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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1901.

The constant weight on a man's mind is chronic lightness of his pocket. The fullness of most men's thoughts is emptiness of his own purse.

Newspaper men and mine owners are not the only ones who have troubles. Premier Dunsmyth has many, not the least of which is his latest. His own mother is suing him for what she believes to be her own. No wonder James wants his money out of the Noble Five.

Judging from all indications, a new era is about to dawn in British Columbia, and the long list of coalition governments, combinations and irresponsible councils, will, we hope, soon pass into history, if history deem them worthy of space on the pages of our provincial record.—Nelson Miner.

Molybdenite is a mineral of which Lardeauites would be pleased to know more about. This mineral is known to exist here in paying quantities, and were the department of mines to let Provincial Mineralogist Robertson earn his salary this winter by giving us a little practical information concerning it, it would probably assist many prospectors. There is a growing demand for molybdenite, and we should be placed in a position to make the best of our opportunities.

Speaking of the future of this province the Nelson Miner says: With plenty of smelters, a lead refinery, a copper refinery, the mining industry would, indeed, be in an independent position and could afford to snap its fingers at the American lead, smelting and copper trusts. We would then be perfectly independent of them. We have a most wonderful mining country and it is large enough and rich enough to be independent and to stand on its own base. We must have the courage of our convictions, take the initiative more, have self reliance and not be cast down or think the world is coming to an end when obstacles are met, but meet them manfully and in a little while we will be able to show the world what the mining resources of British Columbia really are.

All through the province there are valleys containing lands of the most fertile character, which is awaiting the labor of the husbandman to yield its fruits for the consumption of the people. In almost all cases where this land is found, the conditions exist for placing the products of the soil on the markets promptly and inexpensively, and the market is one which is rapidly becoming greater and more assured. It is a matter of regret, almost of reproach, that so many of the inhabitants of the province who are now earning a bare subsistence, in some cases a precarious one, in the cities and towns as employees in the various manufacturing industries should not have the enterprise to locate on these rich unoccupied

lands where they could very quickly acquire for themselves homes and competencies and assist materially in developing the native resources of the country.—Province.

A careful perusal of the Triane ore returns article elsewhere in this issue should readily convince the average man of the necessity of cheaper and more modern transportation facilities in this district, which, happily, are already being provided by the C. P. R. It may be quite true that there is a fair margin with such high-grade ore as the Lardeau produces—\$200 a ton—but think of the unnecessary waste of money, and the number of lower grade ore producing properties which would become profitable shippers were railway facilities provided. The Lardeau is forging ahead, however, in the face of every obstacle. Here we are, and we find ourselves struggling against a demoralized silver and lead market caused by the manipulation of the big private trusts; the lack of transportation and as a consequence machinery for economical mining; the lack of a progressive and enterprising government; the lack of having our mineral resources liberally advertised across the line where hundreds of men who know how to mine are anxiously looking for such a field as we have to offer; the lack of a refinery which the government alone can build and operate successfully, combating the evil influences of the Uncle Sam's great private trust; the lack of an up-to-date department of mines, all hinging on the lack of a good live industrial government. Oh for a man that will lead us out of this unpleasant predicament. The situation is plain. The mining industry is this province's most important industry. It must be looked after. And our only hope lies in acquiring an equitable redistribution measure, giving us fair representation—the fundamental principle and basis of good government—at the earliest possible date. Then and not till then can the present uncertain and unsettled future be avoided.

ROOTEYAY DIVIDEND-PAYERS.

According to the New York Mining and Engineering Journal, British Columbia has eighteen silver-lead, gold-copper, and silver-copper mines that have paid dividends aggregating \$5,771,337. Of these mines Sloan has seven, with dividends of \$2,230,000 to their credit; Rossland has four with dividends aggregating \$2,169,000; Camp McKinley, in the Y. N. district, has one which has paid \$178,000 to its shareholders; Nelson district has four, with \$447,000 to their credit; and East Kootenay has two, one at Moyie and the other at Kimberly, that have paid \$447,000. When it is taken into consideration that none of these mines, except the Carlboe at Camp McKinley, paid dividends prior to 1895, and that some of them in addition to the dividends paid to shareholders have paid large sums to their owners before the mines were turned over to incorporated companies, the record is one that Kootenay need not be ashamed of (all the mines except the one at Camp McKinley are in Kootenay). What is more, every mine that has paid dividends, with the exception of the Athabasca at Nelson and the War Eagle and Centre Star at Rossland, are at work, with every indication of paying dividends for years to come. No other section of the Pacific Coast can offer a better showing, if the time the mines have been worked is taken into consideration.

The dividend payers and the amounts paid are as follows:

Athabasca, Nelson	25,000
Bosun, New Denver	12,500
Carlboe, Camp McKinley	475,000
Centre Star, Rossland	175,000
Perry, Nelson	10,000
Hall Mines, Nelson	220,000
Idaho, Sloan	262,000
Idaho, Sloan	45,000
Le Roi, Rossland	1,305,000
Le Roi, Rossland	144,000
North Star, East Kootenay	237,000
Payne, Sloan	1,438,000
Queen Bees, Sloan	25,000
Familton-Carlboe, Sloan	120,000
Reo, Sloan	287,500
Queen Bees, Sloan	210,000
War Eagle, Rossland	545,500
Ymir, Nelson	192,000
Total	5,771,337

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE.
SILVER CROWN mineral claim, situate in the Lardeau Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: Kohawk creek, a tributary of Pool creek.
TAKE NOTICE that I, Hector Polier, P.M.C. 186278, acting as agent for myself and George Johnson, F.M.C. 186278, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvement, 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 date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for such certificate of improvement.
Dated this 7th day of November, 1901.
Hector Polier.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE.
MOUNTAIN ROY mineral claim, situate in the Lardeau Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: Kohawk creek, a tributary of Pool creek.
TAKE NOTICE that I, William Bauer, acting as agent for James A. Magee, Free Miner's Certificate No. B. 10886, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvement, 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 date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for such certificate of improvement.
Dated this 10th day of October, 1901.
William A. Bauer, P.L.S.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE.
CANADIAN GIRL mineral claim, situate in the Trout Lake Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On the east side of the north fork of Lardeau creek, about a south easterly extension of the Hog Hog.
TAKE NOTICE that I, O. B. N. Wilkie, acting as agent for E. W. Northey, F. M. C. 184260, F. M. C. E. M. C. 184261, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvement, 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 date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for such certificate of improvement.
Dated this 29th day of August, 1901.
O. B. N. Wilkie.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

To Mike Dwyer and Patrick N. Johnson, or to any person or persons to whom they may have transferred their interests.

TAKE NOTICE that I, the undersigned, co-owner with you in the Copper Key mineral claim, consisting of Saugus, Lion Star, T. and Bushwhacker claims, situated on the head of Lake Erie, in the Trout Lake mining division of West Kootenay, in the province of British Columbia, have expended eight hundred (\$800) dollars in labor and improvement upon the above named mineral claim, in order to hold said group under section 23 of the Mineral Act and in order to comply with the provisions hereof, you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of such expenditure, together with the cost of advertising, for 1901 and in order to comply with the provisions of the Mineral Act 1901, you fail or refuse to contribute your interest in the above named mineral claim, under section 4 of the Mineral Act 1901.
Dated at Fernand, B. C., this 29th day of October, 1901.
J. W. CHISM.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

To C. J. Smith and F. W. Hindale, or to any person or persons to whom they may have transferred their interests.

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Dated at Sandon, B. C., this 15th day of August 1901.
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It is an old saying that "in union there is strength." The trusts believe that in union there is money. So does the workingman who knows his interests.

The London Times editorially endorses socialism. Ah, but does the bloomin' thing has become weally infectious, don't cher know.—Slocan Drill.

Socialism will be a great monopoly, but all the people will be in it. Monopolies being a good thing for those in them, it follows that it will be good for all the people to have an equal interest in them.

Deprive men of the right to make an honest living and you outlaw them from society. That is exactly what the Mongolian invasion is doing for the wage-earners of B. C. If these socially outlawed men occasionally become desperate it should not occasion surprise.—Paystreak.

The government of the province of British Columbia should build a smelter and refinery in the Kootenay and handle lead ore at cost. Silver-lead mining is the most important industry in B. C., but it is up against a combination of circumstances which will strangle it if something is not done to relieve the pressure.—Paystreak

It has ever been true that the men who tried to teach the workers a better condition have been assailed, stigmatized, ostracized and crucified by those who preferred to control and rob the worker. The Christ was heard by the common people gladly—and the ruling, respectable people of his time killed him. Every effort to teach the common people their rights has been met with the club in the hands of the people who rule.—Appeal.

If all the people owned and operated all the means of production there would be no need of labor unions and the consequent friction. We would take our place, as shareholders, in the operating of the means of production; and the profits created by us, would be placed in the public treasury, and not in the hands of private owners as at present. We would produce for consumption only, not profit. This would shorten the hours of labor and improve our social conditions.

In a recent sermon in Toronto, Dr. Langtry, a popular Anglican clergyman, said: "The worst of human crimes, murder, has increased a thousand-fold. I am not thinking of the atrocious murders and more atrocious suicides which defile the columns of our own daily papers. I am thinking of the wholesale murders that are being perpetrated by wives who ought to be mothers, moving, many of them, in the highest ranks of society. The vital statistics leave no doubt that this crime is being committed on an enormous scale. You may depend upon it that in families where there are no children, or where there are only one or two children, in nine cases out of ten there has been murder. And the mothers that ought to have been will be arraigned on the judgment day as murderers, and their husbands, in many cases, as accomplices. Something must be done to stop this enormous iniquity, which is the outgrowth of what is called an educated age."

The editor of a country newspaper has no business to make mistakes. He has no business ever to get anything into his paper that people do not like. He ought to know what would suit each individual, or to have the right to take each item before it is published and let the person whom it concerns censor it. An editor has plenty of time to do all this, as all he has to do is to hunt news and clear rollers, set type and clean the floor, pen short items and hustle advertising, fold papers and write wrappers, make tickets and mail the papers, talk to visitors and distribute type, carry water and read proofs and correct mistakes, hunt the shears to clip articles, dodge the bills and dun the delinquent, take castings and tell subscribers that he needs money. An editor has no business to make mistakes while attending to these trifles like these, and living on oatmeal soup, favoring, imagination, wearing old shoes and no collar, a patch on the equator of his pants, and at the same time turning a smiling countenance on the man who tells him that his paper isn't worth the subscription price and anyone could run a better one with his eyes shut.—Truth. Of course he hasn't.

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