

COUNCIL

to the City

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The Rossland Amateur  
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Several operas have  
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Army Visitors.  
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lic is invited.

ATTEMPTED MURDER

W. Albi Tries to Kill J. MacCarthy,  
Who Annoyed Him.

SHOT IN THE BACK AND HEAD

The Victim is Lying at the Sister's Hospital  
His Recovery is Doubtful - Albi is in the  
Custody of the Police - Timely Aid was  
Given.

J. MacCarthy is lying at the hospital  
dangerously wounded by William Albi of  
the Columbia hotel. The latter is in cus-  
tody.

Just after midnight Tuesday officer  
Raymer was on First avenue and his  
attention was attracted by MacCarthy, who  
he perceived to be somewhat intoxicated.  
As the man was not disorderly and was  
apparently on his way home, Raymer did  
not attempt to interfere with him. He  
noticed him turn into the lodging house  
kept by the proprietor of the Columbia  
saloon and thought no more about the  
matter. But shortly afterwards, however,  
he heard a shot, and at no very long in-  
terval two others in rapid succession com-  
ing from the upper floor of the Columbia  
hotel. Dashing upstairs he found Mac-  
Carthy upon the floor of the landing with  
Albi on top of him brandishing a smoking  
revolver, evidently intent on finishing his  
victim.

It seemed that MacCarthy had gone up to  
the bedroom of Albi and had kicked at  
the door for admission. Albi ordered him  
away, and is said to have threatened to  
kill him if he did not go. Unheeding the  
threat, MacCarthy still kept up his assault  
on the door, whereat Albi, who was in  
bed, let fly at him through the door. The  
bullet dropped MacCarthy, entering the  
small of the back on the left hand side.  
Suddenly opening the door, Albi sprang  
out upon the prone man and fired two  
shots at him at close quarters, both bul-  
lets taking effect on the back of the  
head. At this moment officer Raymer, who  
peered upon the scene and, if MacCarthy  
was, no doubt, saved the life of the man  
by his promptitude. Albi was arrested  
and then. He was dressed only in  
his shirt and drawers in which he had  
evidently gone to bed.

MacCarthy is one of two brothers who  
were sent up to Nelson last year for a  
scrap between themselves in the Interna-  
tional. Men who know Albi well and his  
record, say that he is known to have shot  
a man dead in Spokane.

Dr. Reddick took the unfortunate Mac-  
Carthy to the hospital and endeavored to  
loose the bullets. As far as is known at  
the present, MacCarthy is likely to recover  
as no vital spot seems to have been reach-  
ed.

Dr. Reddick, speaking of the case, said  
he could only find trace of one bullet, and  
that was the one that had entered the  
back, between the eleventh and twelfth  
rib. This was somewhere in the interior  
of the body, but he could not find it. It  
might have injured the left kidney or pos-  
sibly the spleen or the bowels. It had  
about somewhere, and on its where-  
abouts depended the man's recovery.  
MacCarthy, the doctor said, had evidently  
been struck by some punching instrument,  
possibly the muzzle of a 32-calibre revolver,  
all over the right side of the head and  
forehead. The skin is gouged out in cir-  
cular patches, and if the man recovers he  
will be marked for life with the sloughing  
of these wounds.

TO THE LABOR PARTY.  
Hon. Smith Curtis' Reply to the Action of  
the Unions.

To the Members of the Rossland Trades  
Council and Affiliated Unions:  
Gentlemen: I have just learned of your  
kind action at your meeting last night in  
endorsing my candidature for a seat in the  
Legislative Assembly at the approaching  
election. Accept my sincere thanks and  
believe my assurance that both the gov-  
ernment and myself will, on all proper  
occasions, show appreciation by upholding  
and safeguarding your interests. I am  
well aware that the wise course of the  
members of the Rossland Miners' union  
in settling early last month the labor  
troubles here greatly strengthened the gov-  
ernment party throughout the country,  
and now by your action—the action of  
one of the strongest and most representa-  
tive labor organizations in the province—  
practically endorsing the government's pol-  
icy and expressing your confidence in the  
declarations of the Premier and his col-  
leagues to carry the same out if sus-  
tained at the polls, you are  
in a great measure, I believe, assuring the  
return of the government on the 9th of  
June next. This appreciation and trust-  
fulness on your part you will find by the  
action of the government if in power, and  
of myself if elected, have not been mis-  
placed. I shall at all times be proud to  
declare myself not only the government  
candidate, but also as the representative  
of labor, for whose welfare, uplifting and  
betterment I shall always consider it an  
honor to work.

Again thanking you for your expression  
of confidence, permit me to subscribe my-  
self  
FRANK SMITH CURTIS.

BY A LARGE MAJORITY.  
Smith Curtis Endorsed by the Trades and  
Labor Council.

A well-attended meeting was held in  
the Miners' Union hall last evening for the  
purpose of endorsing a candidate for the  
provincial legislature. The meeting was  
under the auspices of the trades and la-  
bor council of the city. There was a small  
minority who endeavored by filibustering  
tactics to prevent the endorsement of any  
candidate but the one they favored. They  
tried to have an adjournment, but were  
outvoted eight or nine to one. This was  
the way that every measure they supported  
was treated. The meeting lasted un-  
til after midnight and many became tired  
and went home. Finally the candidature  
of Hon. Smith Curtis was endorsed by a  
vote of 40 to eight. Then the meeting ad-  
journed.

FIRE HALL BY-LAW PASSED.

John J. Honeyman Is Commissioned to  
Prepare Plans of Estimates.

THE BY-LAW PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL

for raising \$25,000 for a fire hall and li-  
brary was submitted to the ratifiers  
Tuesday and ratified by a majority  
of over 90 per cent. of the total number  
of votes cast. Only 114 cast their votes.  
Of these, however, there were 107 in favor  
as against 7 who did not wish ratifica-  
tion. The actual result was as follows:

The general feeling was that there was  
no opposition to the proposal in the  
city, and therefore the voters did not  
rush themselves to exercise their fran-  
chise. Mr. John J. Honeyman has been  
instructed to prepare plans and esti-  
mates.

There are six sets of plans which were  
purchased by the city during the time of  
the Scott administration when it was  
proposed to build a fire hall in connection  
with the city hall. These were paid for  
by the city at the time at the rate of \$25  
apiece, but cannot be used at the present  
junction as they were planned for a  
different building upon a different site.

CRIMINAL COURT.

The Case of Arson Is Adjourned—The  
Court of Summary Jurisdiction.

The charge of vagrancy against J. O.  
Leary, adjourned from Monday, was yes-  
terday amended to one of drunkenness.  
The prisoner was fined \$5 and \$2.50 costs.

John Murphy, charged with vagrancy,  
was admitted to bail on his own recogni-  
zance, to come up for judgment this morn-  
ing at 10 o'clock. As he received a sig-  
nificant hint from the magistrate, it was  
probable that John Murphy has hit the  
Northrup trail before this.

The case of Tony Soccomormann,  
charged with arson, was adjourned at his  
own request till May 8th.

P. M. Allan, charged with embezzlement  
before the court of summary jurisdiction,  
presided over by Judge Spinks, was sen-  
tenced to three months simple imprison-  
ment, sentence to date from yesterday.  
The prisoner will be sent to Nelson.

Frank Vickery, charged with stealing  
\$20 from the Le Roi brewery, and whose  
case was partly heard on Monday, was  
found guilty and sentenced to six months  
rigorous imprisonment.

CANADIAN MILITARY LEAGUE.

Rossland Enters a Competing Team—  
Dates of This Year's Matches.

Captain Forin of the Rossland Rangers,  
yesterday entered a team of the No. 1  
company of the Rocky Mountain Rangers  
to compete at the yearly matches on June  
2, June 9, July 7, and July 21st next.

The ranges on which the competition  
will be shot are the 200, 300 and 400  
yard. Seven shots are allowed at each  
range. The ammunition will be supplied  
by the department of militia.

The aggregate created of the scores at  
all ranges at all four matches will take  
the prize. Championship badges will also  
be given to the best marksman of each  
team, and certificates to first and second  
class shots who can gain the necessary  
percentage of marks. These are signed by  
the minister of militia and the general  
commanding the forces of Canada, and are  
suitable for framing.

The first practice will take place next  
Saturday and the team will be picked out  
of the best shots of the militia.

A FOREST FIRE.

Alarm Created by the Burning of the  
Woods Upon Princess Avenue.

A fire on the uncleared blocks upon  
Princess avenue, which had been burning  
there for the past two days, destroying  
the timber and consuming the underbrush,  
caused some alarm by its spread yester-  
day morning to points near to Phoenix  
avenue, among the houses thereon. The  
fire alarm was rung, and Chief Guthrie  
sent an engine to the spot shortly after  
noon. The fire was quickly quenched, and  
the danger from the conflagration was  
averted.

The Weather.  
Max., 84.5; min., 42.4.  
Weather, blue sky.  
Wind, S. W., light.

The most remarkable feature in the  
weather report for the past month  
April has been the extreme range of the  
thermometer daily. This average 28.8  
during the month, the highest being on  
the 30th ult., when the difference between  
the maximum and minimum thermometers  
was upwards of 48.2 during the 24 hours.  
This during bright cloudless weather.  
The lowest range was observed on April 5,  
which was 12.1, the day being overcast  
with a little rain during the afternoon.

The highest temperature observed was  
on April 30, 85; April 28, 75.2, and April  
1, 74.2. The average maximum tempera-  
ture for the month was 62.7. The lowest  
temperature was recorded on April 9, and  
was 22.3 or nearly 10 degrees of frost. The  
mean temperature for the first of the  
spring months is, therefore, 48.3.

During the month there was a total  
precipitation of 1.105 inch, which in-  
cludes 5.2 inches of snow which fell upon  
the 7th ult. Rain fell on 8 days only, and  
there was cloudy weather on 3 days in ad-  
dition, leaving a bright sky flecked with  
a few clouds on the remaining 19 days of  
the month.

The prevalent wind was from the south-  
west, as usual, although the direction of  
the wind has been more variable during  
the month of April than during any other  
months of the present year. For 27 days  
the wind was light, two days, the 7th  
and the 17th ult., the breeze freshened  
somewhat and on one day, the 21st, the  
wind fell altogether.

Collating the months of the year, the  
mean temperature is found to be 34.7; the  
mean range, 20.8, and the extreme range  
64.5, from minus 9.5 on Feb. 15 to 85 on  
April 30; the highest and lowest so far  
recorded this year.

Mr. W. H. Falding, accountant, has re-  
moved his office from the ticket office of  
Mr. W. B. Mackenzie to the chambers  
in the Bank of Montreal building. This  
was done because in the new location he  
has no proof vaults in which he can store  
the books of his clients.

ROBERT MCARTHUR STILL LIVES

HIS CONDITION, HOWEVER, IS SAID  
TO BE SOMEWHAT CRITICAL.

History of the Killing of James Lacey.

Alias the Toronto Kid, by William R.  
Albi.

Robert McArthur is not yet pronounced  
out of danger. He is still at the Sisters'  
hospital. While the course of the bullet  
in the bowels of the unfortunate victim  
to the fury of Albi, who is named by his  
brother as "Billy" Albi, has not been  
definitely determined, yet it is thought  
not to have passed through or lodged in  
any vital spot. The wounds on McAr-  
thur's head, caused, as it is thought, by  
the violent jabbing of the muzzle of a  
revolver against his brows, will probably  
remain as life-time scars.

McArthur was employed as a dish-  
washer on Washington street. He seems  
to have been on a regular drinking bout  
in various saloons during Tuesday evening  
but was not by any means incapable drunk  
though certainly obfuscated. Various  
theories have been propounded as to the  
cause of the ill-feeling between him and  
Albi. It is not, however, definitely known  
that such ill-feeling really existed. The  
police are carefully following up the ragged  
clues afforded by the case, and a detailed  
statement of the facts will doubtless be  
forthcoming.

Following the old French detective's  
motto, "cherchez la femme," the theory  
has been proposed that there is a woman  
at the bottom of the matter and that a  
quarrel arose between the men over such  
a person. This is denied at headquarters,  
but, of course, there may be some truth  
in the matter. On the other hand it is  
also stated that McArthur accused Albi of  
being mixed up with the late case of al-  
leged arson on First avenue. This would  
in itself afford sufficient motive for a hot-  
blooded man who is known to have been  
mixed up in murderous affairs before his  
coming to this city, to have made his at-  
tack.

The following are the facts, as far as  
can be learned, of the killing of John Hal-  
ler, alias James Lacey, alias the Toronto  
Kid, by William Rafael Albi in Septem-  
ber, 1898 in the Coeur d'Alene theater,  
in Spokane. On the 17th of June, 1898,  
Lacey and John Murphy entered the  
People's Saloon on Sprague street at 1 o'-  
clock in the morning. William Albi was  
attending the bar, and there were five  
railway men in the saloon. With drawn  
guns and threats of death they compelled  
the railroad men to turn their faces to  
the wall and took their watches and mon-  
ey. Lacey went behind the  
bar and took what money was  
in the till, and also a revolver,  
which was in the same place. In all they  
secured \$90 and six watches. Of this  
sum, \$30 belonged to the Albi brothers.  
They also took William Albi's watch.

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Lacey struck Albi over the head with a  
revolver and kicked him. Before the two  
things left the saloon they locked Billy  
and the five railroad men in the side  
room. While Lacey was behind the bar  
his mask, which consisted of a handker-  
chief, fell off, and this gave Albi a good  
opportunity to see his face and remember  
him. Lacey had a broken nose, so that  
any one seeing him once would not fail  
to recognize him again.

Murphy and Lacey quarreled over a  
division of the spoils of the holdup on  
June 23rd, and the former shot the lat-  
ter through the heart, killing him instan-  
tly. Lacey was tried for the  
murder and was acquitted  
on the ground of self-defense. It was pro-  
ved at the trial that Murphy was a thug  
and had been following him around and  
endeavoring to kill him, and, therefore,  
he was acquitted.

Immediately after the trial and acquit-  
tal of Lacey for the killing of Murphy, his  
trial for the holdup in the Albi sal-  
oon came up. William Albi testified that  
Lacey had beaten him over the head with  
a gun and kicked and robbed him. There  
was no other testimony to corroborate  
his, as none of the others in the saloon  
had an opportunity of seeing Lacey's face  
when the mask fell off, as their faces  
were turned towards the wall. Two of  
Lacey's pals, "Red" Murry and James  
Riley, swore that he was in Seattle at  
the time of the holdup, and therefore he  
could not have been in Albi's saloon in  
Spokane. Lacey was dismissed on motion  
of the prosecuting attorney after he had  
heard the evidence.

Lacey was released from custody at 12  
o'clock, and his attorney had arranged  
with his father to purchase a ticket so  
that he might return to his home in To-  
ronto, the money being furnished by his  
father. He seemed to have a grievance  
against Albi, who, he declared, had been  
the cause of his being confined in jail for  
a period of five months. While walking  
along the street he saw Albi, and going  
over to him he called him all the names  
he could think of, and would have as-  
saulted him if his attorney had not pulled  
him away. Lacey parted from his lawyer  
shortly afterwards and promised to be on  
hand the next morning so that a new suit  
of clothing and a ticket could be purchas-  
ed so that he might start eastward to-  
wards his home. He promised to be-  
have himself, and instead of doing this  
he sought a dissolute woman, and the two,  
who were opium fiends, smoked several  
pipes and drank more or less. About  
7:30 in the evening he went to the Coeur  
d'Alene theatre and began playing, hav-  
ing \$2 out of the \$5 which had been given  
him by his attorney. At this time he was  
full of dope and whisky, and was in a  
quarrelsome condition when he rose broken  
from the gambling table. It was then  
that he observed Albi standing a short  
distance away, and he approached him  
and began to call him vile names, and sud-  
denly he put his hand into his rear pocket,  
and those who were present thought  
he was about to draw a pistol, and so did  
Albi. The latter stepped quickly back  
drew a revolver and fired three shots in  
rapid succession, killing Lacey.

At the trial of Albi for murder, it was  
shown that Lacey and Murphy had been  
inmates of the Colorado penitentiary, that  
they were wanted for the killing of a police-  
man at Victoria, that Lacey had broken

jail at Nelson just before he came to  
Spokane; that they had been holding  
up street cars, saloons, etc., in Spokane  
and that they were, in short, about as bad  
a brace of criminals as had ever been in  
the Northwest.

The evidence offered on behalf of Albi  
showed that he had acted in self-defense,  
and that he had every reason to believe  
that Lacey intended to kill him. Lacey  
was a physical giant, standing over six  
feet high, while Albi weighs only 120  
pounds. A number of leading citizens  
testified that they had known Albi for  
ten years, during which time he had been  
a peaceable, law-abiding man. The result  
was that he was acquitted of the charge  
of murder.

Messrs Daly & Hamilton have been re-  
tained to defend Albi.

COURT OF REVISION.

Voters' List to Be Revised on Monday  
Next—Large Additions Made Later.

The voters' list now aggregates over 4,  
000 names, of which more than 1,800 belong  
to Rossland. Of this total about 1,200  
have come in during the past few weeks.  
A court of revision will be held on Mon-  
day next and all patent duplicates will be  
struck off, but others that are doubtful  
will be allowed to remain to be challenged  
at the polling booths if requisite.

According to the present statute the  
voters' list must be revised twice yearly.  
The last revision was on November 6th,  
but since then an alphabetical addition  
has been made on March 27th, including all  
names given in up to that date. Since  
then about 1,200 names have been sent in  
and a third supplementary list, also ar-  
ranged in alphabetical order, but not so  
closely as the two preceding rolls, is now  
being worked at and will be finished very  
shortly.

No names can be admitted after May  
6th. Objections can only be raised to  
those names which are at present being  
given in. Any objections must be lodged  
with the proper authorities within 14 days  
of the application of the voter to have  
his name placed upon the list. If no ob-  
jection is raised the name is duly entered  
and cannot be erased until exception is  
made at the place of voting. Should ob-  
jection be lodged within the 14 days of  
notice the applications must appear and show  
cause that allegations made by the ob-  
jector are not based upon fact; failing  
which the objection is sustained.

It will be seen that the amount of work  
involved in preparing the list, especial-  
ly at the present juncture, is immense,  
and that the applications that have been  
made from outside points for a type writ-  
ten copy with the names up to date can  
hardly be entertained. The names of  
4,000 voters, with their initials, occupation  
and place of residence, involves the type-  
writing of somewhere about 24,000 words,  
a work of time, which at the rate of 25  
cents per 100 words, would cost \$60.

The court of revision will not sit for  
any considerable period, and the revised  
voting list will be open for inspection  
probably on the day following the closing  
of the period of application.

The Second Payment Made.

The second payment on the Hungryman  
group has been made to William B. Town-  
send and John M. Moore, who owned the  
property, by the New Deer Park Gold  
Mining company. The price paid for the  
mining was \$25,000. The indications on  
the 61-foot level fully justified the making  
of the second payment. Smelter ship-  
ments have been made from the surface,  
and the company believes that the prop-  
erty is all right. The force is to be in-  
creased to 14 men, and six additional men  
leave here this morning for the mine.  
Work is to be pushed from now on more  
vigorously than ever.

Mrs. John Y. Cole is visiting friends in  
California.

APRIL COLLECTIONS.

The Custom House Took in \$10,323.70 Last  
Month.

Following is a summary of the business  
transacted at the Rossland custom house  
during the month of April:

Imports.  
Dutiable ..... \$40,384.00  
Free ..... 6,343.00

Total imports ..... \$46,727.00

Total collections ..... \$10,323.70  
The following is a comparison of im-  
ports and duty collections during the first  
four months of 1899 and the corresponding  
period of 1900:

Imports. Duty. Value.  
1899 ..... \$234,606.00 \$46,647.37  
1900 ..... 229,449.00 47,255.46

Exports. Value.  
Copper ..... 636,985 lbs. \$145,481  
Lead ..... 783,680 lbs. 109,625  
Pyritic ore ..... 6,595 t'n. 184,244  
All other exports ..... 3,806

Total value of export..... \$443,156  
This is well above the average. It has  
twice only been exceeded, in June, 1899,  
with \$471,240, and in November, 1899, with  
\$460,412.

PITCHER NEFZGER IS HERE.

Catcher Patrick Dwyer Is Expected on  
Sunday Next.

Mr. Will Nefzger, the pitcher of the  
Rossland club, has arrived in this city  
from Portland. He is said to be a good  
twirler. He has pitched for the Jolly  
Gents, of Oregon City, and the Tor-  
onto and Multnomah, of Portland. He is a  
quiet, unassuming young man, but when  
he is in the box those who are playing  
against him have to look out for his  
curves, which are hard to find with the  
round bats which the base ball players  
use. Some of the players, it is said, think  
they could reach them if they only could  
play with a flat bat at least a foot wide.  
Mr. Nefzger has accepted the position of  
catcher at the Central Pacific hotel. Pat-  
rick Dwyer, the catcher of the Rosslands,  
will arrive here on Sunday. He and the  
pitcher will at once begin practising so  
that they may be in trim for the game  
with the Spokane team, which will play  
against the local club on May 24. On  
this occasion, in addition to the base-  
ball, there will be bicycle and foot races  
for prizes.

The barbers and the printers are to  
play a match game of baseball on Sun-  
day next, the proceeds of which are to  
be devoted to the Ottawa fire relief fund.

Sent Them a Check for \$10.  
Mr. A. C. Galt sent the members of  
the fire department a check for \$10 dol-  
lars yesterday for putting out a fire in  
the brush which threatened to destroy  
his residence. The fire department takes  
this means of expressing their thanks.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Form F—Certificate of Improvements—  
Notice.

Camden mineral claim, situate in the  
Trail Creek mining division of West Koot-  
enay district. Where located: On Spo-  
kane mountain, north of and adjoining the  
mineral claim, Gold King, Lot 1220 G 1.  
Take notice that I, H. B. Smith, acting as  
agent for M. A. Green, Free miner's cer-  
tificate No. B 29,302, and T. R. McMack-  
on, Free Miner's certificate No. B 13,568,  
intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to  
apply to the Mining Recorder for a cer-  
tificate of improvements for the purpose  
of obtaining a crown grant of the above  
claim.

And further take notice that action, un-  
der section 37, must be commenced before  
the issuance of such certificate of improve-  
ments.  
Dated this 30th day of April, 1900.  
5-3-10c  
H. B. SMITH.

Governor Mackintosh Coming Home.

Hon. C. H. Mackintosh will leave Ot-  
tawa today for home. He will be in Ros-  
sland on Sunday evening next. He tele-  
graphed to one of his friends here yester-  
day that he was coming. It is certain  
that the governor on his return will at  
once inaugurate a lively campaign, and  
that it will be kept up until the polls  
close on election day.

Resolution of Trail Liberals.

At a recent meeting of the Trail Liber-  
al association the following resolution was  
adopted: Resolved, that this association  
does not consider it advisable to bring  
out a straight Liberal candidate in this  
riding for the present campaign. The  
meeting was a representative one, and  
revealed that the workingmen Liberals  
and workmen are strongly united in  
this campaign.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF KOOTENAY HOLDEN AT FORT STEELE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th  
day of April, 1900, it was ordered by J. A.  
Forin, Esq., Judge of the said Court, that  
James Ferguson Armstrong, Official Ad-  
ministrator of the County of Kootenay,  
be administrator of all and singular the  
goods, chattels and credit of J. W. Oakes  
of Rossland, B. C., miner, deceased, in-  
testate.

Every person indebted to the said de-  
ceased is required to make payment forth-  
with to the undersigned.

Every person having in possession ef-  
fects belonging to the deceased is required  
forthwith to notify the undersigned.

Every creditor, or other person, having  
any claim upon or interest in the distri-  
bution of the personal estate of the said  
deceased is required within thirty days of  
this date to send by registered letter, ad-  
dressed to the undersigned, his name and  
address, and the full particulars of his  
claim or interest, and a statement of his  
account, and the nature of the security  
(if any) held by him.

After the expiration of the said thirty  
days, the Administrator will proceed with  
the distribution of the estate, having re-  
gard to those claims only of which he shall  
have had notice.

Dated at Fort Steele this 27th day of  
April, 1900.  
JAMES FERGUSON ARMSTRONG,  
2c.  
Official Administrator.

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Yellen of Lardo, B. C., miner, deceased,  
intestate.

Every person indebted to the said de-  
ceased is required to make payment forth-  
with to the undersigned.

Every person having in possession ef-  
fects belonging to the deceased is required  
forthwith to notify the undersigned.