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## TRANSPROVINCIAL ROAD, TWO RAILWAYS: PRINCETON

### LARGE COAL ORDER GRANBY PROFITS A MILLION

#### MINES AND MINING

Advices from New York state that the preliminary report of the Granby Smelting company for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913, show that profits from the Grand Forks smelter and the Phoenix mines amounted to \$1,207,661 of which the sum of \$449,955 was disbursed to shareholders since dividend payments were resumed recently.

Sam Spencer came down from his silver-lead property at Whipsaw on Wednesday. He has been doing considerable development work and the showings are fine.

A system of time keeping and a check on the men working in the mine will do much to assure the safety of the workers. At a very small expense a system can be installed whereby a gatekeeper will issue checks to the men as they enter the workings, the men returning them when they leave. A glance at the check-board will then show whether all the men on a given shift have left the mine. If the board shows that one man is still in the mine, an investigating party can be sent to look for him. A system of fines for failure to return checks will force the men to follow any regulations laid down in this connection. Besides the checks, lists should also be kept showing in what part of the mine each man is working.

In order to prevent any shortage of coal during the months that railway cars will be in use for hauling the grain crop W. P. Tierney has just arranged for the shipment to Nelson of 50 carloads of Galt coal from Lethbridge. Some of the coal will arrive next week, it is expected, and the contract made by Mr. Tierney calls for the delivery of the whole consignment by Oct. 15.

W. J. Mitchell, diamond drill contractor for the B. C. Copper Co. on Copper Mountain, arrived from Spokane on Thursday.

#### LABOR DAY

From all accounts the celebration last Monday at Hedley was a complete success and the Miners' Union is to be congratulated upon the thorough way in which everything was arranged and carried out. Large numbers of Princeton people attended.

One of the main events, certainly the most interesting, was the drilling contest of which Anderson and Sebla were the winners with a depth of 34 3/4 inches, while a depth of 31 1/2 inches gave the second money to Trewelah and Holver-

seth. McEachren Bros. came third with 31 21-32 inches, next Hamilton and Liddicoate with 30 11-16 inches. Beam and Lyon who were the first to drill went down 30 9-16 inches.

The lacrosse game resulted in a score of 42 in favor of Keremeos and some good play was seen. In baseball Princeton beat the Indians by 16-3 but lost to Hedley by a score of 18-4.

The football match attracted a number of enthusiastic spectators and resulted in a win for Hedley by 4-3.

Another important event was the inevitable dance on the evening of the first day. Both floor and music received the unanimous approval of the many couples and the dainty refreshments served, in conjunction with pretty and tasteful decorations, will make the occasion a memorable one in the terpsichorean annals of Hedley.

#### PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Turner, of Penticton and their son Donald were visitors here this week. Mr. Turner as road superintendent, is kept very busy and is looking forward to a holiday respite from the strenuous life. As a former resident of Princeton, some seven or eight years ago, Mrs. Turner notices many improvements.

Ernest Waterman, manager of the Princeton Coal & Land Co., is at the coast on a short business trip.

Mrs. Bishop, of Spokane, an old time friend of Mrs. F. Wilms, will be her guest for a good long visit during the autumn and extending into the winter.

Frank Wilms, barber, returned from Spokane last Tuesday.

A quiet wedding in which the principals were Mrs. F. L. Nelson and W. A. Davis took place this week details of which have not yet been received. Mr. Davis is one of the pioneers of Princeton and is receiving congratulations from a legion of friends.

Mrs. C. Willarson returned this week from a visit to relatives in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Spencer have returned to town from their mine at Whipsaw.

Frank Bailey, M. E. has returned from Merritt and the coast in a private car last Wednesday.

O. Rain is recovering from a disabled hand and will soon be using it again.

L. W. Shatford write from London, Eng. that he and Mrs. Shatford are now 'doing' the old town and will shortly leave for gay 'Paree' and other capitals.

A good goat will yield from one to two quarts of milk daily, and costs from \$2 to \$20; and, according to Dr. Sheldon W. Bull, of Buffalo, the goat is the only dairy animal immune from tuberculosis. Furthermore, goat's milk is richer, more nutritious and more easily digested than cow's milk—Why not get a goat?

### ELECTRIC LIGHT IS A LIVE ISSUE--PROFIT IN ALFALFA

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

There are good prospects of electric light for the town now that the matter has been taken in hand by Messrs. Cox and Marston. The need for this light has been apparent for a long time.

A. Reith is preparing to begin threshing with his steam separator and power. His crops will yield well in grain but the straw is short.

Dr. Campbell is occupying his handy quarters in the Howse block, his furnishings have been placed.

Sometimes opportunity knocks at a man's door and he doesn't hear it because he is knocking so much that he cannot hear even an angel call.

Born—On the 28th August, the wife of J. Johnson, of a son.

Artificial floorings are now being made out of sawdust concrete. The cement used consists of a solution of magnesium chloride to which pulverized magnesia is added. The sawdust is then used in any desired quantity. Floors manufactured in this way are more resilient than concrete, and are not good conductors of heat. They wear well, and do not burn, charring under the fire test.

#### RAILWAY POINTS.

The annual report of the C. P. R. president states that: 'It is not the intention of your directors to proceed with the second track in the more difficult sections along the Thompson and Fraser rivers until your Kettle Valley line is ready for traffic between Midway and Hope, in 1915, so that you may have an alternative route between Medicine Hat and Vancouver via the Crow's Nest pass if anything unforeseen should occur during the prosecution of the double track work to obstruct traffic on the main line.' The statement calls attention to the fact that the mileage covered by the statement of gross earnings and working expenses has increased from 10,983 miles in 1912 to 11,602 miles in 1913.

#### ALFALFA IS MONEYMAKER

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 3.—'Alfalfa will make two blades of grass grow in the Inland Empire where but one now grows,' states Professor Perry G. Holden, the famous Iowa agriculturist, who will head a four-weeks alfalfa campaign in this section commencing September 24.

In a communication to the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, Professor Holden speaks enthusiastically of his coming work in the Inland Empire, adding: 'It

is very difficult for us to undertake a new thing or grow a new crop, even though we know from the experience of others that it is profitable. We are inclined to go along in the old way. We need jogging to awaken us to the great opportunities around us. We see others growing alfalfa and making money, but we fail to profit by experience.

'A. P. Grout, of Winchester, Illinois, who has grown alfalfa for twenty years, says: 'Alfalfa will pay 6 per cent. interest on \$1,000 an acre land; it is equal to wheat bran as stock feed. one acre of alfalfa is equal to six acres of timothy; where corn will net \$15.80 per acre, alfalfa will net \$50 per acre. Every farmer should grow some alfalfa.'

#### THE VALLEY OF SUNSHINE

Frank Bailey, M. E., has always been a firm believer in the possibilities and potentialities of the Similkameen, Nicola and Tulameen districts; and knows these probably better than any other resident. He is the author of a descriptive pamphlet of about one hundred pages covering these districts which he is now distributing to subscribers and the board of trade. The matter is fully descriptive of the marvelous sections treated and the illustrations afford an accurate idea of the localities and their products. As a means of publicity the 'Valley of Sunshine' should meet with a large demand from all having interests in the country.

#### OBITUARY

The passing away of young Bruce McLean, following an operation for appendicitis, in the hospital, occurred Wednesday morning. He had been ill less than a week. A bright and only son of twelve years, sunny and playful, his schoolmates will miss him very much. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McLean, have the sympathy of everyone in which Star sincerely joins. The funeral on Thursday was largely attended, the obsequies being conducted by the Rev. J. A. Gilham, M. A.

#### THE WIDE WORLD.

Harvesting operations are under way in several parts of central Alberta. Reports received indicate that the grain crop throughout the province will be the greatest ever gathered. Its farm value is placed at from fifty-three to fifty-five million dollars, as compared with fifty-one million dollars in 1912. The three transcontinental railroads operating in this district have completed arrangements to supply sufficient equipment to move the crops without delay.

Membership of the Boston Y. M. C. A. is expected to reach the six thousand mark by the time the new one million dollar building is formally opened. From the present enrolment in the educational

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THE WIDE WORLD.

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department it is expected that there will be over four thousand students in the various schools by 1st of November.

A great advance has been made in Africa in cotton growing. Exports have increased in the last seven years from one million five hundred thousand pounds, to four million five hundred thousand pounds. In the East African protectorate the exports had risen from forty-six thousand to three hundred and sixty-six thousand pounds; in Uganda, from ninety-six thousand to nearly twelve million pounds; in Nyassa they have increased from seven hundred and seventy-six thousand to two million two hundred and seventy-six thousand pounds.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is going to make an experiment in the quick lunch-on wheels business. A steel passenger car is being fitted up and equipped for this service. The company will try it on trains that do not carry a dining-car, believing that it will fill a long-felt need. The car is intended to cater to the wishes and tastes of the travelling public who do not wish an elaborate meal en route.

The olive crop which will probably be double that of 1912 will bring one million six hundred thousand dollars to California this year, according to present estimates.

The typhoid death rate in Canada is 35.5 per 100,000 of the population. In Norway, Sweden, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and Great Britain, the death

rates vary from 6.2 to 12.8 per 100,000. Up to the present, Canada has been not ably backward along the lines of water purification and the prevention of pollution, but these questions are now being forced into prominence.

One of the gravest problems confronting Great Britain is the decrease in the birth rate. Between 1871 and 1912 it fell from 33.8 per thousand to 24 per thousand. Between 1851 and 1912 the population of the United Kingdom has grown from 27.4 millions to 45.7 millions, while during the last forty years the death rate has fallen from 21.5 to 13.8 per thousand. It seems to have occurred to very few people that the decline in the birth rate may be due to the emigration of large sections of the able-bodied population to the Dominions and the United States.

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TEN YEARS AGO.

(From The Star, 1903.)

The attendance at the public school indicates a flourishing condition. During Miss Moore's term so far the number of pupils in actual attendance is 18, of whom 12 are boys and 6 girls.

It was placer mining which first drew the attention of gold-hunters from all parts of the world to the Similkameen. As high as \$100 a day with primitive appliances was cleaned up by men who are still living here. The rivers and their tributaries offer an excellent field for investigation and the probable operation of a big gold dredger.

Frank Bailey, in company with Thos. Rabbitt, has located five free milling gold quartz claims.

Wm. Knight miner, prospector and virtuoso left for that Mecca of so many Princetonians, Hedley, on Sunday last.

There was a row in the zoo the other day between the bob-tailed lynx and a yaller canine. In trying to separate them Tuck, the Jackson hotel hypnotist, got a surprise from the lynx's right which started the 'claret' to flow freely. Danger from blood poisoning is reduced to a minimum by the application of Seagram's balm externally and internally.

A large and commodious out structure, also a handy coal bin will serve to make Star quarters warmer this winter for the 'devil' who will in turn be able to make it hotter for certain legislators who have neglected this district.

The following resolution was introduced and carried at the board of trade meeting: Resolved—That the boards of trade in the Yale-Cariboo parliamentary division be respectfully invited to co-operate with the Princeton board in urging upon the Dominion government the necessity for a telephone line to link the Similkameen with the outside world.

According to the election returns five Conservatives were elected in Vancouver with appalling majorities. 'Fighting Joe' Martin entered the ring once too often and received a belly blow which, it is hoped may retire him for life.

STRINGENCY PASSING AWAY

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—Hon. W. T. White has returned from a holiday trip to the old country. He was quite optimistic over the financial outlook and confident that tight money is about over. He regards the cessation of the Balkan war as the most potential factor towards a more hopeful adjustment of financial conditions. The British attitude, he said, is at present much more favorable to Canadian investments than it was a few weeks ago. There existed almost a prejudice against Canadian securities. There were many causes. One was the general situation, another was the fact that much English money had been lost in Canadian wildcat schemes. The company promoter as far as England is concerned, he said, is dead for a long time to come.

Mr. White gave two reasons for the present stringency. One was the unprecedented demand for capital from all parts of the world. The other was the Balkan war and the fear of a general conflagration. Referring to municipal securities Mr. White said that it was understood in London that these debentures of the principal cities were thoroughly sound. There has been an unfortunate congestion in London. This is clearing up and he predicted an improvement ahead. Mr. White expects to take a trip to the prairie provinces in October.

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The water will be diverted at or near this notice and will be used for mining purposes, on the land described as Frisco and other mineral claims in which the applicant has interests.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 19th day of August 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.

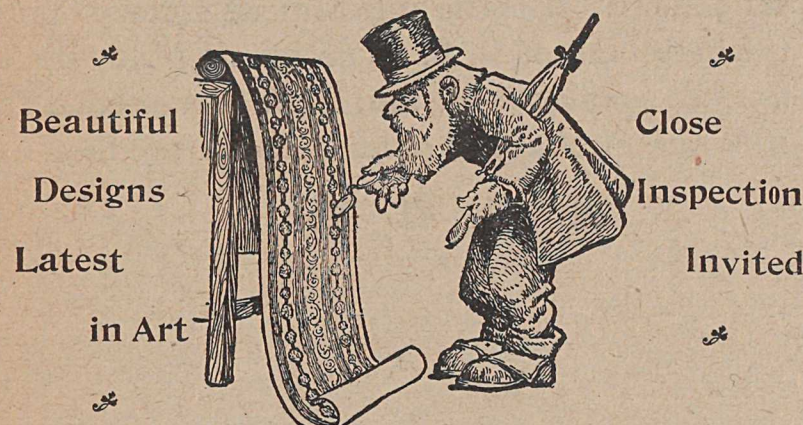
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## THE NEWSPAPER

Newspapers, like every other business and profession, pass through the ordeal of adverse criticism. Many a one has dragged through a miserable existence, at last finding rest from turmoil and discouragement in the journalistic boneyard. But it is the survival of the fittest, those who have set for themselves a certain task and high ideal, who unwaveringly adhere to the right, that eventually make good and are crowned with success. To falter because of the whining criticism of nonentities is to admit error and lack of ability. The newspaper which strives to be educative and informative and endeavors to maintain a high standard of ethics will always meet with opposition from those who are shallow and low in moral and intellectual status. The rehearsal of crime and sensational immorality by the yellow press does not make for the advancement or uplift of readers. A nation or community feeding on the husks and not the kernel of wholesome news will soon degenerate to barbaric habits and fashions. The heathen in former days would burn incense to the god Nicotine blowing the aromatic smoke through his nose; he quaffed to Bacchus and resorted to all sorts of stimuli to keep up the pace. Are the heathen of today improving on their forefathers? These are the critics who usually denounce every effort toward moral and social improvement, who have no religion and much prefer the sensual novel to wholesome literature, their prayer book or bible. They stand afar off and criticize, praying in their hearts as the old Pharisee, seeing heinous faults in others but observing none in themselves with the smug complacency of all hypocrites. Another class of newspaper critics are those who never subscribe but beg borrow or steal their news out of papers they do not pay for. If they do subscribe they are always delinquent, and find fault with the news be it local or editorial. They want the latest scandal, prizefight, and the minutest detail of the flight of a millionaire maniac. Every re-

sident of a community has a duty to perform in patronizing the local newspaper, for without one is to be away in the rear of the age—back it not only with the price per year or ad. but back it with your sentiment in every worthy cause and it will repay a hundredfold.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Lord Haldane told the newspaper reporters of Montreal that he was in favor of votes for women. This from the first jurist in the empire ought to silence the hoboes who have no regard for the rights of women.

All this verbiage about army and navy and its relationship to imperialism; the question of contribution and emergency, and solidifying the empire, all could be settled in a twinkling if John Bull would take his sons into full partnership with him. If the growing boys across the seas contribute money and ships they ought to have some voice in the disposition of them. Taxation without representation will drive the colonies away instead of attract. 'John Bull & Sons' sounds like a partnership of equality in which all the members of the firm have an abiding interest. No other way, John, and the sooner you do it the better for all concerned.

It is pleasant to read about the peace palace at the Hague being dedicated to a noble cause. It has a huge task to be accomplished within its walls. If it will only abate or stop the navy building craze and disarm Europe it will have done a mighty work toward universal peace. There should be peace societies in every city and town and the churches should inculcate the spirit of peace by frequent sermons.

One effect of the money stringency is to defer deals that have been months coming to the present stage of consummation. The Star can speak feelingly in this matter but hopes soon to feel the quickening touch of cash and the necessary transfer documents.

Secretary of State Bryan's peace plans have been adopted by the parliamentary council at the Hague. Universal peace and disarmament are sure to come if the jingoes will abandon their 'insensate' policy.

So far the negotiations for settling the troubles of Mexico have been conducted with entire credit to 'Woodrow.' Star would like to see that rascal Castro dealt with by U.S.

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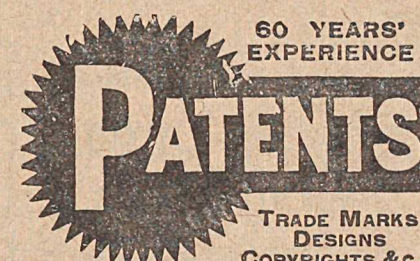
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## PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE.

Virtually there is no difference between a grafter and a highway robber—both gravitate toward the 'pen' and if spared will eventually reach this home of the crooked.

Nothing comes by chance in this world—all things take place by and through immutable law.

Put into your life faith in God, hope, truth, love and you will take out happiness, health, prosperity and eternal life.

When you get into a tight place and everything goes against you, till it seems you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that's just the place and the time that the tide'll turn.—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

The ultra-critical person knocks everything that does not originate in his brain—they are to be pitied.

Flattery is the tool of a false friend—praise comes from the heart and is always helpful and encouraging. Never withhold merited praise.

The person too proud to confess faults cannot progress along right lines. Humility is one of the most likeable qualities in a man.

Fear, doubt, malice, hatred, envy, lying, pride, ambition, covetousness, impurity, intemperance, all breed disease. Wholesome thoughts: wholesome body.

A breath of prayer in the morning and the morning life is sure. A breath of prayer in the evening, and the evening blessing comes. So our life is redeemed from destruction.—Drummond.

The perfect spiritual life must produce perfect physique, health. The great Exemplar suffered no bodily ills or pains, therefore never turned to materia medica.

## NEW WESTMINSTER FAIR

Leading the way for fairs in Western Canada the management of the provincial exhibition, which opens in New Westminster on September 30th and continues until October 4th, have this year offered the grand total of \$60,000 in prizes and attractions. Preparations have been proceeding apace and Manager D. E. MacKenzie is daily in receipt of entries for the various departments. Numerous improvements have been and many of the prizes increased, in addition to a large number of new classes in the different divisions.

A record for attendance was established during 1912 when over 60,000 people attended during the five days, but it is predicted that all records will be broken this year.

The free attractions will prove a great drawing card and no trouble or expense is being spared to make this feature a success. They will be staged in front of the grandstand. The provincial exhibition held in New Westminster, apart from the fun and amusement provided, is considered the largest and most extensive truly agricultural exhibition in the province and the agricultural building in which the district exhibits are displayed in competition for the famous Dewar trophy and the \$3000 cash prizes are worth coming many miles to see. All entries close on September 20.

## SPECIALS.

BRICKS FOR SALE—Good quality. Apply Max Wilson.

FOR SALE—I have 40 shares of B. C. Portland Cement Company's Stock of Princeton, B. C., which I will sell for \$50 per share. WM. H. KAYE, 421 Exchange Bank Bldg. Spokane, Wash.

FOR SALE—Lot 3, block 25, Vermilion Ave., with 6 roomed house and barn, etc. Apply on premises

BREAD—Good homemade bread supplied at J. Knudson's, Tipton avenue. Try it and be convinced.

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& BOOK STORE

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Large and New building, well furnished and Plastered; Comfortable; Quietude.

Sample Rooms, spacious, in hotel.

Hotel is situated near Great Northern Railway station.

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## DOMINION HOTEL

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LIVERY IN CONNECTION

Miners', Prospectors' and Travelers' Home

RATES: \$1 to \$2.50 per Day

THE GATEWAY TO THE  
Tulameen Gold and Platinum Mines.



MAIL CONTRACT

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday the 10th day of September, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years twice per week each way, between Granite Creek and Great Northern Railway Station at Coalmont from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Granite Creek and Coalmont and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

JOHN R. GREENFIELD  
Post Office Inspector.  
Post Office Inspector's Office,  
Vancouver, B. C., 8th August, 1913.

Priest  
Photographer  
Princeton



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CEMENT, LIME  
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COALCOALMONT HOTEL  
COALMONT, B.C.First-class accommodation  
for all guestsHotel is new and well furnished.  
Near stationExcellent cuisine and bar supplied  
with the best

The Coalmont Hotel Co., Ltd.

## NOTICE

My wife having left my bed and board without just cause and contrary to my wishes this is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her. FRED. H. OHLRICH.  
Princeton, August 22, 1913.

## LIQUOR LICENCE ACT

## SECTION 48

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of August next application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the licence for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Granite Creek Hotel situate at Granite Creek, British Columbia, from Herbert Goodison to Foxcrowle P. Cook of Granite Creek, British Columbia.  
HERBERT GOODISON.  
Holder of Licence.  
FOXCROWLE P. COOK.  
Applicant for Licence.  
28th July, 1913.

## CARPENTER AND UNDERTAKER

The undersigned has followed the above lines of business for the past dozen years in Princeton and will continue the same. I will be glad to receive orders and will give them prompt attention. Residence and shop at foot of BILLITER AV. on Tulameen River  
**W. S. WILSON**

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Modern in Equipment and  
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Try a Star Special.

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Freight and Passenger  
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TO ALL PARTS  
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EXPERT  
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Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing  
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All Work Guaranteed.

Satisfaction given or money  
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Careful attention given to all  
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The Princeton  
Livery AND Feed  
Stables

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General Livery business carried on  
Horses for hire, single or double. Wood  
or coal delivered on shortest notice.  
Draying in all its branches. Prices right  
Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Undertaker and  
Funeral Director

All kinds of Coffins and Caskets on hand  
Vermilion Av. op. Similkameen Hotel

## THE OLD FASHIONED BOY

Oh, for a glimpse of a natural boy—  
A boy with a freckled face,  
With forehead white 'neath tangled hair,  
And limbs devoid of grace.

Whose feet tee in while his elbows flare,  
Whose knees are patched always,  
Who turns as red as a lobster when  
You give him a word of praise.

A boy who's born with an appetite,  
Who seeks the pantry shelf  
To eat his 'piece' with resounding smack,  
Who isn't bone on himself.

A Robinson Crusoe reading boy,  
Whose pockets bulge out with trash,  
Who knows the use of rod and gun  
And where the brook trout splash.

It's true he'll sit in the easiest chair  
With his hat on his tousled head,  
That his hands and feet are everywhere,  
For youth must have room to spread.

But he doesn't dub his father 'old man'  
Nor deny his mother's call,  
Nor ridicule what his elders say,  
Or think that he knows it all.

A rough and wholesome natural boy,  
Of good old-fashioned clay—  
God bless him if he is still on earth,  
For he'll make a man some day.

'OUR TOWN' NOT 'THE TOWN'  
Do you take a pride in your town? In  
speaking of it and working for it, do you  
say 'our town'?

When you say 'our town' the expres-  
sion has a different meaning from what  
it does when you say 'the town,' 'this  
town' or 'your town.'

In speaking of our town make every  
word mean confidence, loyalty, prosper-  
ity, welcome, and we will have a town  
that exhibits all these.

## RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, 31st August.  
Sunday School at 10 a.m.  
Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.  
in the Court-house, Princeton.  
Rev. J. A. Gillam, M. A. Pastor.  
All are cordially invited.

Christian Science lesson sermon sub-  
ject next Sunday: 'Man.' But whose  
loppeth into the perfect law of liberty,  
and continueth therein, he being not a  
forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work,  
this man shall be blessed in his deed.  
James 1: 25.

Princeton Carriage  
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Horseshoeing, Etc.  
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ALL WORK NEATLY & PROMPTLY  
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Good Fishing, Boating  
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Miners' Outfitter

Princeton, Granite Creek,  
Coalmont

OLDEST ESTABLISHED



## COUNTY COURT--YALE

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be  
held at the Court House, Princeton, Wednesday  
8th day of October 1913, at the hour of 2 o'clock in  
the afternoon. By command.

HUGH HUNTER,  
Registrar County Court.

## WATER NOTICE

For a licence to take and use water.

Notice is hereby given that The Tulameen Gold  
and Platinum Ltd. of 538 Hastings St., W. Van-  
couver will apply for a licence to take and use 300  
cubic feet per second of water out of Similkameen  
River which flows in a northerly direction through  
the Similkameen division of Yale and empties into  
Okanagan River near Oroville.

The water will be diverted about half a mile  
south of the mouth of Copper Creek and will be  
used for power purposes on the land described  
within a radius of 100 miles of Princeton.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 30th  
day of July, 1913. The application will be filed  
in the office of the Water Recorder at Ashcroft.  
Objections may be filed with the said Water Re-  
corder or with the Controller of Water Rights,  
Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

THE TULAMEEN GOLD & PLATINUM LTD.  
Applicant.  
By E. E. Emmons, Agent.



## Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Mani-  
toba, 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  
applicant 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 de-  
scribed 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 will 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 quantity 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 pur-  
chase 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 Secretary 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.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this ac-  
vertisement will not be paid for.

## NOTICE

TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER

TO GEORGE B. COWAN—Take notice that un-  
less you do pay, within 10 days from the date  
hereof, the sum of \$1300 being your proportion  
of the expenditure required for the years 1901,  
1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910,  
1911, 1912, by Section 24 of the Mineral Act, upon  
the Celtic Chief and Empress mineral claims,  
situate at Summit Camp in the Similkameen  
mining division, Yale District, B. C., together  
with interest and all costs of this notice, to the  
undersigned, your co-partner in the said mineral  
claims, your interest in the said claims shall be-  
come vested in the undersigned who has made  
the required expenditure.

CHARLES CONNELL

Dated this 16th day of July, 1913.

## VIENNA BOARDING HOUSE.

Rooms and first-class board by the day,  
week or month. Street in rear of court  
house. MISS SCHOTZKO.

## SMILES

How proper men would be, they say,  
How splendid they would try to look,  
If all the time they felt that they  
Were having a moving picture 'took.'

'It takes a live fish to swim upstream,  
but a dead one can float down' is an old  
Indian proverb. Which way are you go-  
ing?

Green garden truck is reported to be so

plentiful and cheap in parts of the coun-  
try that the farmers' wives are giving  
some of it to their summer boarders in-  
stead of shipping it to market and trad-  
ing it for a cheaper brand of canned  
goods.

Oscar W. Underwood, at an al fresco  
luncheon in Birmingham, said to a man  
who opposed all tariff changes:

'The way you'd treat the tariff my  
good sir, reminds me of the poor duffer

who, weak from hunger, collapsed in  
Market street.

'A crowd gathered round, and then, as  
is always the way, three or four chaps be-  
gan to shove back the crowd, yelling:  
'Give him air! Give him air!'

'At this the sufferer raised his head  
from the sidewalk, smiled bitterly and  
said:

'Air? Give me air? Why, gents, I've  
had nothing but air for the last three  
days.'

What is that wound up on the cart?  
asked the old lady sitting near the fire  
house.

Firemen's hose, was the reply  
Excuse me, she said indignantly, you  
can't tell me any fireman or anyone else  
ever had legs to fit those things.

Darling, do you love me for myself  
alone?

Why, certainly. Charles. But you  
really have that \$50,000 haven't you?

## Did You Ever

Not a Solitary Person Has Been or Possibly Could Be Disappointed  
or Dissatisfied.

See the Half-hour Specials for the Last Seven  
Days of the Sale

SAT. SEPT. 6		MON. SEPT. 8		TUES. SEPT. 9.		WED. SEPT. 10	
150 men's fine 'Neglige' Shirts in a fine range of patterns, all sizes, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Special <b>69c ea.</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.	360 yards. Pure Silk Ribbon, 5 inches wide. Colors, white, cream, sky, pink, cardinal, brown, navy, copenhagen blue, and black. Regular 25 cent values. Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Special <b>12 1-2c</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.	75 Men's Wool Flannel top suits all sizes. Light and dark patterns, regular \$3 values Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Special <b>98c ea.</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.	200 Ladies' White Summer Vests, Richlen Rib. Sleeveless, deep lace yoke. 35 and 40 cent values go at Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Specials at <b>14c.</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.
THUR. SEPT. 11		FRIDAY, SEPT. 12		SAT. SEPT. 13.			
50 Ladies' White Embroidered Lawn Blouses, beautiful patterns, long or short sleeves, \$1.50 and \$2 values, all sizes. Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Special <b>89c, each</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.	600 yards of beautiful laces and in- teriors in a large variety of patterns and widths worth up to 20 cents per yard. Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Special <b>3c. per yard</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.	250 yards of Swiss Embroideries, flouncings, all overs and corset cover embroideries up to 27 inches wide, excellent values at 75 cents per yard. Half-hour Big Ben Bargain Special <b>33 cents per yard</b>	10 to 10:30 a. m. only.		

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Hundreds of people came  
from far and near and carried  
home big bundles of  
Big Ben Bargains  
and they are coming back  
for more every day.

A Rare Money-Saving  
Opportunity

where the value of a dollar is  
stretched to the limit in order  
to move the goods. ---

And the goods are moving.

"NO!"

Every person who has at-  
tended this sale realizes that  
this is  
more than this sale offers?

have an opportunity to get  
more real value for your money  
than this sale offers?



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