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MINES AND MINING.

Nels Larsen, of the Granby Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., was recently at the Red Star, Roche river, owned by Belge and Bonniver. The Granby has a bond on this fine property on which about 1000 feet of tunnels and crosscuts have been run. Assays show 12 p.c. copper.

Robert Cramer returned from Combination, camp Copper mountain on Wednesday where he has been mining and prospecting.

J. E. McCauley is having the Reco group surveyed.

Jack Etnier, Portland, Ore., F. Noble, Trail, B. C., M. H. Abbey, Newport, Ore, and M. B. Dornberg, Spokane, were recent visitors to Leadville on mining business.

J. C. Edwards, general manager of the Treasure Mountain Mining Co., has gone to Spokane to arrange for a compressor.

W. B. Dornberg was in town Wednesday on his way to Leadville, He is largely interested in Treasure Mountain silver-lead mine, the tunnel in which is now driven 360 feet.

W. H. Taylor, representing Patsy Clark in Leaeville mining camp, arrived there recently.

A. W. Smith, of Agassiz, is in town on mining business He is part owner with Pat Kennedy of the Annie L. mineral claim on Crpper mountain which has good indications of becoming a mine.

New Use for Copper.

Tests of the service rendered by steel railroad rails containing one-half to one per cent of copper have been made by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad, and following the results shown by a year's service of 5,000 tons of rails, double that quantity has recently been ordered, says the Mining and Scientific Press. It is understood that if further tests prove equally favorable the company will adopt this alloy as a standard in its rail specifications. Since over 3,000,000 tons of rails are made annually in the United States, an important avenue of consumption of copper might result from the adoption of this type of rail alloy by even a few of the larger railroads.

Expert examination of R. Stevenson's mine below Allison has been made recently.

The United Empire coal mine at East Princeton is employing a considerable force of men to be in readiness for the demand of the cement works when they start. The coal will be used for steaming and for roasting the cement in manufacture.

Another diamond drill was started to work for the B. C. Copper Co. on mineral claims on Copper mountain this week.

Superintendent Conners of the gold dredge at Goldhill is well satisfied with the result of operations so far. Although the gold being taken up is being saved and Mr. Conners hopes to still further improve the plant so as to make a better saving than this. The operations of the dredge indicate that there is gold among the river boulders and it now appears a certainty that when all the required dredge alterations to meet local conditions are made, gold dredging on the Lardo river will be a decided success.—Kootenaian.

Mr. Weekes, of the B. C. Copper Co., left today for Greenwood.

The ore body struck recently by a raise in the Slocan Star mine has a width of nine feet and a content of values that ranges from 46 to 75 per cent. lead and 100 to 250 ounces silver to the ton, according to Dr. Gomm of Sandon. An advance of 180 feet will be necessary to reach the ore body in the deep tunnel driven during the last year. The shoot was entered by the raise at a point several hundred feet above the third level.

Demand for Copper.

Copper is unchanged at 15⅞ cents for lake and 15¾ cents for electrolytic says the current issue of the Boston Commercial. There is a feeling in the trade that prices may be fractionally lower before the next buying movement starts. The general tendency in other metals is downward at present. and it would not be unreasonable to expect slightly easier prices in copper as well. These periodical fluctuations in the price of copper are the result of temporary influences, but they do not indicate the wide swings of the copper market. Consumers bought heavily during the latter part of March and early in April. Many of them taking enough to meet requirements up to the first of July. These consumers will be in the market again until midsummer. Meanwhile the demand naturally has fallen off.

Large and alleged often excessive profits of the United States Steel Corporation, its domination of the rails and ore industry,its "inside profits" on transportation, and its superior efficiency and coordination, are pictured in a report of the bureau of corporations.the third installment of the bureau's investigation of the steel industry. The corporation made a profit of 16½ per cent on steel rails in 1910 and 10½ per cent on steel plates, declares the report, and the profits on its iron ore business are estimated at 29 per cent, while net profits of 23 and 17½ per cent respectively were made on its Minnesota ore railroads.

A gentleman, riding near Bromley's meadows the other day, espied what he thinks was a grizzly or a silver tip. The brute stood about six feet high and built in proportion. Luckily for bruin the gentleman, who is a dead shot, did not have his rifle with him.

EAST PRINCETON IS BUSY BURG AND MAKING GOOD

EAST PRINCETON NOTES.

East Princeton, June 12.—A. E. Irwin has the store building for T. C. King well under way. Proper postoffice accommodation is being provided in it.

A petition has been forwarded to the Postmaster General asking that T. C. King be appointed Postmaster at East Princeton.

At the cement plant the engines have all been put in working order and electricity. which is to be the motion power in the factory, is now being supplied. The machinery has all been tried out and before the end of the week the rock and shale crushers will be working. By next Wednesday it is expected that the plant will be working full blast.

The United Empire mine is employing twenty men and putting out about thirty tons of coal a day.

Mrs. M. Osborne's mother and sister, Mrs. C. M. Matson and Miss Vilda Matson of Spokane, are spending a few weeks with her.

WEDNESDAY HALF HOLIDAYS

The Merchants' Retail Protective Association have agreed to make Wednesdays half holiday for the summer months June, July and August, beginning June 18 The Wednesday afternoon half holiday is observed in most towns and Princeton merchants are in line with all progressive movements. The proprietors, managers and clerks will be all the better for the mid week break on the monotony of life. To prevent 'scabbing' in the association a fine to be given to the hospital will be imposed on any member who breaks the agreement re closing.

CELEBRATION NOTES.

The friendly game of baseball played last Sunday at Princeton resulted in a score of 13 to 10 in favor of Hedley. The return game will be played shortly. These games are excellent practice and put the teams and the public wise as to Who's Who in the field. The big event takes plaee Dominion Day and our boys expect with the required practice to haul down the swag. The last half of the game on Sunday showed that Princetons improved greatly as the game proceeded and if it could have been drawn out another 30 minutes Hedley would have been beaten to a frazzle. Pitcher Petrie delivers the sphere with deadly precision and his future is promising. Practise is the word.

Lacrosse practices are frequent and vigorous and the team that crosses hickory with our fellows has its work cut out for them on Dominion Day. [illegible]st spectacular of all games is taking deep root among the coming generation of Similkameenites and a crop of swift ones will develop. Canada's national game is now played in every civilized country and is about to be introduced into China since the pigtails are out of the way.

It is admitted by sportsmen that the program this year is the best yet and the prizes are big enough to 'draw' far and wide.

If Jim Hill gives good train service for both days of the celebration there will be a big contingent from Washington. Jim will do it as he is some sport himself.

Admission tickets to the race track grounds will be sold at a smell charge for the two days' events to cover big expenses in fitting up the grounds.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Geo. H. Sproule, provincial constable, leaves today for Europe accompanied by Mrs. Sproule. They will visit Scotland and other countries and will be gone about three months. During his absence Percy Wright will be acting constable at Hedley.

Chief Simpson, of the provincial police force, was in town yesterday and has detailed L. Woolford, of Okanagan Falls, as constable at Tulameen permanently. R. Pritchard, senior constable here, is now deputy chief for this section of the electoral district.

J. A. Schubert, a well-known and respected merchant of Tulameen, was in town yesterday on his way home from Hedley

This is the season for bear and fish stories and the sporting editor will gladly publish any that will interest the Nimrods and Waltons.

Mrs. E Waterman will not receive again until the first Wednesday in August.

There is a prospect that the wheat crop of Kansas will reach a total yield of one hundred and twenty million bushels this year, or one third greater than that of last year.

The Dominion house of commons prorogued last Friday. In some respects it was the most memorable session ever held.

The wheat crop in Saskatchewan is looking excellent although ten days backward compared with last year.

A society for the purpose of waging war and wholesale massacre has been discovered in India; such is the anti-British feeling there.

One hundred boys dressed as Uncle Sams and 100 girls as Miss Columbia will be the novel feature presented by children of the McKinley grade school in the pictorial pageant on the opening day of the Spokane Powwow, June 16 to 21. The central feature of this section will be a huge float representing the Star Spangled banner, and the boys and girls accompanying it will sing national anthems during the parade. Between 6,000 and 8,000 school children will be in the pictorial pageant. Quite a number from Princeton will attend the Powwow.

THE WIDE WORLD.

It is thought that less than 10 per cent. will oppose church union when submitted by the Presbyterians in Canada this fall. The Methodists and Congregational churches have already voted for union by a practically unanimous vote. The Church of England synod now in session at Vancouver do not wish to unite with nonconformists.

A new wall map of the Province of British Columbia is now ready for distribution. The map is on a scale of 17.75 miles to 1 inch and is in four sheets, which when joined together make a map about five feet square. In order to cover the cost of production of this map, a charge of one dollar is being made, and all orders should be addressed to the department of Lands, Victoria.

The president of the United States has issued an executive order that all fourth class postmasters except those receiving less than $180 a year, are required to take a civil service examination to demonstrate their fitness for office. All appointments to fourth class offices are now open to competition. When will Canada adopt similar improvement and give the public decent service for their money? The present government at Ottawa is losing votes every day by a rotten post-office and mail service.

OBITUARY.

The funeral of Evelyn May Osborne the eleven months old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Merral Osborne, was held at their home in East Princeton, Saturday, June 7th, at 2 p.m., the Rev. Mr. McKenzie of the Methodist church of Keremeos, conducting the funeral service. Flowers were received from Mr. Tweddle, of Keremeos, and from Mrs. H. Hunter of East Princeton, also from Spokane.

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Dated June 2, 1913.
W. E HENDERSON,
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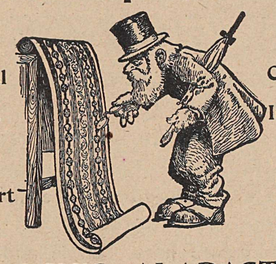
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TOWN AND DISTRICT.

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Born on the 2nd inst., the wife of Percy Wright of a daughter.

Wilson Bros. are employing a considerable force of carpenters and painters on their various contracts in town.

A carpet of lovely wildflowers covers the hills and roses are gathered anywhere. Mushrooms, wild celery and potatoes are some of the vegetables nature provides for man and his wife. Here also are found beautiful butterflies and moths. The botanist and naturalist would find much to interest here.

Richard Soutter is painting some of the government bridges in the district.

All danger from flood or high water is now past for this season

Bountiful rains during the past week have given vegetation a spurt so that one can almost see things grow.

Frank Garrison, brother of William, came up from Seattle last week on a visit.

W. A. McLean has purchased a Case auto which will be of good service in keeping him in touch with Princeton and headquarters camp on the transprovincial road construction.

The social atmosphere is astir with some June weddings said to be making progress.

Trout are beginning to run in the rivers and streams but it is a little early for good fishing.

Strawberries at 25 cents per box are being imported from Wenatchee, Wash.

J. C. Robertson, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, leaves for the coast on his annual holidays. During his absence Mr. Rankin will be acting manager.

Mrs. Laura E. Hill is expected to visit Princeton on or about the 16th inst. Monday next. She is a spirtualist medium widely known and with a large practice at Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

The sale of the China creek sawmill by auction on Monday last was conducted by J. B. Wood, bailiff, the property being sold in satisfaction of certain chattel mortgages. It is understood the mill will be operated by local men who are practical lumber manufacturers.

The A. E. Howse Co., L'd., has installed a lightning cash exchange and register system which is a big improvement. This company has a long flag mast ready to be placed for Dominion Day and will fly the colors of the empire.

Teller Brookes of the Bank of Montreal has gone to Lethbridge, Alta., on a holiday trip and is relieved by J. Reynolds of Rossland, B. C.

SPECIALS.

FOR SALE—Am selling my grey mare, aged 7 years, with her yearling filly, at the end of this month, June, as I am returning to Vancouver. Excellent riding or driving. Filly out of pedigree stock. W. HERBERT MAYERS, Princeton.

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WATER ACT

Notice of Application for the Approval of Plans and Petition for Approval of Undertaking:

TAKE NOTICE that ASHAWOTA POWER COMPANY, Limited, will apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for the approval of the plans of the works to be constructed for the utilization of the water from Similkameen River, which the applicant is, by Water Permit No. 28 authorized to take and use for power purposes.

Petition for the approval of the undertaking will also be made to the Honorable the Minister of Lands.

The plans and particulars required by subsection (1) of section 70 of the "Water Act" as amended and the petition and plans for approval of undertaking as required by Section 89, have been filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights at Victoria and with the Water Recorder ta Fairview and Nicola.

Objections to the application may be filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Dated at Vancouver, B. C. this 29th day of May, 1913.

T. D PICKARD,
Agent of the applicant.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the Matter of Plans Cancellation Act and Amendments Thereto;

AND

In the Matter of a Subdivision of a Portion of District Lot 1824, Similkameen Division, Group 1, Yale District, in the Province of British Columbia:

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made to the Presiding Judge in Chambers, on Wednesday, the 25th day of June, 1913, at the hour of 10:30 o'clock, or so soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, at the Court House, Vancouver, B. C., on behalf of Clarence R. Briggs the registered owner of a portion of District Lot 1824, Similkameen Division, Group 1, Yale District, for an order that Plan numbered 998, registered in the Registry Office, City of Kamloops, in the Province of British Columbia, covering said portion of District Lot 1824, be cancelled, and that a subdivision plan be registered in substitution therefor.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1913.

W. J. BAIRD,
Solicitor for the Applicant,
Clarenc R. Briggs.

To the Attorney General, the District Registrar of Titles and to all whom it may concern.

WATER NOTICE.

For a licence to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that The British Columbia Copper Co Ltd. of Greenwood, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use fifty cubic feet per second of water out of Whipsaw Creek, which flows in an easterly direction through public land and empties into Similkameen River near Ashnola, B. C. The water will be diverted at a dam near this notice and will be used for power purposes on the land described as the west bank of Similkameen River.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 28th day of May, 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft, B. C.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

At the present rate of construction on the V.,V. & E. there is very dim hope of the grade being completed this fall to the point of intersection with the Merritt branch of the C.P.R. It will be recollected by all who are anxiously waiting for direct and semi-direct railroad connection with the coast via Coquihalla pass and Merritt that a loud hurrah was caused in the press last winter by telegrams from Victoria and other points announcing the completion of the V.,V. & E. and K.V. this fall to points which would link the Similkameen district with the coast. With small gangs of laborers and pottering methods of construction it is quite evident that the promise of early completion and connection will be broken. The people are so used to delay and deception regarding railroad construction that they have sunk to a low state of careless indifference. After all the concessions, guarantees, bonusses and special legislation received by the railway companies it seems only to beget a spirit of apathetic indifference as to whether the terms of charters and agreements are lived up to. Is it possible to arouse railway companies to a true sense of their obligations to beneficent governments, to a long suffering people, and a tolerant country?

The willingness and submission with which the people of the Similkameen district have permitted the railway companies to do as they please regarding construction and operation of their lines is a subject of much adverse criticism by the people themselves. They moan and groan over the service given by the Great Northern whereby the Similkameen is needlessly kept one whole day behind the rest of the world by the enforced layover at Oroville. Mails, passengers, express and freight have all to stop stone still at Oroville, no matter what the expense and inconvenience caused the public. With this handicap the question may well be asked: How can this grievance be remedied? Every passenger coming over this line complains of the expense and delay at Oroville. Such brakes as this and the slow construction of direct lines to the coast throttle progress of a struggling district and breed discontentment and political revolution.

For the information of those who do not give attention to the railway problem and are content to be bled white for the great octopus that spreads its tentacles over the Dominion, the following figures may serve to awaken from their deadly slumber: Aid given by the people of Canada for railway construction from confederation up to June 30, 1912, $453,142,118. In addition to this there have been land grants of 56,052,055 acres. These figures are appalling in their very immensity, but what shall be said of the principle involved which only encourages the companies to further daring requests and a tyrranizing use of power on legislatures. Like a spoilt child the railways have been humored until they have become our despotic masters. There is only one remedy—the people must own and control all public utilities.

If the suggestion made in this column last week, reforming the senate out of existence, and the substitution of an elective president and board of directors for the house of commons should ever become statntory an immense saving of money in legislation will result and campaign lying, abuse and enmity will be obviated. Under existing partyism the country is divided into two hostile camps and no matter what is submitted by the one it is opposed by the other. To tear down what the other builds up is the end and aim of political parties. Blind, senseless opposition characterizes every party move and suggestion. Members of parliament change their principles in a night to suit the varying vote catching propositions. Government by party system is a ludicrous failure. Those grand depositories of party barnacles, the senate and house of lords, no more represent the popular opinion than the mugwumpian spouters of tne past. Lop away all the sentiment, pseudo patriotism and flim-flam of party and reduce government to a business basis, then only will the rankling, contentious spirit of present day politics give place to scientific rule and contentment. The eternal truth that a house divided cannot stand is seen in rulers dethroned, empires lost and republics disrupted.

It is suggested at the Presbyterian congress that millions of money are needed. What about the new birth?

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PRINCETON HOSPITAL REPORT

Your directors beg to present to you a statement of receipts and expenditures during the year ending February 28th last and to report as follows regarding the administration of the affairs of the hospital during their term of office which terminates, as members will be aware, at this meeting.

The fiscal year commenced on 1st March, 1912, with a balance in hand of $56.99. Receipts for the year have amounted to $3,819.65; as follows: Private subscriptions of members and others, $321.40; paying patients, $2,654.85; government allowances, $843.40. Total available for disbursement, $3,876.64.

Expenditures have been as follows: Furniture, $235.32; buildings, improvement to and extensions, $508.48; salaries, $2,741.79; fuel and light. $254.50; drugs and equipment, $342.44; repairs, $52.55; maintenance, $1,028.78; sundry. $109.03; leaving a deficit of $1,394.25. Total $5,270.89.

The expenditure of $741.80 upon furniture and building may be regarded as a permanent investment and eliminating this from the total we have left the sum of $4,529.09 which has been the actual cost of administration and maintenance, as against receipts of $3,819.65, or a loss in the year of $709.44. This corresponds closely with the loss for the previous year of $854.82.

We also desire to call attention to the fact that owing to the uncerainty of collecting accounts due for treatmen of patients, we have in accordance with the practice of our predecessors, not taken into consideration any of these assets standing on the books in the statement submitted to you, although a considerable amount was shown at the end of the year to be due by patients who were regarded as quite good for their obligations and who have since that date paid in full. With the proceeds of the payment of these accounts and a grant of $1,000 made us by the Provincial Treasurer on May 9th, our indebtedness has been practically wiped out.

Since the last annual meeting Nurse Faulds has tendered her resignation and is replaced by Nurse Manahan from Nelson. B. C. who has been in charge from February 28th of this year. The loss of Nurse Faulds' services was much regretted. Under her superintendence the administration of the hospital ran smoothly and the board received no complaints whatever. and her successor, Nurse Manahan, has taken up the work in a most capable manner and we have every reason to be well satisfied with our choice.

Owing to the recent increase in the treatment, it has been decided to employ a second assistant nurse to be in residence at the hospital and Miss Amy Barnet of Nelson. B. C., has been given the appointment.

It will be interesting to note the increase in the number of patients treated this year over the previous year. In the year 1911-12 there were 58 patients admitted who required 527 days treatment, and in the year under revision 59 patients have been admitted and 937 days treatment recorded. In the former year a large number of trivial cases, requiring only one or two days treatment, were received from the railroad camps, whereas during the past year few cases have been taken in that have not been of a more or less serious nature.

In conclusion we wish again to thank the members of the Ladies Auxiliary Committee for the valuable assistance received from them during the year, both in the form of cash donations and supplies.

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GRAND CELEBRATION

Dominion Day

TUESDAY, JULY 1ST, 1913

CANADA'S NATIONAL HOLIDAY

The 46th anniversary of Confederation will be duly observed in Princeton with Sports, Races, Lacrosse, Baseball, Grand Ball, &c.

$1,100.00 IN PRIZES $1,100.00

OFFICIAL PROGRAM:

FIRST DAY--1st July:

10 a.m.

Athletic Sports to be held at School Grounds, Vermilion Ave.

	FIRST	SECOND
Boys' Race, under 14 years old,	$ 2.50	
Girls' Race, under 14 years old,	2,50	
Ladies' Race	5.00	
Sack Race	5.00	
Putting the Shot	.00	
Hammer Throwing	.00	$ 3.00
High Jump	.00	2.50
Running Jump	.00	2.50

1:30 p.m.

At the Oval Race Track Grounds

Baseball Game	$ 150 purse	
Half Mile Foot Race	15	$ 7
One Hundred Yards Dash	10	5
Lacrosse Match	100 purse	

9 p.m.

Grand Ball in Thomas Hall under the direction of the Princeton Band.

SECOND DAY:

8:30 a.m.

Final Baseball Match at the Oval Race Track Grounds

10:30 a.m.

Rock Drilling Contest	$150	$50

[To be held at School Grounds, Vermilion Ave.—3 teams to start or no second money.]

1:30 p.m.

Horse Races at Race Track.

Race No. 1—Freeforall, 1st heat	$ 150	$ 50
" 2—Pony Race, 14 hands and under	20	10
" 3—Half Mile, threeyearolds,	50	20
" 4—Second Heat, Freeforall		
" 5—Ladies' Race	20	10
" 6—Tandem Race	20	10
" 7—Half Mile Dash	50	15
" 8—Slow Race, boys under 14 up	10	5
" 9—Boys' Pony Race	10	5
" 10—Saddle Horse, ½ Mile, owners up	20	10
" 11—Cowboy Race, 3 turns	50	10
" 12—Bucking Contest	20	

ENTRANCE 10 per cent. first money

God Save the King.

TEN HEALTH COMMANDMENTS

In a recent Y. W. C. A. bulletin from Gatesville, Texas, was the report of a field day for the rural school girls, a part of the program for which consisted of talks on the Ten Commandments of Health. All of the athletic clubs for girls were to be asked to subscribe to them.

So pertinent does this code seem that it is given herewith to our readers, with the hope that it may be adopted in many other places than Texas.

1. Thou shalt keep thy backbone straight.
2. Thou shalt drink a half gallon of water each day.
3. Thou shalt walk three miles a day or play a game for 45 minutes.
4. Thou shalt use all thy lungs all the time
5. Thou shalt take sufficient nourishment.
6. Thou shalt masticate thy food properly.
7. Thou shalt crush thy teeth twice each day.
8. Thou shalt sleep eight hours of each twenty-four.
9. Thou shalt think pleasant thoughts, and banish unpleasant ones.
10. Thou shalt thank thy Creator for the blessings which the keeping of these laws bring, and tell they neighbors.—Ex.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I shall apply to the Minister of Lands at Victoria for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands situate in the district of Yale and in the Kamloops division: Commencing at a post at the south-west corner of lot 2420 and being the south-west corner of land applied for, thence north 80 chains, east 40 chains, south 40 chains, east 40 chains, south 40 chains, west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 480 acres more or less.

Located April 12, 1913.
W. HOMER McLEAN, locator.
H. D. Russell, agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I shall apply to the Minister of Lands at Victoria for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands situate in the district of Yale in the Kamloops division: Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of lot 1156 and being the south-east corner of land applied for, thence west 80 chains, north 70 chains, east 80 chains, south 70 chains to the point of commencement and containing 560 acres more or less.

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H. D. Russell, agent

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Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I shall apply to the Minister of Lands at Victoria for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands situate in the district of Yale and in the Kamloops division: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of lot 1039 and being the south-west corner of land applied for, thence north 40 chains, east 80 chains, south 40 chains, west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 320 acres more or less.

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Located April, 12, 1913.
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Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1. an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applitcant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-division of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5, which wtll be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five per cent per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quanity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lease may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secrtary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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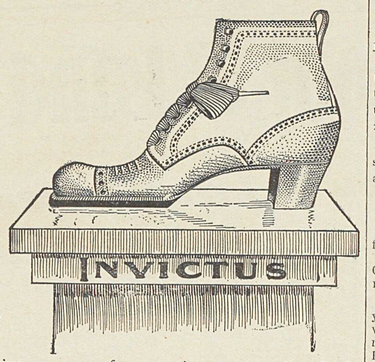

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SMILES.

He—Then you married me simply for my money?

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"Calmly enough. He seemed glad that the man she ran away with was Graftmann."

"Why so?"

"Graftmann," he said, "was never known to return anything yet."

"Oh, thank you," exclaimed an elderly lady to a laborer who surrendered his seat in a crowded car; "thank you very much!" "That's orl right, mum," was the rejoinder. As the lady sat down the chivalrous laborer added: "Wot I ses is, a man never ort to let a woman stand. Some men never gets up unless she's pretty, but you see mum, it don't make no difference to me."

Florence, who was an ardent admirer of her own vocal qualities, had been selected to sing a solo at a church entertainment.

The following morning at the breakfast table she remarked to her younger brother:

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A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held at the Court House, Princeton, Thursday, 26th day of June, 1913 at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. By command.

HUGH HUNTER,
Registrar County Court.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an Application will be made on behalf of the Kettle Valley Railway Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada on the ninth day of June nineteen hundred and thirteen, or so soon thereafter as the Application can be heard for a recommendation to the Governor in Council for the sanction of a lease from the former Company to the latter Company of the lines of railway of the former Company.

This Notice is given pursuant to the provisions of Sections 361 of the Railway Act.

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