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IN BUYING does not end with the price paid. In nine cases out of ten it is better to pay a little more for an article and get it good. We know of instances (likely you do too) where prices looked very attractive, but any real saving disappeared upon examination and the conclusion was reached that after all it is true economy to deal with the store that does not misrepresent values or make big money saving promises. The moral of this talk is obvious.

A Few Specials

In Our Grocery Department.

NOVELTY RED SALMON, 15c per can.
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HEATONS IMPORTED PICKLES, 35c "
5 LB. CANS PURE HONEY, $1.25 each.
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For the Lenten Season.

We are preparing for a full assortment of Crockery and China that is now on the way—this stock will comprise everything found in an up to date china store. Big shipment of Trunks and Valises to arrive in ten or fifteen days. We want as much of your trade as we can honestly get.

Morrin, Thompson & Co.

AS SOON AS SNOW IS OFF

J. J. Hill Cabled to A. J. McMillan.

ABOUT THE NEW PHOENIX BRANCH

Great Northern President Unequivocally States That Construction on This Long Delayed Railway Will Start Then.

Through the courtesy of A. J. McMillan, the Pioneer has received a copy of the London Financial News, giving a complete report of the proceedings at the annual meeting of the LeRoi Mining Co., Ltd, held in London on the 18th of February. Mr. McMillan is managing director of the LeRoi, as well as holding the same position with the Snowshoe in this camp. The report of the LeRoi is an interesting one, and shows that great mining company to be in decidedly improved condition since Mr. McMillan was appointed to his present position with the company.

Probably the most interesting part of the extended report to Boundary residents, however, is contained in the address of Mr. McMillan to the shareholders, where he referred to the Boundary and the new line of the Great Northern to Phoenix. The following extract is taken from the report as printed in the Financial News:

"In the Boundary district there are large and well developed mines turning out an immense daily tonnage of ores, and can be smelted much more cheaply than the Rossland ores, making them very desirable for smelting purposes at Northport. Our general manager says that we need these Boundary ores to mix with the ores we are now getting from Rossland, to better enable us to do economical smelting. At present there are no means of getting them to Northport, owing to the fact that the Great Northern Railway, which serves our smelter, is still 20 miles distant from those Boundary mines. I have had several interviews with Mr. J. J. Hill, of St. Paul (president of the Great Northern Railway) in regard to this matter, *and on Monday last received a cable from him stating that he expects to commence the construction of this line as soon as the snow is off the ground in the spring.*"

A report from Grand Forks this week is to the effect that the company expect to have 1200 men at work between Phoenix and that city, and construction will be rushed with all possible speed. The spur to the smelter will also be built, and it is hoped that Phoenix and the Granby smelter will be connected by rail over the Great Northern before snow flies next fall. There is a lot of heavy rock work to be done on the Phoenix branch. It is reported that W. I. Bassett, C. E., and J. H. Kennedy, late chief engineer of the V., V. & E., have both been ordered back to this work.

Money Orders in Boundary.

From the report of the postmaster general, for the year ending June 30, 1903, which has just been received, the following facts are gleaned regarding the money order business of the 13 Boundary postoffices. The names with a star are non-accounting postoffices.

	Amt. Issued
*Beaverton	$ 34 20
*Bonanza Siding	56 95
*Boundary Falls	100 00
*Carson	43 40
Cascade	5,778 59
Columbia	6,971 07
*Deadwood	68 50
*Eholt	525 57
Gladstone	3,987 14
Grand Forks	36,396 56
Greenwood	50,099 92
Midway	14,248 51
Phoenix	37,940 77
*Rock Creek	140 77

*Total revenue received.

S. F. Parrish, manager of the LeRoi mine, at Rossland, and well known in the Boundary for his long connection with the B. C. mine in Summit camp, is said to be dangerously ill in Spokane. A few days ago he was operated upon for a growth in the nose, since which to complications indicating blood poisoning have set in, and it is feared he may not recover. Mr. Parrish has many friends in the Boundary.

Ratifies Grand Trunk Pacific.

London March 8.—The Grand Trunk railroad shareholders at a meeting today ratified the agreement with the Canadian government for the construction of the Grand Trunk line to the Pacific.

The decision was arrived at only after a prolonged dicussion. The meeting was packed and at one stage of the proceedings the tone was unmistakably hostile to embarking in so huge an enterprise.

General Manager Hays, who had come from Canada specially to attend the meeting, saved the situation and when the final vote was taken there were only a few opponents to the Grand Trunk railroad undertaking to build a transcontinental road.

Ottawa, March 9th.—The Grand Trunk Railway Company made a deposit of $5,000,000 in cash today, as a guarantee for the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

Greenwood Conservative Officers.

Last week's meeting of Greenwood Conservatives to organize for the coming Dominion campaign, resulted in the election of the following officers: Hon. President, Dr. J. E. Spankie; president, Sydney M. Johnston; vice-president, W. B. Fleming; secretary, E. G. Warren; executive committee, G. A. Rendell, J. S. Coles, F. M. Elkins, Phil Mcdonald and J. P. Myers-Grey.

Martin Burrell, the Conservative nominee, was present and addressed the meeting, being enthustically endorsed as the candidate of the Conservative party. Public meetings will be arranged when Duncan Ross, the Liberal candidate, returns from his trip through the Cariboo country.

DOVE OF PEACE WAS THERE

Four Hours' Session of City Council.

TWO POLICE COMMISSIONERS RESIGN

Solution of Vexed Problem Seems To Be in Sight—Chief of Police C. H. Flood To Be Suspended.

Two meetings of the city council have been held this week, a special meeting Monday and the regular weekly session on Wednesday evening. At both meetings the only subject considered was the deadlock between the board of police commissioners and the city council, growing out of the case in the police court of last week against Chief of Police Flood.

Monday's meeting was productive of a resolution calling for the resignation of the chief and also for that of W. R. Williams both as police commissioner and as police magistrate. It was given out by the six councilmen that if this was not done they would resign in a body.

At Wednesday's meeting, however, something of the spirit of conciliation was shown, after a protracted session, by Mr. Williams announcing that he would resign as a police commissioner and Ald. Birnie making a similar announcement, together with the statement by the mayor that, as soon as he could get a provincial policeman to act as chief of police for the time being, Chief Flood would be suspended. It will thus be seen that there was some give and take on both sides. It is understood that the mayor will recommend Alderman McDonald for one of the new police commissioners and submit several other names for the third to be chosen from, the Mayor himself being on the police board.

Increase Not Decided Upon Yet.

The Pioneer is informed by Manager Graves, of the Granby Co., that in the interview lately given in Spokane, which was quoted last week in this paper, the impression is given that the company is contemplating the immediate enlargement of the plant by some eight furnaces. What Mr. Graves did say was that the ground had been surveyed to show the advisability of increasing the Granby smelting plant, that the superintendent was now considering that question, and that the matter would be laid before the board of directors before any action was taken.

CONSOLIDATION IS POSTPONED

Mother Lode and Snowshoe Deal Not Completed.

NOTE TO B. C. COPPER SHAREHOLDERS

Report From New York to That Effect—Arrangements May be Concluded at a Later Date.

A dispatch from New York states that the British Columbia Copper Co. has issued a circular to the shareholders announcing the abandment of its plan to consolidate with the Snowshoe, because of failure of the latter to meet requirements deemed essential by the British-Columbia directors to make the plan advantageous to the shareholders of the British Columbia Copper Co. British Columbia Copper Co. stock deposited with the Continental Trust Company will be returned immediately on the surrender of receipts. The circular says:

"Improved conditions in the property render the failure of the consolidation plan of no great consequence. Your directors take this opportunity to advise you that your blast furnaces are in full operation, with ample ore supplies; that the earnings are in excess of all expenses and converting and electrical plants are rapidly approaching completion and will be at work, adding materially to the net earnings."

British Columbia officials will not talk, but it is surmised that money market conditions are chiefly responsible for the hitch in the deal and that it will go through later. Under the proposed plan a new British corporation was to be formed and and new working capital raised in London. The money market there now is adverse to new flotations.

ANSWER QUICKLY MADE.

Wagon Roads Around Phoenix to Be Put in Shape.

During the latter part of this winter the government wagon roads in and around Phoenix have been in the worst condition known for years, owing to the excess of snow and the continual bad drifting. On one occasion the Phoenix-Greenwood stage overturned and eight passengers were dumped into the snow, including two women and two children. The Grand Fork-Phoenix-Greenwood stage has had the hardest possible time in making connections, and has had mishaps several times, though none seriously. A number of times loaded teams have overturned, and last Sunday three teams of P. Burns & Co., with heavy loads of beef on the way to Greenwood, were upset just below the city.

Several times W. G. McMynn, government agent at Greenwood, was appealed to to have repairs made so that traffic could be carried on over these well traveled thoroughfares with some degree of safety, but that official has so far done nothing whatever. A few days ago J.F. Royer, of the Grand Forks stage line, interviewed Mr. McMynn, saying that he would have to discontinue if the roads were not repaired. Even then nothing was done. So Mr. Royer made a final appeal to G. A. Fraser, M. P. P. for Grand Forks riding, and he in turn wired to the government at Victoria. An answer promptly arrived that the roads would be repaired at once. E. Spragget, road suporintendent for this section, was sent to the scene of trouble with some men, and the repairs are being made.

The Royer stage has several times been forced to reach Phoenix from Hartford Junction via the C. P. R. tracks, a distance of two miles on account of the impassible state of the wagon roads, but using the railway track is not a desirable method, in view of the heavy ore traffic constantly going on from Phoenix.

Latest Prices in Metals.

NEW YORK—Copper, electrolytic, $12.-37½@ $12.62½; lake, $12.50@ $12.75.
Bar Silver, 57⅞
Lead, $4.60.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

The Kettle Valley Lines, which has a charter to build from Grand Forks up the North Fork of Kettle River to Franklin camp, is applying now for a charter to continue that proposed line on to Spence's bridge, beyond the Similkameen, on the main line of the C. P. R.

Thomas Roderick has been spending the week here from Summit camp, where he is working on the Summit group, in which he and G. W. Rumberger recently purchased a one-half interest from the estate of the late Archie Connor. Tom thinks it is a likely wildcat.

Rev. James H. White, who was unable to be present as expected, two weeks ago, will arrive in Phoenix today, and occupy the Methodist pulpit tomorrow morning and evening. A special meeting of the quarterly official board will be held Monday, at which Mr. White will preside.

City Clerk Matheson has received acknowledgement of the resolutions recently passed by the city council re custom house for this city, from Duncan Ross and Martin Burrell, candidates for parliament from Yale-Cariboo, as well as from W. A. Galliher, our present M. P.

At last Sunday evening's meeting of the Methodist church the congregation voted almost unanimously on changing the place of worship. A special committee, appointed to look into the matter, has recommended an empty store room in the Graves-Williams block, Mr. W. Yolen Williams having kindly granted the use of the room. The first service will probably be held there in a few weeks.

St. Andrews Annual Meeting.

Last Monday evening the annual business meeting of St. Andrews Presbyterian church was held, there being a good attendance of members and adherents. The board of managers chosen for this year consists of I. Crawford, G. E. Dey, J. W. Hannum, J. S. Boyce, D. Murray, A. S. Williamson and Thomas Brown. The financial report was read by the treasurer, which showed that the total receipts from January 1, 1903, to March 1, 1904, were $1,316, with a balance of $10 on hand. The ladies' aid afterwards served light refreshments, and a number of songs and instrumental pieces were rendered.

Surprise Birthday Party.

Last Thursday evening there was a pleasant birthday gathering at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Black, it being a surprise to Mr. Black on his 26th birthday. The following friends of the family were present: Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Schalburg, Mr. and Mrs. Hendrickson, August Erickson, Chas. Hedberg and Chas. Ohlman, besides a number of the little folks.

Death of B. A. T. Bell.

It is announced from Ottawa that the death B.A.T. Bell, editor and proprietor of the Canadian Mining Review, has occurred, as a result of his having fallen down an elevator shaft a few days previously. Mr. Bell will be remembered as having made an unwarranted attack on the Granby Co. through his columns about a year ago.

FEBRUARY'S ORE TONNAGE

Boundary Mines Shipped 72,000 Tons.

IS UP TO THE JANUARY AVERAGE

Granby Mines Sent Out More Ore Than All Other Properties in the Boundary Put Together.

For the second full month in this year the ore tonnage of the Boundary mines, for an equal number of days, fully comes up to the tonnage for January. The total for each month, respectively, was 75,458 and 72,007—but it must be taken into consideration that February was the shortest month in the year, two days shorter than January.

In the table which is here given the figures from the two largest properties are furnished officially, while those of the others are made up from the weekly ore reports. The Granby mines sent out more ore than all the other mines in the Boundary put together, and the record is being steadily maintained. The Mother Lode is keeping up its quota of about 500 tons daily, while the other smaller properties increase or decrease shipments according to the exigencies of the various smelting arrangements. Here are the figures in detail for the first two months of 1904:

	Jan.	Feb.
Granby mines	50,940	49,110
Mother Lode	14,944	14,944
Emma	3,984	1,629
Senator	450	954
Oro Denoro	3,736	3,729
Athelstan-Jackpot	1,254	1,491
Miscellaneous	150	150
Totals	75,458	72,007

District No. 6 Convention.

The annual convention of District No. 6, Western Federation of Miners, met in Miners' Union hall, Nelson, Tuesday forenoon. P. R. McDonald, of Rossland, was in the chair and Ernest Mills of Greenwood acted as secretary.

The convention was made up of the following delegates:

Silverton—D. N. Mackechnie.

Phoenix—A. F. Berry, president of the Phoenix union, John Robertson.

Ymir—William Bennett.

Rossland—P. R. McDonald, Rupert Bulmer, Richard Temby, Angus McLeod, Blair Chisholm.

Greenwood—John G. Robertson, Ernest Mills.

Slocan—Wm. H. Davison.

Nelson—James T. Morrissey, Frank Phillips.

Sandon—Anthony Shelland, Robt. D. Mitchell.

The convention unanimously passed a resolution, declaring as unfair, one-sided and honeycombed with misstatements the Royal Labor Commission's report on labor conditions in this province, which was aired considerably in the Boundary during the last provincial campaign. The convention also recommended the platform of the Socialist party.

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

BOUNDARY ORE TONNAGE.

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

	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	Past Week
Granby Mines, Phoenix	64,533	231,762	309,858	393,718	113,560	10,920
Snowshoe, "	297	1,731	20,800	71,212	.....	....
Brooklyn, "	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mother Lode, Deadwood	5,340	99,034	141,326	138,079	34,232	4,000
Sunset, "	....	802	7,456	15,731	.....	.....
Morrison, "	.....	....	150	3,339	....	.....
B. C. Mine, Summit	19,494	47,405	14,811	19,365	.....	.....
R. Bell, "	.....	....	560	....	.....	.....
Emma, "	....	650	8,530	22,937	5,195	40
Senator "	....	....	....	363	1,756	120
Oro Denoro "	....	....	....	15,537	8,950	780
Winnipeg, Wellington.	1,076	1,040	785	2,435	.....	.....
Golden Crown, "	2,250	....	625	....	.....	.....
Atheletan-Jackpot "	1,200	550	....	5,646	2,968	
King Solomon, W.Copper	.....	875	....	.....	.....	.....
No. 7 Mine, Central	.....	665	482	.....	.....	.....
City of Paris, "	.....	2,000	....	....	.....	.....
Jewel, Long Lake	160	350	.....		.....	.....
Carmi, West Fork	.....	.....	890	.....	.....	.....
Providence, Providence	.....	....	219	993	180	.....
Elkhorn	.....	.....	.....	400	180	
E. P. U and Goldfinch,	.....	....	....	167	115	.....
Ruby, Boundary Falls	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	3,230	3,456	325	.....	.....	.....
Total, tons	99,730	390,000	507,545	684,426	167,550	15,860
Granby Smelter treated,	82,387	230,828	312,340	401,921	128,614	12,331

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1904	MAR.					1904
Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

February went out like a lion, all right enough, but judging by the quick change to softer weather, was sorry that it did so.

Duncan Ross, Liberal candidate in this Dominion constituency, has been receiving some favorable remarks from the Liberal press on his campaign through the Cariboo country, and in the meantime Martin Burrell, the Conservative candidate, has been doing a little business of the same kind in the lower Okanogan.

It is said that consumptives from all parts of the continent resort to Phoenix, Arizona, for cure, but that many of them never get away from there. A correspondent says that the day before writing eight deaths occurred there from consumption. There is another way in Phoenix, British Columbia, which is decidedly different from Phoenix, Arizona.

Contrary to the statements by the opposition press, Premier McBride expects to call a session of the legislative assembly for June or July, and the particular business in hand is to consider assistance to new railways. The government very properly did not propose to do this business in a haphazard manner, and will take sufficient time to consider the subject on its merits.

Edwin Jacobs, the correspondent, who made his home in the Boundary for years, and is probably the best informed man on the mines of this section, has received a well deserved compliment by being made secretary of the Provincial Mining Association. Mr. Jacobs is a conservative writer, but may be depended on to do the fair thing in his writings, as he sees it. It would be difficult to have secured a better man man for the position Mr. Jacobs now occupies.

There were undoubtedly a number of disappointed candidates in both parties after the political convention that nominated Duncan Ross and Martin Burrell. It is worth while to note what kind of a game they missed being in. The constituency of Yale-Cariboo is said to be about as large as New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island put together, and larger than New Hampshire, Connecticut, Vermont and Massachusetts combined. It is understood than a Socialist will yet be nominated in this constituency. He should look before he leaps.

The police commissioners of many of the incorporated cities of the province this year seem to be having their troubles in one way or the other. Grand Forks and Greenwood have led the way in the Boundary up to the present, and now Phoenix is having its turn. It is to be hoped that affairs will now take a turn for the better, after the washing of considerable dirty linen in public, and that there will be no more trouble over the matter. It is not easy to see how the rising generation can be benefited by the airing of such matters as usually come up in connection with the duties of police commissioners.

WHAT EDITORS SAY

ENEMIES AT HOME—The czar evidently has enemies at home. A Moscow tobacconist has sent 2,000,000 cigarettes forward to the soldiers in the field.—Spokesman-Review.

TALKS MUCH — Freight Agent Peters, of the C. P. R. talks much for a railway official. Few in his position would be so frank in their expression of opinion. A railway commission may make a difference.—Cranbrook Herald.

CHANCE FOR GIRLS — Minnesota girls have petitioned the governor to have the law amended compelling young men to whom girls propose in leap year to accept. British Columbia girls should not be behind the march of progress even in leap year proposals.—Kaslo Kootenaian.

ADD 50 PER CENT.—The smelters of Southern B. C. now consume about 500 tons of coke daily, while the present daily output of the Crow's Nest coke ovens is something in the neighborhood of 600 tons. This will be all right for a while, but there is every probability that Kootenay smelters will add 50 per cent. to their capacity before the close of the year.—Rossland Miner.

PROVINCIAL.

Nelson has won the hockey championship of the Kootenays.

At Kamloops, 29 Chinamen have been arrested for playing fan tan.

The city of Sandon is redeeming $2,000 of its outstanding debentures.

After June 15th the C. P. R. will run two daily transcontinental trains each way.

The C. P. R. is advertising British Columbia by specially prepared pamphlets.

Residents of the Lardeau are petitioning for a daily mail service, instead of three times a week.

The city council of Vancouver refuses to acknowledge the authority of the police commissioners.

A St. Patrick's society has been organized in Nelson, Judge Forin and W. A. Galliher being honorary presidents.

The Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway is endeavoring to sell half a million acres of its land grant at ten and five cents an acre.

A general meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association will be held on Saturday, March 12, in the Board of Trade rooms, Nelson.

The Residents of Poplar expect a large influx of visitors during the next few months. Just now the snow is too deep for active mining operations.

Chas. H. Gibbins is forming a company to be called the Pacific Cable News Co., to have exclusive rights to tap the all red Pacific cable for news purposes.

Seventeen of the damage suits against the Crow's Nest Coal Co., arising out of the big explosion two years ago, have been decided in favor of the company.

The government has given notice to pre-emptors of crown lands that they must pay up all arrears with interest by April 15, otherwise their records will be cancelled.

The C. P. R. Empress line of steamers running to Japan have had a full equipment of big guns mounted, being thus converted into auxiliary cruisers. Great Britain is preparing for possible trouble.

STRICTLY BUSINESS

The genii of the cash drawer will always be advertisements— embodied with good business principles and perseverance.

The business of the bulk of advertising is to intensify and direct interest in the things which people are already interested in in a general way.

You will have a splendid ad if you know how to talk. If you don't, get some one to talk for you, but be sure that you only employ just plain, everyday human talk.

A whole band wagon full of college-bred theories can't compete with a hard-headed business man with a stub lead pencil and a sheet of wrapping paper in getting up good ads.

The once-in-awhile small buyer has friends and his friends have friends. By getting his good will, you may start an endless chain system that will prove a strong ally to your newspaper advertising.

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RUSSIA = JAPAN

MATTERS OF INTEREST ABOUT THESE BELLIGERENT NATIONS.

III.

LATEST WAR REPORTS.

Ironclad syllables are engaged, resulting in terrible loss of breath.
Berlin.—
'Tis rumored that Count Muscovich
Will go to Pumpernikelich
To talk with Gen. Itubberneckski,
Who will proceed to Ichrantkotochski.
Port Said—
The Russian armoured syllable boat
The Blazeawayandbattlekin
(The longest naval name afloat)
Is soon hostilities to begin,
The jaw destroyer Kekkoitcha,
Is sailing for Manchuria.
Tokio—
This afternoon Count Okiahoma,
While taking notes from Fujiyama,
Saw something through the water slip
That seemed a Russian battleship,
He's trying to report the same,
But no one can pronounce the name.
Port Arthur—
Admiral Bangoff's battleshijski,
The splendid Alexandripski,
This morning met an accident
That much expensive damage meant,
Her first three syllables exploded—
Bang didn't know the name was loaded.
—New York Commercial Advertiser.

B. C. MINING

Slocan ore shipments are close to 3,000 tons.

Mining and smelting men met last week at Nelson for the purpose of discussing the silver lead industry.

At Coleman, Alberta, the International Coal & Coke Co. is extracting 3,000 tons of coal per month.

The Payne company is placing more powerful magnets in their zinc separator to produce a finer quality of zinc.

The Giant, at Rossland is to be sold by Chas. V. Jenkins, recently appointed provisional liquidator under the Winding Up Act.

W. B. Pool of the Oyster-Criterion and Great Northern groups, in the Lardeau, states that his properties will add 50 stamps at once.

It is reported that bedrock has been reached at a 6-foot depth on Bullion creek near White Horse and that the dirt runs $8 to the pan.

The Nickle Plate mine at Hedley has spent over $1,000,000 in work of great magnitude, but has never shipped a pound of ore, because there is no railroad.

The Ontario & Slocan Lumber Co. will supply 500,000 feet of lumber for the new flume and concentrator of the Monitor, to be built next spring at Three Forks.

Osmiridium and platinum have been found in the alluvial gravels of the Cariboo district. Special appliances are being installed at the Horsefly to extract these metals.

The Fern mine at Hall siding is to resume operations at once. The tramway connecting the mine with the stamp mill is now being cleaned out, preparatory to a resumption of milling.

European capitalists owning the Monitor mine, at Three Forks, have secured a site at Rosebery for their proposed zinc enrichment works, and building will be commenced in the spring.

Henry White, of Spokane, one of the pathfinders of the Boundary and now largely interested in Boundary mines, has been working the Buffalo group, in the Poplar section, under bond the last two months.

Shipments for last week from the Rossland mines were as follows: Le Roi, 5,248 tons; Centre Star, 1,080; War Eagle, 780; Kootenay, 180; Jumbo, 280; Le Roi No. 2, 590; ditto, milled, 340; total for the week, 8,498 tons; for the year to date, 82,690 tons.

Defence of Canada.

A dispatch from Ottawa states that the new militia establishment has just been authorized. It provides for 4,924 officers and 42,234 men. This will be Canada's military force on a peace footing. Under the old establishment there were 3,449 officers and 59,293 non-commissioned officers and men.

The details of the new establishment are as follows:

	Officers.	N.C.O.,Men
Cavalry	599	4,507
Field Artillery	153	1,860
Garrison Artillery	221	2,125
Engineers	36	732
Infantry	3,781	31,476
Army service corp.	40	808
Bearer companies.	27	312
Field hospitals	24	342
Signalling corps	18	72
Corps of guards	25	

Colds Are Dangerous.

How often you hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It always cures and is pleasant to take. For sale by all druggists.

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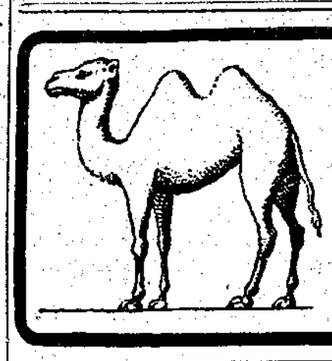

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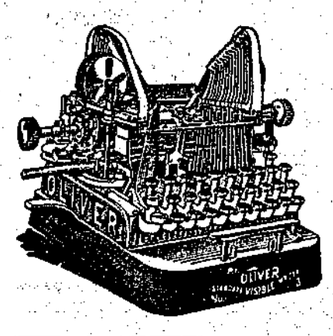

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SCHOOLS IN THE BOUNDARY

Annual Report of The Inspector.

FOR YEAR ENDING IN JUNE, 1903

Extracts From the Belated Thirty-Second Annual Report by the Superintendent of Education.—10 Boundary Schools.

From the thirty-second annual report of the suprintendent of education of the province, recently published by the government, the following extracts are made regarding the public schools of the Boundary:

GRAND FORKS.—Inspected November 12th, 1902, and June 12th, 1903; 165 pupils present. The Grand Forks school has made a satisfactory record during the year; order and discipline good; neatness of manual work aimed at and often secured; considerable training in language throughout all divisions; standing of intermediate classes fair; primary work of superior character; teacher provided with an excellent outfit of illustrative and other material for lessons; few teachers in the province have a more complete outfit for primary teaching and more skill in using it; brush drawing, clay modelling and kindergarten methods introduced. The standing of the senior grade may, to some extent, be judged from the fact that at central examination held in June last, 17 candidates were presented, and that 11 of these were successful in attaining the standard required for admission to a high school.

GREENWOOD.—Inspected November 10th, 1902; 51 pupils present. In June last held high school entrance examination of this school, at which two pupils were successful in passing the standard. Attendance compared with enrolment shows improvement over that of last year; first division made up of senior pupils and part of intermediate grade; teacher very painstaking; oral work not fully taken up; junior pupils and second reader class form second division; considerable progress made; language to have more attention; number good. A four-roomed school house was, during the past school-year, erected in this city. Unfortunately the site is limited in area, but the building is well designed in many respects and is a credit to the district. At the beginning of 1903 the school was moved to its new quarters.

PHOENIX. — Inspected November 11th, 1902, and March 18th, 1903; 74 pupils present. First division made up of senior and intermediate pupils; literature and arithmetic good; composition fair; manual work lacking in neatness; oral lessons of intermediate course omitted in part; pupils of second division belong to junior grade; before second visit a class had been promoted to intermediate grade; classes making good progress in reading and number; attention given to language and nature; room renderrd quite attractive by means of Perry and coloured drawings on blackboards.

ANACONDA.—Inspected January 16, 1903; 29 pupils present. Commodious schoolhouse recently erected in this district; large dictionary and other books secured for use of school through the efforts of teacher; good results in junior and intermediate classes; senior class weak in several subjects and not eager for study; more attention to be given to language subjects; all manual work to be neater.

CASCADE.—Inspected November 14, and December 19, 1902; 9 pupils present. Fair work in some subjects, but little teaching done; teacher inexperienced and with difficulty able to control school.

DEADWOOD.—Inspected January 19, 1903; 24 pupils present. Room very neat and clean; junior or primary work fair; little attention to oral language; intermediate lessons inferior; manual work of senior pupils good; lessons to be more carefully planned and presented; more frequent reviews needed in all subjects.

EHOLT.—Inspected November 7th, 1902, and March 18th and 19th, 1903; 19 pupils present. Improvement observed on occasion of second visit; school held in new building; insufficient teaching of lessons; more illustration needed; language subjects somewhat weak; teacher energetic and industrious, but finds difficulty in dealing with primary work.

KETTLE RIVER.—Inspected January 28th, 1903, 6 pupils present. Low attendance due to prevalence of an epidemic in district; difficult under circumstances to form correct estimate of condition of school; more attention should be given to cleanliness of school room; senior and intermediate classes making fair progress; prescribed oral lessons in part omitted. In June last, a pupil of this school passed the standard for admission to a high school. During the past three years, this school has a record of seven successful candidates for high school entrance.

KETTLE RIVER, NORTH.—Inspected January 29th, 1903; 14 pupils present. All grades represented; language and writing good; creditable results secured in various classes; course of study carefully followed; five left-handed pupils in this school.

MIDWAY.—Inspected January 26th, 1903; 27 pupils present; insufficient attention to writing and mechanics of composition; oral lessons in history and geography somewhat neglected; senior work of school generally good; other classes making fair progress. At central examination in June last, a pupil of this school was successful in passing the standard for entrance to a high school.

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Dated at Rossland, this fourth day of March, A. D. 1904.

J. KIRKUP,
Assessor and Collector.
Rossland Assessment District, Rossland, B. C.

COURTS OF REVISION.

Rossland Assessment District.

A Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Assessment Act," will be held at the Court House, at the City of Grand Forks, on the seventh day of March, 1904, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

At the Court House at the City of Greenwood, on the eighth day of March, 1904, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

At Crowell's Hotel, at Midway, on the ninth day of March, 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

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CHARLES R. HAMILTON,
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MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

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MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST TO PHOENICIANS

Dr. Mathison, dentist.

For International Coal stock see J. L. Martin.

J. M. Ross opened a new drug store in Grand Forks last Monday.

Greenwood's lodge of Free Masons will give an Easter Monday dance.

Chief of Police Darraugh, of Eholt, was a visitor in the city last Monday.

For sale a dozen laying hens, at $1 each. Apply to Mrs. W. B. Willcox.

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

Thursday was payday in this camp, when something like 400 men received their monthly cheques.

While the Pioneer was going to press last evening, the benefit for the hospital at the skating rink was taking place.

Hugh McGuire, an old timer in Phoenix, but now of Sand Point, Idaho, was a visitor in the Boundary last week.

It is said that travel into the Boundary country is getting heavier, now that spring is here. Quite an influx of drummers is also noticed once more.

Foreman Miles Barrett, of the Granby smelter, has been temporarily laid up by a red hot bolt having dropped on his foot, burning it pretty badly.

Next Thursday, 17th, being St. Patrick's day, the occasion will be duly celebrated by Phoenix Trades and Labor Council giving a ball in Miners' Union hall.

W.H. Bambury and Ed. Smith have just completed assessment work on the Myrtle No. 2 mineral claim near Providence creek, having been working on $10 rock.

The Pioneer was unable to publish the February report of the Phoenix public school last week, owing to the fact that the principal failed to furnish the report.

Lost by the C. P. R., one case of printing ink, shipped to the Phoenix Pioneer from Toronto on November 10, 1903. Suitable reward paid for its delivery to consignee.

Next Thursday evening being the 17th of March, a St. St. Patrick's Day ball will be given at Miners' Union hall under the auspices of Phoenix Trades and Labor Council.

L. H. Moffat, of Rossland, managing director of the Rathmullen Mines, Ltd., the properties of which are located in Summit camp, has been on a visit of inspection to the mines.

Miller's wonderland moving picture entertainment held forth at Miner's Union hall Tuesday evening, the house being about three-quarters filled. The entertainment was well spoken of.

Little eight year old Dan Haggerty, sent east for treatment for hip disease, by the kindness of friends in this camp, arrived at Toronto safely, and is now under care at the Orthopedic hospital.

Morrin, Thompson & Co. have lately improved their premises by cutting a door between the grocery and hardware departments and by building a separate office in the rear of the hardware store.

Rev. Green states that the Methodist church has not by any means given up its intention to build a church home, and that something definite in this connection will be known at an early date.

Marshall and Shea of the Brooklyn and Summit hotels, this week put up thirty tons of Marshall lake ice, the goods being stored in the basement of the Brooklyn. Ice harvesting here is about finished for the season.

On the 2d inst. a fire occured in the little town of Princeton, in the Similkameen, doing $30,000 damages. The store of the A. E. House Co., Ltd., and the Tulameen hotel were destroyed, being only slightly insured.

James Moran, who came in from his ranch, across the line below Midway, this week, says that the severe winter will work a hardship on many ranchers in that section, as they have already used up their stock of feed, and the snow is likely to be there for a month yet.

Dr. Simmons, dentist, Boyle block, March 13 to 16.

For Rent—One suite housekeeping apartments for rent reasonably at the Biner block.

This week the C. P. R. has had to keep the snow plow busy on the Phoenix branch.

The C. P. R. has decided to build 400 miles of lines this year—mostly in the Northwest Territories.

The thaw that occurred early in the week reduced the ample supply of the beautiful to a considerable extent.

This week the war news consisted of the usual run of rumors, which were largely contradicated before they were cold.

A few days since at Boundary Falls A. Castleman lost a dog which was killed by a panther, the panther being afterwards killed also.

Sir J. W. Trutch, who was the first lieutenant-governor of British Columbia after confederation, in 1871, died last week Friday in London.

The Hendryx process has saved 83.03 per cent. of the values in Mountain Lion ore at Republic—more than the agreement called for.

Owing to the bad roads Royer's Grand Forks stage has not been running this week, but is expected to resume the regular trip again today.

Last week Friday the Phoenix intermediate hockey team was beaten by a score of 8 to 3 by the Greenwood senior team on the Greenwood rink.

Chas. A. DesBrisay, who loosens James J. Hill's purse strings when it comes to acquiring right of way, spent last Sunday and Monday in the city.

The Montreal Star proposes to give the Boundary mines particular prominence in a special edition for distribution at the World's Fair at St. Louis.

It is understood that the C.P.R. will invest considerable in betterments to the Boundary branch and spurs this year, with the expectation of increased tonnage.

E. Spraggett this week completed a bridge for the government, 35 miles north of Grand Forks, across the North Fork of Kettle river. The bridge has a 78-foot span.

Duncan Ross, Liberal candidate, returned Thursday from an extended electioneering trip up through the Cariboo country, having travelled some 600 miles by stage alone.

It is said that the proposition to build an electric line between Midway and Chesaw, Wash., a distance of about 20 miles, is taking definite shape, and will probably materialize this spring.

W. Chalmers lost an arm Monday at the Granby smelter, the small electric crane crushing it so that Dr. Northrop found amputation necessary. Chalmers is a young man of 32 years and unmarried.

The Knob Hill cafe and rooms were sold this week by Mrs. McKelvy, to J. E. Bell, who has taken possession. Mrs. McKelvy, who has been there for two years, will leave next week for a visit to her sister in Dakota.

John Kirkup, government agent at Rossland, but whose jurisdiction also includes the Boundary in the matter of provincial taxes, has been visiting the various Boundary towns this week.

Miss Johnston, matron of the hospital, wishes the ladies of Phoenix to know that the hospital can make the best of use of any cast-off bed linen, etc., and will gladly send for the same if notification is given the hospital by telephone or otherwise.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will give a social on Wednesday, March 23rd, in Hardy hall. The proceeds will be added to the church building fund. Rev. W. W. Bear, of Nelson, will be present and take part in the programme.

The new board of license commissioners for the Boundary Creek License District is composed of Hugh Cannon, John Haverty and Ald. Feeney, of Grand Forks, with I. A Dinsmore as chief license inspector. The board held a meeting last week to pass upon an application from Castlegar.

Gordon A. Wey, manager for Bradstreets, Vancouver, was in the city last Saturday on his semi-annual trip through the province.

Latest Mining Stock Quotations,

	ASKED	BID
American Boy	5	4½
Ben Hur	4	3½
Black Tail	3	2
Canadian Gold Fields	3¾	3
Cariboo, Camp McK (ex-div.)	3¾	3
Center Star	25	20
Denoro Mines	22	20
Fairview	4	3
Fisher Maiden	3½	2
Giant	2½	1¼
Granby Consolidated	$5 00	$4 00
International Coal	55	45
Morning Glory	2	1½
Mountain Lion	17	6
North Star, (B. K.)	9	8
Payne	11	10
Quilp	17	4
Rambler-Cariboo	27	26
San Poil	2½	2¼
Sullivan	5¾	4
Tom Thumb	3	2
War Eagle Consolidated	13	11
Waterloo (Ass. Paid)	7	4½
White Bear	4¾	3

Church Services Tomorrow.

St. John's Church of England, Rev. W. J. Wood, Missionary. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Morning Prayer, 11 a. m.; Evening Prayer, 7:30 p. m.; Everyone cordially invited to attend any and all services.

St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church, Service tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. Rev. E. C. W. MacColl, B. A., pastor. A cordial welcome to all.

Methodist—Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p. m. at Hardy-McKenzie hall, the pastor preaching at both services. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. A hearty invitation is extended to all. Thos. Green, B. A., pastor.

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

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