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News Notes.

Frenchmen are booming the Panama canal, thinking that Americans will buy the big ditch.

Indians are dying by the dozens in the Copper river district.

The foreign ministers at Pekin gave Li Hung Chang a very chilly reception, he was snubbed by Germany, a cool and short reception from the English minister. The prince tendered an apology to Conger.

The Queen has felt some anxiety for a week, owing to the unsatisfactory accounts of the health of Empress Frederica. Reports now however, are favorable.

The German papers are scolding Emperor William, and frown upon his "worlds empire" policy.

The democrats in the States will hurrah on October 27th. From ocean to ocean, from the great lakes to the gulf, in every city and village democratic meetings will be held on that day.

Incoming transatlantic steamers all report very heavy weather, and high seas during the past ten days.

There are four distinct agitations in as many Chinese provinces: all anti-dynastic; Prince Tuan may participate, if Sun Yat-Sen is successful he will enlist powerful support.

The Nova Scotia coast has been swept by gales drenched by rain, vessels blown ashore, buildings wrecked, railroad tracks washed out, and rivers and lakes are overflowing.

The Yankees have been shut out and not well treated by the Germans at Tientsin, considerable tact is necessary to prevent a clash between the soldiers.

An unknown man was struck by a west bound freight train on the Great Northern railway near Milan, on Monday. It is supposed that the man was intoxicated and that he lay down and fell asleep; a broked whiskey bottle was found in his pocket.

No one can foretell with any degree of certitude what result the new forces operating this year upon the body politic may produce. The surface signs denote a change, but what is being decided in the minds of the people only the election will disclose.

There is plenty of good farming land in the Kootenay valley for the home seeker.

In 1850 England was thirty two days from India. Now it is but seventeen, a ship as fast as the Deutschland could make it in ten.

In 1850 New York was from three to six months from China by clipper ship. Now it is seventeen days by rail to Vancouver and by ship to Shanghai.

In 1820 immigrants came to this country in about forty days. Often they run into storms and helped man the pumps. Now they come in a week in comfort.

The Suez Canal halved the time it took heavy freight to go from the Atlantic Ocean to the Indian. The Nicaragua Canal will perform a like service for the Western World.

Fifty years ago news from Europe reached America in two weeks. Now it comes in two minutes.

Boers Still Fighting.

London, Oct. 17.—Lord Roberts from Pretoria, under date of October 15th, reports as follows:

"French started from Machadodorp towards Heidelberg to clear a part of the country not yet visited by our troops. Mahon commanding the mounted troops, successfully engaged the enemy on October 13, but our losses were severe, three officers and 25 men wounded. French occupied Carolina yesterday, capturing a convoy during the march."

Lord Roberts also reports a number of minor affairs, showing that the Boers are still active over a wide field.

Pretoria, Oct. 16.—Commandant Muller, with a number of burghers, has surrendered to the British in Standerton. The remainder of the commando it is said intended to hold out until yesterday when they would also surrender if they were not joined by a large force of Americans, who it was said would arrive on that day to aid them.

BULLER IS ALL RIGHT.

Roberts Says So.—Thanked for Gallant Service.

London, Oct. 16.—Lord Roberts in an army order announcing the return of General Buller to England thanks Sir Redvers for his gallant service while he was commander-in-chief of the British forces in South Africa and for the ability with which he carried out the operations while serving under Lord Roberts which one order declares resulted in the collapse of the Boers in the eastern Transvaal."

Mining Notes.

Several promising claims in this vicinity will receive the attention of investors in the spring. It is expected that a large amount of development will be done next season.

A letter from Peterborough states that the work being done on the Iron Cap claim in Macdonald basin, is showing up the property to be a most excellent one.

The Sullivan mine can be reached by the proposed spur from Kimberley, in less than four miles over an easy grade.

Several hundred dollars worth of placer gold found its way to Fort Steele during the week.

Robert Dore is still working his nickel claim on Wild Horse.

T. D. Thomas who had a bond on the Theo claims in Isadore Canyon, has given up the bond, for the reason that the development does not justify continuing the work.

Sullivan Stocks.

Sullivan is steadily advancing, the latest quotations being 154 asked and 145 bid. THE PROSPECTOR has all along contended that this stock will reach 25 before there is any stop in the advance. Recent reports from the mine are that it is showing up in great shape and promises to be one of the big producing mines of the province. It has passed the prospect stage and is now a mine capable of producing 100 tons of clear ore daily, with the present workings. At the 100 foot level the body of ore recently encountered is of better quality than any yet found on the property.

In a few days the ten-drills will be at work, and the output largely increased. It is learned that Manager Wolf has gone to Montreal to make arrangements with the railway company to put in a spur from Kimberley to the mine, this is rumor however and may have no foundation in fact. It has been said by those familiar with the ground that a spur could be easily put in and it is more than probable that the mission of Mr. Wolf is to bring it about. Should this be the case the Sullivan will be one of the few mines in the province which can load ore from the mine to the cars. It is also stated that the company will put up a 100 ton concentrator to handle a large quantity of ore now being taken from the mine, and on the dumps. There is no doubt about the Sullivan or its ability, in the future, to pay dividends on its big capitalization.

Want a Fair.

A movement is on foot for holding an agriculture exhibition in Victoria next year.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

Ten Thousand Dollars for a Senatorship.—Elections November 21st. Chris Foley at Nelson.

Mr. D. J. McDonald, returning officer for Yale-Kootenay-Cariboo district is preparing for nomination and polling day. Mr. McDonald says: "as nearly as he could judge polling day would be November 21st.

On Wednesday the first grand rally of the campaign was held at Nelson. Mr. Chris Foley was the orator of the evening. A number of local speakers were present. The attendance was large and enthusiastic.

H. H. Cook, ex-M.P. East Simcoe, has written a long letter to Sir Wilfred Laurier reiterating his charges against the Liberal Government and again declaring that he was asked to pay $10,000 for a Senatorship.

F. J. Deane, of Kamloops, has been appointed secretary of the commission named by the Dominion Government to inquire into the Chinese situation in this Province.

The odium attached to Sifton is a dead weight to all government candidates in Manitoba.

Outside of Winnipeg the forecast of the election seems to be against the Liberals. Conservatives are offering three to one that Sifton wont be returned.

An extract from H. H. Cook, M.P. address to the Liberals of Canada is interesting reading, he says: "The record of our party while it has been in power under its present leaders is one long shameful story of promises unfilled and pledges broken; of reckless extravagance; of jobbery and corruption; and of utterly disgraceful betrayal of every principal for which as a party we have stood."

Fruit Farming Pays.

It would seem that there is no more favored spot in British Columbia for the successful growing of fruit than in the section immediately tributary to Fort Steele. The climatic conditions seem to be similar to those of the Columbia and Colville rivers in Washington. On Wild Horse in the vicinity of Brewery creek is an ideal spot for fruit raising and it can be grown successfully. It is said there are no early frosts on the sunny slopes of Bald Mountain. There are other sections where fruit can be grown. It has been pointed out that in the Boundary creek country, apples are a better crop than wheat. One tree of Ben Davis apples, on the fruit farm of W. H. Covert yielded a crop of apples last year which brought the owner $60, one peach plum tree netted him $30, and from an acre of berries, this season, he took $600 worth of fruit. Fruit farming pays and there is no more pleasant out door occupation in which to engage. There is always a demand for fruit and in this section it would bring good prices, as towns spring up the demand will increase.

St. John's Church of England.

Service every Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m.

On the first Sunday of each month service and Holy Communion at 11 a. m.

REV. C. A. PROCUNIER, Vicar.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Christian service will be conducted in the Presbyterian Church by the Pastor Rev. D. McK. Reid, B. A. every Sabbath evening at 7:30. There will also be a service every other Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 12 a.m.

All are welcome to our services

The Colonel Group.

H. Thiry who has been working on the Colonel group of claims on Six Mile about 12 miles from Fort Steele, arrived in town on Wednesday. He reports that he has just finished two assessments on the group, and work will be suspended until next spring. The development on the property consists of two tunnels in 40 feet each and one shaft 50 feet deep. While in the tunnels not much ore has been encountered, the indications are excellent. In the shaft there is a good showing of copper and iron. There are five or six open cuts on the hill all in ore. Mr. Thiry says he has done $800 worth of work on the property this summer.

The group is owned by Col. H. D. Henderson, H. Thiry and M. A. Beale.

FOUR BOYS UNDER ARREST.

Charged With Wrecking a Train in Which Two Men Were Killed.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Four boys, suspected with having caused the wreck of the New York and Boston express on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad at South Chicago yesterday, were arrested, today. The boys ranging in age from 9 to 11 years, deny that they wrecked the train, but one of them said he knew two boys who had stolen parts of the switches. The train was derailed last night by an open switch and two men were killed and three injured.

Conservative Meeting.

At a meeting of the Liberal Conservatives of Fort Steele on Saturday last, it was moved by C. F. Hanington, seconded by M. A. Beale.

Resolved, that this convention fully approve of the policy laid down by our respected chieftain Sir Charles Tupper, as it is the same policy under which we have been working since 1878.

Resolved: That this convention views with distrust the ways in which our monies have been wasted by the government now in power, our indebtedness has been increased from 42 to 53 millions, in spite of the fact that we were promised by Mr. "now Sir Wilfred Laurier," that he would make a reduction of several millions each year.

Also resolved: That our united and hearty support will be given to Mr. H. MacNeil the nominee of our party in this constituency.

Resolved: That these resolutions be published in THE PROSPECTOR.

A. W. BLEASDELL, Sec.

Won't Vote for Laurier.

A Calgary farmer explains why he will vote against the Laurier Government in these words:—"They have saved me 20 cents a year on my postage stamps, but my tobacco costs me $2 a year more, my coal oil costs me $2.60 more, my binders twine $3 more, my barbed wire several dollars more, my nails and other hardware likewise, and my newspaper 50 cents more." Laurier gave him 20 cents and then proceeded to take some $10 or $20 out of his pocket.

Premier Rides a Tricycle

While Lord Salisbury may see the darker side of the Chinese problem and may be harassed regarding the composition of the new cabinet he does not allow those cares to interfere with his only recreation-tricycling.

An amusing letter has been written by Lord Cecil asking a cycle company to make a tricycle for Lord Salisbury similar to the one made two years ago, and adding rather pathetically that he would be glad if the company would accept in part payment a machine which Lord William ordered from another firm, but which Lord Salisbury refused, and is "therefore on my hands."

Apart from the amusing feature of the son trying to get rid of a machine the premier refused to ride at any price it is interesting to note that Lord Salisbury is still energetic enough to wear out a tricycle in two years.

For "Bobs."

London, Oct. 17.—The Queen will appoint Lord Roberts to be honorary Colonel of the new regiment of Irish Guards.

FUTURE OF EAST KOOTENAY.

The Greatest Mineral Section of the Province.

There is no section of the province which has a brighter future before it than South East Kootenay, and within the next five years, it will be demonstrated that there are as large producing mines in the district as anywhere on the continent. It takes time to put a prospect on a producing basis. There is now three silver lead mines which will compare favorably with any mines in the Coeur d'Alenes or Colorado, as for gold mines there are a number which are being largely developed by outside capital, and promise to take their place among the gold producers of the continent. The Perry creek country is essentially a gold producing section, and will come to the front with the installation of stamp mills and other machinery.

On the Wild Horse and it tributaries there are many promising prospects, gold seems to predominate where extensive development has been done. On Tracy and Lewis creek, copper, gold and silver are found, on Bull river and Sand creek, copper is the principal mineral. It is true as has been frequently stated in the columns of THE PROSPECTOR, there is a greater variety of mineral in this district than in any other similar area in the province.

It is a great mineral country and there is no question of its future.

Location Surveys.

The McCuaig syndicate having filed plans of a preliminary survey of a proposed railroad between Republic and the international boundary, commenced the location survey, the engineers were at work last week in the vicinity of Nelson Wash.

What Ruined the Boers.

Berlin, Oct. 17.—The Berliner Tageblatt publishes a letter from Machadodorp which concludes thus: "Not superior numbers, nor the greater military capacity of the British, but treason, folly and puffed up impotency among our leaders caused our ruin."

A Sea Serpent.

A genuine sea serpent, it is alleged, has made its appearance in Kootenay Lake near Pilot Bay. It has been seen by two fishermen and a twelve year old boy. This is no doubt the same serpent which has been seen in the Kootenay river near Fort Steele a few weeks ago. Monsters of this kind are frequently seen by fishermen in this vicinity, and is of such common occurrence that no attention is paid to it.

Grits Have no Use for Labor Men.

A new feat in the chloroforming line was successfully performed in Wardell's Hall October 11th. The Liberal convention for West Toronto was chloroformed by a new and heretofore untried process, and Ald. Ward, the labor candidate, died under the operation. But he died hard.—Toronto World.

For the past week seven gentlemen have been scouring the town for two men who would kill the labor candidate. They finally secured J. D. Allen and Alderman Burns. All the convention had to do was to endorse the action of the machine composed of the seven referred to individuals. None of the seven had a vote in West Toronto. The machine beat the labor party by the rank decision of the Chairman of the convention. Charles March, the labor man, thought that he could move the gang by argument, proposed a labor man and a straight liberal, but this would not suit the machine. Dozens of men protested saying the effect of the chairman's unfairness would be to stiffle the voice of the convention. Chairman Lindsey declared himself sustained. The figures stood on the vote taken under the machine ruling Allan 250, Burns 241, Ward 173. When the groan of discomfiture had subsided Mr. Lindsey requested the gentlemen who were not delegates to retire to the rear. A Mr. Carson said to the chairman, "Why these very men going to the back of the hall have voted to sustain your unjust ruling when they had no right to be here. Mr. Lindsay refused to open the matter, though he confessed the imported ones had voted. A large number of delegates declined to vote saying that they had not come to participate in a farce.

BOERS STILL FIGHTING.

Sixty Killed.—Thirty-five Wounded. Sixty-five Prisoners.

Durban, Oct. 18.—Near Vryheid, a Boer commando, was taken in ambuscade by Methune's mounted infantry, the Boers losing sixty killed, 35 wounded and 65 taken prisoners.

London, Oct. 18.—A dispatch received here today from Lord Roberts, under date of Pretoria, Tuesday, Oct. 16, reports a number of minor affairs, but says that the only incident of importance was the surrender of Theunis Botha, a brother of Commandant General Botha, at Volksrust, October 13th.

Lorenzo Marquez, Oct. 18.—Mr. Kruger has postponed his departure for Europe until October 20. He will land at Marseilles.

Fatal Accident At Cranbrook.

On Wednesday evening, Martin Jacobson an employee of the Cranbrook Lumber Company, was in town and started for home, he was somewhat under the influence of liquor, and it is supposed that he either fell or lay down upon the track. A freight train backing in, preparatory to going out, run over Jacobson cutting off both legs, he was taken to the St. Eugene Hospital and died, in about two hours after reaching there. Coroner Bleasdell will hold an inquest.

Change of Time.

The change in the running time on the C. P. R. has resulted in a change in the arrival and departure of the mails. Mails from the east now arrive at 9 a. m., from the west at 6 p. m. Close for the east at 2:30 p. m., for the west at 7 p. m.

Some Potatoes.

The editor of the Macleod Advance is jubilant for the reason that a ranchman in that vicinity sent him 15 potatoes which tipped the scales at 24 pounds. The sender wrote that he intended sending some big ones but they would not go into a gunny sack. James Jones a rancher in this vicinity sent to THE PROSPECTOR ten potatoes which weighed 40 pounds, and said this was the average of his crop this year. The Kootenay valley is the boss place in which to raise tubers.

Windermere District.

William Alperson who passed through Fort Steele a few days ago, has returned to Nelson, and in an interview with a Tribune representative said: "that from the showings his company have, it is destined to be a busy mining center. The showings on his company's holdings is sufficient to warrant this, and what his company holds is only a small fraction of the holdings of individual miners."

Mr. Alperson represents the Richmond Mining Company of New York of which he is vice-president. They have control of a number of properties in the district.

London, Oct. 15.—The war office has received the following from Lord Roberts, dated Pretoria, Saturday, October 13:

A satisfactory little affair occurred near Frankfort Thursday. Colonel Grove of the West Kents surprised a Boer laager at dawn, killed seven, wounded nine and captured 18.

COURT AT NELSON.

Howard and Stadtlander Sentenced.

The several cases were quickly disposed of. D. Stadtlander, for stealing a ballot box, got eighteen months hard labor.

Howard, for attempted murder, got five years.

Maslonka, a ten year old kid, was up for housebreaking, plead guilty, he will spend 12 months in the Reform school.

Appointments.

A. B. Grace of Fort Steele, Fred Stork of Fernie and A. T. Clark of Moyie, have been appointed License Commissioners for the Fort Steele mining division of South East Kootenay, with H. W. Barnes as Inspector.

John Bullman, of Thunder Hill, mining recorder for the Windermere mining division, vice George Goldie, transferred to Fort Steele.

Spokane Exposition.

The Slocan exhibit took the first prize for silver-lead ores, and second prize for best silver ores.

New Denver had an unusually fine exhibit that attracted considerable attention.

A special mention is made of the Nelson exhibit.

Kamloops, Windermere, Kaslo and many other parts of the province were represented.

Kimberley Notes.

The new station is now complete, an agent will be assigned in a few days.

A new water tank is now being put in near the station.

The Sullivan Mining Co. are putting up two ore bins near the station, and shipments will be increased soon as they are completed.

The new livery barn of Paul Handley is now completed, and is one of the best in the country.

The C. P. R. have placed a good day coach on all trains.

Owing to increased business, the Messrs Joyce will remove into the new store in the Estmere block.

Campbell & Naubet are enlarging their store.

Moyie Notes.

A gentleman who recently visited Moyie is much surprised with the improvements going on in the town by the lake. He says business is booming and the town is growing rapidly. Chas Farrell, the owner of the Society Girl took him through the mine, which is showing up in good shape; the owner expects to ship 1,000 tons of ore this winter. Should the ore hold out as at present, it is the intention to run a new tunnel 1,100 feet to tap the ore body at a lower depth, and to afford better shipping facilities.

The St Eugene is going ahead and taking out the usual amount of ore.

It is reported that a six foot ledge of solid galena has been struck in the Aurora across the lake from Moyie.

Mr Morley is putting up a fine store building 18 x 80, two stories, with fire proof cellar.

Seven hotels in town are all doing a good business.

There is every indication that Moyie will make one of the big towns in the district.

Daylight Fireworks.

They tell a good story on Billy Doble of Cranbrook. They say that among the merchandise which he took to Cape Nome was a lot of fireworks for a grand Fourth of July celebration on his arrival he found it was day all the time, and in order to dispose of his wares would require a residence in the country of six months, or until the sun went down. Billy has learned that the midnight sun and aurora borealis are the premier fireworks of Alaska, and that the people enjoy them for a whole night that lasts six months.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1900.

The elections in Great Britain, resulting as they have done, in an overwhelming victory for a conservative government, is of more than passing interest at the present moment to the electors of the Dominion.

In a little less than three weeks the die will be cast and the verdict of the people recorded at the ballot box.

Hugh John Macdonald is the man that will down Sifton; and Tarte is the man that will kill Laurier.

The Dominion leaders think that it is about time that Tarte felt that his rope had an end.

The Indian has almost vanished, but his summer remains.

Sentimental persons will be shocked to learn that Captain Parker when called upon to surrender did not use the word never. "To hell with you," was the Captains retort.

The mine owners are asked to give the two per cent tax law a fair trial before agitating for its repeal. We suppose that this is intended as a sort of kill or cure policy; if your pocket book will stand it all right, if not your business is killed.

The electors of this constituency will consider the political situation and vote accordingly. There are three candidates in the field, and there may be more or less, the issue will remain the same. Local and personal issues will have but little weight, the supreme issue will be are you satisfied with the present government, is it deserving of renewed confidence. It is this issue that the country must decide upon in November.

We wonder if the present conditions of present prosperity have been caused by Liberal legislation during the past four years, or as a fact that eighteen years of beneficial Conservative legislation has placed the affairs of the country in such a condition, that four years of extravagance could not stay the then incoming tide of general prosperity

The coming election has not stirred the political ardor of the different parties in Fort Steele. It is possible however they are working quietly. There is no better way of souring the people than holding meetings and telling the voters what a bad lot the other fellows are, how the country will go to the demnition bow wows unless their man is elected.

Protection.

The lead industry of British Columbia is in a condition that demands protection: the Liberal government has declined to take action, though asked to assist in placing this important industry among the largest revenue producing industries in the dominion. It is the policy of the Conservative party to protect home industries, and a practical demonstation of this policy for eighteen years, was the direct cause of the prosperous condition of the dominion during the past four years, which is claimed by the Liberal party.

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MINERAL ACT.

(FORM F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

SELKIRK, GEM AND GREAT BEAR MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of South East Kootenay District.

Where located:—On Huckleberry Mountain South of and adjoining the North Star group of mineral claims.

Take notice that I, Chas. Estmere, F. M. C. B. 9665, agent for A. S. Goodeve, of Rossland, B. C., Free Miner's Certificate No. 1629, 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 claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 22nd day of August, A.D., 1900.

NOTICE.

Sixty days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works, for permission to purchase the following described land in South East Kootenay. Commencing at the north east corner of N. A. Wallingers application, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, deducting therefrom so much as is covered by the pre-emptions of Charles Chapman, Reuben Rogers, Frank Donavan and Albert Grey, containing 400 acres more or less.

CELIA ROSS.

Fort Steele, B. C., September 11, 1900.

NOTICE.

DAFFODIL MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of East Kootenay District.

Where located: On Huckleberry Hill, near Mark creek.

Take notice that I, Neil McLeod Curran (Agent for the North Star Mining Company, Limited, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 31,570) Free Miner's Certificate No. B 31,573, intend 60 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 the 24th day of July, 1900.

30- NEIL McLEOD CURRAN, Agent.

NOTICE.

Take notice, that in one month after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase the following described land in South East Kootenay District. Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of Perry creek about one fourth of a mile north of French creek, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of beginning.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1900.

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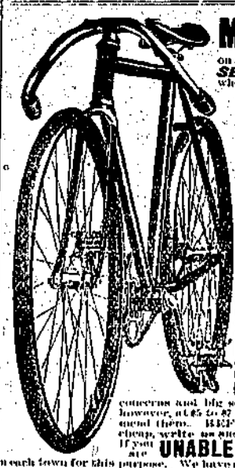

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The Prospector.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1900.

Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—Americans are waking up to the tremendous mineral development now going on in Canada and particularly British Columbia. The Alaskan gold deposits, spectacular as they are, are said to be of really less importance than the iron and coal of Newfoundland and indeed of the whole Labrador peninsula. From the more northerly part of the region on the western side of Hudson's Bay, are coming accounts of the discovery of copper, iron and even gold in ample quantities to repay exploitation. Around Great Slave Lake, for instance, a body of water as large as Lake Erie, the copper deposits are said to be of particular wealth. Further the gold of British Columbia, and the Rainy Lake fields, the coal of Alberta and British Columbia, the iron of Algoma and the nickel of Sudbury are all increasing in importance. The silver-lead deposits of South East Kootenay are among the largest and richest deposits on the American continent. It is evident that the mineral development of Canada is to show remarkable results before many years.

Election Notes.

The laboring man and the wage earner has become accustomed to the anti-election promises of the grit party.

The laboring man has a voice and right to speak and think for himself and vote for a candidate that is in accord with the views of the wage earner.

Conservatives are confident but they must not relax their efforts.

Protection means more employment, more work and more wages; Free Trade the driving of our artisans across the lines and the surrender of our market to the foreign manufacturer. The Conservative party is proud to stand for Protection.

The Laurier Government buys its locomotives, intended for use on the Intercolonial, from American manufacturers, and thus collides with public sentiment in this country. Why should Hon. A. G. Blair's orders help to make our neighbors rich?—Galt Reporter.

All Sorts of Fun.

A woman sent her small boy into the country, and after a week of anxiety received this letter: "I got here all right, but forgot to write sooner. A feller and I went out in a boat and the boat tipped over and a man got me out. I was so full of water I didn't know anything for a good while. The other has to be buried after they find him. A horse kicked me over and I have got to have some money for fixin' up my head. We are going to set an old barn on fire tonight and I should smile if we don't have some bully fun. I shall bring home a tame pole cat if I can get him in my trunk."—Beloit Kans., Call.

Quest of the North Pole.

William Zeigler, a wealthy citizen of New York, announced he would purchase two vessels, fully equipped, and man them and send them in quest of the north pole during the summer of 1901. The expedition is to be in charge of Evelyn B. Baldwin, who was a companion of Lieutenant Peary in his attempts to reach the pole in 1893 and 1894, and also a member of Walter Wellman's expedition.

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It has been whispered in the ears of Laurier and his coterie of adherents that the Liberal party is one of progress. Once conceived they have clung to the idea with a tenacity worthy of a better cause.

NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days from the date hereof I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate on Perry creek in the Fort Steele Mining Division of East Kootenay, British Columbia: Commencing at a post planted at Perry Creek about one-half mile below the old shaft; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to the place of beginning, containing in all 160 acres.

WM. ROBINSON.

Dated at Fort Steele this 18th day of September, 1900.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I, Helen V. Estmere intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B. C., for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted near the old North Star ore road about 300 feet east of the four mile board, thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of beginning. Containing in all 160 acres more or less.

Located Oct. 17th, 1900.

42 HELEN V. ESTMERE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal on the St. Mary's River about two miles above the Indian Reservation. Commencing at the south east corner post, thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

JAMES FOLEY.

Dated at Fort Steele this 15th day of October, 1900. 42

NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days from the date hereof I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:—Commencing at a post at the south west corner of lot Three Hundred and Sixty-Three (363), Group 1, Kootenay District, running thence north one hundred (100) chains; thence west twenty (20) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence west twenty (20) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence west twenty (20) chains; thence south one hundred and eighty (180) chains; thence east twenty (20) chains; thence north forty (40) chains; thence east twenty (20) chains; thence north (40) chains thence east to west bank of Elk river; thence up west bank of said river to south line of Lot 363; thence west to place of beginning. The above described tract to contain one thousand acres.

DANIEL V. MOTT.

Dated, August 15th, 1900. 35

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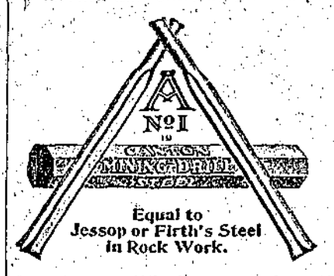

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The Prospector.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1900.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

The new school bell is now on its way to replace the cracked pot, now used as a bell.

Prices are holding very firm in flour, milling goods, with strong tendency to advance, so the proprietor of the Fort Steele Feed Store advises us. This is, therefore, a good time to purchase your winter supply. He has just completed a full stock of flour, meals and breakfast foods. *

Col. Charlesworth and A. B. Fenwick returned from a hunting trip on Saturday last and left on Sunday for another section of the country, to further search for big game.

McMillan Fur & Wool Co.'s price list of October, 1900 is at this office. Those having anything in their line to sell cannot do better than deal with this old reliable firm. *

N. McLeod Curran, manager of the North Star mine, and Harry Brown, were in town on Saturday last.

Get your job printing done at THE PROSPECTOR office.

The Fort Steele Flour & Feed Store proprietor is agent for the Fleetwood Ceylon tea. Try it once and you will use no other. *

The Chinamen who have been working leased ground on Wild Horse creek, are now making a clean up.

T. C. Armstrong has returned from a business trip to Fernie. He reports that the town is quiet at present, notwithstanding the large pay-roll.

It is said that Moyie is going ahead at a rapid rate.

E. J. Cann made a business trip to Moyie on Saturday last, returning on Monday.

The new road up Wild Horse is now well under way. It is doubtful if it will be completed this fall, the appropriation being insufficient.

"Dad" Sprague was in town on Monday taking in the sights.

A Physician is not always at hand. Guard yourself against sudden coughs and colds by keeping a bottle of Pain-Killer in the house. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

The Spokane Exposition closed on Monday last. The attendance was far in excess of any previous year. Aggregating over 100,000 paid admissions.

Robert Little came down from Perry creek on Wednesday.

Thanksgiving day was generally observed in Fort Steele. The stores were all closed and a Sunday air prevaded the town. Most of the folks went to church and later partook of turkey dinner.

When trains are running regularly on the Kootenay Valley railway, passengers can make Spokane in one day.

The Coontown 400 gave a performance on Tuesday evening, those who attended said that it was all right.

The club bachelors gave a dance at the Club on Thursday evening. It was a most enjoyable affair.

As the local campaign makes progress it may grow in interest, it is quite chilly at present, but may get warm later on.

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W. W. Doble wife and family were registered at the Imperial Hotel on Thursday last.

L. Broadwood and F. L. Dunlop of Pincher creek spent a few days in town during the week.

W. F. Gurd the C. P. R. attorney was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Goldie of Windermere who has been mining recorder at that place for several years has been transferred to Fort Steele. Mr. Bullman succeeds him at Windermere.

W. A. Fraser the well known Canadian author is taking a trip over the Crow's Nest line, he was at Pincher Creek last week.

A. W. McVittie of Cranbrook was at Pincher Creek last week.

John S. Lowles of London, England is registered at the Imperial.

M. A. Beale and R. O. Jennings went to visit the Old Abe claim on Saturday last.

North Star shares are now quoted at 95c. with 92c bid. on the Toronto Exchange.

William Haupt has returned from the Windermere country where he has been for several months doing work on mining properties in which he is interested.

The stores in Fort Steele were all closed on Thursday, thanksgiving day.

H. W. Barnes is attending court at Nelson.

St. Mary's road gang will come in today. The road is completed to the lake.

J. F. Armstrong went to Nelson on Friday.

J. A. Harvey went to Moyie on Friday on legal business.

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His Honour the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:

5th September, 1900.

JAMES FERGUSON ARMSTRONG, of Fort Steele, Esquire, Government Agent, to be a Stipendiary Magistrate for and within the County of Kootenay.

11th October, 1900.

JOHN BELMAN of Thunder Hill, Esquire, to be Mining Recorder for the Windermere Mining Division, vice George Goldie, Esquire, transferred to Fort Steele.

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(FORM, P.)
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LITTLE JOHNNY MINERAL CLAIM.

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Where located: On Lewis Creek.

Take notice, that I, James A. Harvey, agent for Peter Jensen, Free Miner's Certificate No. "B" 31561, and Nils Hanson, Free Miner's Certificate No. "B" 39663, A. 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 Improvement.

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ARTHUR J. MOTT.

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