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Ferguson, B. C., October 31st. 1902.

## TOURISTS'

A Party of 30 From the Middle States.

### TO EXAMINE THE EVA MINE

The Big Deals That Have Been Put Through During the Sea son Have Been a Good Adver tisement for Lardeau.

A meeting of the Northwestern Development Syndicate was held last Friday in the company's office, Nelson. A party consisting of about 30 share holders from Michigan were present Very little business was transacted the meeting adjourning for a week until the big party visited the mines. On the Americans accom-Saturday panied by A. H. Gracev, manager of the Imperial Development Syndicate, George Kidd, manager of the Roya Bank; A. Byers, manager of the Mac Machine Co., Trail; A. H. Kelly and H. Bird. of Nelson. The Steamer Roseland took the party in to Comaplix where all available horses in that section had been ordered ahead. The party reached Fish Creek camp Sun night, the Camborne mine was ted Monday and also the new town of Goldfields, which is within a few hundred yards of the mine. On Tues-day the party visited the Eva and returned to Nelson Wednesday.

In prosecuting its plan to build up the largest circulation in the Kootenay, the largest circulation in the Kocienay, and incidentally, in observance of its seventh anniversary, the Trail Creek News is giving to each new subscriber awatch. It is not a full jeweled is watch, but it is a neat perfect running time piece. It is guaranteed for one year and if it, fails to keep accurate time during that period it. will be exchanged for a new one. The pany of watch dealers in the Uniter States. The subscription to the News is \$2 per year, upon receipt of which a watch will be forwarded, together with the Trail Creek News for one year. Remittances should be forwarded by express or postal order to Trail Creek News, Trail, B C.

A big mining deal was closed in Vancouver on Tuesday in the purchase by a syndicate of Indianapolis and Terre Haute, Ind., of the Portland and other claims for \$100,000. These claims are situated about 20 miles south of Nicola lake, on the divide between the Similkameen and Nicola The sale was made by J. E. Base of

Moran on the 25th. The pontifisp-peared in his sedan chair surrounded. Great praise is due to the manager by the papal-court, and was enthusigs. and suff. for their assideous attention tically received by those present, each to the, obsalors and pleasure of the of whost kiesed his hand. The com-pany included representatives of the light municipalities. Moran on the 25th. The pontiff ap-

#### Cyclist's Neck Broken.

Frank D. Elwell of Brooklyn, an international authority on motor eyling and frequent contributor to the magazines devoted to this sport, has been killed near Hicksville, L. I. while parti cipating in a club run.

The head stem of his machine broke as he was speeding along at a fast clip and he was burled to the ground with such force that his neck was broken. Elwell had travelled through Europe, Asia and Northern Africa or the machine that caused his death,

There were 72 cyclists in the party. Elweit was the last man in the string. As the party neared licksville be put on full pawer in order to catch up with the others and while crossing the railway tracks his machine suddenly fell apart. When a physician reached him he was doed

#### Hymenial.

A Wedding took place at Cheadle October 20th, when J. Stxby was united in marriage to Miss Julia Houseman. The bride was robed in a very pretty gown of white muslin and was attended by Florence Belwer, who looked very charming in a pale green gown, low neck and short sleeves, rying a bunch of spear grass. The groomsman Mr. Belwer was attired in groomsman ar. Belwer was attreed in full military uniform, and performed his part very satisfactorily. The hap-py couple left on a pair of cayuses, for a trip to the Blackfoot reserve and other austern points. They expect to be gone about ten days. Rev. Harry ves officiated to the satisfaction all present.-Calvary Herald.

#### Thank sgiving Dance at Haleyon Springs

The annual Tuanksgiving dance at the Halcyon Hot Springs was held there on Friday evening the 16th fins. Guests came from a considerable distance, Phoebix, Roseland, Nelson, Sandon and Nakusp sensing their quotas. The ball and supper rooms were effectively decorated with lettons of cedur, chinese laniers, dequets of autumnal foliage, with their various this and home. The tail The annual Thanksgiving dance at varying tints and hues. The twin flags—the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes were displayed among the

The dancing began at 9:30 p. with the Circussian Circle, led off by Mr. McNaught and Mrs. Garde, of the

Payne mine, Sandon.

The ball room presented an animated picture with its decorations and the pretty costumes of the ladies.

ncing was kept up with great enjoyment until midnight when supp nounced. All trooped over to the dining room, where an excellent supper was served. The salads being specially relished, and Mr. McNaugus specially reliance, and are single pressure in a lew words expressed his pressure in receiving the various guests most of materins. them old friends and patrons, and hoped all would continue to enjoy themselves, and carry away a happy recollection of the occasion.

Thea Capt. Robinson, after ahumor ous quotation from Dickens, in referother good fare, a 'm Sarah Gamp and the good times they were having

The sale was made by J. E. Bate of Kamloops.

A seam of coal six feet wide has been discovered in the centre of the city of Vancouver on Abbets sreet. The find was made while digging for foundations.

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With Judge Miller in Rossland

### ON ARRIVAL FROM LARDEAU

He Tells of the Work Done This Year. Greater Advanced Made Than in Any Two Years of its History.

The Lardeau country has made greater advances this year than in any two previous years in its history," said Judge J. W. Miller this week on his arrival in Rossland from the Lardeau district, where he has spent the entire summer in the interest of the various companies with which he is identified

"The Canadian Pacific Railway." he continued, "has done twice or thrice the business it expected to do when th line was under construction, which is an excellent indication of the country's advance. There has been a very large importation of Machinery of every description and supplies. More rict strikes have been made in old proper ties and more valuable new properties located than was ever the case in any one year previously, and the conditions are decidedly favorable.

The operators on the Dancan river side of the Trout Lake divide expec transportation sext spring. The Grea Northern, or interests closely allied with Dr. Hill's, have had their ongin-eer-Mr. Gray-in the Duncan Valley all reason.

"I have not been able to secure de inite statement from the Great tion will be started, but I am satisfier that it will be next spring and that a chat it will be next spring and that an electric road will be built."

Judge Miller is actively identified

with the management of the Old Gold, Princose, Guines Gold and Marie Mulila properties, all operating in the Old Gold camp on the Duncan rive side of the divide. Hastates that ex celleat progress has been made with thes during the past season, and that the Guinea Gold particularly has shown up splendidly: On the Old Gold the principal work during the summer was the driving of a 324 tun nel to tan the vein at a vertical depth of some 200 feet. A crosscut has been run to intersect the ore and this ha almost been attained. In the uppe almost been attained. In the upper workings a shaft was suck some 20 feet on the vein now being tapped at depth. It was shown to carry eight to fourteen inches of solid ore averaging \$100 per

In company with D. Gifford of Min neapolis, managing director of the Marie Marilla and Guinea Gold com maries, Judge Miller brought out a shipment of 15 tons of ore from the Old Gold Camp. The ore will be sent to the Trai smelter for test purposes The Eva mine, the biggest free-gold

property in the Lardeau camp, which experts estimate there is eno pay ore blocked out to keep a pay ore blocked out to keep a ten-stamp mill running fer four years, wa-recently sold to a company of tider-writers. A company to be known as Calumet and British Columbia Gold Mines, Ltd. to be incorporated under the laws of this province, is taking over the property on which active work will be started at once.—Mining News.

The Eaton strike is still on in Tor

Will Visit King Edward

Emperor William of Germany, and King Charles of Portugal will visit King Edward on Nov. 8. It is expected that the meeting of the three monarchs will result in important international understandings, pecially as regards South Africa more particularly Delagoa Ray, which is so important to Great Britrin as an for her newly acquired colonies The Portuguese government appears to be willing to transfer some portion of its South African territory to British rule. Germany objects to Britain securing such an advantage, unless Portugal is willing to placate Germany by granting her some similar concessions. It is believed that before the visitors leave England a bargain will be arranged.

#### C. P. R. Lands

It is not long since the general opinable ty dispose of its land grant within the next hundred years.

the next hundred years.

A vear ago the road had about 18,000,000 acres of land on its hands, today, it has not more than 15,000,000, and the sales of 1902 will probably total 3,000.000 acres. The time when it will not have an acre of land on its hands for sale, therefore, appears to be within measurable distance. The land office is crowded daily with land isno one is croyded daily with land seekers and speculators, and the purchasers are not now confined to the Western States, but the fever for so-curing lands in Western Canada has spread until there are purchasers from nearly every state in the union, here.—Calgary Herald.

#### Aid For Ferguson Hospital.

The miners and business men of Ferguson have united to creet a hospi-tal here. This is an absolute pecessity as there is no place in which we dont happen to have a home of his own. There has been about \$1.500 subscribed towards the hospital locally and the Eagle has been requested to receiv ubscriptions from outside points which will be acknowledged through the columns of the Eagle each week There is something like \$1.500 more to raise and we hope that those who have made money in this camp will remen who work away from th comforts of older communities and send work. The hospital will be owned and operated by the members of Lardeau Miners' Union. Address all subscrip

#### A Lady Mountaineer.

Mount Sir Donald, in the Canadian tockies, which rises to the height of 10,700 feet, has just been conquered for the second time by the foot of a wo Boston, accompanied by two of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's guides, reached the summit. The woman pioneer of Mount Ser Donald is Mrs. Berens of Kent, who made the ascent when on her honeymoon trip around the world several months ago. She was the more apxious to make the ascent as she had heard that a Phila delphia lady was eager to gain th

#### THE CHURCHES.

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The property which this company will operate is the famous Beatrice at the head of Mohawk creek near the Oyster-Criterion. The Capitalization of the company is \$500,000. The Bea trice has the reputation of being one of the best properties in the Lardeau and with the strong company that now has it something good should be heard from that source. There was considerable of development work done on the property during the past year add several rich strikes were made. One particularly rich lead of free gold was encountered about a month since and another silver-lead lead has been another siver-lead load and been found quite recently. The galens found on the property is very high grade, carrying a lot of grey copper. It is the intention of the company to do extensive development work dur ing the winter and next season the Beatrice will be found one of the largest shippers in the Lardeau. an nere. This is an absolute neces extentpers in the Lardeau. If there is the reis no place in which we was a good wagon road to Boaton the ran properly care for a sick man who Be trice could whip a high grade quality of ore continuously.

#### County Court.

County court was held at Trout Lace on Tuesday of this week, the Hon. Justice Forin Presiding, when the following short docket was disp. and of:

Davis vs. Mountain Lion Co. This was an adjourned case from the Sep-tember court. After hearing the evidence His Honor decided that J. R. Davey was not in a position to bind the company by what he did and there-fore the case was dismissed with costs. R. Hodge for plaintiff, F. C. Elliot for defendent.

The next case was McKinley ve Gordon & Slinger. This was an action to recover from defendents an amount due plaintiff by Andy Cummings for wages when said Cummings owned the Balmoral hotel. Plaintiff alleged that Balmoral notel. Plaintiff alleged that defendants agreed to pay the claim when they took over the hotel. His Honor held that such an agreement was not proven, but that defendants simply agreed to pay plaintiff at 0 proceeds of the Cummings book acounts that might be collected. counts that might be concluded. The action was accordingly dismissed with costs. R. Hodge for plaintiff, A. J. Gordon conducted the accence for salf and partner.

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#### EDITORIAL NOTES.

The progress made during the season now closing in the building and general improvement line in Ferguson has been satisfactory. There has not been so much building on the main street as was expected but most of the buildings in the business part of the town were altered or improved by paint or balcony and this portion of the town presents a smarter appearance than it did a year ago. It was, however, in the residential portion where the advanced. Several new streets were cleared and opened up, a number of dwellings were erected, and others were enlarged. A large hospital was built and altogether there is a marked improvement in the general appearance of the town.
One year ago Ferguson was a
small village while today she
has risen to the dignity of a town, and a town having most of the modern conveniences that go to provide comfort and contentment for its citizens. A year ago Arrowhead was the nearest express office. Now there is one at Trout Lake but four miles distant. Lest fall steamboat connection with the railway was 16 miles distant, now it is but four. Thus Ferguson is progressing and emerging steadily and surely from her isolation in the wilderness, so to speak.

It is but reasonable to hope that ere another twelve months have wung round Ferguson may have direct railway connection.

What is bringing about this advancement? Not the push and enterprise of her citizens, ob no, except in a few instances. It is the great mineral wealth in the hills about Ferguson that is boosting town and district. The rich ores of the camp have attained a world wide reputation and the camp is only beginning to reap the benefits. Truly the camp has a bright future in store as well as Ferguson town.

Last winter Ferguson had a very good literary and debating society which continued to hold interesting meetings till late in the spring. Had it not been for these literary gatherings once a week Ferguson ites would have found time dragging heavily during the winter. It appears to us that steps should be taken to organize a similar society for the coming winter. While the meetings, of last winter were successful and interesting a similar organization should prove even ings belong to its policy hold more successful in 1902-3, for the For rates, etc., apply to agent, town is larger and we consider there has been a considerable acquisition in talent. Let us hold a meeting and organize something;

parliament. We believe the latter would be preferable, it would at There is no least be a change. reason why ladies should not take part as freely in a mock parliament as in a literary society, and we believe the former is more succes-ful in bringing out and developing latent talent than a literary so

We will take it upon ourselves to call a meeting to consider the advisability of organizing, and we trust there may be a representative turnout of citizens. Eagle hall will therefore be open at 8 o'clock Tuesday night, Nov 4th, for a meeting and all are invited to be present.

The weather all over the Lardeau is delightful and has been all fall. This has been an important factor in helping forward the work that is being most vigorously prosecuted in the Ferguson camp. The building of tramways, the installation of compressor plants, electric light and waterworks can be accomplished so much better and more cheaply with warm dry days and a clear Most autumns find sky overhead. a lot of work left unfinished on ac count of wet, cold weather! People have a bad tendency to leave work off too late and the work laid out cannot be finished. This season has proven an exception in the Lardeau for the long spell of good weather has given the most tardy a

If a stray dam-n should be found anywhere in the columns of the Eagle this week, we trust our readers will treat such wicked profanity in a spirit of lenience. excuse will be that both the editor and the printer spent more time than we would care to admit in putting up a stove pipe that stretched we the type cases. The wicked devil just stood back and laughed.

The annual convention of the Press Association of British Columbia will be held at Halcyon Hot Springs, B.C., November 9th. J. Dean of the Nelson Daily News, will preside. There are now over 20 newspapers represented in the association. secretary.

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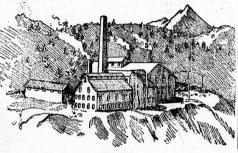
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#### Local and General.

The furniture has arrived for the hospital.

Miss. S. Gardiner left for Nelson on Wednesday.

F. C. Elliott of Trout Lake was in Forgueon Thursday.

A lacrosse team from England may

Mrs. Anderson of the half way house was a visitor in Ferguson Thursday.

H. T. Lockyrn and F. S. Fiudlay, redresenting the Hudson Bay Co. were in town Monday.

Harry C. Adams of Spokane, was killed in the Le Roi mine at Rossland on Saturday last.

Mrs. J. C. Smith and children returned on Monday from a visit to relitaves in Eastern Canada.

Three million dollars has been spent in the erection of new buildings in Winnipeg this year.

J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M. L. A. of Nanaimo, has transferred his allegince from the Labor to the Socialist

TheC. P. R. Hotel at. Banff is being enlarged, the work is going on rapidly and will be ready for the accommodation of guests pezt season.

H. Byers, Nelson; A. McCallister, Winnpieg; Geo. O'Madigan, Nel-son and A. Buca ris, Kaslo, registered at the Windsor Tuesday.

San Francisco bas sold 25,000 tons of No. 1 wheat to Australian buyers. Prices are higher now than at any time since 1898. It is predicted that it will soon be \$1 33-

The Boer farmers who are visiting Canadian points for the purpose of studying agriculture, are now in On-tarlo. They will reach British Columbis on November 8th:

The C. P. R. dining car department are now giving break fast and luncheon a la carte or full mea's at \$1. Previous to this luncheon was the only a la carte meal.

Astronomers have announced that a comet is travelling towards the earth at the rate of 3,000,000 miles a day and during the next month will be visible in the north eastern sky.

Medicine F.at, Assa., has four gas wells, averaging 600 feet in depth. The municipality owns both gas and water plants and are usaking preparations to heat and light the town.

We trust theresmay be a large turn-out to the meeting in Eagle hall Tues day night. The purpose is to organ-ize a popular society for entertain-ment and mutual benefit to meet weekly during the winter months.

A certificate of incorporatiod has A certificate of incorporation has been issued, says the Gazette, to the Beatrice Mines, Limited, capital \$6000,000, in 50 cent sbares, to acquire and operate the Beatrice, Folsom and Edmond claims on Mohawk creek,

Mrs. Kirknatrick recently received a copy of Mrs. Knox's new book.
"Justa Hamilia's Vocation." Mrs. Knox is the wife of Prof. Knox of Wampeton, North Dakota, who were gueste of Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick this

A. M. Stokes came dewn from the Triune Tuesday to meet his pife and daughter who arrived from Gress Val-ley, Novada Co. Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Stokes are at present guests at the Ferguson hotel but will take up their residence here shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter are now com-fortably settled in their new cot ge on Railway arenue. This house con-sists of four large rooms, also butt, pantry and woodshed on the first floor and one very large room in the second storey. The latter will not be finished until next year.

The Dockhobors of the N. W. Thave potitioned the Provincial government asking that they lee allowed to move to British Columbia, stating they are not allowed to practice their religion as they would wish. Their religion bolds they must obey the laws of so country. The B. C. executive have declined to entertain the proposition.

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MRS. J. R. E. CHURCHILL Waialua, Oahn, Hawaiian Islands.

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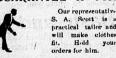
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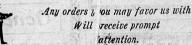
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