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SIMILKAMEEN STAR

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K. V. TRAINS ARE NOW RUNNING

New Roadbed in Good Shape and Trains Arrive and Depart on Time.

The first passenger train over the new Kettle Valley line rolled into the Princeton station on time last Monday. It consisted of a Pullman, a first class car and a combination baggage and smoking car. Engine No. 4 pulled the train with S. Cornock at the throttle. G. Thom was the conductor.

A large crowd gathered at the the station to witness the big event. The Princeton Hotel buss and several automobiles took the distinguished party of passengers up town for lunch and again back to the train. At Penticton that night a big banquet was held as a complimentary to J. J. Warren, president of the road.

Kettle Valley trains are now running regularly, going east on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and going west on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Baseball at Copper Mountain

The Princeton baseball boys went up to Copper Mountain last Sunday to have a game with the team up there Princeton brought home the bacon, winning by a score of 5 to 3. However, for quite a time the game stood 1 to 0 in favor of the Copperites. Rayner and Waddell comprised the battery for Princeton and Crane and Morris for Copper Mountain. Guy Murphy was umpire. The Princeton boys were delighted with their trip and with the hospitality extended them at the Mountain.

Baseball Smoker June 9th

A smoker in aid of the Princeton baseball team will be held at the Princess theatre next Wednesday evening, June 9th, commencing at 8:30. There will be a good lively program of boxing, wrestling, songs, recitations and music. There will be refreshments. Tickets will be 50 cents.

Houses to rent in Rossland have dwindled almost to the vanishing point.

LOCAL ITEMS

A Dominion Express office has been opened in Princeton.

Felix Darragh and wife are home from Fairview, where they spent about five weeks on their ranch.

Rev. G. D. Griffiths, who was thrown from his horse last week, is making rapid recovery. He has been removed from the hospital to his home.

W. A. (Podunk) Davis killed a 550 pound cinnamon bear on Sanderson creek, six miles from Princeton, last week. It took 11 bullets to put bruin out of business but Punk artist

Miss Easter, a Keremeos school ma'am has purchased a Ford touring car from Wells & Turner, the Princeton agents. Miss Easter is the first lady chauffer in in the Similkameen valley.

Many Italians are leaving Princeton and other parts of the country, and are arranging to go home and fight for their country. It is said that fully 1,000 Italians have left Vancouver for Italy.

Chas. Miller, the hunter and trapper, was in town the first of the week for supplies. The wet weather, he says, has made hunting during the past few weeks rather difficult. He saw thirteen bears, but failed to get any of them.

New line of fishing tackle just arrived at A. L. White's New and Second Hand Store.

D. G. McCurdy, Mrs. Willarson and Mrs. Wilms will leave Saturday for New Westminster to attend the session of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah grand lodges. Mrs. Wilms will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Hazel Wilms.

D. M. French, while making some repairs on a septic tank last Friday, was overcome by gas, and for several hours his life hung in the balance. Dr. Campbell after much skilful and strenuous work succeeded in pulling him through all right.

Jack Mitchell, who drove a car here for a while last summer and later worked in the mine, met with quite a serious accident over at Bankhead last week. While working in the coal mines there he was caught in a gas explosion and was severely injured about the head and face.

Recruiting Picking Up

Recruiting in Princeton has been a little more favorable during the past week. Four men have been accepted. Princeton men now on the list are: N. L. Dickie, G. A. Matthewson, R. W. Moeran and Jack Ray. Moeran is a South African war veteran.

The Penticton Herald issued a 20 page special edition last week in commemoration of the opening of the Kettle Valley line. It is a very creditable edition.

K. of P. Grand Lodge Officers

The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias completed a very successful session at Rossland last week. The officers for the ensuing year are:

Grand Chancellor—R. J. Steel, Nelson.

Grand Vice Chancellor—G. C. Miller, Vancouver.

Grand Prelate—G. L. Elkins, Phoenix.

Crand K. of R. and S—E. Pferdner, Victoria.

Grand Master of Exchequer—A. G. H. Harding, Victoria.

Grand Master at Arms—A. Davies, North Vancouver.

Grand Inner Guard—J. Morrison, Nakusp.

Grand Outer Guard—A. E. Kincaid, Revelstoke.

Supreme Represeutative—E. S. H. Winn, Rossland.

Next year's session of the grand lodge will be held at New Westminster.

Board of Trade Delegates

Ernest Waterman, P. W. Gregory and A. Bell, representing the Princeton Board of Trade, motored to Penticton last Monday to confer with the board there and also to be present at the big banquet in the evening. Mrs. Waterman accompanied her husband. The members of the party are loud in their praise of the excellent reception and treatment they received.

Shall Princeton Celebrate?

If the people of Princeton intend holding a public celebration on Dominion Day it is time some movement was made in that direction. There should at least be a local celebration and have some horseracing, baseball, lacrosse, children's sports and a dance.

A. S. Black Locates Here

A. S. Black, barrister and solicitor, has decided to move his office from Greenwood to Princeton and practice his profession here. His office will be in the place now occupied by Anson Potter as a jewelry store. Mr. Black has been over in this district from time to time for several years and is well known. He has just returned from California, where he spent four months in San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Memorial Service Sunday

On the afternoon of Sunday, June 6th, the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Princeton will march to the cemetery where a memorial service will be held. The march will start from the hall at 2 p. m., and all members of both orders are invited to participate.

HORSE BUYERS COMING JUNE 24

Heavy Draft Horses and Officers' Chargers Are in Demand.

The purchase of horses for the Canadian government will be resumed at Princeton on Thursday forenoon, June 24th. Horses will be inspected by R. F. Bevan, government remount inspector. Heavy draft horses weighing up to 1550 pounds, suitable for artillery and transport, will be purchased. Such horses must have good shoulders, deep in the girth and back ribs, short backs well ribbed up and active. Horses with white strips in face will not be rejected.

Horses suitable for officers' chargers will also be purchased. These must be solid color, good conformation, well broken and have good manners, height 15-1 to 16 hands, weight 1050 to 1250 pounds. Horses must have quality, be free walkers and move straight; neck reined horses preferred.

When the remount purchasers were here on April 26th they bought 22 head of horses, for which they paid nearly $3,000. At that time several horses were rejected on account of being in poor condition, but there will be no trouble on that score this time.

Boy Scouts Inspected

The Princeton troop of Boy Scouts were inspected last evening at the court house by Rev. and Hon. T. R. Heneage, assistant commissioner. The boys were quite proficient in answering the questions put to them and in demonstrating first aid work. The inspection was both interesting and instructive to the spectators.

Choice Holstein Cattle

T. Guinan, who has leased the Goldbank farm near Princeton from Gibson Bros., this week brought a fine bunch of yearling Holsteins over the Hope trail. There were 15 in the bunch and they were purchased from J. Brannick of Chilliwack at a cost of $55 per head. It is pleasing to see this purebred stock brought into the country.

LOCAL ITEMS

Wild roses are in bloom.

Wild strawberries are ripening.

Chester F. Lee left Tuesday for Seattle.

Mrs. A. L. White left Tuesday for Portland on a visit.

Mrs. Logsdon returned yesterday from a visit in California.

Mrs. H. Barman returned Tuesday to her home in Spokane.

Trout fishing is good in the rivers and streams around Princeton.

F. A. Howse made a business trip to Vancouver during the week.

Yesterday was the King's birthday and a legal holiday throughout the Dominion.

For bargains in Refrigerators, Screen Doors and Garden Hose go to A. L. White's.

McDonald & Rowe have their building on Bridge street practically ready for occupancy.

Perley Russell is having some excavation work done on his lot opposite the Star office.

Mrs. Gellatly will not receive next Wednesday, June 9th, nor again until further notice.

Ed. Leighton is in Vancouver working for Glavin & Yungbluth, who have a large contract there.

Chief Simpson of this police district was in Princeton Tuesday, having come over on the first Kettle Valley train.

E. S. Silcox has been at Vancouver for the past week as a witness in a lawsuit in connection with some land at Point Gray.

Anson Potter, the jeweler, will in a few days remove his stock to the building recently leased by McDonald & Rowe.

Ranchers around Princeton say the crop outlook is excellent. The recent heavy rains have had a most beneficial effect.

Mrs. Len Huston, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Tree, and daughter Ida, left Tuesday for Superior, Wisconsin, to spend the summer.

Dairying around Princeton is becoming an important industry, and the local butter market is pretty well supplied with the home manufactured product.

G. W. Aldous is home from Rossland, where he attended the K. of P. grand lodge. While away he also visited Nelson, where 20 years ago he was in business.

Tom Finnegan of St. Anicet, Quebec, is making enquiry for his son, Augustus Finnegan, who is supposed to be in this part of British Columbia. Should this notice catch the eye of the boy, he is requested to write to his father, who is now old and feeble.

Price Is Coming Down

"Ten cents buys enough chloroform for an operation," ran a part of the advertisement of the Red Cross Society on tag day. The cost of operations must be coming down. The last doctor's bill which came to our notice specified a fee of $15 for chloroform.—Vancouver Chinook.

COMING EVENTS

Board of Trade—Next Council meeting Monday evening, June 7th.

Odd Fellows' grand lodge—New Westminster, Wednesday, June 9th.

BUSINESS LOCALS

For Sale—Lots 3 and 4, block 13, Kenley Avenue. Small house on same. Apply to Chas. Willarson.

For Sale—Roll of blankets almost new. Apply at Star office.

For good dry wood call on Neil Huston.

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

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

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.

FOR SALE

New Taylor safe. Cost $131 at Penticton. Price, $65.

Two gasoline store lamps, $4 each. Cost $10 each. Perfect condition.

Pressure tank and guage, $5.

About 50 feet hollow tubing, $2.

Air pump for pressure tank, $1.

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TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER

TO T. J. SMITH.—Take notice that unless you do pay, within 91 days from the date hereof, the sum of $66.70, being your proportion of the expenditure required for the years 1913 and 1914, by Section 24 of the Mineral Act, upon the Liverpool mineral claim, situate at Bear Creek 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 claim, your interest in the said claim shall become vested in the undersigned who has made the required expenditure. L. N. MARCOTTE.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1915.

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Capital Paid up -	$16,000,000.
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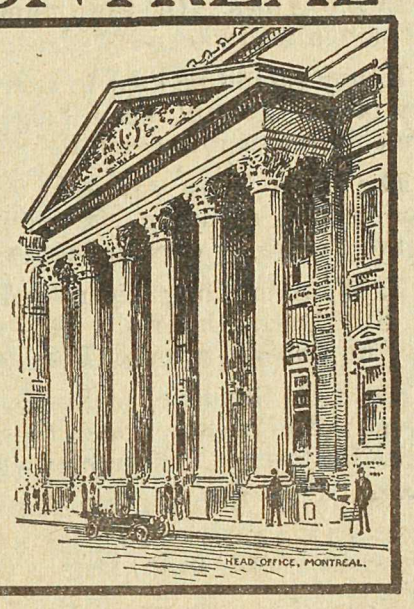

R. M. Mansfield, Manager, Princeton Branch.

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

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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.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—58782.

Smelter to Open

Reports from New York yesterday state that the British Columbia Copper company, the operating subsidary of the Canada Copper corporation, will resume production from the Mother Lode mine, its oldest developed property, and will blow in the Greenwood smelter, idle since August, 1914, between June 20 and July 1. It is estimated that the company can produce blister copper from its own ores for 11½ cents the pound, and that if custom ores carrying a sufficient quantity of ffuxing elements can be secured the production cost ban be reduced not less than a cents pound.

The Copper mountain properties eventually will provide the fluxing ores required in treating the Mother Lode output. but as development is but just begun it probably will be several months before any considerable tonnage is available from them. Of the Copper Mountain holdings only about 25 per cent is developed, but there is said to be in sight 7,200,000 tons of ore averaging 1.82 per cent copper and 40 cents in gold to the ton.

The Greenwood smelter, with its three furnaces operating to capacity, can produce 1,000,000 pounds of blister copper monthly, but the normal output is approximately 750,000 pounds each month. With copper at 19 cents the pound the company should net about $700,000 annually.—Spokane Review.

Hope Sees a Star

Life is a narrow vale between the cold and barren peaks of two eternities.

We strive in vain to look beyond the heights.

We cry aloud—and the only answer is the echo of our wailing cry.

From the voiceless lips of the unreplying dead there comes no word.

But in the night of death Hope sees a star, aud listening Love can hear the rusling of a wing.

He who sleeps here, when dying, mistaking the approach of death for the return of health, whispered with his latest breath, "I am better now."

Let us believe, in spite of doubts and fears, that these dear words are true of all the countless dead. —Robert G. Ingersoll, at his brother's grave, June 2, 1879.

Mines and Mining

The Ruth mill is to receive an over-hauling preparatory to being sent to work.

All placer operations along the Lardo are practically at a standstill on account of the high water.

Supplies have been taken up to the California, on the Slocan side, development will be resumed this week.

A. T. Garland has transferred to Geo. E. McCready a half interest in the Doherty mineral claim on Lyall creek, between Sproules and Whitewater.

It is stated that the Consolidated M. & S. Co. is now successful in producing spelter at the Trail smelter, upwards of five hundred pounds per day being turned out.

Instructions have been received by the Surprise mine to discontinue forwarding zinc-silver concentrates to the Empire Zinc Co. It is not clear why this is being done, as the Empire people have contracted to take the Surprise output until the end of the present year.

C. J. Wilson, metallurgist and mining engineer, of Victoria, was in Spokane last week for the organizing a syndicate to work two groups of silver-lead properties and the Calumet and Hecla holdings, a free milling gold proposition, and has expended about $10,000 on the claims.

With every zinc smelter in America working at full capacity, and with steadily increasing prices, the zinc industry is enjoying a prosperity such as was never known before. Bids of 14 cents a pound for prime western brands have been made for May delivery, while some contracts for delivery in 1916 have been made at 10 cents. Premium grades now command better than 15 cents.—Kaslo Kootenaian.

At the Forks

Conversation overheard at the smelter:

Married Man (to single man)—Why don't you enlist and go to the front?

Single Man—I'd hate like h— to give up my job here to an alien enemy, and enable him to send money home to help kill me.—Grand Forks Sun.

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F. J. SMYTH, Manager.

PRINCETON, JUNE 4, 1915.

THE grass is still green in Ireland. So are you.

THE frying pan makes all fish the one length.

ALL signs points to big crops for Canada this year.

THIS is the harvest time for copper mines and smelters.

GET your mines ready for inspection. There will be a million tourists in B. C. this year.

The opening of the Kettle Valley railway next week will usher in a new era of prosperity for the interior of this great and beautiful province.

OUR soldiers at the front should soon bring the war to a close. They are well supplied with food, clothing, tobacco, bibles and powerful guns.

THE passing of Elbert Hubbard removes a great light from the artistic advertising arena of America. As a writer and adapter of other people's ideas Hubbard had few equals. Still he could not walk on the water, and sank to rest amid the wreckage of the ill-fated Lusitania.

Ideas of a Plain Man

There is one true rule for beauty. It is that the thing shall be prerfectly adapted to its use.

A chair is a thing to sit in. The most beautiful chair is the one that is most sittable. Its color, shape, material and ornament should all be consistent with the purpose for which a chair is made.

A house is something to live in, and the most beautiful house is, therefore, the one which is most liveable. One does not want to live in a museum, a curiosity shop nor a prison. As the ideal of home is unity, so the ideal home-house is of one room. Necessity demands that the rooms for sleeping, bathing and cooking be isolated. But the value of most modern houses and flats is injured by the subdivision into too many rooms.

A plate is something to eat from. Its beauty is wholly derived from those elements in its shape, size and adornment which adds pleasure to eating. One's aesthetic is not agreeably moved by eating steak or potatoes from a landscape or person's face painted on his dish.

On the whole, beauty is a close sister to usefulness, and should grow out of it, as leaves grow out of a tree.—Dr. Frank Crane.

This Rummy World

The longer I linger the more I discern that this world of ours is a darn queer concern. It's a crime to pick pockets, but it's perfectly right to pick a man's wages on Saturday night; for the laws are constructed, wherever I been, that the workers are made for the grafters of skin. If you try to be honest you don't stand a chance; you are sure to be known by the patch on your pants. If you steal a few millions you are a person of note; if you steal a ham bone the police get your goat. If you run around naked, you're sent to the pen; if you swipe some old clothing you go there again. If you murder in war, then your valor is sung; if you privately murder you're doomed to be hung. If a girl sells her virtue she's branded as vile; but the rooster that bought it is met with a smile. If a man tells the truth, then the people get tired; if he tells them a myth, why they say he is inspired. It's a funny old world wherever you turn; it's a devilish twisted and darn queer concern; it's badly balled up and it's all out of tune, and must be a sight to the man in the moon.—Henry M. Tichenor, "Rip Saw," St. Louis.

Western Float

Cranbrook still has its auto club.

Floodville is the name of a new town near Hope.

The coal dust in the Elko river is killing the fish. Dust some, R.T.

There is a good market in France for dried apricots.

For the first time in many years the population of Ireland increased 5,000 in 1914.

After 20 years of work the concrete sea wall at San Francisco has been completed.

It is against the law to deliver your own letters, unless you put stamps on them.

Fred Simpson has been a long time in the West, but he still spells Lowery without an e.

Newfoundland has 3,000 soldiers with the Allies. Of that number 29 have already been killed.

Honey should be kept in a warm dry place. It will keep longer if the children cannot reach it.

The Free Press says that John Anderson is spending six months in the Fernie for chronic lassitude.

R. W. Armstrong recently died at Strathroy, Ontario. At one time he was a lawyer in Rossland.

Harry T. Goodeve, of Rossland, has gone to Ottawa, where he will enlist for foreign military service.

Rev. O. E. Kendall, the Baptist preacher in Cranbrook has resigned to accept a call from Delhi, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman were saved from the wreck of the Lusitania.

It is reported that a subsidiary company of the C.P.R. is trying to buy the cement plant in East Princeton.

Spokane real estate men are returning from Medicine Hat. No one knows how they got their railway tickets.

The Canadian soldiers in France have received 35,000 Bibles. This will prevent many of them from being shot in the heart.

B. C. will soon be shipping large quantities of eggs to Eastern Canada. And still this province needs a million more hens and roosters.

A shoe shop in Fernie has two bear cubs in its show window. This is a kind of advertising that has not yet been seen in New York.

W. Gray and Newton Emmons have taken over the zinc ore dump of the Monarch mine at Field. In the past owing to the low price of zinc the Monarch threw that class of ore away.

Recently 200 packages of tobacco were sent from Cranbrook to the soldiers at the front. The more smoke the more fire for our boys on the firing line. Tobacco is not contraband of war.

None of the floating palaces on Slocan lake, have as yet been sunk by submarines, snags or drifting logs. Navigation is safe on that beautiful lake, because all the mines are in the hills.

Charles Perrault, the Indian who killed a woman at Hat Creek last October, was sentenced at the Clinton assizes to be hung in Kamloops on July 9.

Bill Cornish died recently while sitting on a chair in a Clinton hotel. He was well-known along the Cariboo road, having been employed for many years at the 74 Mile House. He was 75 years old.

The entire output of 70 h.-p. tractors of a tractor factory at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, has been purchased by the Russian Government and will be dispatched within the next few weeks, being shipped via Vancouver and Vladivostock.

Fred Roo says that the Indians on Tobacco plains are getting ready for their spring splash. Miss Nellie Moccasin String was in Elko last week wearing a strawberry roan sateen skirt, trimmed with weasel toil tassels. Fred is quite an expert upon Siwash fashions and society news. No doubt he has slept in many a tepee.

The council of the city of Edmonton is considering the granting of a franchise to a company which undertakes to supply natural gas for domestic and industrial purposes. Six different propositions have been placed before the council, and it is believed that there is a sufficient supply of gas actually in sight to provide the present requirements of the city. Edmonton is now the only city in Alberta with a population over ten thousand in which natural gas is not used for fuel, and it seems only a question of time until this most convenient fuel is available to all cities and towns in that province.

An Honest Man

Out in the young countries of the world they have a pushful way of going out of business.

Sandy Macfarlane and Patrick Hoolan were travelling together in one of these "outposts of empire" and at one stage of their wild career took a passage in an old-fashioned coach.

"Just like the good old times," said Sandy, settling down in his corner for the night.

The coach rumbled on peacefully, when suddenly the dreamers were awakened by cries from the driver. Looking out of the window, Sandy's face came in direct contact with the unsympathetic eye of a highway man and the muzzle of a long revolver. Sandy sat down again suddenly.

"Hands up!" exclaimed the husky robber.

But his order was quite unnecessary as all the travellers had their hands well above their heads, with the exception of Sandy who was already unloading his pockets.

"Pat," whispered he, pressing some money into his friend's pocket, "here's that gold piece I borrowed yesterday!"—Columbus Evening Dispatch.

THE WIDE WORLD.

The hospital at Kelowna may close for lack of public support.

The Canadian Northern will be finished to Kamloops in July.

The typhus plague is raging in Seavia, and the victims are dying like flies.

The material for the Kettle Valley station building at Hope is on the ground.

Eaton's store in Toronto closes at 1 o'clock on Saturdays during the summer months.

Many able bodied prisoners in the Canadian penitentiaries are anxious to enlist and go to the front.

The Bethlehem Steel works have an order for turning out 1,000,000 lyddite shells for the British government.

The new Catholic church at Penticton will be finished this month, and the ceremony of opening will probably take place early in July.

Frank Tower, fireman on the Lusitania, holds the record for escaping from sinking vessels. He also survived the Titanic and Empress of Ireland disasters.

Vernon Chapman has suspended publication of the Golden Star, and intends going to the front. The paper was in its 13th year and has had several publishers.

If the railway companies in Canada fail to refund the price of an unused ticket within 30 days from demand they are liable to a fine of $25. The railway commission has so ruled.

Grant, Smith & Co., railway contractors, are seeking to recover $699,608 from the Kettle Valley railway company. This firm had the construction of the line between Penticton and Hydraulic summit, and they claim the above amount is yet due them.

Elaborate preparation is being made for the big concentration camp on Mission Hill near Vernon. The advance company includes carpenters, plumbers and mechanics of all kinds. Between three and four thousand troops will be trained there this summer.

The New York World reports that 73 of 100 leading editorials about the Lusitania that it received on a single day spoke of the crime with horror and detestation. The papers represented all classes and sections in the United States. Only two took a German view.

WATER NOTICE

[DIVERSION AND USE]

TAKE NOTICE that Hugh Finnegan, whose address is Princeton, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use water to irrigate 170 acres of land, or 170 acre feet of water, out of Finnegan Creek, also known as Johnson Creek, which flows Westerly and drains into Fivemile Creek about 13 chains from the North East carner post of Lot 935.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 13 chains from the North East corner post of Lot 935, and will be used for irrigation purposes only upon the land described as Lot 935, Kamloops Division, (Fivemile Creek.)

This notice was posted on the ground on the 27th day of May, 1915. 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, B. C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildigs, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appoarance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is June 4th, 1915.

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Dated at Princeton, B. C., the 21st day of May, 1915. CHAS. WILLARSON, Executor.

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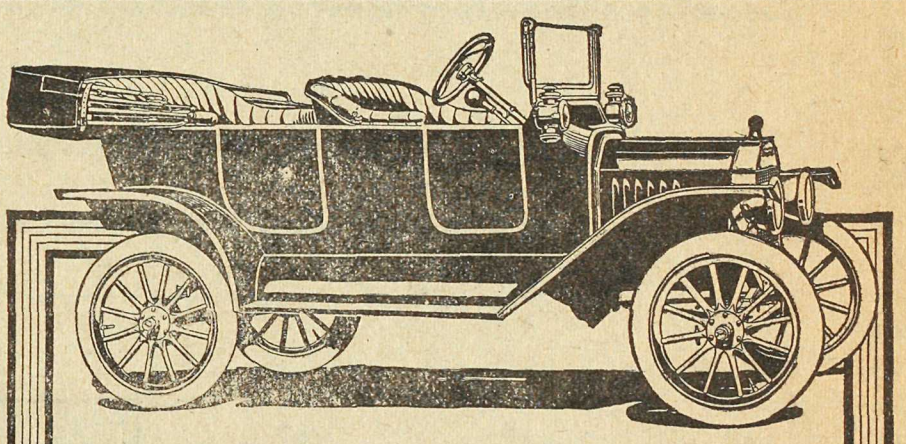

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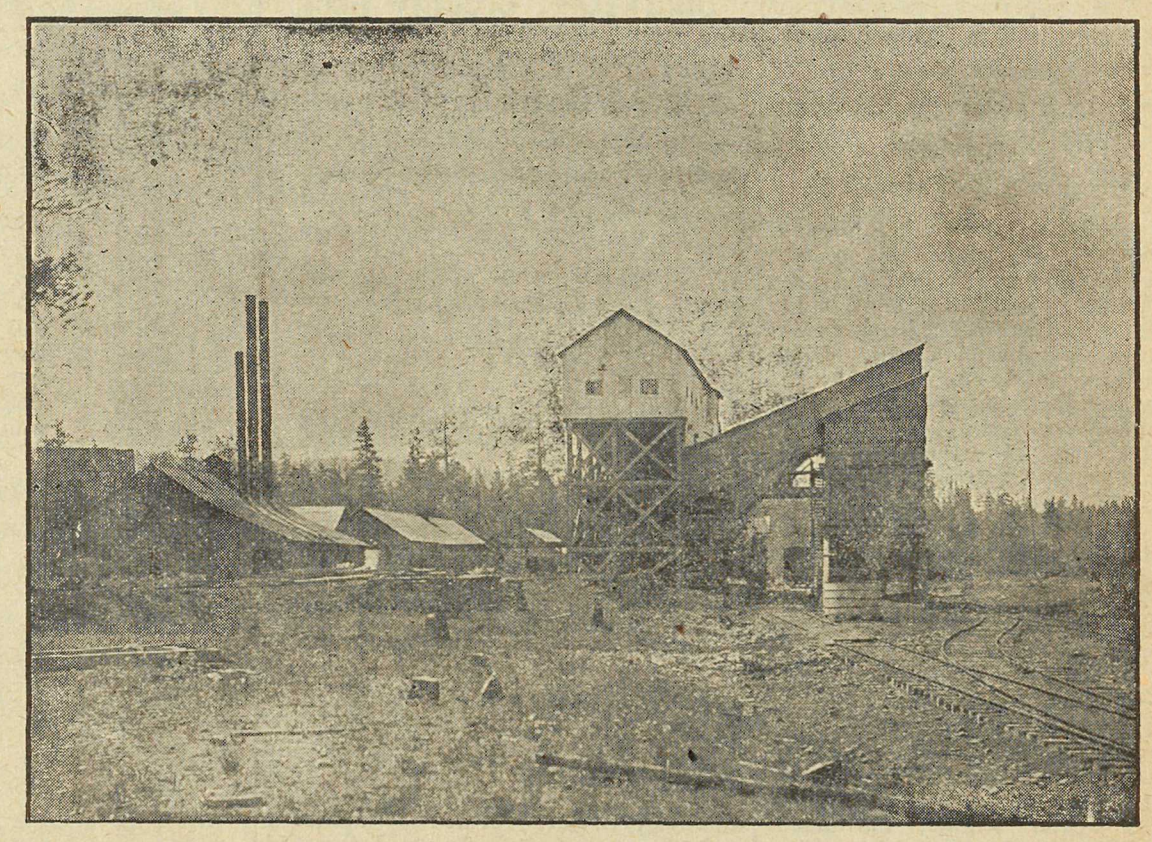

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