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District News

SMITHERS

J. P. Kirkpatrick, former assistant superintendent of the Canadian National Railways at Smithers and more recently at Sioux Lookout in Ontario, has been transferred from the latter point to Kamloops. George A. Gray, formerly on the dispatching staff at Smithers and for some time a conductor out of Winnipeg, goes to Sioux Lookout in succession to Mr. Kirkpatrick.

Frost has not yet penetrated into the woods along the line of the Canadian National Railways in the interior and, as a result, difficulty is being experienced in getting railway ties out of the bush. There is a similar difficulty in the matter of firewood.

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NEWS OF THE MINES

Mining Deal of Importance in Hazelton District
Forecast—Glacier Gulch to Resume Development—Well-dun to Stop Custom Work

As a result of a recent visit to the Hazelton district of W. G. McMorris and Al Harris, it is forecast that a mining deal of great interest and benefit to that part of the country may be announced shortly. McMorris and Harris spent a couple of weeks on Nine Mile, Four Mile and Glen Mountains. They worked long hours each day and covered a lot of ground. McMorris expressed himself as being much impressed with the promising ground he had seen.

Heartened by an exceptionally encouraging report from W. G. Norrie-Loewenthal, consulting engineer, owners of the Glacier Gulch group of mineral claims at Lake Kathryn near Smithers have started the formation of a syndicate to finance the program recommended in the report. They have met with a good deal of encouragement and are confident that the necessary funds will soon be raised. During his visit, Mr. Loewenthal made a thorough inspection of the Glacier Gulch property and his report is highly optimistic. He recommends the extension of No. 3 tunnel for another three hundred feet and the owners, Wesley Banta, S. F. Campbell and Grover Loveless, are enlisting local capital at Smithers in order to make the carrying out of the program possible. A start on the tunnel, employing a crew of seven men, will be made as soon as the funds are available which is expected to be about the end of this month. The work would probably occupy about four months. With a clear knowledge of the gold values of the gold bismuth ore shipped from this property, Smithers residents are confident that Glacier Gulch holds exceptional opportunities and it is in the light of information from actual shipments that the owners are receiving a good hearing on their proposal to finance the development locally. On completion of the tunnel, plans call for the installation of a mill. However, it is also felt that ore could be shipped on tunnel progress and the operation made to pay its way to a great extent.

The Northern Argonaut, Stewart newspaper, in urging citizens of Portland Canal to be unremitting in their fight for everything possible they can get from the government, has the following to say: "It is known that this Stewart area has contributed infinitely more in axes both directly on mining company profits and indirectly on income from mineral production than has been put back into the territory. The district is fully entitled to expect a chance to thrive and prosper after the existing known mineral wealth is worked out. Unless Stewart's surrounding country develops new mines or unless access is given to the great interior country, Stewart must some day become another ghost town of British Columbia."

Skidegate Man's Father is Dead

George Chastenay Called From Queen Charlotte City To Vancouver

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 15.—George Chastenay of Skidegate left for the south last week on account of the death of his father, the late A. G. Chastenay, who passed away recently in California, where the remains were cremated. Final disposition is to be made in the Abbey, Ocean View Burial Park in Vancouver. Mr. Chastenay will return to Skidegate at an early date.

Sam Deschamps, veteran Stewart mining man and owner of the Kansas property on American Creek, was in Stewart recently for supplies. He is engaged at present in rebuilding his mine camp and making other outside preparations for further development during the winter months, it being the intention to carry on work throughout the winter. Mr. Deschamps is highly pleased with progress made during the past season. Working alone for the greater part of the time, he mined and shipped seventeen tons of high grade ore, averaging \$5 per ton in gold, 227 ounces silver and 33 percent lead. One shipment was treated in a European smelter and the other at Selby smelter.

Following the announcement made by the provincial government that an ore sampling plant is to be established at Prince Rupert to purchase ore from prospectors and small operators, L. S. Davidson, manager of the Well-dun Mining & Milling Co. at Stewart, states that his company in the future will not be in the market for such shipments of ore. The Well-dun Co. has during the past two seasons acted as ore buyers for small operators in the Portland Canal district and has handled several hundred tons of ore for prospectors and leasers. In future all such shipments will be directed to the new government plant to be established at Prince Rupert.

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(By Anna May Ullman)
"It was the winter of 1933 and the mad rush for gold was on in the mountainous Barkerville country where the snow sometimes piles fifteen to twenty feet deep. From far and near they came—on the stages, in old cars, on foot or horseback, by plane, white men, some breeds and a few Chinese. And they trekked far into the woods and even planted their stakes on the mountain tops. "Everything but the road was staked." So they told me.

One day a placid, poker-faced Oriental shuffled up, nodded toward the mountain tops and said: "Now, white man hiyu rich. Put stakes in snow. Bye and bye spring come. Sun come. Snow melt. Stakes fall down. Gold all gone. And he waved his arm in a sweeping gesture.

For many of the gold-seekers the Oriental's prophecy came true as their dreams of wealth vanished with the melting snow. Then there were those who made good on their claims and went out wealthy. Others sold their claims to Cariboo Gold Quartz or Island Mountain Mines.

The historic town of Barkerville is nearly deserted since the 1933 excitement. Everybody is moving to the new and thriving town of Wells, four miles away. Quite a few buildings have been moved from Barkerville to Wells—skidded over the swamp by a contractor, at so much per building.

Here and there in the mountains are prospectors who work their claims year after year, and make a good living.

And there are a few hard-bitten old timers who come into town at intervals with pokes full of gold.

They will scornfully say to a hopeful young Cheechako, "Naw, there's no more gold around this country. It's all been taken out."

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