The Albion Iron Works

Hive of Industry That Adds Greatly to Victoria's Wealth and Importance

Large Order for Stoves Filled Without Turning a Hair—A Modern Plant.

Fifteen dray loads of stoves—fifty-nine tons, actual weight—was the unusual procession which passed down Government street on Thursday last, and which the photographer has here pictured as the long line was about to leave the Albion Iron Works Co.'s factory. The stoves, as has already been mentioned a few days ago, are to fill a "rush" order received from the Imperial authorities, and are consigned to the officer commanding the troops at Shanghai. They number two hundred, and the facilities of the local concern to handle such large orders may be judged when it is stated that the consignment was ready three days ahead of the time allowed, but six days having been consumed in preparing the shipment. Nor is this all, for Mr. R. B. Seabrook, the energetic manager of the works, states that his company could duplicate this order in a few days. The goods go forward to the Orient by steamship Empress of China, and are intended for warming the winter quarters of the British army in China—heating stoves being the pattern ordered. In addition to the stoves there were 400 elbows and 4,200 feet of pipes, the whole being packed in 217 crates.

STOVES SHIPPED BY ALBION IRON WORKS COMPANY TO FILL ONE ORDER.

Photo. by Munn.

As showing the vast dimensions of this branch of the business of the Albion company, it may be mentioned that they carry constantly on hand at least 1,000 stoves of all kinds and patterns, and a visit to their show rooms on Store street and Chatham street will amply repay the trouble. This department is under the personal superintendence of Mr. Thos. Wood, whose seventeen years' experience is sufficient guarantee that all the work in his branch of the establishment is strictly first-class. The growth of the stove business has been astonishing, and is evidence that the home-made article is winning a deservedly high place in the public estimation. During the past three years the turn over in Mr. Wood's department has quadrupled and, to come down to still more recent events, showing the trend of the sympathies of the provincial housekeeper, over 50 stoves and ranges were sold last week up to Wednesday. These orders come from all parts of the province and the far North—Dawson being a particularly good customer of the local stove foundry.

A trip through the stove factory is a very interesting hour's work, and the thousand and one different processes and articles which go to make up the tout ensemble of the majestic looking finished article may be inspected in detail when in the crude—right from the prosaic looking "pig" up to the highly finished, nickeled fittings. All are made right on the spot. During this year 12 new patterns of ranges have been added, and yesterday a lunch "French range" for a Vancouver hotel was being made ready for shipment. These ranges are made in all sizes, one which was supplied to the enterprising proprietor of the Dominion hotel, being capable of cooking for a whole battalion at a time. So far this year the turn-over represents over 1,000 stoves, while the output exceeds 1,200. All the most modern machinery is installed, and the stoves, ranges, grates and fenders produced are of the very best and strictly up-to-date in all particulars. Silver, nickel, brass and copper plating are done, and just now the factory has in hand some amalgam plates for the Wreck Bay Mining Company. These are large sheets of copper, which are placed in a bath, and by means of an electric current the sheet of silver suspended on either side of the plate is gradually eaten away and deposited on the surface of the copper.

But the most important part of the Albion Iron Works is of course the iron works itself, and while speaking of the stoves, a word may not be uninteresting in regard to the immense establishment which, through its well-earned reputation in engineering and the magnitude of its operations, has had no small share in making Victoria the important commercial and shipping port it is. "Anything from a needle to a battleship" might with truth be adopted by this company for its motto, for a few years ago they had practically to re-build a portion of the hull of one of the first-class cruisers. Although the injunction, "No admittance except on business," has of necessity to be displayed at every turn, no more pleasant and instructive way can be found to pass a pleasant (if noisy) hour or two than in a visit to this hive of industry—always provided the necessary permit to loaf has been obtained; otherwise a hasty and ignominious exit is the result. Having appeased the ever-watchful guardian of the works, or, better still, under the guidance of the obliging manager, Mr. Seabrook, one is ushered into the machine shop, where at this time the astonishingly large number of 25 separate and distinct engines, varying from 6 horse-power up to 90 horse-power, are being constructed simultaneously. Besides these, two dozen other engines (in this establishment such items as these can be counted by the dozen) are already set up and ready for delivery. If there be any Victorians who have doubts of the permanency of their city, let them get permission and see what manner of work the Albion Iron Works are doing, and it will go a very long way towards removing their doubts as to this city's ultimate destiny.

The piece de resistance of the boiler shop just now is a 14½-foot boiler for the steamer Pilot, and with these 14½ feet of steel plate towering above the workers, it takes but little to imagine the boiler turned into a comfortable-sized cabin. The rivetting is done by a patent hydraulic rivetter having a maximum pressure of 100 tons on the ram. Immediately in rear of this piece of machinery is direct driven pair of rolls weighing 42 tons and capable of handling the largest boiler-plates like so much tin foil.

The store-room, which is more like a huge warehouse, is a model in itself, and was planned by Mr. Seabrook. It is perfectly arranged, and every individual piece of the 2,800 tons of bar iron, pipe, screws, nuts, bolts, etc., can be picked out and handled without loss of a moment and with the greatest ease.

About 200 hands are employed by the company in its works, and as the entire total of its pay-roll is spent in Victoria, it can be seen at a glance what an important item this one concern is in the commercial life of this city. To extend the works as they have done in the past few years argues well of the idea of this city's permanency entertained by the company and its manager, and it goes without saying that by a liberal patronage of home production the public should show its appreciation of the Albion Iron Works Company.

THE MINERS' SORE FEET.

A Source of Distress and Suffering Which Many Miners Avoid By Using Dr. Chase's Ointment.

The sale of Dr. Chase's Ointment in British Columbia is enormous, and on enquiry it is found that it is used by miners in large quantities as a cure for chafed, sore feet, made so by wearing heavy boots and being continually on foot.

Every miner who reads this will appreciate the value of an ointment which promptly gives relief to this and every other form of irritated and itching skin. In order that you may try Dr. Chase's Ointment for yourself, we make the following offer:

To every miner who will send his name and address, mention this paper, and enclose a two-cent stamp to pay postage, we shall send post-paid a sample box of Dr. Chase's Ointment. It is indeed the miner's friend, for besides curing chafing and itching skin, Dr. Chase's Ointment is an absolute cure for piles. Sixty cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

GRAND FORKS MINING.

Smelter's Second Furnace Will Blow In on Monday.

Grand Forks, Oct. 6.—William Yolen Williams, general superintendent of the Miner-Graves syndicate, has left on a business trip to Chicago. On his way East he will visit Butte and several Colorado mining camps, with a view of inspecting the methods of mining in vogue in various properties. If time permits, he will also visit the copper region on the south shore of Lake Superior. As soon as additional ore cars are provided the syndicate, the mines at Phoenix will ship 600 tons of ore per day to the Granby smelter. Next spring it is proposed to quarry ore from the surface of the Knob Hill without restricting operations in the underground workings. The working force will soon number three hundred men. Mr. Williams, in a recent report, estimated the number of tons in sight above the tunnel level of the Knob Hill at 1,416,000 tons. He figured out that it would average $8.37 per ton. According to this estimate, the value of the ore in sight is $11,857,920. The width of the ledge has not yet been determined, but it has been proven for a width of nearly 250 feet. The workings in the various mines of the syndicate exceed one mile in length. Between seven and eight thousand feet of work have been done on the City of Paris group, in Central camp. The figures for the Majestic group, in the same camp, are 1,000 feet.

The second furnace of the Granby smelter will not be blown in until Monday, when large supplies of coke from Furnie will have arrived. During his recent visit here, President Shaughnessy, of the C. P. R., promised that no more delays in securing an ample supply of coke would be experienced.

P. Johnson, of Cascade, B.C., has returned from the Similkameen district. He recently completed one hundred feet of work on the Mogul, situated on Kennedy mountain, across the river from the famous Copper mountain. He says he has a 100-foot ledge of sulphide ore, and to have obtained assays of 20 per cent. copper, as well as $10 in gold values. Another arrival from the Similkameen was H. L. Jones, of Rossland. He is interested in the Sunrise, on Copper mountain, and the Brooklyn and Majestic, on Kennedy mountain. He is enthusiastic respecting the future of the district. The Brooklyn and Majestic are adjoining claims. The are traversed by two ledges about 400 feet apart. From the Brooklyn he says he obtained assays of 12 per cent. copper and $4 gold. Mr. Jones will leave shortly for the East, for the purpose of floating a company to acquire the Kennedy mountain properties. Speaking about the Sunset mine, of which R. A. Brown, of Grand Forks, is president, he said: "I consider the Sunset the biggest proposition in British Columbia. The ore body, all of which has high values, has already been determined to be 80 feet wide, and how much wider only future work will disclose."

J. C. Drewry, managing director of the Canadian Gold Fields and the St. Eugene Consolidated, gave your correspondent seme interesting information about the operation of both companies. The former company is developing the Sunset-Wellington group, a silver-lead proposition, at Whitewater, B. C. The workings on the Wellington are being extended to tap the Sunset vein. The property is situated about seventeen miles from Kaslo. The ore is stated to average 200 ounces of silver and between 60 and 70 per cent. lead per ton. The engineer in charge is W. H. Jeffery. The St. Eugene group comprises the Lake Shore, Moyie and St. Eugene mines, as well as the claims Queen of the Hills, Peter, Luretta, Menelek, Lake View, Trade Dollar, Dude and St. John. Just now the Queen of the Hills is being developed through the workings of the Moyie. A 400-ton concentrator produces daily 100 tons of concentrates, which average $40 per ton, and which are shipped to a smelter at Great Falls, Montana. The values are in silver and lead. A three-years' ore supply has been blocked out. The ore shutes vary from four to twenty-six feet in width, the ore concentrating on the average three for one. The company shipped 1,800 tons of concentrates of lead to a smelter in Chili (the ore being used as a flux), and recently an order for an additional 4,000 tons was received from the same source. It is capitalized for $3,500,000, the parent company, the Canadian Gold Fields, being an extensive shareholder.

Student—Which is correct, "Cream cheest is one of the best dishes there is," or "Cream cheese is one of the best dishes there are?"

Professor—Neither. I don't like cream cheese.—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

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SICK HEADACHE.

A BANDIT'S EXECUTION.

Episode That Broke the Quietude of the Region of the Bohemian Frontier.

From Chambers' Journal.

"And don't you find it very dull up here all alone?" I asked. "'No,' he answered, 'not so dull as you might think, by any means. You see, there is plenty of game to be had, large and small, for the shooting; the scenery is delightful to me, who, like you, am a bit of an artist, and then the banditti usually provide a little additional excitement.' 'What!' I said, 'are there banditti around here then?' 'Yes,' he answered, most certainly, though not in the direction from which you have come. But as you proceed into Bohemia you will find the mountains infested with them, and I shall send an escort down with you to-morrow, indeed, in these piping times of peace it is chiefly to escort travellers through the mountains that we are here. You will have a specially strong escort to-morrow, though, as we had confined in the fort a notorious bandit we captured only yesterday in a raid on his hiding place, and to-morrow I shall send him down to Rabensburg for trial. There is no doubt what his fate will be. Two murders have been proved against him, and there are many unproved ones and hundreds of robberies down to his name. It is, as you say, a long way to send him, but Rabensburg is our headquarters, and he will be tried by the military there. But you must be tired and glad to get to bed.' So saying, he showed me to a small bedroom and left me to my slumbers.

"I was awakened early by the sound of a bugle, and was soon out to enjoy the fresh air and fine scenery. I was immediately struck by the strong position of the fort, the site on which it was built being admirably adapted for defence. The road, if road it could be called—perhaps pass would be a better word—here ran for a full mile in a kind of glen or gully, lined on either side by lofty and precipitous rocks, which, towering up high on each side, left only a narrow way in the middle. Standing in the centre of this gully you could look along the path about half a mile each way at which distance it came to a stop, the road suddenly dipping down on one side to Rabensburg and on the other towards a forest. It was in the middle of this valley or rather cutting, that the fort had been built, stretching across the narrow way from one wall to the other, so that, if necessary, the road could be blocked and swept completely by the guns of the fort. In times of peace the fort had a gate left permanently open, allowing travellers to walk right through it and pursue their way to the further side.

"My friend, the lieutenant, soon joined me, and I remarked on the strong position held by the fort. 'Yes,' said he, smiling, 'I think we could give a good account of ourselves before an enemy could pass along the road from end to end,' and he pointed to the three guns mounted on each side, commanding the two roads. A large one was in the middle, and a smaller one was on each side of it, and formidable they looked. He said I might leave them at noon when the escort for the prisoner would be ready. Hardly had he finished speaking when a shout was heard in the fort, followed by a report of a rifle and a babel of cries. The officer rushed down to see what was the matter, I following him closely. Arrived at the square, we found a crowd of soldiers assembled round a man lying on the ground, bleeding profusely from a wound in the shoulder. The officer was quickly told the cause of the tumult. The bandit, while being led out of his cell preparatory to being taken away, had suduenly stabbed a soldier with a hidden knife, and, taking advantage of the surprise he had created, had escaped from the fort, though a sentry had fired at him. He was soon descried flying down the road which led to the forest, and several men started in pursuit. The officer was about to follow th when a grizzled veteran touched his [illegible] and said a few words to him. [illegible] shoul[illegible] quite sure you can do it, gun[illegible] Are y[illegible] the lieutenant. 'Perfectly [illegible] certain, sir,' [illegible] plied the old soldier. '[illegible] will lay [illegible] on it she will not fail [illegible] as at this [illegible] life.' 'Very well, then,' said the lieut[illegible] moment.' 'I call the men.' The bugle ra[illegible] enant, re-'Pursue,' [illegible] turned and s[illegible] out, and their steps to the fort. 'Ar[illegible] only retirac[illegible] on, 'it is out best chanc[illegible] for them [illegible] never catch him. Just [illegible] for they co[illegible] he is going at! I w[illegible] look at the [illegible] scoundrel for anyth[illegible] could not lose [illegible] take him alive, w[illegible] ing, and if we c[illegible] that fate and take hi[illegible] dead.' Several [illegible] been acting at the fugitive wit[illegible] his piles, but without success, so he [illegible] their them to desist, as it was only [illegible] ordered away ammunition. [illegible] throwing

"Lighting a cigarette he sat [illegible] down and calmly watched the ever lessen[illegible] ing form of the bright[illegible] I now went up [illegible] to him and asked the reason of this stran[illegible] sympathy on the part of the garrison. '[illegible] Hurry, my friend,' replied h[illegible] don't be in a hurry, we are not so lazy and foolish [illegible] smiling; 'we think. Listen to me.' He [illegible] doubtless you that just as he was also s[illegible] when explained of the fugitive the old gu[illegible] starting in pursuit that there was a far q[illegible] ner had told him method of arresting hir[illegible] slicker and surer suit. The big gun in th[illegible] than that of pur part on that side had [illegible] e centre of the ram[illegible] trained to throw [illegible] by consent practice, in the middle of the n[illegible] its projectile exactly it dipped out of sig[illegible] arrow path just before permanently in th[illegible] rt, and had been kept lieutenant, 'we[illegible] s position. 'And,' the ready to swear t[illegible] on, 'Gunner Muller is that gun will hi[illegible] nt a ball or shell from the [illegible] the exact spot provided case, all we ha[illegible] been [illegible] Now, in that friend gets on [illegible] ve to do is to wait till our you and.' Yo[illegible] er near that spot, and there to turn to the [illegible] was, it is impossible for him the pass [illegible] rt, and if he gets out either side. [illegible] right or left till he gets out turning [illegible] owing to the precipices on by, the r[illegible] 'You know, Muller,' said he, 'Yes, sir,' [illegible] the gunner, who was standing the very [illegible] ight kind of shell for the case?' is with[illegible] said the soldier, saluting. 'I know point, [illegible] thing required, and if the rascal 'Good,' [illegible] ten yards radius of the bursting shell [illegible] won't gain the end of that path.' every [illegible] at the officer, 'Load!' The heavy all [illegible] s hoisted into the breech, and tak[illegible] ing was got ready for the shot. This wi[illegible] passed in much less time than it to describe it, and now the man was [illegible] eighty yards of the fatal spot. After [illegible] that he was not pursued he had re-[illegible] the spot which he started from fort and was now trotting steadily on and the desired goal, keeping in the middle of the path, and no doubt congratulating himself on his escape. When within forty yards of the place he dropped to a leurly walk, looking round continually to make sure that no one was after him. Once he stopped, and turning round, made what seemed a gesture of contempt at the fort, and, having thus relieved his feelings, walked on again.

"Slowly he neared the fatal spot. All on the fort were breathless with suspense and doubt, for it seemed quite possible that the gun might somehow have got shifted since the last practice. Only the old gunner was calm and confident. I was standing with the lieutenant near the gun, and the eagerly gazing at that small, dark spot moving so slowly on.

"As the bandit neared the end of the path the old gunner handed the lanyard of the gun to a subordinate and bade him fire when he lifted his foot. Then, taking a telescope, he directed his gaze on the fugitive. A deadly silence once reigned in the fort. I could hear my heart beating plainly, and I believe every man was in an equal tremor of excitement. I half hoped that the man, robber and murderer though he was, might escape.

"When would the signal be given? The suspense was becoming unendurable. I looked at Muller—he was gazing through the telescope. Suddenly he kicked out his leg, still keeping his eye on the glass. A vivid flash followed, a deafening roar which shook the fort, and then a cloud of white smoke obscured everything. When it had cleared away Muller was standing beside my companion, with a look of content on his face. 'I was right, sir,' he cried, 'he was hit fair.'

"True enough, nothing was to be seen where the bandit had been. A loud cheer followed the announcement, and the officer shook hands with Muller, and retired to make a report of the matter, while a party was sent to collect the remains of the victim. A few hours later I left the fort with my escort, after a hearty farewell to the commandant. As we passed the fatal spot I shuddered to see unmistakable signs of the accuracy of the shot, and hurried on to leave the ill-omened place behind."

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN, OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Victoria for old established manufacturing wholesale house. $900 a year, sure, pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in the city. Enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 334 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

(No. 106.)

CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY.

"Companies Act 1897."

"Gribbell Island Copper Company."

Registered the 28th day of May, 1900.

I hereby certify that I have this day registered the "Gribbell Island Copper Company" as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies' Act, 1897," and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in Fairhaven, Whatcom County, Washington, U. S. A.

The amount of the capital of the Company is $100,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of ten cents each.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate in Victoria, and G. A. Kelly, miner, whose address is Victoria aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The time of the existence of the Company is fifty years.

The objects for which the Company has been established are:—

To carry on the business of mining for coal, silver, lead, copper and other minerals, and to do a general mining business of all kinds in the State of Washington, and other States of the Union, and in the Province of British Columbia; to buy and sell mines; conduct a steamboat and transportation business; to buy, sell, and mortgage real estate and personal property; to issue and sell bonds secured by a mortgage or deed of trust upon any property belonging to said Corporation, and to any and all things that, in the opinion of said Corporation and its managers, may be deemed conducive to the best interests of said Corporation, and to enable it to carry out the general purposes for which it is organized.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 28th day of May, one thousand nine hundred.

(L.S.) S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.
(Form F.)

Certificate of Improvements.

Success, Serpent, Gen. James M., Lady Francis, Leviathan, Leviathan No. 2, Leviathan Fraction and Faith Mineral Claims, situate in the West Coast, Vancouver Island, Mining Division of Clayoquot District.

Where located: On Tranquille Creek, Tafine Inlet.

Take notice that I, A. S. Going, agent for James M. Ashton, Free Miner's Certificate B48227, and Mary F. Ashton, Free Miner's Certificate No. B48928, 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 [illegible] section, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1900.

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A dividend of six cents per share will be paid to the shareholders of the above company at the company's office, 43 Government street, upon presentation of certificates, after the 20th September, 1900.

A. G. SARGISON,
Acting Secretary.

ADDRESS TO PASTOR.

Congregation of First Congregational Church Bid Farewell to Rev. Mr. Payne.

Members and adherents of the First Congregational church met last evening at the residence of Rev. F. Payne, the retiring pastor, when the following address was read and presented by Mrs. George Herd, president of the Ladies' Aid Society:

"To the Rev. F. Payne:

"Dear Sir,—On the eve of your departure for another sphere of usefulness, we feel that we cannot allow you to go from us without expressing our regret in some tangible form, for we feel that we are parting with one who has always had our personal and church welfare at heart. We can assure you we will watch solicitously every step of your future career, and will always be glad to hear of your future advancement, which we earnestly hope and feel sure will be rapid. You, as a young man, have the world, and, we hope, years before you to continue the good work and save souls for Christ, and we feel assured this glorious work is safe in your hands. We must now bid you farewell, but hope we will all meet on that other shore where, we have the Master's blessed assurance, sorrow and parting will be no more. That God in His great mercy will forever protect, guide and care for you is the heartfelt prayer of your people in Victoria.

"Signed by authority and on behalf of the members of the First Congregational church of Victoria, B. C.

"WILLIAM SCOWCROFT,
"Secretary."

Hospital Directors.—A meeting of the board of directors of the Jubilee hospital will be held on Friday evening next, at the board of trade rooms.

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"Battle of Tugela River," "Battle of Spion Kop," "Gordon Highlanders at Battle of Belmont," "Battle of Magersfontein," "Surrender of Gordon Highlanders at Paardeberg." These pictures are 22x28 in. Sample and terms, 40 cents each; all five for $1.60; $3.00 per dozen; $6.00 for 25; $12.00 for 50; $24.00 per 100. Very handsome printed in 6 to 14 colors.

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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 following described lands situate on the Tel-Kwa river, in Cassiar district.

Commencing at a post, said post being the northeast corner and identical with the southwest corner of the John Irving coal prospecting claim—thence due north 80 chains—thence due south 80 chains—thence due west 80 chains—thence due north 80 chains to the point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1900.

(Signed.) JOHN HENRY HARWOOD.

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(Signed.) JOHN DANIEL O'[illegible]JINE.

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Commencing at a post, said post being the north point of the John Irving coal prospecting claim—thence due north 80 chains—thence due east 80 chains—thence due south 80 chains—thence due west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a point 80 chains due north from the initial post, said initial post being situated near the north bank of the Tel-Kwa river, about six miles above its junction with the Buckley river, aforesaid—thence due north 80 chains—thence due west 80 chains—thence due south 80 chains—thence due east 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

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Commencing at a post, said post being the southeast corner and identical with the southwest corner of the John Irving coal prospecting claim—thence due north 80 chains—thence due west 80 chains—thence due south 80 chains—thence due east 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1900.

(Signed.) JANE IRVING.

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 following described lands situate on the Tel-Kwa river, in Cassiar district.

Commencing at a post, said post being the southeast corner and identical with the southwest corner of the John Irving coal prospecting claim—thence due north 80 chains—thence due west 80 chains—thence due south 80 chains—thence due east 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1900.

(Signed.) WESLEY ROBINSON BRYANT.

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 following described lands situate on the Tel-Kwa river, in Cassiar district.

Commencing at a post near the north bank of the Tel-Kwa river, about six miles above its junction with the Buckley river, said post being the northeast corner and identical with the southeast corner of the W. B. Skillen coal prospecting claim, thence 80 chains due south—thence 80 chains due east—thence 80 chains due north—thence 80 chains due west to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1900.

(Signed.) SAMUEL M. ROBINS.

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 following described lands situate on the Tel-Kwa river, in Cassiar district.

Commencing at a post near the north bank of the Tel-Kwa river, about six miles above its junction with the Buckley river, said post being the northwest corner and identical with the southeast corner of the W. B. Skillen coal prospecting claim, thence 80 chains due south—thence 80 chains due east—thence 80 chains due north—thence 80 chains due west to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1900.

(Signed.) C. W. D. CLIFFORD.

In the matter of the Tramway Company Incorporation Act and The Tramway Incorporation Amendment Act, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that The Lenora Mount Sicker Copper Mining Company, Limited, Non-Personal Liability, intends to build, equipe and operate a tramway commencing at a point at or near the Lenora mine; known as lot 17, Chemainus District, Vancouver Island, the property of the Company.

Thence round the north end of Mount Sicker to a point about five hundred yards from Westholme station on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, in a southerly direction.

Thence in an easterly direction to a point on Osborne Bay in section twenty (20), range three (3), Comiaken District.

And also to build, construct, equip and operate a telephone in connection with the said tramway.

Sealed with the seal of the Company, at the City of Victoria, the 1st day of October, 1900.

W. W. BERRIDGE,
Secretary.

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PROVINCIAL BOARD OF HEALTH,
British Columbia.

REGULATIONS FOR THE DETECTION AND TREATMENT OF A DISEASE KNOWN AS BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Approved by Order of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, dated the 6th day of September, 1900.

1. All sick Chinese or Japanese must send or give notice of their illness to the Health Officer or Police Constable in the district where such Chinese or Japanese reside.

2. Physicians in attendance on sick Chinese or Japanese shall notify the Health Officer or Chairman of the Local Board of Health or Health Municipalities; or, if in an outlying district, the Government Agent must be notified. Such notification should state the nature of illness and the condition of the glands throughout the body of the sick person, and should be delivered to the Health Officer, Chairman of the Local Board of Health or Government Agent, as the case may be, at the earliest possible opportunity.

3. In City Municipalities the Medical Health Officer shall be notified within six hours of the death of any Chinese or Japanese, by the person on whose premises such death occurred, or by some relation or person having charge of the person so dying.

4. In Rural Municipalities, the Medical Health Officer, or the Chairman or Secretary of the Local Board of Health must be notified within six hours of such death; and in outlying districts, the Government Agent or Police Constable shall be notified within twelve hours after such death, or as soon after as possible. Certificates as to the cause of death must be signed by the Health Officer in Municipalities, and in outlying districts by the Government Agent or some person duly authorized by him.

5. Any person violating any provision of these regulations shall be liable, upon summary conviction before any two Justices of the Peace, for every such offence, to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, with or without costs, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for a term not exceeding six months, or to both fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the convicting court.

CHARLES J. PAGAN, M.D.
Secretary, Provincial Board of Health.
By Command.

J. D. PRENTICE,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., September 8th, 1900.

NOTICE.

TO DEALERS IN COAL AND WOOD.

SEPARATE Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, 10th October, for supplying 100 tons or more (2,240 pounds per ton) of the best hard lump coal for steam furnace, screened sack coal and washed nut coal, to be inspected and approved of, and 100 cords or more of good quality split fir cordwood. The coal and wood to be delivered and stored in the Boiler-room of the Parliament Buildings, James Bay, at the Law Courts, Bastion Square, or at Government House, as may be directed. The person tendering must state the price per ton for coal and the name of the mine, and per cord for wood, and the contractor will be required to furnish satisfactory security for the faithful performance of the contract.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. S. GORE.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department.
Victoria, B. C., 28th September, 1900.

NOTICE.

COURTS OF ASSIZE, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery will be holden in the Court House, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the places and on the dates following, namely:—

City of Victoria, on the 2nd day of October, 1900.

City of Vancouver, on the 2nd day of October, 1900.

Town of Clinton, on the 12th day of October, 1900.

City of Nanaimo, on the 9th day of October, 1900.

City of New Westminster, on the 16th day of October, 1900.

City of Nelson, on the 16th day of October 1900.

City of Vernon, on the 16th day of October, 1900.

City of Kamloops, on the 23rd day of October, 1900.

City of Revelstoke, on the 25th day of October, 1900.

By Command,

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
15th June, 1900.

FORTY SECOND YEAR

Trouble In South

More Indian Troops Wanted in Hongkong for Expected Rising.

U. S. Marines Withdraw to Ta and Will Sail for Cavite.

Expedition of the Allies Sta To-Morrow for Pao Ting Fu.

London, Oct 11.—A special despa from Shanghai, October 9, says: "[illegible] tribes have met and defeated the [illegible] perial troops near Kow Leon. They [illegible] daily gaining fresh adherents. He [illegible] Russian reinforcements are mov[illegible] northward from Port Arthur, with [illegible] object of relieving the pressure u[illegible] Mukden. Every place of importanc[illegible] Manchuria, from Kiatka to the Prim[illegible] boundary, and from the Amur to [illegible] Great Wall, is now in Russian hands.

A despatch from Tien Tsin says [illegible] expedition to Pao Ting Fu has [illegible] fixed for Friday next. The column [illegible] consist of 700 British, German, Fre[illegible] and Italian troops.

The Hongkong specials this mor[illegible] all refer to the gravity of the situa[illegible] in Southern China, but they give no [illegible] ther details than have already been [illegible] warded in despatches to the Associ[illegible] Press. In some quarters it is urged [illegible] it would be better to employ British [illegible] Indian troops in China.

The Standard, commenting editor[illegible] upon the attitude of the United St[illegible] says: "Every dissent, even on m[illegible] points, from the suggestions of the [illegible] ers, is unfortunate, as it leads to [illegible] correspondence and to further delay[illegible] can only hope that when Lord S[illegible] bury is free to turn his attention [illegible] China he will find some middle co[illegible] that will secure the support of all [illegible] powers."

The Shanghai correspondent of [illegible] Morning Post, wiring Tuesday, [illegible] "The Tao Tai, of Shanghai, and the [illegible] roy of Nankin have protested agai[illegible] demonstration by foreign troops."

Shanghai specials say that the rea[illegible] son for the suspicion of Yu Hsien, [illegible] ernor of the province of Shan Si, [illegible] the discovery that his supposed arm[illegible] 50,000 numbered only 40,000.

Hongkong, Oct. 10.—It is said tha[illegible] authorities here have received infor[illegible] tion that a general rising in the [illegible] ern provinces has been planned fo[illegible] month of November. The whereab[illegible] of the rebels in the hinterland i[illegible] known, but it is believed to be 10 [illegible] north of the British borders. A de[illegible] ment of 1,000 Chinese troops took [illegible] position at Sun Chung yesterday, [illegible] 1,000 more arrived here to-day.

Ten thousand more troops from [illegible] have been requisitioned from Hong[illegible] The Sixteenth Bengal Lancers and [illegible] Hongkong regiments have been re[illegible] from the north to Hongkong. The [illegible] ent indications are that there will [illegible] Boxer rising similar to that whic[illegible] curred in North China.

Tien Tsin, Oct. 10.—A military [illegible] has been issued to the German tro[illegible] occupy the railroad from Tien T[illegible] Pekin. The rest of the road w[illegible] occupied by the Russians and the [illegible] of Ching Wai Tao has been alloted [illegible] British. A detachment of 800 [illegible] troops, with six guns, start this [illegible] ing to relieve the Catholic priests [illegible] are held prisoners at