

FUSE
 MAPLE LEAF BRAND
 Manufactured by the originators of Safety Fuse. Established 1836.
 SIXTY YEARS EXPERIENCE

The Phoenix Pioneer

AND BOUNDARY MINING JOURNAL.

FUSE
 The quality of Powder used in the manufacture of MAPLE LEAF BRAND Fuse accounts for its having a stronger spit than others.
IT CANNOT BE DUPLICATED

SEVENTH YEAR.

PHOENIX, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1906.

No. 46.

THE BIG STORE

A SEASONABLE REMINDER

The cool autumn weather is with us with us now and we are prepared for it. Are You? Do not delay purchasing your fall necessities until you have a cold. Do not wait too long, others will take advantage of our full stock and get the cream, if you do not come in early. Below we mention a few of our many lines.

- | Ladies' Dept. | Men's Dept. |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| New Jackets | New Hats and Caps |
| " Underwear | " Gloves |
| " Dress Goods | " Clothing |
| " Wrapperettes | " Boots and Shoes |
| " Velvetens | " Raincoats |
| " Flannellettes | " Neckwear |
| " Towels and Toweling | " Shirts and Collars |
| | " Underwear |

Sole agents for the KNIT-TO-FIT and MONARCH sweaters

Let us measure you for that New Fall Suit

The Hunter-Lendrick Co. Ltd.

THE BIG STORE

And Now Cometh the Season of Fruit and Jars

We are Ready ARE YOU?

- Fancy Egg Plums, 25-pound crate, \$.85
- Fancy Italian Prunes, 25 " " .85
- Fancy Bartlett Pears, 40-pound box, 2.00
- Grapes, 6-pound basket, .75
- Ripe Tomatoes, 20-pound box, 1.00
- Fancy Apples, 40-pound box, 2.00
- Crab Apples, 30-pound box, 2.00
- Fancy Crawford Peaches, 20-lb. box 1.50

Any of the above put up in Our New Glass Top Jars, will keep far longer than you will want them to.

Get Your Orders in Early

Morrin Thompson & Co.
 GROCERS
 HARDWARE MERCHANTS

GRANBY'S ANNUAL REPORT

Shows Net Profits of \$1,873,607.05 For the Fiscal Year.

Net Surplus Carried Forward June 30, 1906, Amounted to \$2,547,738.61—President Langeloth's Address.

To THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE New York, October 2, 1906.

Gentlemen:—It is with deep regret that we have to record the death in February last of Mr. John Stanton, one of our Directors, whose advice and guidance are greatly missed by the Board.

The business of the company has been largely increased. The total tonnage smelted amounts to 832,346 tons, resulting in a production of 19,939,004 lbs. of copper fine, or an increase of over forty per cent. against the previous year.

Two of the new, large blast furnaces, which became operative last fall, are working so successfully, that it has been decided successfully to re-construct the six old smaller furnaces, which work is now in progress. Unfortunately, great delays were experienced on account of the difficulty in procuring the necessary materials and accessory machinery. The probability, however, is that this work will be completed early next year and the smelting capacity will then again be largely increased.

In November last a fire destroyed a large ore crusher, which for a few months greatly hampered shipments of ore to the smelter, as Tunnel No. 1 was laid practically idle for a time, during which all shipments had to be made from Tunnel No. 3. The local management deserves great credit for the efficient manner in which it met this emergency, without largely curtailing the current production. Since the completion of the new crusher, shipments have been made without any interruption.

In view of the high prices for copper ruling since last fall, it has been deemed wise to mine large quantities of ore carrying a smaller percentage of copper than the average run of the mines. Active development work has been going on continually, and diamond drills have opened up large ore-bodies in the Victoria and Aetna mines, where a new shaft is now being sunk and the necessary improvements installed for crushing and shipping; this output, the first shipment will, likely, be made by the end of this year.

Development of the Gold Drop claims, which were purchased last summer, proved satisfactory, and for some months past shipments averaged over 200 tons of ore daily. A tunnel is being pushed toward the Monarch property, opening up satisfactory ore-bodies. The length and width is not yet fully determined, but indications point to large bodies of ore, a considerable portion of which will soon be available for hoisting. These developments, have largely increased the tonnage of ore in sight over that extracted in the year.

Further economies have been effected in practically all departments, again resulting in great savings.

Under the circumstances, the Board felt justified in paying two dividends of three per cent. each on January 15th and May 15th, respectively, amounting together to \$810,000. In addition, the available cash assets of the company were largely increased.

Another dividend of three per cent. has meanwhile been paid, viz: on September 15th.

Respectfully submitted,
 J. LANGELOT, President.

Treasurer's Report.

Following is a summary of the year's business:

19,939,004 lbs. copper fine, sold at an average price of \$ 0.1778	
316,947 ozs. silver " " " " " "	0.6468
50,020 " gold " " " " " "	20.00

The total amount realized equals	\$ 4,751,958.69
COSTS.	
Working expenses at mines and smelter, freight, refining, selling and general expenses	\$2,607,164.81
Foreign ores purchased	230,276.83
	\$ 2,927,441.64

Cost per ton of ore, including all expenses	\$3.2988
Net cost per lb. of copper after deducting value of gold and silver	0.0835
Surplus carried over from previous year	\$1,554,875.27
Net profit for year ending June 30, 1906	1,823,617.05
	\$3,378,492.32

Less exploration expenses	\$ 20,753.71
Less dividends paid	\$10,000.00
	836,753.71
Net surplus June 30, 1906	\$2,547,738.61

There has been expended in new construction, equipment at the mines, smelter and converter plants, etc. \$105,975.14

For additional mining properties. 350,485.25

\$456,460.39

All development work, renewals and repairs have been charged to working expenses.

Mine development	3,698 lineal feet
Diamond drill development	11,505 " "
Granby ore smelted	796,188 dry tons
Foreign	36,158 " "

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.	
June 30, 1906.	
Cost of land, real estate, machinery, buildings, dwellings and equipment	\$14,895,944.22
Stocks, bonds and bills receivable	45,429.32
Cash and copper on hand	1,023,833.56
Fuel and store supplies	187,334.38
	\$16,151,641.88

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$15,000,000.00
In the treasury	1,500,000.00
Issued stock	\$13,500,000.00
Accounts payable (current for month)	102,466.87
Dividends collected on liquidator shares	1,436.40
Surplus	2,547,738.61
	\$16,151,641.88

G. W. WOOSTER, Treasurer.

Curling Club Elects Officers.

Wednesday evening the annual meeting of the Phoenix Curling Club was held at the city hall, and the following officers were elected: President, C. H. Reeves; vice-president, A. S. Hood; secretary-treasurer, W. D. Lawson; executive committee, E. P. Shea, G. E. Dey, C. L. Thornber and J. J. Strutzel; ice committee, R. B. Boucher, J. A. Morrin and G. L. McNicol. It was decided that the executive committee should select a special committee to arrange for a series of monthly dances, to be given during the coming winter, in order to clear off the debt of the club, which was incurred last winter when the rink was greatly enlarged.

Fire Caused \$1,000 Loss.

Fire broke out about six o'clock Wednesday morning in the Rumberger building on Dominion avenue, a two-story structure. The building was occupied by A. Almstrom, stationer, Frank Wilms, barber, and on the upper floor by Chief of Police Flood as a residence and by Mayor Rumberger as his office and private rooms. The chief of police had just come in from his night work when the smoke came up into his rooms, followed by roaring flames. He rushed to an auxiliary hose house near by and soon had a stream on the fire. About the same time the city team dashed up with the hose wagon, and with many willing hands the fire was soon put out. The flames originated in the barber shop on the lower floor, where Wilms had just lighted a fire with coal oil and left it for a few minutes. On his return the building was all in flames.

Probably \$1,000 will cover the loss, Mr. Flood's furniture and effects being ruined as well as the barber shop below. The rest of the damage was by water. The only insurance carried was by Mr. Almstrom, whose damage was by water. W. A. Lawson, of the Queen Insurance Co., happened to be here from Victoria, and adjusted Mr. Almstrom's loss at \$400.

GLORY HOLE ON MAIN STREET

Cave on Dominion Ave. From Brooklyn Mine.

Company Will Fill in Yawning Chasm.

In the wee small hours of Tuesday morning, as a heavy blast was set off in a stope up from the 250-foot level of the Brooklyn mine, it broke through to the surface, and a portion of Dominion avenue, one of the main thoroughfares of the city, began sliding into the hole, and has been sliding more or less since. No one was injured by the incident, and Supt. Gardanier at once began preparing to fill in the yawning chasm, which was fenced off at a safe distance to prevent accidents to pedestrians and teams. A trestle is being built from the Idaho ore-bins, 250 feet distant, and a track will be laid and the hole filled with waste rock. The hole is now probably 50 feet deep and the same in circumference, and the seepage has continually made the aperture larger.

The drift at the 250-foot level of the Brooklyn mine of the Dominion Copper Co. runs directly under Dominion avenue, below the city hall, to a connection with the workings of the Idaho mine. Stopping has been going on here, and evidently it came too close to the surface, with the result mentioned. As the cave has been growing larger, Miss McDonald, milliner, and G. W. McAuliffe, tailor, have suspended business, as Mr. McAuliffe's one-story building is now on the edge of the brink, though not thought to be in immediate danger of falling into this improvised glory hole. It will probably take some little time to fill the hole, which can be done easily if heavy rains do not set in.

Most Up-to-date in Province.

A steam heating plant has just been installed in the Brooklyn hotel and is now in operation. This is one of the most up-to-date in the province, and is so installed that there is no snapping or cracking noise that usually occur with steam heating. The furnace has a capacity sufficient to heat the new addition, which will be built to the hotel next year. This has added very much to the comfort of the guests, a feature the proprietor, Mr. Marshall, has always endeavored to do. The system was put in by Mr. Harry Snyder, a practical plumber, who contemplates locating in Phoenix.

Boundary Ore Tonnage.

Week of Oct. 6, 1906.	
Granby mines	17,199 tons
Snowshoe	380
B. C. Copper Co.: Mother Lode	1,740
Emma	205
Dominion Copper Co.: Rawhide	594
Brooklyn-Stemwinder	1,947
Sunset	967
Mountain Rose	96
Weekly total	23,178
Total for 1906	926,838
Smelter treatment: Granby	14,608
B. C. Copper Co.	1,225
Dominion Copper Co.	3,504
Weekly total	19,487
Total for 1906	935,412

Coal Strike Situation.

Briefly, there is little change in the Fernie coal miners' strike situation, except that they now announce that they will stand for a closed shop. Trial's smelter may close, and the Snowshoe mine in this camp, that ships there, is let out 60 men, stopping shipping. Granby is operating six furnaces and B. C. Copper has a new one in blast, both with Blarmore coke, while Dominion Copper's two furnaces continue with Coleman coke, as heretofore.

DOMINION COPPER'S REPORT

Eight Months' Operating Shows Net Profit of \$139,144.

Now Earning at Net Rate of About \$30,000 Monthly-- President Miller's Statement.

OFFICE OF THE DOMINION COPPER COMPANY, LTD., 30 BROAD STREET, New York, September 18th, 1906.

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS: Your directors respectfully present their report of the state and condition of the company for the year commencing July 31, 1905, when the present management took charge, and ending July 31, 1906.

The report of the president, dated November 22, 1905, and mailed to each shareholder, stated the progress made up to that time in perfecting the reorganization of the Montreal & Boston Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, Ltd., in transferring all its properties to your company, and in developing the mines and preparing to start the smelter.

All claims against the company, or subsidiary companies, mentioned in the report, have been settled or successfully defended, so that at the present time the company and the subsidiary companies are free from claims of every nature.

On January 31, 1906, your company purchased all the properties of the Montreal & Boston Copper Company, Ltd., including the smelter at Boundary Falls, B. C., and the Sunset, Crown Silver and C. O. D. mineral claims.

The work of exploring and developing the properties of your company has been actively pushed under the supervision of Mr. M. M. Johnson, consulting engineer.

The Rawhide and the Idaho claims are now in a position to furnish the additional tonnage necessary when the new furnace goes into commission, and our output will be from 1200 to 1400 tons of ore per day, or considerably more than double our present capacity. The plant and equipment at the mines and smelter have been put into first-class condition.

A number of economies in operation are being introduced at the mines and the smelter, including the equipment of both the mines and the smelter with electrical power in place of steam. The company has been using since last December about 600 horse power per day, at a cost of about \$135 to \$140 per annum per horse power. When the electrical equipment is completely installed, the cost per horse power per annum will be reduced to \$30. This will result in a saving of \$100,000 a year to the company over its present cost of power, as the company will be using at least 1000 horse power upon the installation of the new furnace.

The new furnace which has been built by the Traylor Engineering company has been shipped and will be installed as soon as it arrives. This is the largest furnace ever erected in British Columbia. It will have a daily capacity of about 800 tons of ore, and by reason of being equipped with the most modern devices it is expected that a saving of 20 per cent in fuel will be effected, and also a large saving in the labor required to operate it. These two items will aggregate over \$100 per day. The company has secured a new contract for converting its matte, which will reduce the cost of this work over 25 per cent.

An analysis of the company's operations for the eight months of operation, December 1st, 1905, to July 31, 1906, which has been largely a period of construction and development, shows 353,084 tons of ores smelted, producing 3,220.89 tons of matte, having a total value of \$640,128.97. The operating cost, including mining, smelting, converting, marketing and administration expenses, has been \$500,984.93, leaving a net profit for the eight months of \$139,144.04. The results of the economies already introduced are beginning to be reflected in the company's earnings. The operations for the month of July produced earnings of \$31,431.79, and on this basis the net profits of the present smelter for 12 months would exceed \$300,000. The new furnace will more than double the present capacity, and the economies still to be completed will reduce the present cost of producing copper. Your directors believe the company will be able to produce its copper at a cost of not more than 8 cents per pound.

The company has taken options on a number of claims located in the district and is now engaged in prospecting and exploring these properties with a view of purchasing such as may prove to be valuable to the company.

The financial statement and trial balance hereto appended set forth the condition of the company on July 31, 1906.

Attest: LEOPOLD HERRMANN, Secretary.
 WARNER MILLER, President.
 Balance Sheet, 31st July, 1906.

ASSETS.	
Mines, smelter and other properties, including a beneficial interest in certain of this company's stock acquired under the plan of reorganization:	
Cost as of 31st July, 1905, including expenses of reorganization	\$3,744,312.79
Additions since:	
Smelter, equipment, etc.	\$49,278.66
Mine development and equipment	78,407.71
Real estate, British Columbia	2,975.00
Miscellaneous	312.00
	120,973.37

Stocks and shares	\$3,875,386.16
Office furniture, New York and British Columbia	1,792.50
Stores and fuel on hand, as certified by the superintendent	38,035.37

Sundry debtors:	
British Columbia Copper Co. acc. matte	\$117,476.50
Miscellaneous, N. Y. and British Columbia	3,013.06
	120,489.56

Cash in banks and on hand:	
New York	\$17,789.93
British Columbia	18,114.60
	35,904.53

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock authorized:	
500,000 shares of \$10 each	\$5,000,000.00

Whereof issued:	
320,003 7/10 shares of \$10 each	\$3,200,037.00
First mortgage 6 per cent. gold bonds due 1st June, 1915:	
Total authorized	\$1,000,000.00

Whereof issued	700,000.00
Sundry creditors:	
Open accounts, New York and British Columbia	\$61,371.66
Reserves for insurance and taxes	3,573.84
Bond interest, coupons uncollected	1,440.00
Bond interest accrued	7,000.00
	73,385.50

Surplus account:	
Profit on eight months' operations to date, per annexed account	98,875.62
	\$1,072,298.12

Mine operating accounts:	
Operating expenses	\$203,785.20
Freight on ore	32,230.20
Ore purchased	3,315.05

(Continued on page four)

There is a wealth of comfort in a cup of

Blue Ribbon

TEA,

The Phoenix Pioneer And Boundary Mining Journal.



PIONEER PUBLISHING CO.

W. B. WILLCOX, MANAGER.

Subscription rates in advance.

Per Year \$2.00 Six Months \$1.25

Advertising rates furnished on application.

Calendar for September 1906 with days of the week and dates.

For a Public Reading Room.

One of the best undertakings yet attempted in Phoenix for the general good of the community is that of a public library and reading room...

The great difficulty in matters of this kind, when once started, is where even the small support necessary for the upkeep is to be derived.

The Miners' Union has given the use of the corner ground floor store-room in the new opera house, at a very low rental, and it is admirably suited for the purpose.

This reading room will be a boon to many men, who, when not working, like to be quiet and at the same time have the privilege of access to the periodicals of the day...

Troubles of the Welchers.

When the smoke had cleared away after the disastrous earthquake and fire at San Francisco, last April, it was finally agreed that the losses by the hundred or more insurance companies...

THE OBSERVATORY

Okanagan exchanges state that Duncan Ross, M. P., has promised Salmon Arm \$5,000 for a wharf, but we haven't heard of Duncan promising anything special for the immediate section where he lives—the Boundary.

A writer has grouped some interesting facts about the world's most remarkable city street. He says: The highest street in the world is main street, in Denver; the richest is Fifth avenue, in New York City; the widest is Market street, in Philadelphia; and the shortest is the Rue Ble, in Paris.

"Cheer up! The world is taking your photograph. Look pleasant. Of course you have your troubles; a whole lot of them. Nevertheless, cheer up. The storm will soon be over."

A press dispatch states that it is understood that the postmaster-general will shortly announce an increase in the scale of salaries paid to rural postmasters, for which the latter have been clamoring for years on account of the increased cost of living in almost every part of the Dominion.

One of the greatest advertisements that the C. P. R. ever had in this or the old country is the "Over Seas" limited train, which it is now running between Quebec and Vancouver, connecting with its own lines of steamships on the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and making the railway run in about 90 hours from coast to coast.

Every day or two the Pioneer is favored with communications from this or that concern or body, with a request that we give the same an insertion in this family weekly. No mention is ever made of a quid pro quo in this connection, but we are asked to do it for the good of the cause, whatever it may happen to be.

How crazy the press correspondents do get, sometimes. We have just noticed a report in a Seattle paper, dated at Winnipeg, about the Fernie coal miners' strike. It says that 5,000 miners are out, that there have been several clashes between the men and the police, and that the government is taking a hand in the settlement—none of which are statements of facts.

Hindo immigration to this province is beginning to attract no little attention. Being British subjects, it is difficult to evolve a way to exclude these denizens of India's coral strands, and still they come, to be absorbed in the laboring paths of this Pacific province.

are already scattering inland in logging camps, etc. Even a few of them have reached the Boundary, being employed in the construction of the Kettle Valley lines branch up the North Fork of Kettle river.

There is nothing like the force of printers' ink. Last week the Pioneer called attention to the fact that the lumber had been on the ground for several weeks for P. Burns & Co.'s new block in this city, and nothing had been done.

Gentle reader, have you noticed the label on your copy of the Pioneer lately? Does it read 9-06 (meaning paid up to September, 1906), or any less figures? If so, it means that you are in arrears to this great family journal, and that we will appreciate your prompt attention to the matter.

Your Uncle Samuel has, as expected, taken possession of Cuba, and War Secretary Taft is the military governor. Natives of that wonderfully fertile island have proved that they are utterly incapable of self-government, and it is a good thing for them that the United States is willing to protect them from themselves.

Sick Headache Cured. Sick headache is caused by derangement of the stomach and by indigestion. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets correct these disorders and effect a cure.

Special Rate East Via O. R. & N. Oct. 12th and 13th, the O. R. & N. will sell tickets Spokane to Chicago and return, \$64.00.

Nothing to Fear. Mothers need have no hesitancy in continuing to give Chamberlain's Cough remedy to their little ones, as it contains absolutely nothing injurious.

Duncan Ross at Vernon. Duncan Ross, M. P. for Yale-Cariboo, paid a short visit to the city last week, interviewing his benchmen and concerting plans for the future, says the Vernon News.

Dear Mother. Your little ones are a constant care in Fall and Winter weather. They will catch cold. Do you know about Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, and what it has done for so many?

SHILOH. This remedy should be in every household. Halcyon Hot Springs... SANITARIUM, Arrow Lake, B.C.

D. J. Matheson Insurance Agent. FIRE, LIFE AND ACCIDENT. PHOENIX, B.C.

PALACE MEAT MARKET. DOMINION AVE., PHOENIX, B.C. Fresh and Salt Meats. Fish, Poultry and Oysters.

Phoenix Livery Stable. D. J. McDonald, Prop. Everything New. CARRIAGES AND OTHER RIGS. HORSES AND SADDLES. SEVERAL HUNDRED CORDS OF DRY WOOD.

P. BURNS & CO., Ltd. Wholesale and Retail Meat Merchants. Choice Line of Fresh and Cured Meats. Poultry, Fish and Game in Season.

Phoenix-Greenwood Stage Line. Leave Phoenix 9:30 a. m. Leave Greenwood 7:30 p. m. Standard Time. Prompt Attention to Express and Freight. J. S. McCAGUE, Proprietor.

Special Rates Great Northern Railway. will sell round trip tickets Oct. 7, 8 from Phoenix to New Orleans La. for \$83.05. Final Return Limit Nov. 15.

THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK. Issues: Drafts, Money Orders, Travelling Checks, Letters of Credit. Savings Department: Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received.

THE COPPER HANDBOOK. A practical book of nearly a thousand pages, useful to all and necessary to most men engaged in any branch of the Copper Industry. It is a dozen books in one, covering the History, Uses, Terminology, Geography, Geology, Chemistry, Mineralogy, Metallurgy, Finances and Statistics of Copper.

I. H. HALLETT BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC. TUCK COLLINS, SHAVING PARLORS AND BATHROOM. King Edward Lodge, No. 36. I. O. O. F. SNOWSHOE LODGE NO. 4.

A. HARRY HOOK. PROVINCIAL ASSAYER. A. D. MORRISON. JEWELER & OPTICIAN. GRAND FORKS, B.C.

O. R. & N. OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC ONLY LINE EAST VIA Salt Lake and Denver. LOW RATES TO EASTERN POINTS AND RETURN. GO TO THE BEACH. \$20 Round Trip.

Hospital Donations. List of Donations received since Jan. 1st, 1906, to the Phoenix General Hospital. Average Prices of Copper. -New York- Electrolytic. Lake.

COLUMBIAN COLLEGE. Founded 1892—Incorporated 1893. NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C. THE STRATHCONA. NELSON, B.C. B. TOMKINS, Manager. The Leading Hotel of the Kootenays.

"The Sign of the Slate"

is the guide post to good shoes. It is the sign that never misleads—that never points the way to doubtful shoes.

"The Sign of the Slate" marks the home of "Slater" Shoes. It tells the passers-by that this is the place of honestly made shoes—comfortable shoes—stylish shoes—and shoes that are vouched for by a Canadian company that lives up to every word of its guarantee.

The man who takes the "Sign of the Slate" as his guidepost, is on the straight road to foot comfort, shoe satisfaction, and economy.

Every pair of "SLATER" Shoes has this trade mark label sewn on the lining. Whenever you buy—look for it. Any shoe that has not this label in it, IS NOT a "Slater" Shoe.

You will see the "Sign of the Slate" at

HUNTER-KENDRICK CO., Exclusive Agents, Phoenix

Paris Lump Sugar

Lends an additional flavor to a perfect cup of tea or coffee. It is manufactured specially from Cane Sugar produced on our own Estates.

For Sale by All Grocers.
The B. C. Sugar Refining Co. Limited
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Royal Household Flour

Many housewives think it cheaper to buy than to bake. That is because their baking isn't successful every time. Their failures run the cost up. Get

Follow directions.

The result will be light, wholesome bread or pastry every time. You pay a few cents more for Royal Household, but those few cents buy certainty and purity. Your grocer can supply you.

Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd.
155 Montreal.

Latest Mining Stock Quotations.

Following are the approximate prices of mining stocks for this week:

Stock	Price	Change
American Boy	23 1/2	0 3/4
B. C. Standard	20	25
Belcher Mountain	45	50
B. C. Copper	10 25	10 75
Can. Con. M. and S.	130 00	150 00
California	02	04
Cariboo-McKinney	02 1/2	07
Copper King	28	30
Dominion Copper	4 50	6 50
Demora Mines	07	08
Dear Trail Con.	01 1/2	02
Eureka Copper	—	10
Granby Con.	11 75	12 25
Fisher Maiden	02	03
Giant	07	08
International Coal	60	65
Jumbo	16	20
La Plata	15	20
Nicola Coal Mines	05	04 1/2
North Star	05	06 1/2
Palander	03 1/2	04 1/2
Payne	02	04
Referendum	05	06
Rambler-Cariboo	37	35
Sullivan	15	16
Snowstorm	2 00	2 40
Sonora	2 00	04 1/2
Stewart	1 10	2 00
Tamarack & Chesapeake	1 00	1 15
White Bear	07	08
Washington Meteor	06	10

Palace Livery Stables

MURDOCK McINTYRE, Prop.

25 Horses, Full Livery Equipment, Including Three New Buggies.

As there is no Harness Shop in either Greenwood or Grand Forks, we are equipped with Harness Parts.

SMELTER LAKE ICE DELIVERED TO ORDER

Prompt Attention to orders at any hour of day or night.

Knob Hill Ave. (PHONE 34.) Phoenix, B. C.

SEE Nature's Wondrous Handiwork

DENVER & RIO GRANDE

THROUGH UTAH AND COLORADO

Castle Gate, Canon of the Grand Black Canyon, Marshall and Tennessee Passes, and the World-Famous Royal Gorge.

For Descriptive and Illustrated Pamphlets, write to:

W. C. McBride, General Agent,
171 Third Street PORTLAND, OR.

Phoenix Shoe Shop

A. T. TURANO, Prop.

Boots and Shoes made to order, first-class work guaranteed. Miners' Boots a specialty, guaranteed water proof.

First Street Opp. Knob Hill Hotel
Phoenix, B. C.

Mines Department, Victoria, B. C., Oct. 6, 1906.

Persons intending to offer themselves as the examination, to be held at the Hall, for Provincial Assayers, are requested to notify the undersigned, and in the event of a sufficient number offering, an examination will be arranged for at Nelson, B. C., as well as at Victoria, B. C.

R. F. TOLMIE,
Deputy Minister of Mines.

"THE MILWAUKEE"

"THE PIONEER LIMITED" ST. PAUL TO CHICAGO.

"Overland Limited" Omaha to Chicago.

"SOUTH-WEST LIMITED" KANSAS CITY TO CHICAGO.

No trains in the service on any railroad in the world equals in equipment that of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. They own and operate their own sleeping and dining cars and give their patrons an excellence of service not obtainable elsewhere.

Berths in their sleepers are longer, higher and wider than in similar cars on any other line. They protect their trains by the Block system.

R. L. FORD, Commercial Agent,
Room 2, Marble Bank Bldg., Spokane Wash.
H. S. ROWE, General Agent,
134 Third Street, Portland, Oregon.

INTERNATIONAL COAL & COKE CO.

Made Record for One Day's Shipment in Crow's Nest.

H. N. Galer, manager of the International Coal and Coke Co., of Coleman, Alberta, who is on the coast, states that the record of all the mines in the Crow's Nest Pass was broken when his company mined and shipped 1,751 tons of coal in one shift. This took place three or four weeks ago. It was done without any special effort on the part of the company, and during the shift the box-car loader was out of commission for fully one hour. A. C. Flumerfelt is president of the company.

It is just four years ago this month, says the Victoria Colonist, since the first coal mined from this property was taken out and tested in the coke ovens at Fernie. The property at that time was known as the Paulson mine and under the charge of Mr. Newport. The coal was first opened up at a point on the veins about three miles back in the hills from the present site of the town of Coleman, where is now situated the present mines and workings of the company. The coal was sacked and brought out to Blairmore on pack horses. A. P. McDonald, now of Coleman, but at that time running a livery stable at Frank, having the contract. More depended upon the test made on this coal than anyone at the time dreamed of, for on it rested the fate of what is today the International Coal & Coke Company, and the prosperous town of Coleman.

At that time the present site of the mine and workings had not even a prospect hole upon it or the veins uncovered, that portion of the property then belonging to the Hudson's Bay Company, and the land upon which is now situated the up-to-date plant and works was a series of creek bottoms, bog and brush. The town of Coleman was not even thought of, and yet it lacks a month of its being three years since it was laid out into town lots and the first buildings started. Many of Coleman's foremost citizens were then in the Pass, but took little interest in the tests being made upon the coal.

An Awful Cough Cured.

"Two years ago our little girl had a touch of pneumonia, which left her with an awful cough. She had spells of coughing, just like one with the whooping cough, and some thought she would not get well at all. We got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. She stopped coughing and got stout and fat," writes Mrs. Ora Bussard, Brue baker, Ill. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

May Sell Nickel Plate.

There is much speculation as to the outcome of the thorough investigation being made of the Nickel Plate mine at Hedley by a big New York mining company. It is believed that the purchase of the Nickel Plate by this company would mean a great stride forward for Hedley and the whole Similkameen. It is reported that internal dimensions in the Daly company have curtailed its further progress, hence the proposed sale as a means of satisfying the dissentients. All depends on the report made by Mr. Channing, mining expert, who arrived in Hedley a few days ago, to make a personal examination and receive results of assays.

WILL OPEN READING ROOM

Good Cause Favored By the Unions.

General Donations Are Now In Order.

This week the Pioneer was handed the following letter, with a request for publication, and we take pleasure in presenting the matter herewith:

Phoenix, B. C., Oct. 1, 1906.
Editor Pioneer,
Phoenix, B. C.

Dear Sir:—Some time since a movement was started by the several unions in Phoenix to establish a free reading room and library in the city. After talking things over, it was decided to first write to the wholesale houses doing business in Phoenix, such as machinery and powder companies, department stores, wholesale liquor concerns, and dry goods and grocery firms, asking if they wished to assist the project. That they have responded generously is evident from the following list of donations already received:

- Bennett Fuse Co. \$25
- Hamilton Powder Co. 20
- Hudson's Bay Co. 20
- Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Ltd. 15
- P. Burns & Co. 15
- Wm. Braid & Co. 12
- A. McDonald & Co. 5
- Turner, Beeton & Co. 5
- W. H. G. Malkin & Co. 5
- B. & K. Milling Co. 5

The unions interested, namely, the I. W. W., Carpenters and Miners, have agreed to provide a steady revenue of 5 cents per month from each member, but feel that, as the permanency of the undertaking is now assured, we can confidently appeal to the citizens of Phoenix for support.

The corner room in Miners' Union block has been secured at a nominal rental, and the caretaking has also been voluntarily provided for. What we need greatly now are books, magazines, etc. Almost everyone can help a little by donations of money or literature. Either will be thankfully received. Books should be sent to the reading room, or will be called for on notification. All money donated should be sent to the Eastern Townships Bank, Phoenix, to the credit of the Phoenix Library Fund.

When completed, the reading room will be open every day and evening for the use of the public, and accounts for moneys received or expended will at all times be shown to any one making inquiries for the same.

Thanking you in advance for space in your valuable paper, we remain,
Yours truly,
R. D. MITCHELL, Chairman.
D. M. SPEARE, Sec.-Treas.

Members of the unions in Phoenix have shown their interest in the establishment of a reading room here for the general use of the public by voluntarily taxing themselves 5 cents per month each for its support. This practical method of showing faith will commend itself, and should encourage others to do their part, however small it may happen to be. Next week, Friday a benefit dance will be given, and every man residing in this community should invest in at least one ticket for the cause. At present there is nothing whatever of this kind, and it is something that should carry its own endorsement to any right-thinking man or woman, and we believe that it will do so.

Torments of Tetter and Eczema Alleviated.

The intense itching characteristic of eczema, tetter and like skin diseases is instantly alleviated by applying Chamberlain's Salve and many severe cases have been permanently cured by its use. For sale by all druggists.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

It is easy to expect others to set good examples.

When opportunity knocks it doesn't use a hammer.

Despair is the undertaker that carts off our dead hopes.

Occasionally a man rises from nothing to something worse.

Prodigals have always exceeded the supply of fathead calves.

It doesn't require much practice to acquire the art of being lazy.

Many a man who takes himself seriously is looked upon as a joke by others.

OLLA PODRIDA

Johnny—Tommy, let's put our pennies together and buy ma a Christmas present.

Tommy—All right.

"What shall it be?"

"I guess we had better get her a padded slipper."

Casey—An' whoi did ye name th' baby after th' Cear?

Corrigan—Well, he don't know a don't thing about anythin' an' still he's th' boss.

"We never realize the full value of a thing until we lose it," remarked the man who was fond of moralizing.

"That's right," replied the practical man, "especially if the thing lost was insured."

The following sublime paragraph is from one of the latest fashionable novels:

"With one hand he held her beautiful head above the chilling waves, and with the other he called loudly for assistance!"

"There is only one ordained missionary in the world for 900,000 heathens, your excellency," said the cannibal.

"Well, I got mine," said the cannibal chief, rubbing his lips.

"The ordinary man must feel funny when he is introduced to royalty."

"Oh, I don't know. I met four kings once and I felt far from funny."

INDIGESTION

Is the most prolific cause of disease in the human body. Almost any ailment may follow in its wake!

BILIOUSNESS

Is one of the most common consequences and is almost certain to be followed by

CONSTIPATION

You can cure them all with

Mother Seigel's Syrup

50c per bottle. Sold everywhere.
A. J. WHITE & CO., MONTREAL.

PE-RU-NA STRENGTHENS THE ENTIRE SYSTEM.

Mr. Alfred Pleau, an expert machinist, 178 St. John Street, Quebec City, Can., writes:

"Two years ago, an accident necessitated my confinement for several weeks. The good health I had enjoyed was slipping away and there developed a complication of diseases. My physician said my case was one of general debility.

"Among the many ailments which developed was a serious attack of catarrh, which annoyed me considerably and kept me awake whole nights.

"I decided to give Peruna a trial and soon found it acting as a wonderful tonic to my system. The catarrh grew less severe and shortly afterward disappeared, as did also the various other maladies.

"I attribute my prompt relief and ultimate cure entirely to the use of Peruna and gladly recommend it."

THIS IS THE TIME

to order your supply of Fire Wood, either for immediate use or for the future. All orders promptly filled.

GENERAL SANITARY AND SCAVENGER WORK DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.

D. L. McIntomney

City Scavenger,
TEL. No. B32. PHOENIX, B. C.

GREAT NORTHERN SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

Phoenix to Chicago, St. Louis, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Leavenworth, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Sioux City and Fort William at first class fare plus \$10 for the round trip. Selling dates, July 2nd and August 7th, 8th and 9th, and Sept. 8th and 10th, good for 90 days, but not after October 31st, 1906. Ten days will be allowed from date of sale on going portion of tickets. Stop-overs will be allowed west of Missouri river, St. Paul, Duluth and Fort William.

ODD FELLOWS, TORONTO, ONT., SEPT. 12-23, 1906.

Selling dates, Sept. 8th and 10th. Going limit, Sept. 22. Final return limit, Nov. 30th, 1906.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 15-25th, 1906.

Selling dates, Oct. 7th and 8th. Going limit, Oct. 16th. Final return limit, Nov. 15th.

For the above meetings, first class fare plus \$10.

Children of half age will take half the above rates.

S. G. YERKES, Asst.-Gen. Pass. Agent, Seattle, Wash.
M. M. STEPHENS, Agent, Phoenix, B. C.

B. C. MINING

Rossland ore shipments last week were given as 6,711 tons, making a total of 241,071 tons for 1906 to date.

The Iron Mask, at Rossland, lately bought by the Consolidated Company, is being unwatered as a preliminary to resuming operations upon it.

The installation of the 50-ton, 650 horse power, three-phase electrical motor in the compressor building of the Center Star, at Rossland, is in progress.

Repairs to the Northport smelter and to the mine continue, and it will take at least till October 15th to complete them, when smelting Le Roi ore is scheduled to recommence.

PHOENIX PIONEER

And Boundary Mining Journal

You will not keep up-to-date on the progress of the Great Boundary Mining District in British Columbia.

The Boundary has produced or valued at nearly \$20,000,000 in a little over six years, and in 1920 its output is expected to be \$6,000,000. It has three modern smelters—one of them the largest in Canada—and about 20 shipping mines, sending out some 4,000 tons of copper-gold ore daily.

The Pioneer is entirely different from any other paper. It is published in the heart of this marvellous mineral belt at only \$2 per annum. To any one interested here it is worth five times as much. Make all money orders payable to

PIONEER PUBLISHING CO., PHOENIX, B. C.

Sample copy sent on application.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Bellevue Fractional" and "Apex Fractional" Mineral Claims situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In Greenwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as Agent for Eric H. Jackson Free Miner's Certificate No. 88542, and Francis W. Groves, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89626, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 9th day of May, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Soregigi" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In Providence Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as Agent for George W. Rumberger, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89424, and Harry Nash, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89523, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Old Bird" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In Long Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as Agent for William C. Gordon, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89533, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 21st day of April, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Smilax Fractional" and "Billy Fractional" Mineral Claims situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In St. Mark Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89424, for myself, and as Agent for Albert E. Ashcroft, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89766, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 26th day of April, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TABLE

THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

S. F. & N. RY.

Daily Leave	PHOENIX	Daily Arrive
9:00 a.m.	Spokane, Seattle, Everett, Bellingham, Vancouver, Victoria, and all Coast points.	6:55 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	Spokane, Ferndale, Winnipeg, St. Paul, Minneapolis.	6:55 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	Grand Forks, Republic, Carleton Place, and Ferry (Midway).	6:55 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	Northport, Rossland, Nelson.	6:55 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	Kaslo, Enderby, and all points east.	6:55 p.m.

Connections at Spokane with the famous "ORIENTAL LIMITED".

"DAILY OVER LAND TRAINS":
From Spokane for Winnipeg, St. Paul, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Chicago and all points east.

For complete information, rates, berth reservations, etc., call on or address,
M. M. STEPHENS, Agent,
S. G. YERKES, A. G. P. A.,
Seattle.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Soregigi" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In Providence Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as Agent for George W. Rumberger, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89424, and Harry Nash, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89523, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Old Bird" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In Long Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, as Agent for William C. Gordon, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89533, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 21st day of April, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Smilax Fractional" and "Billy Fractional" Mineral Claims situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District, Where Located: In St. Mark Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89424, for myself, and as Agent for Albert E. Ashcroft, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89766, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 26th day of April, A. D. 1906.
I. H. HALLETT.

