

MINING OUTLOOK IN THE YUKON

Big Record is Prevented by Delay in Placing the Equipment

Yukon, B. C., Oct. 9.—October 9th of the Canadian Yukon Dredging company arrived from the Yukon on the Princess Royal.

It is possible for the Canadian-Yukon Dredging company to receive the extra parts and new appliances...

Last fall, for instance, had they been properly prepared, they could have run until the middle of November...

The extra parts for the old dredge are not the only cause of disappointment to the company.

Mr. Borden's Tour. Westsikwin, Alberta, Oct. 9.—R. L. Borden, M.P., accompanied by Dr. J. E. Reid, M.E., J. G. Bergeron, M.P., M. S. McCarty, M.P., and W. E. Cockburn, M.P., arrived at Westsikwin last evening...

Robbers at Woodstock. Woodstock, Ont., Oct. 9.—The night operator at the C. P. R. station here was held up by masked men early this morning...

BANKS GO UNDER. Money Stringency Makes Itself Felt in Different States. Baltimore, Md., Oct. 9.—Receivers were today appointed, on the application of Alexander H. Robertson...

Kalamazoo, Mich., Oct. 9.—The Union Bank of Kalamazoo, and the Bowman bank of this city, both private institutions, have closed their doors...

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NICOLA COAL TIPPLES. C. P. R. Spur to Mines is Complete and Cars Are Now Under Tipples.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 9.—Another chapter in the development of the Nicola Valley Coal & Coke company's mine is now being written...

HANDLOGGERS GUILTY. Charge Was That of Stealing Boom of Logs From an Indian at Albert Bay.

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 9.—Fred Westergaard and Louis Seavey, two handloggers from Alert Bay, occupied the Justice Court all day Monday.

NEW ROAD WILL BE BEAUTIFUL

Victorians Visit the Route Now Being Laid Out by Surveyor Dennis

A party of Victorians interested in the proposed new road from Goldstream along Saanich Inlet to the existing road at Mill Bay, took a trip over the portion of the route on Sunday...

It will be remembered that an effort was made at the last session of the house to get an appropriation for this road, but the work of education was not yet complete...

On Sunday the party followed the surveyor's stakes as far as the tunnel on the E. & N., at which point the road is only about 200 yards from 150 feet beneath the surface...

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Two routes for the power line from the plant to Vancouver, had been laid out, one along the shore of Howe sound, a distance of sixty-one miles, and the other over the mountain, a distance of forty-seven miles.

The plant when completed will have cost in the neighborhood of a million and a quarter dollars.

SHORTAGE OF FOOD AMONGST THE INDIANS. Chilcotin Are Hunting in the Territory of the Shuswap—Animal and Bird Life Scarce.

The condition of the Stewart-Lake and Chilcotin Indians is a serious one this year, according to the statement of P. Babcock, who has just returned from a visit to the Upper Fraser.

For the first time in a number of years the Chilcotin Indians have encroached upon the hunting grounds of the Shuswap Indians. Unable to obtain a sufficient supply of salmon to ride them over the winter, they are hunting beaver and bear and laying in supplies of berries against the cold season.

Mr. Babcock encountered several bands of Chilcotins in the Quessell Forks hunting grounds. Mr. Babcock, upon his return to the city, received a letter from Father Thomas at the William Lake mission, near the 100-Mile House, at the headwaters of the Fraser.

Mr. Harris' report, giving reliable estimates of the cost of building the road, is awaited with great interest. The work has been over part of the route say it will be a much easier and less expensive job than was anticipated, and all agree on the great benefits it will confer, whether from the point of view of land settlement, of attracting tourist traffic or of healthy enjoyment for the citizens of Victoria.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Rev. William H. Healy, former president of the Nova Scotia Methodist conference, has been appointed superintendent for New Brunswick and Newfoundland Methodist missions.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—The affidavit upon which a reprieve was granted in the case of Frank Capelle, the Italian undergrounder, was today read by Justice Michael McCormick at Parry Sound, was filed at Osgoode Hall today. It was sworn to by Albert McCallum, a resident of Parry Sound, who says Capelle was dancing with Mrs. McCormick and the latter kissed him. The horse, who was lying on the bed, got up and attacked Capelle, and the latter killed McCormick in defending himself.

FARMERS HEAR GOOD ADDRESSES

Mr. Kydd and Miss Rose Speak at Colwood Inlet

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"J. E. Smart, Esq., Secretary British Columbia Agricultural Association, 'Dear Sir: Before leaving your city for another year we, the undersigned exhibitors at your annual exhibition, desire to express our thanks for the courteous treatment we have received at the hands of yourself and your able assistants during the fair just closed. We have attended many exhibitions, but never in our experience have we met with such an obliging set of officials as had charge of the Victoria exhibition. No effort was too great for any member of the committee, and all appeared anxious to do their utmost to make our visit to your city a pleasant one. We are pleased, indeed, to see your exhibition assume the proportions it has this year and hope that next season will see a still further advance. We are always pleased to visit Victoria, but when we are made to feel at home, as we have been this year, we will be still more anxious to come again next year. Of course, there are several improvements that can be made, but we do not expect to see all changes made in one year. We have heard with regret some severe criticism on the management regarding the conduct of the exhibition and take this opportunity of expressing our disapproval of any such tactics. Many of us have exhibited from as far east as Halifax and as far south as California, but never yet have we seen a better regulated fair than that of Victoria. Without exception, we have yet to witness a single case of intoxication on the fair grounds of Victoria. This, in our opinion, is one matter that your committee may well feel proud of. Although there is a bar conducted in connection with the fair, we are prone to believe that this manner of dealing with the liquor question is far ahead of any we have ever experienced, as the committee is thus enabled to control the sale. In many fairs we have visited, where liquor is forbidden, we have witnessed more intoxication than we have ever seen during the Victoria exhibition of all our years of experience of exhibiting in your city. Many signs of improvement were noticeable to us on our entry to the grounds, and we take this opportunity to congratulate the citizens of Victoria on their public spiritedness in purchasing the beautiful grounds that are now the property of the association. The improvements are very noticeable, and now that the land has been secured we hope that next year will see them greatly improved. There are many matters to which we might refer, but the foremost of all is our appreciation of your courtesy. Among your committee you have several able witnesses. In Dr. Tolmie you have one who does much to advance the interests of the fair. He is obliging, courteous, and indefatigable in his efforts to make the exhibition a success. In Mr. George Sangster you have an ideal manager of the stock department, and no better, in our estimation, could be secured if the country was gone over with a rake. During the fair he has been in attendance morning, noon and night, and only those who have attempted it can realize the difficulties he meets with. We desire to thank Dr. Tolmie and Mr. Sangster for the assistance they have given us and hope that next year will see them still with you. In conclusion we desire to express our appreciation at the action of the committee in securing the assistance of such proficient judges as have acted this year. Mr. Taber, Mr. Guardhouse and Mr. Kydd have done much to instill a kind feeling in our hearts, and we only hope you have such an obliging set of judges next year and in years to come. In many cases they have gone out of their way to give us information as will tend to improve our stock; but not only this; they have fellows well met, and are anxious to do their share towards making the exhibition a success. In conclusion, we desire to congratulate you on the brilliant success you have made of the exhibition of 1907 and only hope that the fair of 1908 will be as successful. We are, yours very sincerely, T. L. Mercer, Markdale, Ont.; A. D. Paterson, Inverchona, Inverchona, Ont.; Skirmy, Vernon; Alex. Davie, Ladner; S. Morley, Ladner; H. M. Vasey, Chilliwack; C. Moss, North Saanich; D. Montgomery, Fort Guelph; G. Shannon, Cloverdale; Quick Bros., Saanich; J. H. Wilkinson, Chilliwack."

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