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RAILWAY BRIDGE OVER TULAMEEN

Steamshovel Now Working on Big Cut Near East Princeton.

Construction work on the big railway bridge over the Tulameen river was begun this week. The structure will have two concrete abutments and one concrete pier. There will be two 100-foot Howe truss spans. Excavation work to a depth of about eight feet below the river bed will be done to secure a solid foundation. This work is being done by hand with the aid of centrifugal pumps. W. E. Conroy, of Spokane, is in charge of the work for Guthrie, McDougall & Company. It will take about six weeks to complete the excavation work and the building of the abutments and pier.

The Glavin-Yungbluth Company have their big Bucyrus steamshovel and outfit in operation on the heavy cut to be made near East Princeton. This contracting firm have their headquarters at East Princeton and have every available building in the place occupied. This suburban town looks more prosperous now than it has for many moons.

The bridge at Siwash creek and those at other points along the line are now under construction.

The Kettle Valley line has recently been linked up with the C. P. R. branch from Merritt, thus making through connection to the coast from here via. Spence's Bridge. However, this new portion of the line will probably not be thrown open to traffic until next spring.

Vice-President Geo. Bury of the C. P. R. has made the announcement that he expected the K. V. R. from the Boundary via. Penticton, Princeton and Merritt would be available for passenger traffic by June 1st next year. Then the C. P. R. will probably operate a daily train leaving Vancouver early in the morning, arriving at Princeton in the afternoon and at Penticton in the evening. The next day's run would be from Penticton to Nelson, making connections with the steamer for Kooeenay Landing and the Crow's Nest line. Similar trains would be operated from Medicine Hat through to Vancouver, passengers stopping one night at Nelson and the next at Penticton. Trains from Princeton to the coast would leave here early in the forenoon each day.

Annual Ball November 27th

The Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association No. 188, and Excelsior Loyal Orange Lodge No. 2102 are perfecting arrangements for the giving of their annual ball on the evening of Friday, November 27th. The two lodges have appointed committees, those from the ladies' branch of the order being Mrs. W. J. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Frank Leighton, Mrs. Avery and Mrs. Moore, while Excelsior lodge has appointed H. H. Avery, jr., S. R. Gibson, Perley Russell and Len Marston.

United Empire Company

Chief Justice Hunter in supreme court chambers yesterday morning adjourned until Monday the application of the Royal Bank of Canada for speedy judgment for $31,000 against the United Empire Company of Princeton. Mr. Kitto, of Tupper & Wightman, appeard for the plaintiffs, and E. P. Davis for the defendants.—Vancouver Sun.

About "Tipperary"

"It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary" was written by Jack Judge, a London music hall artist, of Irish descent. He composed both the words and music over two years ago, but could not find a publisher, although he visited house after house in London. Finally he persuaded one publisher, just a little over a year ago to try it out, and at once it was a decided hit. After that Judge's fortune was made.

Ask Game Law Amendment

The monthly meeting of the Ratepayers' Association will be held on Tuesday evening next instead of Monday. A matter of interest to hunters, regarding an amendment to the Game Act, will be discussed. General complaint is heard of the regulation affecting disposal of venison at the end of the open season, which the association will ask the provincial game warden to redress.

MINES AND MINING

Several four and six horse teams are busy hauling freight to Princess Camp for the B. C. Copper Company.

The metal exchanges both in New York and London have reopened. Lead in New York is quoted at $3.50 to $3.60, and copper from 11¼ to 11½. In London lead is quated at £18 2s 6d.

During October the mines in the Slocan shipped 1,096 tons of zinc ore to smelters in the United States. This is an increase of 193 tons over the shipments of zinc ore made during the same month last year.

The Lost Creek Mining Company, Chester F. Lee, manager, operating at the Roany placer camp, are preparing to expend $100,000 on a flume for which surveys have been made. The sum of $20,000 has already been expended on tunnels and shafts for testing purposes. A recent cleanup showed 45 per cent platinum, the balance being coarse gold.

Hedley's New Power Plant

By the end of December the new power plant at Hedley will be completed, says the Hedley Gazette. This work has been under way for the past year. The strategic point at present sems to be the foundation of the power house, and every effort is being made to get the cement work done before the frost sets in. Prospects look bright for its being completed within the original estimates.

Show to Aid Hospital

Dignan Brothers, of the Princess Theatre, have kindly consented to donate the proceeds from their shows on the evenings of November 25th and 26th to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Princeton hospital. On these evenings there will be an exceptionally big program, and selections by local talent between pictures.

I. O. O. F. Grand Master

Harry White, of Cranbrook, grand master of the I. O. O. F. for British Columbia, will be here today and this evening will pay Princeton Lodge No. 52 an official visit.

CREDITABLE AID FOR HOSPITAL

Report Submitted by Ladies' Auxiliary Shows Excellent Work Done.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Princeton hospital was held on the afternoon of Thursday, November 5th, in the Board of Trade rooms. In the the election of officers for the ensuing year the following were chosen:

President—Mrs. Francis Glover,
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. W. S. Garrison,
Sec.-Treas.—Mrs. C. Willarson,
Purchasing Committee—Mrs. W. S. Garrison and Mrs. J. Dignan.

The ladies decided to hold their regular annual masquerade ball in aid of the hospital on New Year's night, Friday, January 1st.

It will be seen by the appended statement that the members of the auxiliary during the past year have accomplished a great work for this most worthy institution. The statement covers the twelve months between November 1st, 1913, to November 1st, 1914:

RECEIPTS

Proceeds from entertainments	
Princess Theatre Nov. 24-25, '13	$ 68.00
Masquerade ball, Jan. 1st, 2914	135.15
Social, Thomas Hall, March 17	37.80
Hospital Tea, Princess Theatre May 1st	17.25
Tea, I. O. O. F. Hall, May 29	23.00
Tag Day, July 1st	156.30
Tango Tea, August 11th	52 95
Membership Fees	7.50
Refund for Doll	3.50
Rent of Dishes	3.00
Net receipts for year	504.45
Balance in bank from 1913	98.87
Total	603.32

DISBURSEMENTS

For table linen, slippers, bedspreads, shades, chinaware, flannelette, pillow slips, blankets, nightshirts, sheeting towels, bed pillows, chairs and rockers, hospital tables, trays, fruit jars, bed-side tables, back rests, hospital sewing, $178.64. To Hospital board, 50.00.	
Total disbursements	228.64
Bal. in bank Nov. 1st, 1914,	374.68

BRANCH WILLARSON Treasurer.
LILLIAN HOWSE, President.

LOCAL ITEMS

The distant mouutains are snow-clad.

L. N. Marcotte was down from Coalmont yesterday.

The first snow of the season in Princeton fell last evening.

The new wing to the hospital has been given a coat of paint.

Work has commenced on the new telephone line to Copper Mountain.

Frank Wilms is having a barn erected on his property near the courthouse.

Born—On Wednesday, November 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Vaydo, a son.

Born—On Saturday, November 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Robertson, a son.

Fred Stamper returned to Princeton last Friday after and absence of almost two years.

Judge Brown will hold a court of revision at Fairview next Monday, November 16th.

Alfred Cole, whose wife was drowned in the Empress of Ireland disaster, has returned from Quebec.

The A. E. Howse Co. this week received a carload of spuds from Grand Forks and a carload of apples and spuds from Keremsos.

Electric lights in abundance have been placed on the front of the Similkameen Hotel, presenting a dazzling spectacle by night.

The Odd Fellows' annual ball, which was advertised to be held on the evening of November 20th, has been postponed to Friday evening, December 11th.

Len Hustou is still confined to his home, and while his progress is slow it is said to be favorable. When he recovers sufficiently he will be operated on for appendicitis.

The members of Princeton Lodge No. 50, Knights of Pythias entertained their friends Wednesday evening after the close of their regular business session. There was a large attendance and the evening was very pleasantly spent.

Deer are quite plentiful around Princeton this fall. The recent fall of snow high up in the mountains has driven them down onto the low benches for feeding. Local hunters have been faring well, and there is fresh venison on many a table in town.

The Lady Orange Lodge and Excelsior Orange Lodge gave a most enjoyable social evening to their friends on Friday of last week. There was a concert consisting of vocal and instrumental selecions, recitations, etc., and the balance of the evening was devoted to games and dancing. Music for dancing was furnished by Mrs. Leighton and Harry Gardner, violinists, and Miss Edna Lyall, pianist, assisted by Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Avery.

BUSINESS LOCALS

All white help at the Miners' Restaurant.

Wanted—In family of two, two gentlemen borders to occupy same room. Good home cooking; good location; warm room. For particulars inquire at this office,

Apples by the box, $1.50 at the Miners' Restaurant.

Mrs. A. Evans still gives lessons on pianoforte and organ; reasonable terms on application. Also open for engagements as pianist. Address: Endcliffe avenue, Princeton.

You can buy a copy of Float at the local news and book stores,

REBEKAH RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, In view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our Brother John Waddell, and of the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, be it

Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal from our midst, we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard

Resolved, That in our natural sorrow for the loss of a faithful and beloved brother, we feel consolation in the belief that it is well with him for whom we mourn.

Resolved, That we tenderly condole with the family of the deceased with the dispensation with which it has pleased the Divine Providence to afflict them, and commend them for consolation to him who orders all things for the best, and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of our lodge, a copy sent to the press, and a copy sent to the family of our deceased brother

Committee { Louise Burpee, Lela Wilms, Mildred Schisler.

COMING EVENTS

Annual Ball L. O. B. A. and L. O. L. Friday evening, November 27th

Ratepayers' meeting, Tuesday evening, November 17th.

Next Board of Trade meeting, Monday evening, December 7th.

Odd Fellows' Annual Ball, Friday night, December 11th.

Hospital Ball, Friday, January 1st.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Presbyterian church—Sunday school in the court house at 11 a.m. Evening service at 7.30 p.m. All are cordially invited. Rev. J. A. Gillam, pastor.

Christian Science: Lesson-sermon subject next Sunday: 'Mortals and Immortals.' The creatnre itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious ltberty of the children of God. Romans 8: 21.

A. E. HOWSE CO.
LIMITED
PRINCETON, B. C.

CASH SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Family milk, 2 for 25 cts. Per case,.....	$5.35
Hotel milk per tin 25 cts. Per case.....	5.50
To introduce our "Devonia" brand of Pure New Zealand Butter, we offer today:	
New Zealand Butter, 3 lbs	1.15
Sugar, 20 lb sack for.....	1.65
Canned Hominy, 3 tins for	.20
Odd lines of Jams and Marmalade in 4lb and 5lb tins. To clear, per tin.....	50
Royal Household Flour Per barrel.....	8.50
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WATER NOTICE

Take notice that Frank Quinn, whose address is Princeton, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use six cubic feet per second of water out of a creek, known as Granite Creek, which flows South Westerly and drains into Osprey on Fivemile Creek about two miles East of junction of Siwash and Fivemile creeks. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 200 yards South of the North East corner post of Lot 2144 and will be used for irrigation purposes upon the land described as Lot 2144, Group one of Kamloops Division, Yale District, B. C. This notice was posted on the ground on the 30th day of October, 1914, and a copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act 1914" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Princeton.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within 30 days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice is November 6th, 1914.

FRANK QUINN, Applicant.

COUNTY COURT YALE

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held at the Court House, Princeton, Wednesday, 25th day of November, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. By command.

HUGH HUNTER,
Registrar County Court.

NOTICE

No hunting allowed within the limits of Voigt's Camp, B. C. Any trespasser will be prosecuted.

SOCIETIES

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
PRINCETON LODGE No. 50
Meets every Wednesday at 8 p.m. in I.O.O.F. Hall
Visiting Brothers Welcome.
G. G. LYALL, C. C. J. D. ANDRAS, K. of R. S.

PRINCETON LODGE I.O.O.F. No. 52.
Regular meetings. 8 p m., Thursdays, Sojourning brethren welcome. Hall situate on cor. Bridge St. and Vermilion Ave.
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Princeton, B.C.
Are well known. For Dinners, Luncheons or as an ordinary beverage our
Sparkling, Creamy Beer
Is Delicious and appetizing
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When Women Should Marry

Probably the best time for the average woman to marry would be any age between twenty-four and thirty-five. It is not said that no woman should marry earlier or later than these ages; but youth and health and vigor are ordinarily at their highest perfection between these two periods. Early marriages are seldom desirable for girls and that for many reasons. The brain is immature the reason is feeble and the character is unformed. The consideration which would prompt a girl to marry at seventeen would in many cases have little weight with her at twenty four. At 17 she is a child at 24 a woman.

Where a girl has intelligent parents the seven years between 17 and 24 are the period when mind and body are most amenable to wise discipline and best repay the thought and toil devoted to their development. Before seventeen few girls have learned to understand that life is what duty is. They cannot value what is best either in father's wisdom or mother's tenderness. When married at the childish period they are like young recruits taken fresh from the farm and the workshop and hurried off to a long campaign without any period of preliminary drill and training or like a school boy removed from school to a curacy without being sent to the university or to a theological hall.

Who can help grieving over a childwife especially if she have children and a husband who is an experienced and possibily exacting boyman. The ardor of his love soon cools the visionary bliss of her poetical imagination vunishes like the summer mist; there is nothing but disappointment and wonder that what promised ta be so beautiful and long a day should be clouded almost before sunrise.

Correct Speaking

One of the most pleasing things in young people is the habit of correct speaking, Let us advise all our young readers to acquire it in early life. The longer you live the more difficult the acquirement of correct languare is; and if the golden age of youth, the proper season for the acqaisition of language is passed in abuse, the unfortunate victim, if neglected is very properly doomed to talk slang all his life. Money is not necessary to procure this education. Every one has it in his power. He has merely to use the language which he reads, instead of the slang which he hears, to form his tastes from the best poets and authors of the country, to treasure up choice phrases in his memory and habituate himself to their use, avoiding at the same time, that pedantic precision and bombast which show the weakness of vain ambition rather than the polish of an educated mind.

The surest way to please is to forget one's self and think only of others.

Nothing sharpens the narrow sarcasm so keenly as the courtesy that polishes it. No reproach is like that we clothe with a smile and present with a bow.

If we had no defects we should not take so much pleasure in discovering those of others.

Politeness is as natural to delicate natures as perfume is to flowers.

About Float.

Float is not a periodical. It is a book containing 86 illustrations all told, and is filled with sketches and stories of western life. It tells how a gambler cashed in after the flush days of Sandon; how it rained in New Denver long after Noah was dead; how a parson took a drink at Bear Lake in early days; how justice was dealt in Kaslo in '93; how the saloon man outprayed the women in Kalamazoo, and graphically depicts the roamings of a western editor among the tenderfeet in the cent belt. It contains the early history of Nelson and a romance of the Silver King mine. In it are printed three western poems, and dozens of articles too numerous to mention. Send for one before it is too late. The price is 25 cents, postpaid to any part of the world. Address all letters to

R. T. Lowery
GREENWOOD, B. C.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion 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 inwhich the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions 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 cents 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 lessee 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 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.

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F. J. SMYTH, Manager.

PRINCETON, NOVEMBER 13, 1914.

THE relatives of Micawber have captured the cities of Phoenix, Grank Forks, and Greenwood.

THERE will be many a chance to get rich within the next three years. When the war incubus is lifted off the earth the sky rocket of prosperity will shoot high. Get your mining claims ready for the boom.

THE first customs officer in the Boundary district was frozen to death. He left Rock Creek one cold day in 1862 for Osoyoos. An Indian boy by the name of Jim accompanied him. Some years later Jim was shot to death in Oroville. Baker had a bottle of whiskey when they rode out of Rock Creek, and Jim tried to prevent him from sipping it, but without avail. When they arrived where Bridesville now stands Baker insisted upon camping and the Indian boy rode on alone to Osoyoos. The next day two packers found the dead and frozen body of Baker. His dog was sitting on his dead master and howling, while the snow was decorated with an empty whiskey bottle and the burnt ends of many matches. The packers put the corpse on a horse and with it sitting bolt upright they rode to Rock Creek where they planted the remains of the frozen man in the crude cemetery of the camp.

THE RICHEST PAN.

MORE than 50 years ago a placer miner built a very substantial cabin near the mouth of Rock Creek. He made adobe bricks and built a chimney with two fire places. The work was well done and the prospector had evidently learned the brick laying trade. He also built a large cellar underneath the building. For years the building was used as a store. One night it burned down, all but the chimney. This was left standing and as the fire had changed the adobe into real bricks, a new building was built around and to the standing chimney. In 1873 Price & Nicholson kept a store in this building selling all kinds of goods for fur and gold dust. They continnually packed goods from June to November over the Hope trail. Price was fond of Bass' Ale, and so was the Judge. In order to satisfy their desire for the amber fluid they imported 24 cases from England in 1875, storing half of it at their store in Keremeos, and the balance underneath the shop at Rock Creek. One fine morning the Judge heard a great crash, and making his way to the cellar he found that owing to the rotten condition of the uprights the shelves had given way, flooding the place with ale and broken bottles. Only six b ttles were saved intact. This was a sad sight for the Judge and his partner, but let us draw a veil over that calamity of the early days.

A man with a lantern was sent into the cellar, to carry out the dead marines, put in new posts and shelves, and sprinkle the floor with Florida water. While digging a hole for a new post he saw gold glittering in the light of the lantern. He took a handful and showed it to the Judge. Mr. Nicholson filled a pan with the dirt carrying the yellow stuff, and washed it in the creek. That was the richest pan of gold ever panned in Rock Creek. It went $857 to the one pan. The Chinamen standing around became excited and obtaining permission they cleaned up the cellar and secured $150. Pieces of rotten buckskin proved that the find was a forgotten cache. The gold was different from that found along Rock Creek and evidently had come from Idaho. Okanagan Smith, of Osoyoos claimed the gold saying that he had been robbed of that amount. This did not go with the Judge for he simply wrote a brief letter to Smith saying "Finders keepers."

There was a big crowd outside the newspaper office where the latest nothings about the war were posted up.

Sam, the tall man, and Johnny, the short one, came to swell it, and Sam was in front of Johnny.

"Anything new?" queried Johnny from the rear.

"I think so" replied Sam without turning round. "If not she's had it beautifully ironed."

It was then that the little lady in the very front row of all realized that her blouse had come undone.

It was a little out-of-the-way country district, and a tourist was endeavoring to enter into conversation with the aged rustic, whom he had met toiling painfully down the narrow lane.

"What do you think of the war" he enquired.

"He?" quavered the old man, as he put his hand up to his ear.

"The war—the big war!" shouted the other. "You know there is war going on between England and Germany?"

The rustic nodded his head vigorously.

"I 'ear yer," he replied, "I 'ear yer! Well, they've got a nice day for it, 'aven't they?"

Some men like money. Others get it.

WAR NOTES

In future the Sharpshooters at Grand Forks will receive $1.10 and rations, instead of drawing cash for board.

The National German-American Alliance now demands that the United States shall not sell food to the Allies. The fortunes of war have not so far completely destroyed the nerve of Germans.

There are still plenty of Germans left who will still continue to toot for the Teutons.

Hereafter, in ordinary conversation, when we wish to say, Przemysl, we will adopt the simple expedient of saying Jacksonville.

Warsaw saw war many times before today.

A good deal is said of the day of the submarine, but when once its periscope cuts the surface within range of a battleship's guns, it is "Good-night!"

Without desiring to desparage the submarine, it may be pointed out that all the submarines in the world could not do what the British cruisers are doing to support the left wing of the Anglo-French army.

Germans are now appealing for the sympathy of the United States in the name of Kant, Beethoven and Goethe. We want to say that Kant was of Scottish descent, and Beethoven, if we mistake not, was born in Belgium.

Lead from Canada will be used by the Canadian troops in the European war.

There are 1,500,000 men drilling for war in England.

Von by von the German generals fade.

When you want to get into the hospital in any part of Canada just shout, "Three cheers for the Kaiser!"

Roosevelt told the students of Princeton, N.J. that he had seen plans of two Empires, now at war in Europe, to capture great American seaports and hold them for ransom. This would-be American war lord must have had a pipe dream, or be in league with the makers of powder, cannon and war vessels.

If a lot of ready money is needed by the Belgians, we do not know how it could be raised in Canada and even in the United States so quickly as in the purchase of souvenirs of the war. Why not have a shipload of captured German arms, uniforms and equipment sent out here? There is hardly a household in either country that would not be glad to secure one of the mementoes.

After hearing "Prezemysl" correctly pronounced, English-speaking people wonder why it is not pronounced "Shawmle."

Thirteen is an unlucky number. German post-cards predicted the entrance into Paris on August 13.

German spies are now said to be numerous in Canadian hotels. They had better hold their jobs, for the pay on the side will be uncertain.

The German officers who have been drinking to "The Day" are now ruminating on that old comparison—the difference between anticipation and realization.

Money voted for the relief work cannot be made to go farther by lowering the rate of wages. The only effect of that is to get more work out of the men employed.

The cost is staggering. If there are half a million of wounded in French hospitals Germany must have many more, for her wounded come from both east and west.

Can it be that the Kaiser's passionate determination to capture Dunkirk is due to an illusion that it is in Scotland?

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ROY HILLIARD, Prop.
Special Prizes Given Monthly
Cigars, Tobaccos, Candy & Soft Drinks

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Cigars and Tobaccos
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Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never to himself has said:
'My trade of late is getting bad,
I'll try another ten-inch ad!"

If there be, go mark him well,
For him no bank account shall swell,
No angels watch the golden stair,
To welcome home the millionaire.

The man who never asks for trade,
By local line, or add displayed,
Cares more for rest than worldly gain,
And patronage but gives him pain.

Tread lightly, friends; let no rude sound
Disturb his solitude profound,
Here let him lie in calm repose,
Unsought except by men he owes.

And when he dies, go plant him deep
That nothing may disturb his sleep,
Where no rude clamor may dispel
That quiet that he loved so well.

And that the world may know its loss,
Place on a stone a wreath of moss,
And on a stone above "Here lies
A fossil, who did not advertise."

Hotel Tulameen

Kirkpatrick & Coulthard, Props.

First Class Dining Room

Roany Mineral Water Served in the Dining Room and Bar

Headquarters for Mining Men

Hotel Princeton

SWANSON & BROOMFIELD Props.

Now completed on the site of the old Great Northern. Only brick hotel in Similkameen. A first class house.

First Class Room and Board, Wines, Liquors, Cigars

PRINCETON, B.C.

...Hotel...

Otter Flat

TULAMEEN, B.C.

Good Fishing, Boating, Mining Centre

Mrs. E. J, HENDERSON

Proprietor

Similkameen Hotel

SUMMERS & WARDLE

PROPRIETORS

Large and New building; well Furnished and Plastered; Comfortable; Quietude.

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Western Float

Creston had a big mushroom crop this year.

Cigars made in Kelowna have a large sale in England.

Joseph Mattress has opened a meat shop in Merritt.

There are 45 children going to school in Clinton.

L. W. Paisley died in Chilliwack last month.

There will soon be 5000 miles of railway in B.C.

This year Revelstoke expended $12,500 for new sidewalks.

It is proposed to change the name of Lillooet to the Holy City.

Nine dairies supply Nelson with milk. None of them use a pump.

The province of Alberta will soon vote for or against prohibition.

Many people in Trail, Phoenix and Rossland can talk English.

The residents of Duck Creek do not have duck soup every day.

The live merchant only quits advertising when he is dead.

A sturgeon weighing 218 pounds was recently caught in the Fraser, near Lillooet.

With one exception Dad Yates of Hope is the oldert resident in B. C.

It is expected that the dyking of Sumas prairie will begin in a short time.

Tom Little of Merritt was sent six months to jail for giving liquor to an Indian.

Thos. Campbell of New Westminster is the new proprietor of the Empress hotel at Hope.

Some of the inhabitants of Duck Creek have pumpkins concealed in their cellars.

Penticton has reduced its expenses $125 a month by reducing the salaries of municipal employees.

A. E. Taylor, manager of the Bank of Montreal at Enderby has been transferred to Chatham, N.B.

Thoman Curnow will develop his coal claims this winter, situated across the river from Spence's Bridge.

The owners of the China mine near Molson have paid the debts against the property, and taken it from the sheriff.

After being in the courts for about nine years the Molson townsite has been settled. J. H. McDonald lost his appeal.

At Merritt two Austrians were fined $10 and costs for carrying firearms. They paid their fines and lost their guns.

A Jewish colony from Nova Scotia has settled on land near Republic. Mat Horn is building several houses for them.

There are two many knockers in Creston says a writer in the Review- One or two other towns in B.C. have the same complaint.

For $2 a box apples are now shipped by express from Washingington state to the Atlantia coast. This is half the former rate.

The school girls of Rossland made considerable money for the Red Cross Fund, by selling flowers grown in the gardens of that city.

James Meikle of Rossland has been declared insane and sent to the asylum. He has a wife in Rossland and a mother in Parkhill, Ontario.

In 1858 on a ship at Victoria, Hugh Campbell was given up to die by the doctors. The doctors are all dead, but Hugh is in Princeton alive and lively.

The banks in Seattle are charging one per cent discount upon Canadian money. Canadians should stay away from that city. It is too full of grafters.

The last spike on the Canadian Northern railway will be driven in January. By next June this road will be running through trains across the continent.

During September not a pound of copper was shipped from the United States to Belgium, Austria or Germany. In normal times Germany buys more copper from America than any other country.

In 1890 hold-up men took a safe from the BX stage on the Cariboo. The safe was found last month in a grove at 100 Mile camp. It had been cut open in front, and the $5,000 in gold that it had contained was gone, but the papers in it were intact.

Ten years ago the National Sporting Club of Perth, Australia, offered $25,000 to the first three men who would walk around the world without assistance for ten years and get back to Perth. Dr. Dawson is the only one of the three who will make it. He was in B.C. last month, and up to that time had walked a little over 70-000 miles since January 1905.

Cariboo Mining.

For the past four years J. A. Macpherson has been prospecting on Chisholm creek, near Stanley, in an effort to locate the original channel of this creek. The past few months, with the assistance of an eastern capitalist, he has been conducting boring operatians, and we learn this week that they have been successful in locating the original channel, up near the base of Oregon Gulch Mountain. Their boring has proved up a well defined channel, with excellent prospects.

This Creek has an interesting history. It is the centre of the Cariboo gold belt, and was extensively prospected in the early days, in the deep ground directly beneath the present creek bed, but without paying results.

This strike opens up all the ground between Stanley and the Devil's Canyon, on the one side, and from Stanley down Lightning Creek, on the other side. It is said to be a genuine strike and will be of great interest to miners, and especially to people acquainted with the creeks of Cariboo.

Mr. Macpherson is now boring directly over the channel, and will tap it by a tunnel during the coming winter.

The locating of this channel will mean much to that section of the Cariboo, and Jack's many friends will not be slow in congratulating him on the success of his efforts.—Cariboo Observer.

There is an old saying that none but the hundredth man succeeds.

The sunshine of the piping days of peace and prosperity has passed from us for a while, but that does not necessarily mean that disturbed world finance and war will cast over us a cloud that has no silver edging. Far from it. It is adversity which brings us to a sane view of life. It is stern necessity which shapes the lives of communities into new and better paths.

We have been shown a design for an upholstered front gate which seems destined to become very popular. The foot board is cushioned and there is a warm soapstone on either side; the instep being adjustable, so that a short girl can bring her lips to the line of any given moustache without trouble. If the gate is occupied at 10.30 p.m., an iron hand extends from one gate post, takes the young man by the left ear, turns him round and he is at once started toward home by a steel foot. The girl can if she likes, set this part at an hour later than 10.30.

Paddy on the Hunt.

"The first bird I ever shot was a squirrel," said an Irish sportsman, "and the first time I hit him I missed him altogether, and the next time I hit him in the same place, and after that I took a stone and dropped him from the tree, and he fell into the river and was drowned, and that was the firft I ever shot."

More Important

"That horrid woman has broken up my home."

"Taken away your husband?"

"No, the cook."

Lost His Enthusiasm

During a marriage ceremony in Scotland recently the bridegroom looked extremely wretched, and he got so fidgety, standing first on one foot and then on the other, that the "best man" decided he would find out out what the trouble was.

"What's up, Jock?" he whispered, "Hae ye lost the ring?"

"Na," answered the unhappy one, with a woeful look, "the ring's safe enough; but, mon, I hae lost ma enthusiasm!"

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"Is he a doctor?"

"No."

"A quack doctor?"

"No."

"A divorce court reporter?"

"No."

"Proprietor of a burlesque show or an actor?"

"No. He is nothing of the kind judge."

"Well, what excuse has he?"

"None at all, judge. He says he is doing it for the good of hnmanity. He says that we are penny prudish and pound indecent."

"In that case I'll have to soak him $29,000,000 fine and twenty-three years in the penitentiary."

The Man He Killed.

Had he and I but met
By some old ancient inn,
We should have set us down to wet
Right many a nipperkin!

But ranged as infantry,
And staring face to face,
I shot at him as he at me,
And killed him in his place.

I shot him dead because—
Because he was my foe,
Just so; my foe of course he was;
That's clear enough; although

He thought he'd 'list, perhaps,
Offhand like—just as I—
Was out of work—had sold his traps—
No other reason why.

Yes; quaint and curious war is!
You shoot a fellow down
You'd treat if met where any bar is
or help to half-a-crown.

—Thomas Hardy

She was deadly anxious to get her divorce, and was telling all about it to the six-an'-eight merchant.

"Cruelty!" she said, scornfully. "Why, there are dozens of instances of it. Only the other night he woke me up three times out of a sound sleep."

"Yes, yes," quoth the learned legal light, tapping gently on the table with a pen, and wearing a very ruminative look in his eyes; but under certain conditions, such a fact would hardly substantiate a charge of cruelty; in fact it might be argued that—"

"Yes, I know all about that," snapped the fair client. "But it was only to open another bottle of beer each time, and even then he called me Mabel, and my name's Annie."

Superior

Little Nelly told little Anita what she termed a "little fib."

Anita: A fib is the same as a story and a story is the same as a lie.

Nelly: No, it is not.

Anita: Yes it is, because my father is a professor at the university.

Nelly: I don't care if he is. My father is a real estate man, and he knows more about lying than your father does.

Our Side and God's Side.

What a contrast the Kaiser's state of mind presents to that of Abraham Lincolm during the darkest days of the United States' civil war. On March 29, 1901, the Kaiser said at Berlin: "We shall be everywhere victorious, even if we are surrounded by enemies on all sides, and even if we have to fight superior numbers, for our most powerful ally is God, who since the time of the Great Elector and great king, has always been on our side." From the seat of this war, in August, he despatched this message: "With God's gracious assistance, Duke Albrecht and his army have gained a glorious victory."

Very different was the remark by Lincoln, in answer to the question whether he was sure that God was on "our side." "I do not know," he replied; "I have not thought about that. But I am very anxious to know whether we are on God's side." Vast is the chasm that separates these viewpoints. "God our ally" thinks and says the Kaiser, "and therefore committed to support every horrible barbarity we think fit to commit in his name." But what concerned Lincoln was whether he was on God's side, animated by motives and authorizing actions which, with all their imperfections were according to His will. Toronto World.

Getting Even.

Parson Wheeler was invited out one afternoon for a motor-car ride with one of his friends. The minister who enjoyed all outside sports was very enthusiastic over motoring, so he was allowed to drive the car. While speeding along he was stopped by the constable and ordered to the station house.

"Well" said the captain, after listening to their story, "you say yon were going at only 15 miles an hour, but the constable declares you were travelling at forty. Now I dont like to doubt the word of either of you. Can you think why he insists that you were travelling at that rate of speed. Is there is any grudge he owes you.

"No," said the clergyman thoughtfully. "No, I can't think of anything—unless it is that I married him four years ago.

This summer in the Big Bend country above Revelstoke, Christie's survey party ran lines and set off 112,000 acres of timber limits. There are about 40 billion feet of timber in these limits, and cedar, spruce and hemlock are the prineipal woods.

British Columbia has an area of 395,000 square miles; a coast line of 7,000 miles; 20,000,000 acres of wheat land; 5,000,000 acres of fruit land; 15,000,000 acres of standing timber; largest coal areas in North America; its mines have produced $460,000,000; its fisheries $165,000,000; the finest and safest harbors on the Pacific Coast; the best all year climate, by the records; the banner Province of Canada.

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THE WIDE WORLD.

The German losses to date is estimated at 1,750,000 men.

An Anglican church to cost $600 is to be erected at Hedley.

In the Province of Quebec there are 59,750 who can neither read nor write.

The Knights of Pythias at Merritt will open their new building this evening.

Oliver Phillips and Edward C. Bell have taken over the Nicola Valley News, published at Merritt.

Fishing in all waters closes November 15th, according to a Dominion order in council issued in March last.

Ten bales of clothing for the Belgians and five boxes of Red Cross goods have been sent from Rossland.

According to the Canada Year Book in the population of British Columbia there are 110,758 more males than females.

The Massey Harris Company of Toronto will again start up, employing 800 men five days a week and giving married men the preference.

L. W. Shatford, M. L. A., has left Vancouver o - a visit to his old home in Nova Scotia. He will probably be away for two or three weeks.

Charlie Lucca, the little Italian boxer, well known throughout the Kootenay and Boundary, is in Mexico and will spend the winter there.

The half million Germans in the United States who are said to be secretly organizing for a raid on Canada should read a little "Fenian" history.

At Merritt the Nicola Valley Coal & Coke Co. has been taken over by a group of Vancouver capitalists, headed by John Hendry, the well known lumberman.

The Seattle Brewing Company may erect a large brewery at Vancouver, the plant to give employment to 500 men. The company has been driven out of Seattle by the "dry" law which will go into effect in January, 1916. This law not only prevents the sale, but the manufacture of intoxicants.

While bidding some friends good-bye at the Aquatic Club building at Penticton one night last week, Tom Hickey was shot in the leg by some nnknown person, the bullet evidently being intended for another man. Hickey was preparing to leave with the Rocky Mountain Rough Riders Hickey is in the Summerland hospital.

No nurses are wanted from Canada, at least not at preseut, and none will be sent from here to England or the continent, uuless the department of Militia decides to send ambulance units with the second contingent. Applications from qualified nurses many times over the number required in such an event are now on file in the department,

The affairs of the Dominion Trust company at Vancouver are worse than was at first believed. It is now shown that Arnold owed $114,000 and apparently an additional $140,000. The failure of Alvo von Alvensleben, who owed about a million and a quarter to the company, is shown to have been the first cause of serious embarrassment.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910

(SEC. 42.)

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel licence to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Similkameen Hotel, situate at Princeton, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1914.

CHRISTOPHER SUMMERS
GEO. E. WARDLE.

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Granite Creek Hotel, situate at Granite Creek, in the Province of British Coulumbia.

Dated this 9th day of October 1914.

F. P. COOK

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Dominion hotel, situate at Tulameen, in the Province of British Columbia

Dated this 9th day of October, 1914.

D. McRAE

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by rentail in the hotel known as the Tulameen Hotel, situate at Princeton, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1914.

KIRKPATPICK & COULTHARD

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the renewal of a license for the sale of liquor by wholesale in and upon the premises known as The Nelson Brewing Company, situate at Princeton, B. C., upon the lands described as Lots 1, 2, 3, and the property is on 23. 24, Vermilion Avenue.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1914.

THE NELSON BREWING CO.
per Wm. Gosnell

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the renewal of the hotel licenae to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Hotel Otter Flat, situate at Tulameen, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 10th day of October, 1914.

MRS. E. J. HENDERSON

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Coalmont Hotel, situate at Coalmont, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1914.

THE COALMONT HOTEL CO.
per L. N. Marcotte, Mgr.

Notice is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Hotel Princeton, situate at Princeton in the province of British Columbia.

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LIQUOR LICENCE ACT

(SECTION 48)

Notice is hereby given that application will be made on the first day of December next to the Superinteudent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the liceuce for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Hotel Princeton, situate at Princeton, B. C , from Alex D. Broomfield to Mrs. Eleanor N. Swanson and Alex D Broomfield, of Princeton, British Columbia.

ALEX D. BROOMFIELD,
Holder of Licence.
MRS. ELEANOR N. SWANSON,
Applicant to Transfer.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1914.

MINERAL ACT

(Form F)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE

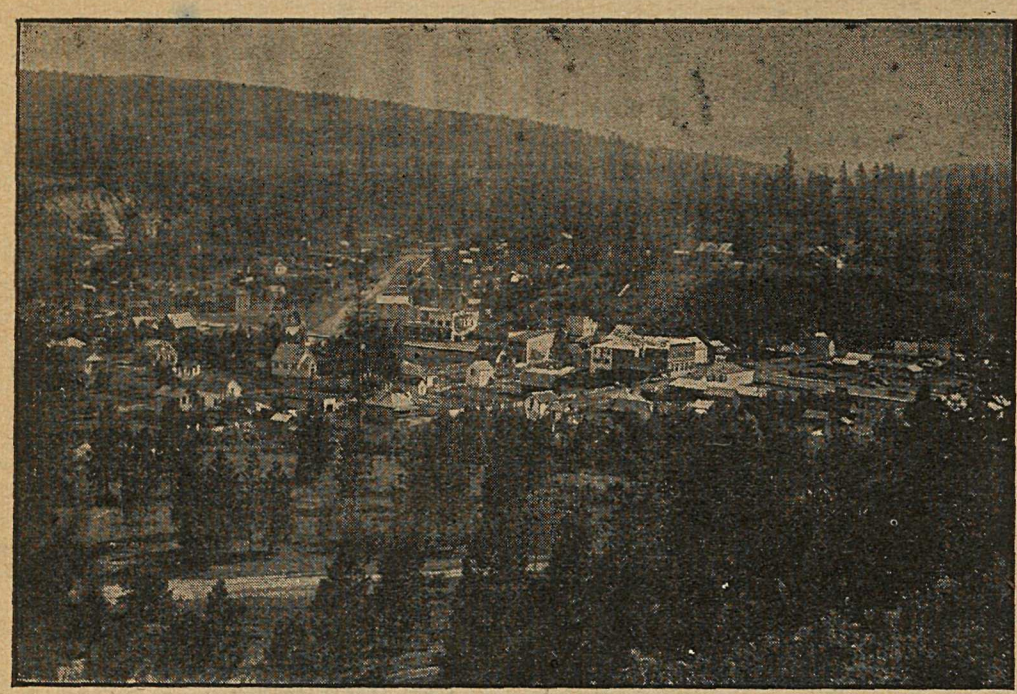
"Three Forks" and "H. C." Mineral Claims, situate in the Similkameen Mining Division of Yale District.

Where located:—Whipsaw Creek, 20 miles South-west of Princeton.

Take notice that I, Hugh Campbell, Princeton, B. C , Free Miuer's Certificate No. 86611B, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 18th day of September, A. D., 1914.



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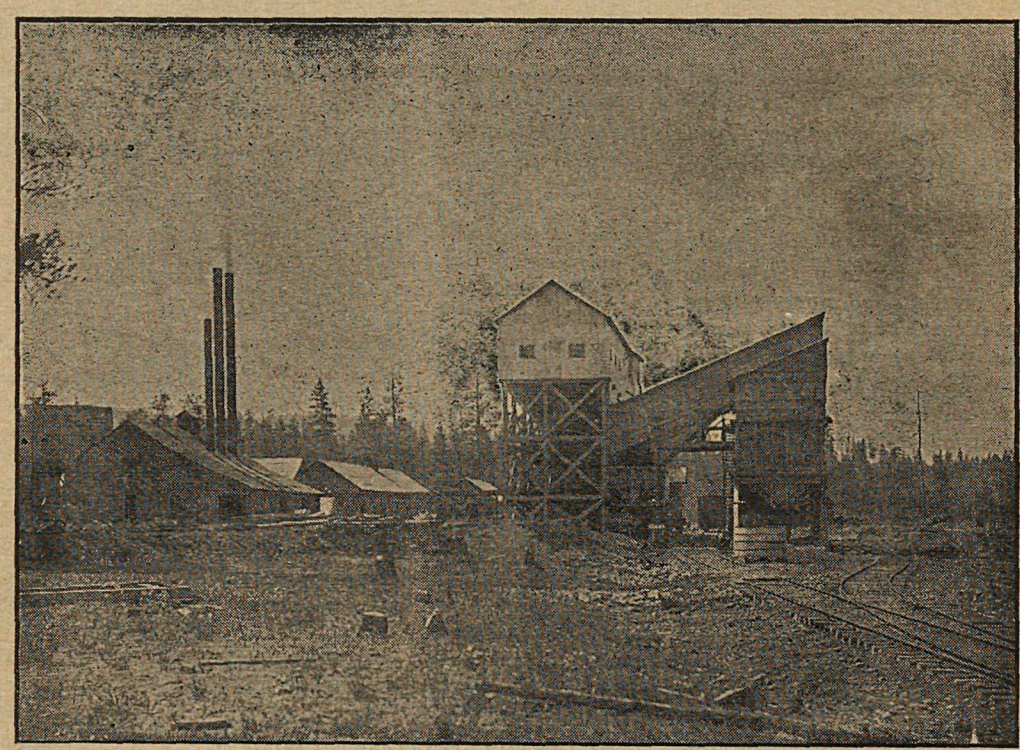

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