SIMILKAMEEN STAR

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Trans-Provincial Road

While little has been heard in the past two months of the proposals to secure a Trans-Provincial highway across British Cclumbia, there is at least one town in the interior that is not overlooking any opportunities to bring the highway thrnugh its boundaries, says the Vancouver Sun.

Alfred Driscoll, C. E., of Edmonton, Dominion government engineer, was recently assigned the task of inspecting the route between Kamloops and Hope, the efforts of the Kamloops and Edmonton motorists being mainly responsible for his services being secured for this work. Beginning at Edmonton, Mr. Driscoll made the trip across the mountains and down the Thompson river to Kamloops by pack horse. The route was inspected along the Thompson and Fraser rivers as far as Hope, while some attention was also given to the Hope-Princeton route.

It will be seen from the foregoing that the advocates of the northern route are extremely active. Mr. Driscoll was in Princeton a few weeks ago, but so far as is known he did not make an exhaustive study of the southern or Hope-Princeton route, which is generally conceded to be the more feasible route of the two. The Dominion government should be further impressed with the superior advantages of the southern route and the necessity for its early completion.

Half Holiday Monday

Next Monday will be election [illegible], and the Provincial govern[illegible] has passed an order in council [illegible] it a public half holiday, be[illegible]inni[illegible] noon. The federal riding of [illegible]le is spared an election through the choosing of Hon. Martin Burrell by acclamation.

All Clear Now

Old Farmer (to soldier son just back from the front)—"Well, Dick, what be these tanks like that there's so much talk about?"

Son—"Why, they're just wobbling thingamabobs, full of what-you-may-call'ems, and they blaze away like billyo,

Old Farmer—"Ay, I heard they was wonderfnl things, but I never could get any details before."

LOCAL ITEMS

Billy Daly is up trom Keremeos on a hunting trip.

Geo. Aldous made a business trip to Vancouver this week.

The Penticton Herald has issued a splendid Christmas edition.

There will be services at the Church of England Sunday at the usual hours.

Yesterday Judge Brown held County Court in Princeton. The docket was a light one.

Walter Clayton, barrister and solicitor of Penticton, was here yesterday attending County Court.

The dining room and hallway of the Hotel Princeton are being treated to a fresh coat of kalsomine.

Wm. Emmerton, pianist in the Empire Theatre at Penticton, is here to play for the Bachelors' Ball tonight.

Mrs. A. C. Wood has received notification that her husband was wounded and is now in a hospital in England.

Allen Ford is at Coalmont in charge of reopening the colliery. His family will probably remain in East Princeton until spring.

Melville Waddell it home from the coast on a short visit. He has been working with a diamond drill outfit at the Britannia mine.

There has been a heavy snow fall during the past few days and it is now between 10 and 15 inches in depth. The weather is mild, and so far this is a glorious winter.

Robt. Pritchard has returned to Vancouver for further medical treatment. Bob was severely wounded in the battle of Vimy Ridge last April and went through four operations.

Wm. Dignan returned yesterday from a few days spent at the coast. While in Vancouver he saw Frank Kearns, who has just joined up with the flying corps, and is leaving for the east to go into training.

James Snowden this week received a letter from his brother Claude. When the letter was written Claude was in London on a two weeks' leave from the trenches. He says he has seen a great deal of hard fighting, and has been in most of the big drives during the past summer.

"The Deemster" is the most powerful dramatic story written by Hall Caine. The locale of its scenes is the Isle of Man. The time of its action is the early eighteenth century. Its motive is law and atonement. The film production of the play will be shown at the Princess Theatre next Monday evening, December 17th.

THE METAL MARKET

NEW YORK—Lead, 6.25.
Bar silver—85.
Copper—25 to 27.
ST. LOUIS—Spelter, 7½.
MONTREAL—Lead, 7.75.

Situation at Trail

There seems to be no change in the strike situation at Trail. W. H. Armstrong, who was sent from Calgary by the Dominion government, made an investigation, and after probing the differences impartially, decided that the contract was "for the duration of the war," and it is said has so informed the committee from the men. Wm. Davidson, a member of the executive of the International Mine, Mill Smeltermen's union, also avers the men were at fault in violating a contract made with the Consolidated Company, which was "for the duration of the war." One day he was followed to his hotel by a gang of the leaders in the strike and these men were only stopped when the door was closed against them.

Death Calls Aged Lady

Mrs. McMann, wife of Capt. W. R. McMann, passed away last Monday morning, after a general breakdown in health extending over several weeks. The funeral was held Tuesday from the McMann residence on Vermilion Ave., Rev. Miller conducting the service and D. M. French undertaker in in charge. Deceased is survived by her husband and son, F. K. McMann, and a sister, Mrs. Robt. Wood. She was born at Port Rowan, Ont,, but spent most of her life at St. Johns, N. B. She also lived in Greenwood for some time. She and her husband were married 40 years ago. The sympathy of the community goes out to the sorrowing ones.

MINES AND MINING

J. C. Haas, a mining man from Spokane, was here this week.

O. B. Smith, general manager of the Granby Company, was in Princeton last Monday.

Oscar Lachmund, general manager of the Canada Copper Corporation, was at the coast a few days ago. He left today for Greenwood.

J. T. Johnson, general manager of the colliery at Coalmont, and Alex Sharp, consulting engineer, were down to Princeton the first of the week.

Boring Big Tunnel

The big tunnel which is being driven at Copper Mountain is to have a length of 4,000 feet. The work is proceeding at the rate of 18 feet a day, and will proceed at the rate of 21 feet a day when solid ground is entered. The tunnel measures 9x11 feet in the clear. A raise will be made at the 2,800 foot point. The miners are paid on the bonus system, and earn about $5.20 a day.

Progress with Hospital Ball

The different committees of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Princeton General Hospital met yesterday to make further arrangements in connection with their annual masquerade ball on the evening of Monday, December 31st. Of these committees the following are the members:

Publicity—Mrs. Glover and Mrs. Waterman.

Music—Mrs. Swanson and Mrs. McLeod.

Refreshments—Mrs. Garrison and Mrs. Wilms.

The price of tickets has been set at $1 for adults and 50 cents for children.

School Closing Exercises

Next Friday, Decbmber 21st, the Princeton public school will close for the Christmas and New Years' holidays. There will be closing exercises in the afternoon commencing at 2 o'clock, to which the parents and others interested are invited. After the exercises, the members of the school board will be pleased to show the visitors through the building.

The desks for the new school rooms have arrived and are being set up.

H. B. Meausette has taken the position of janitor, and his knowledge of plumbing and repair work is a valuable asset to him.

Public School Attendance

Following is the average attendance at the Princeton school for the month of November:

Division I, 93 per cent;
Division II, 85.2 per cent;
Division III, 85.9 per cent.
Pupils attending, 111.

LOCAL ITEMS

Dr. Robinson, dentist, is at Copper Mountain.

Mrs. Robt. Wood, sister of the late Mrs. McMann, is here from Penticton.

In order to eliminate the overtime at the Princeton railway station the office is now closed between 6 p. m. and 10 p. m.

H. H. Huff has written home from Savanah, Missouri, stating he had arrived at his destination safely. He is at a sanitarium where they make a specialty of treating cancer, and it is hoped that he will return to Princeton completely cured.

J. A. McLeod, for several years in the employ of the A. E. Howse Company here, will move from Princeton to Penticton with his family the first of the year, having accepted a responsible position with the mercantile firm of W. R. King & Co.

Messrs. Reith, Shook, Guinan and and Countryman, who have ranches in the Fivemile neighborhood, recently shipped 35 tons of wheat to the Brackman & Kerr Milling Company at Vancouver. The wheat was sold through Avery & Avery of Princeton.

COMING EVENTS

"The Deemster"—Princess Theatre, Monday evening, December 17th.

Annual Mask Ball in Aid of Hospital—Monday evening, December 31st.

BUSINESS LOCALS

For Rent—A six roomed house. Inquire at Star office.

For Sale—Household furniture. Apply Mrs J. A. McLeod from 10 to 12 a, m., and in the evenings.

If you live on the farm you need the Aladdin Coal Oil Mantle lamps, the whitest light of all lamps; less oil than any other lamps and gives out a 60 candle power light. Get one from Avery & Avery before they are all gone.

For Sale—40 h.p "Panhard Levasseur" 1910 Model car, run 9,000 miles only. Chain drive; good engine chassis. Easily converted into truck. Price, $100. B101, Peachland.

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the reserve existing on Lot 129 s, Similkameen Division of Yale District, by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette on the 17th of August, 1911, is cancelled, insofar os it relates to that portion known as Block "A," and containing 11.1 acres, for the purpose of leasing same to the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada, Limited,

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C.
November 27th, 1917.

Latest Fall and Winter Styles

in everything in the line of Clothing.

Suits and Hats, Boots and Shoes, Shirts, Neckwear, Sox, Etc.

Tobaccos and Pipes

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Nothing equals them for Style, Fit, Finish and Wear

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Our Xmas Goods are now Displayed for Your Inspection

A Large and Varied Stock of

Pefumes, Mirrors,
Dressing Sets,
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Leather Souvenirs and Novelties,
Games. Books,
Fancy China, Cut Glass,
Brassware,
Thermos Bottles,
Xmas Cards,
Tags, Seals and Cord,
Hand Bags,
Framed Pictures,
Photo Frames, Ivory Goods, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Tobacco Pouches, Cigars in Holiday Wrapping,

Xmas Decorations, Garlands, Bells. Tinsel, Artificial Snow, Moss and Flowers

PRINCETON DRUG & BOOK STORE G. G. LYALL, Manager

X-Mas Cards

Private Greeting Cards. Order now. 12 to 14 days required for delivery.

X-Mas Post Cards

Two for 5 cts

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Comfortable and Well Lighted

Cigars, Tobaccos, &c.

BARBER SHOP, Baths

The Deemster

BY HALL CAINE

PRINCESS THEATRE

Monday Night, Dec. 17th

In Nine Thrilling Reels Featuring Marion Swain and Derwent Hall Caine

Price: 50 Cents. Children 25 Cents

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ONE CAR OF

Purity Flour

Comprising Purity Food, Corn Meal, Rolled Oats, coarse Oatmeal, Poridge Wheat and Poridge Oats.

When you get **Purity** you are getting the very best at the same price as other grades.

Thomas Bros.

The Nutrient Quality of the Beer made by the

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Princeton, B. C.

Are well known. For Dinners, Luncheons or as an ordinary beverage

Sparkling, Creamy Beer

Is delicious and appetizing

Orders Promptly Attended

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P. W. GREGORY

AGENT FOR THE FOREMOST

Fire, Life, Accident and Liability Companies—Canadian, British and American.

AGENT FOR THE

Allison Subdivision.

The Princeton Livery and Feed Stables

F. C. Buckless, Prop.

Does a general livery and freighting business.

Stage to Copper Mountain every Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.

Auto service in connection.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

SIR EDMUND WALKER, C.V.O., LL.D., D.C.L., President

SIR JOHN AIRD, General Manager
H. V. F. JONES, Ass't. Gen'l. Manager

CAPITAL PAID UP, $15,000,000 RESERVE FUND, - $13,500,000

The farmer who opens a banking account and conducts his affairs in a business-like manner is likely to prosper.

Farmers should avail themselves of the aid of this Bank in transacting their business. Consult the Manager regarding current accounts, collections and loans.

J. D. ANDRAS, Princeton, Manager.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years renewable for a further term of 21 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 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 wtth 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.

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.

Highland Logic

When Lord Tullibardine, son of the Duke of Atholl, was seeking election to the House of Commons he was accompanied by his parliamentary agent, who introduced him to many of the voters. The agent said to one old Scotsman.

"This is Lord Tullibardine. Of course you know him?"

"Na, na: I dinna ken him," was the reply.

"At all events," continued the agent, "you know his father the duke?"

"Oh, ah; I ken the duke. He's a grand man the duke."

"Then you will vote for his son?"

"I'm no sure about that. It's no every coo has a caff like hersel'."

The conductor was about to give the motorman two bells to go ahead.

"Wait!" shrilled an unmistakably feminine voice, "wait till I get my clothes on!"

Whereupon thirty-seven men rubbered to see a fat lady lift her basket of iaundry abroad the car. —The Crown.

Copenhagen Chewing Tobacco

IS THE WORLD'S BEST CHEW

It is manufactured tobacco in its purest form.

It has a pleasing flavor.

It is tobacco scientifically prepared for man's use.

Mining in Mexico

Judging from the almost universal opinion of men thoroughly familiar with Mexican conditions, better times are about to come to our neighbor on the south. Experts who know have unlimited faith in Mexico and its future and believe that the end of her troubles has been reached. Anyone who may feel uneasy abont Mexico's future should consider Mexico's importance as a mineral producer. In normal times it stands first among the nations of the world in the production of silver, second in the production of copper, third in the production of petroleum (with every indication of becoming first), and fifth in the production of gold, and it ranks high in the production of other minerals. A country of such magnificient production and equally magnificient latent possibilities cannot remain in a state of inactivity permanently. Mexico is too important a factor in the world's needs to be permitted to do so. The political troubles that have afflicted the country during the past few years are about settled, and Mexico will again take her rightful place as one of the great mining countries of the world.

Boil Potatoes in Skins

Approximately 20 per cent. of each potato pared by ordinary household methods is lost in the process, according to a Louisania home economics expert. The loss includes much and sometimes all of the portion of the tuber containing important soluble salts. Potatoes that are boiled and baked in their skins lose practically none of their food value.

Gorillas use clubs when attacking elephants.

But many a fair woman is unfair.

AN AGED COUPLE

Tell How They Regained Strength and Vigor

Steubenville, Ohio.—"My husband is 79 years old and I am 78 years of age and we owe our good health to Vinol, the greatest strength creator and medicine there is. When either one of us get into a weakened, run-down condition, Vinol has never failed to build us up and restore strength. We have often said we would not be living now were it not for Vinol." —MARY A. LEE.

We guarantee Vinol to create strength for feeble old people.

Care of the Dishcloth

Don't be careless about your dishcloths. Never use one longer than two days without washing Then see that it is thoroughly boiled. Just take a sniff at your dishcloth when you have used it a few days and you will put it right in the washtub.

Don't Stop

When someone stops advertising,
Someone stops buying.
When someone stops buying,
Someone stops selling.
When someone stops selling,
Someone stops making,
When someone stops making,
Someone stops earning.
Everybody stops buying.
Keep going.

If a Canadian soldier is found intoxicated in the trenches he is shot at sunrise, and if intoxicated back of the line he is court-martialed and gets from sixty days to six months. If they should insult a woman they are severely dealt with.

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 tender-feet 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.

The Similkameen Star

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All other legal advertising, 12 cents a line first insertion, and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion, nonpariel measurement.

F. J. SMYTH, Manager.

PRINCETON, DECEMBER 14, 1917.

The Great Gray Army

More and more the streets, the sidewalks, the railway cars, the lobbies of hotels and other public places began to fill with sober-faced men in khaki. The nation had called her young men, and they are coming, as they have always come. In a little while they will begin to march, and we whom age and other disability has kept out of the ranks shall see what only a few generations in all history have been privileged to behold.

In front of the long lines that will make their ways from the training camps to the sea, and beside them and among them, will march the past. Other eyes than those of Americans may not see the shadowy figures, but we shall see and know them. There will be tall men in Buckskin shirts and fringed leggings, with long hair and coonskin caps, and bearing powder horns and flintlock rifles. We saw them once marching from Virginia to Cambridge, Mass., 140 years ago. There will be farmers in short breeches and shirt sleeves, and sailors in wide trousers and glazed hats, barefooted and bearing cutlasses and boarding pikes. There will be men in buff and blue, in dark blue, in light blue and in butternut gray and mounted men in wide hats swinging free in the saddle with the ease of the born plainsman.

All those shall march, and we who look on shall see them; but the young men in khaki will feel their presence. Not as ghosts shall we see them, but as living spirits, and not as old men but as the youths that were when they gave themselves to the country even as the young men are giving themselves today.

As victory floats before the figure of Sherman in St. Gaudens' magnificent sculpture, so tradition marches ahead of our armies as they go abroad; the tradition of freedom that brought Morgan's riflemen from the forests of the Alleghenies and sent Marion's men into the swamps of the south and led the New England farmers to Bunker Hill. Traditions such as that is a mighty force, The levies of 1917 and 1918 when they face the German guns will not forget their spiritual ancestry nor will they prove unworthy of those who although gone before still lead and guide America; of Washington and Jackson and Scott; of Perry and Decatur; of Grant and Lee; of Farragut and Semmes; of Dewey and Lawton and Philip.—Youth's Companion.

Western Float

Coal is $7.25 a ton in Creston.

Auto thieves are busy in Vancouver.

Plenty of mixed farming is needed in B.C.

Get a goat or two and raise your own milk.

A ram was recently sold in Calgary for $250.

The Trail postoffice has added 150 lock boxes.

Send a copy of Float to your friend in France.

West of Edmonton potatoes are 45 cents a bushel.

There are 71 telephones in New Denver, and 80 in Kaslo.

The West Vancouver ferries are doing a big freight business.

Around Salmo this month the strawberries were in bloom.

There are 26,190 telephones in Vancouver, 9,115 in Victoria.

Through labor conditions much is being lost by this province.

For more than 20 minutes there has been no trouble in Fernie.

Bread is 12 loaves for $1 in Fernie. It was 14 up to this month.

A Victoria law firm recently talked by teiephone to New York, at an expense of about six dollars a minute.

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Total Assets (April 1917) 386,806,887

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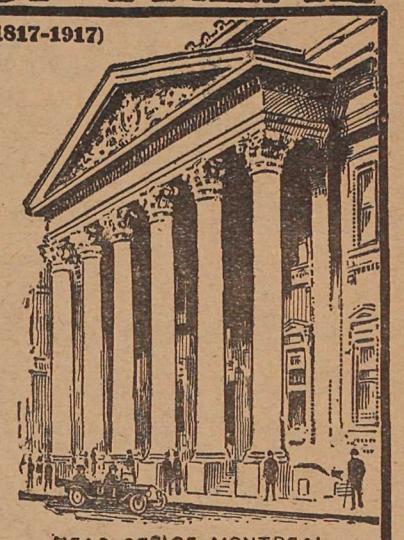

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL.

D. R. CLARKE,
Supt. British Columbia Branches.
VANCOUVER.

R. M. Mansfield, Manager, Princeton Branch.
BRANCHES IN OKANAGAN DISTRICT
Armstrong, - Kelowna, - Summerland,
Enderby, - Penticton, - Vernon.

The coke workers at Fernie have received an increase in their wages.

The motor truck has become an important factor in the hauling of ore.

In addition to their other lines, P. Burns & Co. are now selling fruit.

The grouse are coming back, the disease apparently having left them.

You can sell anything in your store, if you advertise in the local papers.

Pte. Charles Adams of Armstrong has crossed the big divide in France.

Recently a boy died in Revelstoke from eating sweet pea seeds and pods.

Honey is a fairly good substitute for butter, if not used in excessive quantities.

At their coal mine on Vancouver Island, the Granby is building several houses.

Eat spuds, and save wheat, meat and sugar. This will help to win the war.

This month, Alex Ward died at the Old Man's Home in Kamloops, aged 76 years.

After living more than 20 years in Rossland, Dan Thomas has moved to Spokane.

It is said that the Engineer at Taku Arm, will become the greatest gold mine in the world.

Looks as though spuds would be cheaper next spring. There is an enormous crop in America.

While giving aid to the wounded Pte. Herbert Duggan of Kelowna was killed in France.

There are only 3,000,000 hogs in Canada, and this number should be increased as rapidly as possible.

In one way Nelson and Kamloops are about the same size. The former has 700 telephones, and the latter 657.

In the past, fire has destroyed 22 times more timber in B. C., than has been cut by the lumbermen.

A Chinaman in Ladysmith was fined $50 for keeping whiskey in a building apart from his dwelling house.

Deer are reported scarce in East Kootenay, although they are sometimes seen eating the grass in the backyards of Wynndel.

Corp. C. A. Prosunier of a Forestry battalion is in a French hospital with rheumatism. At one time he was rector of a Revelstoke church.

In Vancouver 20 years ago ham was 13 cents a pound, and flour $6.50 a barrel. Eggs were 19 cents a dozen, and butter 23 cents a pound. Will those ever come back?

There are 1000 horses at the races in Tia Juana, Mexico, this season. Five races are run every day, except Wednesday. The Lord's Day Alliance does not do much business in Mexico.

Professor Lakes died in Nelson last week, aged 75 years. He was a noted geologist, and had taken out of the Colorado mountains many specimens of the animals that lived on this earth millions of years ago.

Didn't Want To Lose Him

Jeruda—Aftah we's married we'll hab chicken fo' dinnah ebery day, deary.

Matilda—Oh, you honey! But I wouldn't ask you to run no sech risks jes' fo' my sake.

Heard on the Train

"What kind of coal do you use?"

"Egg."

"Egg? How do you get it, by the dozen?"

THE WIDE WORLD.

The board of directors of the General Hospital at Merritt have elected Miss Day as matron to succeed Miss Lewis. Miss Day is a graduate of the Winnipeg general hospital.

Colin Campbell, superintendent of provincial police, is to exchange jobs with W. G. McMynn, warden of the Okhala prison farm. At one time Mc Mynn was government agent at Greenwood.

The system of issuing new plates for automobiles will be discontinned in 1918. Nex year car owners will be given a receipt and a small disc which must be attached to the numbers at present carried on the front and rear of all cars in use.

The Sense of Humor

Robert Wagner, writing in the Saturday Evening Post, says that one would suppose that a sense of humor would presuppose tolerance of another's sense of humor, but such is not the case. It is the most intolerant and egotistic of all human qualities. If you laugh at things unfuny to me, you are a shallow person—easily amused; and if you remain unmoved while I uncork a loud guffaw, then you have no sense of humor—and that is the nethermost damnation that one man can call down upon another.

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

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Lawrence, whose address is Hedley, B.C,, will apply for a licence to take and use thirty one acre feet of water out of Similkameen River, which flows Southerly.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about at the South West corner of Lot 1971, into old channel, and by daming at a point about 400 yards S. E. from first point of diversion, and will be used for irrigation purpose upon the land described as Blocks A and B of Lot 1969.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 15th day of Nov,, 1917. 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 Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first apperance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice is November 23rd, 1917.

HENRY LAWRENCE, Applicant

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE

TAKE NOTICE that Peter Lorenzetto whose address is Hedley, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use one hundred acre feet of water out of Similkameen River, which flows Southerly.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about at the South West corner of Lot 1971 into old channel and by daming at a point 400 yards S. E. from first point of diversion, and will be used for irrigation purpose upon the land described as Lot 1969.

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PETER LORENZETTO (His X mark)
Applicant.
By H. Lawrence, Agent.

SOCIETIES

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

PRINCETON LODGE No. 50

Meets 1st and 3rd Wed. at 8 p.m. in I.O.O.F. Hall

Visiting Brothers Welcome.

H. H. AVERY, C. C. P. RUSSELL, 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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D. M. FRENCH—Manager of I. O. O. F. Hall

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PRINCETON, B. C.

Dr. T. F. Robinson

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Train No. 2

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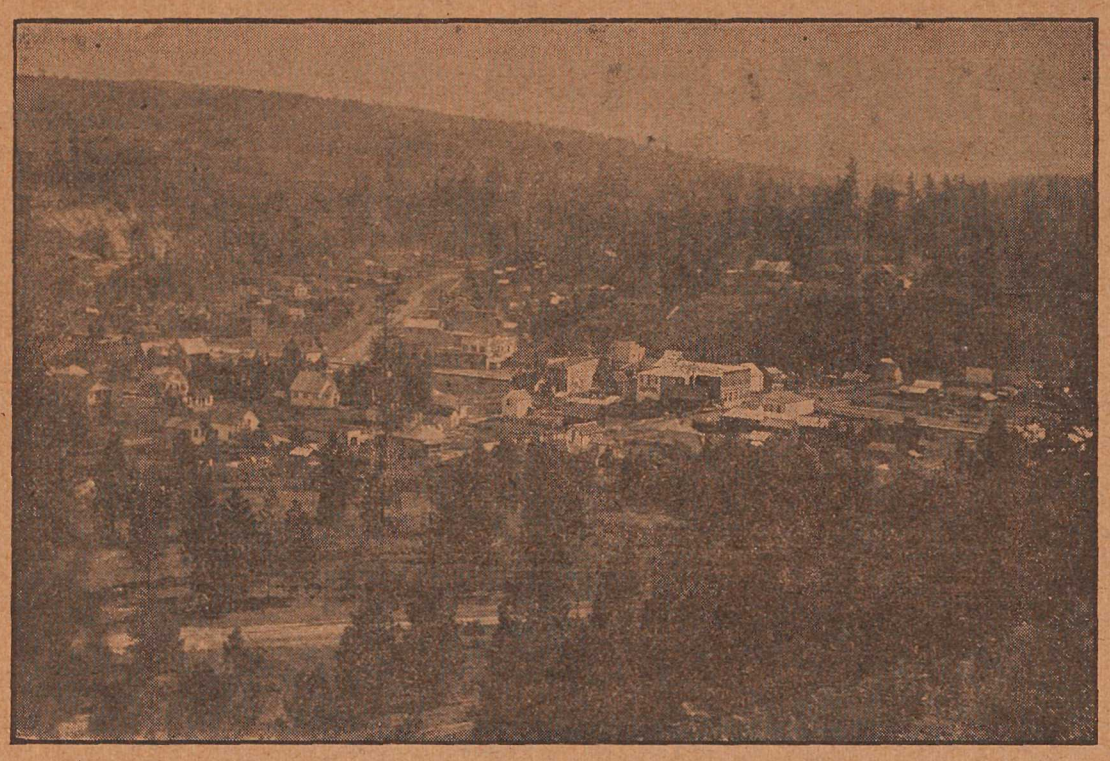

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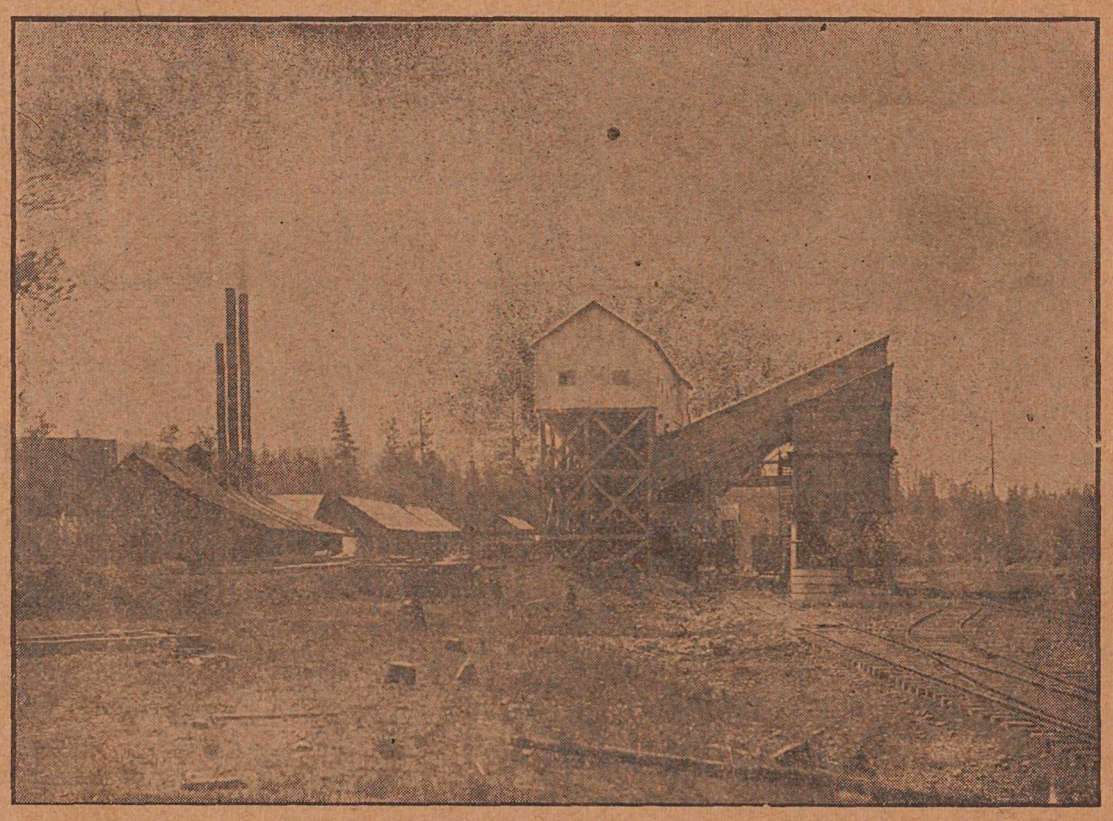

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