrounding it for miles on all sides, are acres of crown-granted mineral claims, all awaiting the advent of the investor. The title deeds to these properties, thanks to a beneficent series of mining laws, are unimpeachable, and if proof is wanted of the statement, let us point to the almost entire absence of mining litigation in the courts of the province.

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The possibilities of the Boundary as an agricultural and fruit-growing centre are also worthy of investigation, and a visit to some of its splendidly equipped orchards will prove a revelation to the stranger. The highways throughout the Boundary makes this section of the province the motorists paradise, millions having been spent on the construction of government roads.

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