THE PRINCETON STAR

Published in the Interests of Mining and Agriculture in the Similkameen

Twenty-Sixth Year—No. 3 | PRINCETON, B. C., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1924 | PER YEAR: $2.00 Cash Single Copy 5c.

Cougar---The Deadly Enemy of Our Deer

DESTRUCTION OF THESE PREDATORY ANIMALS IS DIFFICULT BUT PROFITABLE OCCUPATION

Some idea of the havoc which cougar work among the deer in our hills during the winter time is conveyed by the report brought into Penticton by Charlie Shuttleworth, the noted cougar killer, after his recent hunt in the hills back of Peachland. The chase occupied three days. It started on the trail of a lone cougar, which, later, was joined by three other, and none were allowed to escape.

While following the track of the cougars the hunter came across the carcasses of seven deer that had been killed—a wanton destruction, as only very small portions of the animals had been eaten. A simple computation will show the large number of deer that would be destroyed in a year by such a bunch, also, the value in game preservation of the service rendered by Shuttleworth.

With a few men of his type experienced in the hills and equipped with a couple of trained dogs, it would be possible to practically exterminate these pests in this section of the province. It is said of Shuttleworth that once he hits the track of a cougar, which is comparatively fresh, that he never lets up until he has his quarry. Travelling light, he utilizes the daylight to the best advantage and at night builds a fire and camps on the trail with his back to a tree. The bounty paid on cougars is $40, only a fair compensation for the hardship, time and energy entailed.

Cougar tracks are reported to have been seen by hunter north of here in the vicinity of the head of China creek. If any of our local hunters are equal to the task of killing them we hope, that in the interest of our game, they will get busy. If not a letter to Shuttleworth would be sufficient to secure his services for the purpose.

TOOK THE COQUIHALLA ROUTE

Hemer Stuhb, the round-the-world boy scout, will probably complete the grand circle which he set out to achieve. Last Thursday we announced that he was leaving that day on a second attempt to make the Hope trail, that time on skis. At the last moment, however, he accepted the advice of A. Stenvold, an experienced ski runner, not to attempt the trail, with his very limited experience, but to follow the railway through the Coquihalla.

He remained at the home of Mr. Stenvold for several days longer, securing in the interval some practise in the use of skis. He finally left Princeton on Tuesday afternoon, after a delay of 17 days, which just about represented the amount of time he figured he was ahead of his schedule.

NEWSPAPER MISTAKES

Every now and then some subscriber rises to denounce a newspaper for mistakes which appear in its columns. A contemporary quotes with approval this plaint of an eastern editor who became tired of constant complaints about editorial mistakes:

"We made a mistake in last week's issue," he wrote. "A good subscriber told us about it. The same day there was a letter in our postoffice box that didn't belong to us. We called for 98 over the telephone and got 198. We asked for a spool of No. 50 thread and when we got home we found it was No. 60. The train was reported 30 minutes late. We arrived at the depot 20 minutes after train time and the train had gone. We got our milk bill and there was a mistake of 10 cents in our favor. We got sick and the doctor said we were eating too much meat. We hadn't tasted meat for two months. We ordered a tin of black shoe polish and later found they gave us brown. The garage man said the jitney was missing because it needed a new timer. We cleaned a spark plug and it's run fine ever since. Yes, we made a mistake in last week's paper.

WHAT WAS DOING HERE TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Similkameen Star of Saturday, December 3, 1904

T. A. Connolly has laid in his supplies for the winter and will continue development work on his mineral properties near Otter Flat.

Illustrating the salubrious climate that prevails in the Similkameen Jim Snowden dug "spuds" on the first day of December, thus showing that frost has not penetrated the ground to any depth.

Frequent shipments of coal are made from the V.F.M. Co.'s mine here to Penticton. The consignments, though necessarily small, owing to cost of wagon transportation, indicates the fuel value of the coal here when other coal can be laid down at Penticton much cheaper.

F. W. Groves, P.L.S., is making a a re-survey of a portion of the townsite for the V.F.M. Co.

PREFERS HIS TRADE TO RANCHING

Victor Quaedvlieg, who was in town during the week, announces that he has turned over his ranch and creamery business at Keremeos to his sons Walter and Eugene. Though he has passed the allotted three score years and ten it is not his intention to retire from business. Instead, he intends to resume work at his old trade of tanning, a trade at which he is a past master and in which he has filled important positions both in Europe and America. He has accepted a position as supervisor with the firm of Coleman & Salt, who operate three large tanneries in California, and for whom Mr. Quaedvlieg worked intermittingly since coming to British Columbia. He and Mrs. Quaedvlieg, who has also found the duties on the ranch too arduous, will leave for the sunny south just as soon as the boys have the business well in hand.

In turning the varied interests, represented on the ranch—the creamery, the dairy herd, the fruit growing and mixed farming—over to the boys at this stage, Mr. Quaedvlieg feels that he is making no mistake. Both have plenty of education and experience along all lines required to ensure success and both are capable and willing workers. The motto on which the family have worked is that "the best is none too good," and, in respect to the creamery business—in the plant they have installed, and the product they turn out—they have gone far toward attaining their objective. Their "Purity" pasteurized butter already commands an enviable reputation within the field where it has been marketed.

In Mr. Quaedvlieg, the valley will lose a citizen who has done much toward demonstrating its agricultural possibilities; who has shown that success lies in mixed farming and in returning to the soil nutriment to replace what has been taken out of it. His ranch is what might rightly be termed a "Demonstration Ranch." It is not for want of success that he is quitting it but because he finds the work too arduous and, also, that the call of his old trade is too strong.

PRINCETON SCHOOL REPORT

The following is a list of the leaders in each grade for the month of November:

Division I.

Grade VIII.—1, Margaret Brown; 2, Edward Cook.

Grade VII.—1, Edward Almstrom; 2, Mary Howarth.

Division II.

Grade VI.—1, May Hughes; 2, Margaret Gellatly.

Grade V.—1, Harold Johnson; 2, Lillian Mitchell.

Division III.

Grade IV.—1, Lambert Suggitt; 2, John Dewhurst.

Grade III. Sr.—1, Noel Boult; 2, Emily Wardle.

Grade III. Jr.—1, Robert Ford; 2, Josie Doerflinger.

Division IV.

Grade III. Sr.—1, Margaret Hall; 2, Winnifred White.

Grade II. Jr.—1, Jackie McConnell; 2, Isabel Schulli.

Grade I.—1, Jackie Wardle; 2, Jessie Stenvold; 3, Iva Smith.

GOLDEN RULE SUNDAY

One of the most appealing benevolences which need our help at this Christmas time is the Canadian-Armenian Near East Relief Fund which has saved from starvation countless adults and children and has now nearly 60,000 orphans under its care. Many parts of our country and of the United States will observe next Sunday, Dec. 7, as Golden Rule Sunday by living on plain diet that day and give the difference to the needy children who live on low diet all the year round. By good management the various orphangaes are able to provide a wholesome though plain meal at five cents a meal. From the headquarters for B. C. pamphlets can be obtained giving information and pictures of the wonderful and blessed way children, who otherwise had perished, are being fed, clothed, educated and taught to earn a living. The address is 223 Winch Building. It is perhaps a little late to plan for next Sunday but I would like to suggest that a citizens' committee be formed at once and the matter brought before the homes and schools of our town and some worthy amount be obtained to send away by Christmas. The Vancouver papers carry considerable information, last Sunday's Sun having a large illustration and a write-up. I shall be glad to co-operate in any citizens' movement for this object which touches the best impulses within the universal heart.—J. K. Unsworth.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MINING DISCUSSED IN CONVENTION

Spokane, Dec. 3.—British Columbia's mining problems were subjects of discussion at the session of the Northwest Mining Men's annual convention, with A. B. Trites of Vancouver acting as chairman.

The attendance is over the 3000 mark.

Somebody around town will be missing their dog today. Hugh Hunter, while crossing the K. V. R. bridge this morning on his way into town, saw one that had been cut in half by a passing train. He was unable to identify the unlucky canine.

One Mile Residents Want Rural Mail Delivery

ASK BOARD OF TRADE TO ASSIST IN GETTING SERVICE BETWEEN PRINCETON AND MERRITT

It was announced at the regular monthly meeting of the board of trade on Monday evening, that the residents on One Mile would like support in their efforts to induce the postal department to establish a rural mail delivery between Princeton and Merritt.

While the members present were quite in sympathy with the movement, provided it is feasible, it was decided to table the request until such time as fuller information upon the subject could be obtained.

Monday's meeting of the board, while fairly well attended, proved to be one of the shortest sessions that the organization has ever held. With the question of the trans-provincial highway settled and the matter of village incorporation "taboo," there remains, as one member put it, little to discuss. Dr. Lee Smith occupied the chair in the absence of the president of the board, and A. Sorenson took notes in the absence of the secretary.

JACK PAUL MINING COMPANY

Spokane Capital is Developing Riverside Group of Claims Above Midway

The eighth convention number of Mining Truth, Spokane, is to hand and is a very attractive issue. It contains, among many other interesting write-ups of properties on both sides of the international boundary line, the following reference to the Riverside Group of claims above Midway:

The Jack Paul Mining Co. was organized in 1921 to take over the Riverside group of mining claims, which group is in British Columbia, 16 miles up the Kettle river from the town of Midway, B.C.

The company is capitalized for $125,000 in 500,000 shares of par value of 25 cents. Nearly three-fifths of the shares remain in the treasury and the company owns its property outright.

Rail Transportation Near

As regards physical conditions, the group of claims is exceptionally well situated. The lines of the Kettle Valley railway cross the property, and the auto road to Beaverdell is but a short distance away, connected with the group by a branch road. The electric power lines of the West Kootenay Power Co. are a short distance away, and the claims being located along the Kettle river, there is an unfailing water supply for any milling operations.

Five Veins

Five veins crop on the hillside next to the river. They occupy parallel fissures or cleavage planes in the country rocks, which are here a highly altered eruptive. The distance between the outer veins is 630 feet. The veins vary from a foot up to eight or more feet in width, average width being about 2½ feet. The economic minerals in the ore lead, zinc, gold, silver and a very little nickel. Lead and zinc are present as sulphides together with iron pyrite, the gangue being mainly quartz. Silver is the chief mineral of value, it ranging from a few ounces per ton up to over 250 ounces. About 15 to 20 per cent. of the ore is of shipping grade, the balance being milling ore running around $15 per ton in all values.

Considerable Underground Work

Although the property is still mainly in the prospective stage, a good deal of work has been done. On the veins a total of 675 feet of work has been done, and the work in country rocks totals 470 feet; so that the proportion of work on veins as compared to dead work is exceptionally high. Milling tests on the lower grade ores show these to be readily amenable to concentration, producing through table concentration followed by flotation products ranging around $100 per ton in value, with recovery of 90 per cent or more.

Plan Compressor Installation

The company's present plans include the installation of compressor plant, and the continuing of development work until sufficient ore is definitely proven to supply a mill for several years; and after this done, to build a mill of about 50 tons daily capacity, so as to handle the lower grade ores. Ore of a gross value of about $30,000 has so far been developed.

The directors of the company are all Spokane men. The president is Mr. Milton A. Lehner, of the Washington market. Andrew Jackson is secretary, and the other directors are Richard Marsh, Frank Lanza and Mike Scaler. Frederic Keffer is consulting engineer and treasurer, and Paul Nelson is mine manager.

The company confidently expects to ultimately find in its Riverside group of claims a mine which will yield high returns on the small capital involved, and is bending all its energies toward realization of its plans.

Grand Forks, Nov. 29.—Dorothy Toogood, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Toogood, of Rossland, died last Monday while being operated on for tonsilitis in the Sisters hospital there.

Vain Effort to Save Life of Friend's Wife

"BIG BILL" BIJUSKOVIC OF NICKEL PLATE SUPPLIES QUART OF BLOOD FOR TRANSFUSION

The following artilce which appeared in yesterday's Province refers to Bajo Mijuskovic, familiary known to his friends in Princeton and at the Nickel Plate mine, where he has been employed ever since the company resumed operations a year ago last spring, as "Big Bill." He was in town for a short time on his way to the coast.

"Romance, friendship and the spirit of sacrifice were revealed in the story of the death of Mrs. Minnie Gjanovic, 601 Campbell avenue, which occurred Tuesday in the General Hospital.

"Dmitar Gjanovic and Bajo Mijuskovic, both natives of Montenegro, served in the Canadian army and while on leave in Scotland Gjanovic fell in love with a Scotch lassie and they were married, his tried comrade, Mijuskovic, acting as best man.

"At the end of the war the couple came to Vancouver, as did Mijuskovic.

"Life went along placidly for the couple and the comrade was always a welcome guest at their home. One son and two daughters resulted from the union and plans were made for their future.

"Three weeks ago Mrs. Gjanovic contracted blood poisoning and every effort was made to save her life. Mijuskovic, who was employed at Princeton, heard of the illness of his comrade's wife and hastened to Vancouver to see if he could aid in any way.

"The arrival of Mijuskovic was opportune for doctors had decided that a blood transfusion might save the woman's life and he was a splendid physical specimen. He willingly consented and submitted to two transfusions, giving two pints of his blood in the effort to save the life of his friend's wife. The sacrifice was in vain.

"During her life in Vancouver Mrs. Gjanovic endeared herself to those in the district, where she lived, and her loss is felt by a large circle of friends."

MORE SCHOOL HOWLERS

The following are culled from answers to an examination paper set for scholarship to secondary schools:

George Stephenson was famous because he never told a lie and afterwards became President for America.

Sir Walter Raleigh put his coat over a poodle when Queen Elizabeth was coming down the stairs so she shouldn't trod on it.

Chaucer lived in the time of Shakespeare, he wrote lamstales.

While Raleigh was in prison he wrote Harmsworth History of the World.

The Indian Mutiny was a band of soldiers who helped our Army soldiers in the late war.

The Normans were famous for inventing the Feudal System.

The chief industries of Ireland is fighting.

The use of leaves to a tree is to put the finishing touches to it.

A thermometer is a thing that separates winter from summer on a glass. Some people say that the liquide that runs up the tube is witches blood.

A biography is about a good man, such as a bishop, but a naughty biography is the life of a lady.

Oliver Cromwell was a very severe man. He destroyed Charles I. by beheading, after which he was never known to smile again. His soldiers were called Ironclads.

A blizzard is the inside of a hen.

A mountain range is a large-sized cooking stove.

Sir Walter Raleigh discovered tobacco, and when he was smoking his first pipe he is said to have remarked: "Be of good cheer brother Ridley; we have this day lighted such a fire in England as shall never be put out."

Weather conditions, so far this season, have not borne out the forecasts of those who predicted a long hard winter. November's snowfall here totalled 10 inches, which is no more perhaps than a fair average, though records show many years in which the snowfall for the same month was nil. Only once during the month did the thermometer dip below zero. That was on the morning of the 13th when it registered -7 degrees.

Dr. Unsworth will give the second monthly lecture next Sunday evening, in St. Paul's church, his subject being, "Why I Believe in Christianity." This was one of the series of lectures given at Blakeburn recently and which were well received by the audiences attending. In the afternoon there will be a picture service at the One Mile school. St. Paul's Sunday school will observe Christmas in a unique way. At the morning service each schoar will bring a "white gift for the king," each contribution either in money or in food will be wrapped in white paper, to be distributed later to the needy families in the neighborhood or farther afield. The usual Christmas tree and entertainment will be held during the week.

TWO GOOD PICTURES BOOKED AT THE PRINCESS THEATRE

Moving picture fans have two treats ahead at he Princess Theatre. This week's bill is "The Fighting Coward," featuring Ernest Torrence, Mary Astor, Noah Beery and Phyllis Haver. It is the story of a young Southerner who loved a flirt. Is driven from home because he won't fight a duel. Trained by a notorious gun-fighter, he becomes notorious as a "bad man," though his rep is founded solely on bluff. Returning home he gets even with his enemies and marries the flirt's younger sister.

Next week's picture is equally good. It is one of Cecil De Mille's biggest productions, "Triumph," with a typical all-star cast. It is a modern society love drama, bigger and better than "Manslaughter."

The "Call of the Canyon" is not produced here this week, owing to the fact that the film was in such a damaged condition that the management would not send it out. Manager Knighton hopes to be able to secure it on some future occasion.

WHAT'S THE HURRY?

At a meeting to discuss the safety of pedestrians, a witness remarked: "In the old days if anybody missed a stage coach, he was contented to wait two or three days for the next. Now he lets out a squawk if he misses one section of a revolving door." It's the truth. We are in such a hurry that half the time we don't know where we are going. We would rather stub our toes than take the time to pick up our feet. We dodge through traffic in the middle of a block rather than spend thirty seconds in reaching a street crossing. Men go from Toronto to Vancouver and write back that they made the trip in three hours less than last time. We jump on and off moving train. We eat fast, ride fast, talk fast, walk fast, dance fast, sleep fast—and die fast. What's the hurry? There are still twenty-four hours in a day even with daylight saving. A straight line is the shortest distance between two points, according to the mathematicians, but why confuse life with geometry? Wait a minute.

BODYLESS YET LIVING

Dr. Alexis Carrel, of the Rockefeller Institute, New Yorks, who attended the British Medical Association's meeting recently held at Bradford, has kept a chicken's heart going strong for 12 years, after divorcing it from the bird's body.

Dr. Carrel, who is regarded as the wizard of experimental surgery, removed the heart from the bird and placed it in a special "culture." The organ has increased since then by one-fifth its original size, and is still growing.

Every two or three years it is transplanted into a fresh "culture," to which is added, from time to time, the blood of old and young hens. It has been shown that the blood of the old hens retards the growth of the organism, while that of the young ones accelerates it.

From this scientists deduce the fact that there exists a certain chemical substance peculiar to youth, which is not present in the organism of full maturity.

This gives rise to the startling suggestion that there may exist an actual elixir of life which science may eventually segregate from the organism and transplant.

The more daring followers of Dr. Carrel's work in the United States have proposed that the next few generations may witness the actual manufacture of this elixir.

Now is the time to make reservation for hatching eggs and chicks for next season. It pays to have good ones. Read the announcement of Wm. Kinch of Cawston, in reference to S. C. White Leghorns. Orders may be booked at the Economy Meat Market.

PRINCESS THEATRE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

DECEMBER 5 AND 6

'The Fighting Coward'

— with —

ERNEST TORRENCE, MARY ASTOR and NOAH BEERY

— COMEDY —

"Winning Out"

NEXT WEEK

DECEMBER 12 AND 13

'TRIUMPH'

— COMEDY —

"Kitchen Lady"

Fox Farming Proves a Profitable Industry

DR. GILLIS DELIVERS INTERESTING ADDRESSES ON THE HISTORY AND PROGRESS OF FOX FARMING IN CANADA

In view of the establishment of a number of fox farms in this district and the indication that it is an industry that can be followed with the best possible chances of success in this valley, the following report of addresses made by Dr. Gillis, on the subject, which appeared in a recent issue of the Cowichan Herald, of Duncan, B. C., will prove of interest to readers of the Star:

"Dr. Gillis came to Duncan at the invitation of Mr. I. D. Mackenzie, Maple Bay, whose guest he was while here. The visitor, who comes originally from Prince Edward Island, owns a large fox farm at Merritt, having commenced with eighteen pairs in 1921. During the past summer there were as many as 230 foxes on the farm. He now has seventy pairs of breeders. Dr. Gillis believes that silver fox raising is now a stabilized industry and that the market for these pelts will not become overloaded.

"Dr. Gillis said in regard to the development of fur farming:—'Fox farming still maintains its place as the most important branch of the industry with 1179 farms out of a total of 1240 devoted to the raising of animals. This is an increase of 202 fox farms from the figures of the previous year.'

"'A total of $8,284,384 represents the value of the 1179 fox farms. Prince Edward Island still maintains a long lead in all branches of the industry. In that province these are 448 fox farms value at $3,481,008. The numbers in the other provinces are as follows: Ontario, 201; New Brunswick, 89; Nova Scotia, 123; Alberta, 44; Manitoba, 22; Yukon, 21; British Columbia, 29; Saskatchewan, 4.

"'During the year 1923 a total of 26,908 animals were born; 4257 died and 9953 were killed for their pelts on Canadian fur farms. In the year a total of 7506 animals were sold for $1,324,683, and 9539 pelts were sold for $860,468.'

"'At the end of the year there were 40,125 animals on Canadian farms. Among these were 25,186 silver foxes, 1556 patch foxes, 627 red foxes, 12 blue foxes and 2 white foxes.'

"Dr. Gillis also gave an interesting account of the silver fox industry which, he said, was really only twenty-five years old. There were, he said, three distinct periods. First, the experimental stage, when the business was carried on under a veil of secrecy. Second, from the beginning of the sale of livestock for breeding purposes, to the out-break of the war, which disorganized the markets. Third, the reconstruction period, when silver fox breeding reached stabilization as a sane, permanent commercial enterprise.

"Explaining what a silver fox is, Dr. Gillis said it was simply a red fox of another color—a freak. He told how the experiments of Sir Charles Dalton and his partner had established the freak color and developed the production of fur until it brought fabulous returns. Prices of $4000 to $6000 per pair were paid by the first corporations. As the boom grew the price rose to $10,000 a pair, and at the close of 1913 actually rose to $25,000 a pair.

"In 1913 the Silver Fox Breeders' Association was formed with the object of protecting purchasers and of conserving the interests of the breeders. In 1920 it was granted a charter by the Dominion government which recognizes the pedigrees of ranch bred silver foxes which comply with the rules and regulations of the association and pass inspection by an officer of the livestock branch of the department of agriculture.

"A cash expenditure of around $15,000 will now purchase ten pairs of the finest young foxes, build and equip a ranch and pay for care and administration. With average results the first year and selling enough of the young to provide extensions to the plant and for current expenses, the owner should possess at the beginning of the second year at least fifteen pairs. In two more seasons, his yield, if marketed, with average skill, should return the whole original investment and leave the owner with a good business duly paid for.

"At the close of Dr. Gillis' address many questions were asked, showing the deep interest taken by the audience in the matter under discussion."

DONATIONS TO PRINCETON HOSPITAL

The secretary of the Princeton General Hospital acknowlelges receipt of the following for the month of November:

M. Allison, venison and chickens; Mr. Hardwick, fresh eggs; G. Prideaux, box of apples; Wing, potatoes and vegetables. Lester B. White, one of the contestants at the ex-service men's smoker, donated a cheque for five dollars, which he had received on that occasion, to the hospital X-ray fund.

Exactly three weeks till Christmas. In purchasing your gifts give your local merchants first preference.

The Princeton Star

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY AT PRINCETON, B. C.

J. A. BROWN, Editor

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

British Empire, One Year .....$ 2.00
Foreign, One Year .....$ 2.50

Payable in Advance.

THURSDAY .... DECEMBER 4, 1924

CORRESPONDENCE

Editor, The Star,
Princeton, B. C.

In a recent issue of The Star there appeared in the news from Keremeos a copy of a paper read at a meeting of the Women's Institute relating to the requirements of Keremeos as a community centre. Among other things referred to, mention was made of the park, locally known as "Pine Grove Park," and the reason given therein for its present dilapidated condition was the "Title," the inference created thereby that there was something wrong with the title.

Many years ago the Keremeos Land Company through the generosity of the late W. H. Armstrong donated this property to the use and enjoyment of the village of Keremeos and district as a free gift to be devoted to playground uses, a picnic spot and recreation area. Nature has done a great deal to make the ground ideal for this purpose, five acres of pine grove beautifully situated on the banks of the Similkameen river within five minutes walk from the business street.

Through all the long years gone by in which the public has had the use of this ground the people of Keremeos have never thought fit to properly organize or to properly constitute trustees to obtain a title (which could have been had for the asking) to hold the property in trust, but rather preferred to leave the title in the Land Company and use the ground for dumping garbage, refuse and orchard prunings, anything but for the purpose for which it was given. Only threats of civil prosecution against some of the offenders who thought they could do as they pleased with public property, who knew nothing or cared nothing for such a thing as community spirit or community interest brought this to a stop.

Ever since my arrival in the valley two years ago as liquidator of the Land Company I have consistently advised the appointment of properly authorised trustees to hold the ground in trust for the people as a whole. When this is done and a proper deed prepared the necessary signature to a "Title" will be forthcoming without delay. The same conditions apply to the transfer of the cemetery property as well.

Liquidator Keremeos Land Co., Ltd.
S. J. CASTLEMAN,
Keremeos, November, 25th, 1924.

BEER BY GLASS FORLON HOPE

Victoria, Dec. 1.—Beer by the glass in licensed premises is a forlon hope, according to present indications It now appears certain that the government is afraid to take action and carry out the plebiscite mandate. There was a province-wide majority against beer, but out of 40 constituencies 23 voted in favor of beer sale in licensed premises. The Liberal caucus is divided on the subject and it is held that the government would risk almost certain defeat in the house if it attempted to introduce legislation providing for open sale.

HOPE AREA IS ACTIVE

That Hope is experiencing a revival in mining activities is borne out by the recent developments in that district.

The company which has been engaged in carrying out development work on the Eureka-Victoria mines during the past summer is now prepared to continue work throughout the winter months.

G. D. B. Turner has taken an option on the old Murphy mine and has engaged the Robinson company to put a diamond drill on the property at once for development work.

The Emancipation gold mine has been bonded to an American syndicate, and an extensive plan of development, including the installation of new machinery will be carried out.

Referred to Dad

Tommy—"Is that a lion or lioness, papa?"

Father—"Which one, dear?"

Tommy—"The one with its face scratched, and the hair off its head."

Father (with a sigh)—"That must be the lion."—Dublin Sunday Independent.

The Antonym

"Now, tell me, what is the opposite of misery?"

"Happiness!" said the class in unison.

"And sadness?" she asked.

"Gladness."

"And the opposite of woe?"

"Giddap!" shouted the enthusiastic class.—Good Hardware.

WATER NOTICE

(Use and Storage.)

TAKE NOTICE that the Platinum Power Company, whose address is 414 Standard Bank Buildings, 510 W. Hastings Street, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use fifty cubic feet per second for power purposes on the Tulameen River. The storage dam will be located at a point approximately 200 feet west of the north-west corner of the Ledger Placer Lease, No. 138. The reservoir created by the construction of a dam 30 feet high, is contained entirely within the confines and limits of the canyon. The water will be used for generating power for placer mining on the Ledger and Kirkpatrick leases and other leases in the valley of the Tulameen River within a distance of five miles. It is desired to sell power within a radius of 5 miles from the said dam. This notice was posted on the ground on the 28th day of October, 1924. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant there to and to the "Water Act, 1914," was filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Princeton, B. C. The Petition for approval of the undertaking of the Company as per section 72, will be heard in the office of the Board of Investigation at a date to be fixed by the Comptroller, and any person may file an objection thereto in the office of the Comptroller or of the said Water Recorder. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in the local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is the 20th day of November, 1924.

JOSEPH A. MILLS.
Agent for The Platinum Power Company, Ltd. 1-4

COAL AND PETROLEUM ACT
NOTICE

Take notice that I, Charles Hunter, acting as agent for Mrs. Joan Hunter of Princeton, B.C., intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at the South-east corner of Lot 714 in the Yale Division of Yale District, thence westerly a distance of 70 chains more or less to the East Boundary of Lot 700 in the said Division, thence Northerly a distance of 80 chains, thence Easterly a distance of 70 chains more or less, thence Southerly a distance of 80 chains to the point of commencement.

JOAN HUNTER, Locator.
CHARLES HUNTER, Agent.
Dated this 16th day of September, 1924. 51-5

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In the YALE DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT Recording District of KAMLOOPS and situate on the right bank of the TULAMEEN, one mile below the TULAMEEN TOWNSITE.

Take notice that I, Thomas Bysouth of Coalmont, B.C., occupation Fireboss, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

COMMENVING at a post planted at the S.E. corner of Lot 181 Yale Division Yale District, thence south forty chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 10 chains more or less to the right bank of the Tulameen, thence westerly along the said right bank to the point of commencement and containing 160 acres more or less.

THOMAS BYSOUTH,
Applicant.
Dated 19th October, 1924. 50-9

COAL AND PETROLEUM ACT
NOTICE

Take notice that I, Charles Hunter of Princeton, B. C., intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at the North-west corner of Lot 245, Yale Division Yale District, thence Westerly 50 chains more or less to the East Boundary of Lot 700 in the said Division, thence Southerly 50 chains more or less to the South Bank of the Tulameen River, thence South-easterly along the said South Bank to the West Boundary of Lot 245, thence Northerly 80 chains more or less to the point of commencement.

CHARLES HUNTER, Locator.
Dated this 16th day of September, 1924. 51-5

SPECIAL LIQUER - $4.25 Per Bottle
A.H.M., 20 YEARS - $4.75 Per Bottle

This Advertisement is not inserted by the British Columbia Liquor Control Board or by the Government of the Province of British Columbia.

Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subject over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i. e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land. not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a compnay.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

P.W.GREGORY
A. M. E. I. C.
B. C. LAND SURVEYOR
CIVIL ENGINEER
Surveys of:
Lands, Mineral Claims, etc.
Underground Surveys.
PRINCETON, — — B. C.

PRINCETON HOTEL
BARBER SHOP
Satisfaction Guaranteed
All Electrical Appliances

SOCIETIES

Similkameen Lodge
A. F. & A. M., No. 95
Meets in I.O.O.F. hall 1st Tuesday in each month, at 8 p.m. Visiting brethern cordially invited.
VAN H. SMITH, W. M.
WALTER L. BOULT, Sec'y.

PRINCETON LODGE
I.O.O.F. No. 52.
Regular meetings 8 p. m., Thursdays, Hall situate on cor Bridge St. and Vermilion Ave.
Sojourning brethren welcome.
Wm. McLean ..... Noble Grand
A. C. MacKenzie ..... Secretary
Relief Committee: P. Russell, Chas. Day and O. Carlson

Knights of Pythias
Princeton Lodge No. 50
Meets first and third Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. in I. O. O. F. Hall.
Visiting Brothers Welcome.
H. E. HANSEN, C.C.
P. RUSSELL, K.R.S.

Excelsior L. O. L. No. 2102
Meets Fourth Tuesday at 8 p. m in I. O. O. F. Hall.
Visiting brethren welcome.
GEO. W. ALDOUS, W. M.
H. H. AVERY, Rec.-Secretary.

Similkameen Hotel : : :
NEAREST THE STATION
COMFORTABLE ROOMS
GEO. WARDLE
PROPRIETOR

Tulameen Hotel
PRINCETON, B. C.
Rates Moderate
Service Unexcelled
MRS. HOLMES, Proprietress

L. D. Restaurant
Cooking--any Style
DAY AND NIGHT
PHONE 11

Hotel Princeton
SWANSON & BROOMFIELD
Proprietors
HEADQUARTERS FOR COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS AND MINING MEN
Modern Hotel—All the Comforts of a Home—Beautifully Furnished—Rooms with Hot and Cold Water and Steam Heat
AUTO BUS MEETS ALL TRAINS
CAFE IN CONNECTION

George Bosnich
SOFT DRINK PARLORS
CIGARS, CIGARETTES AND TOBACCOS
HEADQUARTERS FOR
Gust Vladetich
TAXI SERVICE Phone 63

Adams & Murdock
GIGARS
CIGARETTES
TOBACCOS
SOFT DRINKS

The Princeton Bakery

"USE JOE'S BREAD"
J. E. DOERFLINGER
PHONE No. 9

KETTLE VALLEY RAILWAY TIME TABLE

EASTBOUND
DAILY

No. 12—Leaves Vancouver		7.15 p.m.
Princeton		4.00 a.m.
Nelson		10.55 p.m.

WESTBOUND
DAILY

No. 11—Leaves Nelson		9.05 p.m.
Princeton		2.48 p.m.
Vancouver		10.30 p.m.

Observation and dining car service on all trains.

H. E. HANSEN, Agent.
O. E. FISHER, Traffic Manager, Penticton.

Toys Toys
Santa Claus' "Dump"
HE GOT STRANDED HERE AND LEFT AN UNUSUALLY LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FINE TOYS.
ON DISPLAY NEXT WEEK—AN EXCEPTIONALLY LARGE VARIETY PRICED TO SELL
A. L. WHITE
"White Sells Everything"
BOX 105 PRINCETON - B. C. PHONE 47

FRESH MEATS
POULTRY --- CURED MEATS
Your Patronage Appreciated.
P. BURNS & CO., LTD.

ECONOMY MARKET
Fresh and Cured Meats
Home Products Our Specialty
KEREMEOS HYGIENIC BUTTER
PHONE 75
TURNER & GELLATLY, - - Proprietors

WINTER REQUIREMENTS
SWEATERS — — WINTER UNDERWEAR
MACHINAW COATS AND MACKINAW SHIRTS
RUBBER FOOTWEAR
The Best of Quality and Reasonable Prices
THOMAS BROS. - Princeton
PHONE 13

OPTOMETRY
EYES EXAMINED — GLASSES FITTED
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
L. V. NEWTON, CAWSTON

"A Word in Time Saves Nine"
GOOD VALUE HONEST DEALING
DEPENDABLE GOODS
Our Specialties
NABOB TEA AND COFFEE—No Better Made.
FIVE ROSES FLOUR—Well and Favorably Known Throughout Canada.
FEED OF ALL KINDS INCLUDING WHEAT, SHORTS, BRAN, CRACKED CORN, OAT CHOP, BARLEY CHOP, CRUSHED OATS, ETC., ETC.
CEREALS, INCLUDING ROLLED OATS, OATMEAL, YELLOW CORNMEAL, WHEAT GRANULES, ETC.
F. P. Cook Estate
(Established 1886)
Stores at Princeton & Coalmont
A Trial Order Will Be Appreciated :-: Satisfaction Guaranteed

PASTEURIZED "Purity" Butter

MANUFACTURED BY

KEREMEOS CREAMERY

(QUAEDVLIEG BROTHERS, Proprietors)

KEPT IN COLD STORAGE AT

TURNER & GELLATLY'S

PRINCETON, B. C.

For sale by all the leading grocers in the valley

GIVE IT A TRIAL

FARMERS!

We Want Your Cream

TOP PRICE PAID

DELIVERED AT PRINCETON DEPOT

KEREMEOS CREAMERY

BUILD UP

As winter approaches, those whose strength is impaired, who are run-down or in a weakened condition are in constant danger of Grippe, Colds and The Flu.

NYAL CREOPHOS

Imparts new strength and brings vigorous, robust health. Creophos builds up the system and repels disease germs. Relieves Bronchitis and persistent coughs.

$1.00 Per Bottle at

PRINCETON DRUG & BOOK STORE

G. G. LYALL - - Manager

DRESS 7785

STANDARD DESIGNER PATTERN with THE BELRobe

— AGENT —

Mrs. Alice Moore

PRINCETON - B. C.

"Marquis" S.C.W. Leghorns

"EXCEPTIONAL WINTER LAYERS FOR THE INTERIOR"

Now is the time to make your reservations for hatching eggs and chicks for next season.

Our R. O. P. flock have an average this last pullet year of 216.61 per bird.

We have 200 breeders for the spring, every one trap-nested and the highest bird's record is 283 eggs. We cull everything under 170 eggs.

Our males are all pedigreed R.O.P. birds from champions 1922-23.

Orders may be booked at the Economy Meat Market or write us direct. We guarantee complete satisfaction or replace.

It Pays to Have Good Ones

Wm. Kinch Poultry Farm

CAWSTON — — B. C.

Pease & Atkinson

(Successors to Anderson Bros.)

PHONE 65

DRAYING

ANY THING
ANYWHERE
ANY TIME

COAL AND WOOD

City Transfer

G. FARRAR, Prop.

Coal and Wood
General Trucking and Delivery Work

SERVICE WARRANTED

Regular trips to Coalmont every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, leaving Princeton between 1:30 and 2 o'clock, returning the same day. Freight rates on application.

"PODUNK'S"
BILLIARD HALL

You're Always Welcome

UP-TO-DATE BARBER SHOP IN CONNECTION

AUTO ACCESSORIES

SKID CHAINS

ANTI-FREEZING MIXTURE

GOODYEAR TIRES & TUBES

Expert mechanical service

Have your car thoroughly overhauled during the winter months.

CARS STORED

SIMILKAMEEN GARAGE

DALY & WALMSLEY, Props.

Princeton — B. C.

TAILOR SHOP

H. McCONNELL, Prop.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER

Tailoring - Cleaning - Pressing

COALMONT COLUMN

(By "Jay Ell.")

Soft drinks, candies, fresh tobacco and cigars. A. O. Johnson, Pool Hall. 3-tf

* * * *

Mrs. Alvin Nelson and family arrived in Coalmont Monday. Alvin bought the Christensen property recently.

* * * *

Nurse Bulmer of the Princeton hospital, while on her way to the coast was the guest, between trains, of Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin.

* * * *

"Merry Christmas!" Say it with Christmas cards. The most delightful assortment and a most wonderful effect. Buckley's Drug Store.

* * * *

George Gibson, our local tonsorial artist, expects to leave for Blakeburn next week. George, who is an efficient barber, has taken for his motto "excelsior."

* * * *

Archie Chisholm is a guest at the Coalmont Hotel. Archie spent the summer somewhere in the Siwash creek district. He is rather diffident about naming the exact location of his prospective bonanza.

* * * *

Miss Mary Grant, who has been staying with her grandparents in Cranbrook for the past few months, arrived in Coalmont Sunday and is residing in the Coalmont Hotel with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Grant.

* * * *

Mrs. Kemerling and daughter Alice of Hope were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lloyd. Mrs. Kemerling was surprised to find that we had such a congenial climate in this neck of the woods. Of course it is much better to live up here and enjoy the glorious sunshine than "live in Hope and die in despair."

* * * *

A meeting of Coalmont and Blakeburn citizens will be held in the Coalmont Hotel on Monday evening for the purpose of forming a community club. If the club is formed and functions according to the ideas of the promoters it will look after the skating rink, put on bi-weekly dances and sponsor any public social event which is likely to be on the tapis during the winter.

* * * *

Most people in Coalmont and Blakeburn describe the drug store as a chemist's shop where one can buy almost anything from a box of chocolates to auto accessories. Well friends! Why not? The drug store is the great neighborhood store. Custom has made it so. We are not afraid of smashing tradition. Our drug store is more than a chemist's shop. It is a neighborhood instititution. Buckley's Drug Store.

* * * *

One of the results of the visit and lectures of Rev. Dr. Unsworth has been the enlistment of quite a number in the church and Sunday school At Home Club, by which each individual and family will spend a period each Sunday in reading the bible, singing and prayer. Helps for bible study will be provided and Dr. Unsworth has promised to send each member every week a short sermon of his own through the mail. Miss Bowdry is the Blakeburn secretary.

* * * *

A dispatch from Montreal to a Vancouver paper mentions that although the radio fans in that city managed to listen in on Aberdeen, Scotland, none of them could understand the language of the announcer. That is characteristic of Aberdeen. The average Aberdonian cares not a continental bawbee whether anyone understands what he is saying just so long as he thinks he understands what he is saying himself. Hoot mon! let the rest of the world go by. The next number on the program ladies and gentlemen will be a selection by the Finnan Haddie quartette.

* * * *

Coalmont is to have a new school house. That was decided upon at a meeting of the ratepayers on Saturday evening. It was also decided that the size shoulr be 32 by 40 feet in order to provide proper accommodation for the present attendance. Just who will erect the building is a matter for consideration at another meeting which is called for Tuesday evening. There are three possibilities. Either for the government or the coal company to build it or to have it done by contract. What the ratepayers have in mind is the most economical building consistent with government regulations. Local contractors have been asked to tender.

* * * *

It happened last September. A Tulameen prospector had been out all day in the rain and came home soaking wet. Not having a change of clothing he had no other option than to peel off and wait until his duds dried. After he had stripped he bethought him that he had no rig on which to hang his clothes. Being a man used to meeting emergencies the lack of a clothes horse did not bother him, not at all. He put on his shoes, picked up his axe and wended his way outside dressed, barring the shoes, like Adam in the garden of Eden. The night was dark and stormy, the wind was howling wild and ever an anon the lightning flashed athwart the firmament. He had no flash light. Groping after the intermittent lightning flashes he worked his way towards the bush where he intended to cut two crotch sticks and a pole to form a clothes horse. A gleam of lightning that seemed to strike right into his eyes made him step back a pace and then unable to hold his balance he sat down—in a rose bush. He arose in a hurry. He danced, shimmied, cake walked and cursed all roses including the wild Irish rose. Talk about a thorn in the flesh, why he felt as if he had several hundred thorns. Just imagine the twisting and curvating that that poor man had to put over before he got rid of those thorns. However, with the help of a broken looking glass and some comical contortions he eventually managed to extract them.

Princeton Paragraphs

Honk! Honk; Clear the way, the "tots" are coming to Toy Land—A. L. White's.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rudd (Jura) at the Princeton Hospital on Sunday, Nov. 30th, a daughter.

Mike Mirkovitch, formerly of Princeton, but now a resident of Kimberley, was in town for a couple of days this week.

Mrs. N. Pierce returned from Vancouver during the week and has resumed her duties in the office of the Departmental Stores.

New phones which have recently been installed in Princeton are: Rev. Dr. Unsworth, No. 57, and Curso Bros., the Princeton Plumbing Shop, No. 26.

Tomorrow (Friday) evening; the K. of P. annual dance in the Oddfellows' Hall. Princeton orchestra; refreshments at midnight; admission, gents $1, ladies 50c.

The Ladies' Aid of the Princeton Union Church are holding their annual sale of work at the Oddfellows' Hall on Thursday, Dec. 11th, when they will serve tea from 3 to 7 o'clock.

Mr. Ed. Nelson, geological consulting engineer for the Granby company, returned from Anyox the last of the week and rejoined his family at Alenby. They intend a little later leaving on a visit to friends in the eastern states.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Quaedvlieg Brothers of Keremeos. They have arranged for the keeping in cold storage at the Economy Market, a sufficient supply of their "Purity" brand butter to serve the retail trade in Princeton.

Mrs. W. Tatum, of Blakeburn, is reported to be convalescing rapidly at the Princeton General Hospital. Mrs. W. A. Wagenhauser is also recuperating nicely and expects to be able to leave the institution in a short time.

Members of the Princeton Hockey Club wish to thank all those who contributed making their dance last Friday evening the success it proved. The sale of tickets and door receipts amounted to $73.00. The expenses were $47.20, leaving a balance of $25.80 for the benefit of the club. There appears to be an impression that the rink is being operated this season by the hockey club. This is not the case. It is under the entire management of Maurice Wright and Jimmy McKinnon; the hockey club using it on a percentage basis.

Miss L. Bulmer, who relieved Miss Burris at the local hospital during the latter's visit in the east and afterwards remained on duty for another month, owing to extra help being necessary, left on Tuesday for her home in Vancouver. Nurse Brown resigned her position at the hospital on Tuesday and accompanied Nurse Bulmer, who spent a day at Coalmont en route, into the city.

Judge J. R. Brown, of Greenwood, will hold a session of county court here this afternoon on the arrival of the Kettle Valley train from the east. Three applications for naturalization and two minor cases—Edmonds vs. Chrisman, a dispute over a rent account, and Lane vs. Barton (both of Coalmont), a dispute over the value of a horse, will come up for hearing.

A very pleasant evening was spent by the Princeton high school students at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Harrison on the occasion of their son Fred's 16th birthday, Tuesday, Dec. 2.

BUSINESS LOCALS

2c per word each insertion; minimum 25c

If you want wood see F. Bromfield. 1-4p-tf

PRINCETON PLUMBING SHOP—Caurso Brother, Phone 26. 3-tf

P. A.—P stands for punctual, A for attendance, phone 65 for any kind of trucking. Pease and Atkinson. 47-tf

WANTED—Cream delivered at G. N. station, accurate tests. Write Keremeos Creamery. 46-8p

Twenty million satisfied customers use Watkins products year in and year out—the reason, "Quality." 22-tf

Would you like to draw a number and win the hand embroidered Vanity Set in Miss Barr's window? Each fifty cents spent in novelties there allows you one chance. Drawing Dec. 20. 3-3

DR. BUTLER

DENTIST

WILL BE OUT OF

PRINCETON

FROM DECEMBER 8 TO 15

For the School Boys

AGE 10 YEARS TO 16 YEARS

— WE HAVE —

SUITS

WITH TWO PAIR OF KNICKERS

Prices $9.00, $11.00 and $13.00

CALL AND SEE THEM — SIZES 27 TO 34

Willarson & Co.

PRINCETON, B. C.

More Power=Better Mileage

Have your cylinders re-finished by the same machine used in all the large factories. Our prices are right; our equipment is the best, and our work is guaranteed.

PRINCETON GARAGE

BERT HILL - - PROPRIETOR

R. V. SHAW

COALMONT

GROCERIES and CROCKERY

OUR STOCK IS NEW AND FRESH — OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

P. W. GREGORY

— *RELIABLE* —

FIRE LIFE **INSURANCE** MOTOR CAR PLATE GLASS

THE BEST OF PROTECTION

Prepare for Christmas Now

Electrical Appliances Make Good Gifts

Additional wiring for fixtures and appliances attended to.

Princeton Light and Power Co., Limited

The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co.

of Canada, Limited

OFFICE, SMELTING AND REFINING DEPARTMENT

TRAIL, BRITISH COLUMBIA

SMELTERS AND REFINERS

Purchasers of GOLD, SILVER, COPPER, LEAD AND ZINC ORES

Producers of GOLD, SILVER, COPPER, PIG LEAD AND ZINC

TADANAC BRAND

Better Rubber Footwear at the Regular Price

If RHINO Rubber Footwear wern't better—if it didn't wear longer—we would not support the iron-clad guarantee that goes with every pair.

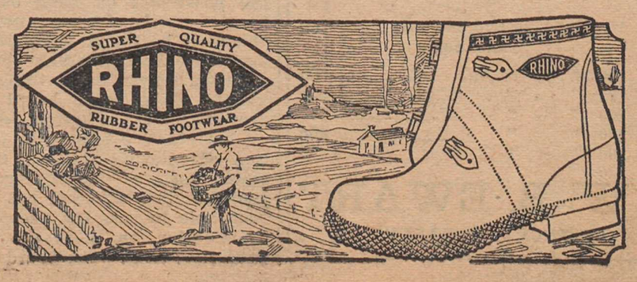
These facts hold good with all RHINO Rubbers. Note the Protector flap on rubber shoe illustrated. It is an exclusive, patented RHINO feature. It effectually prevents dirt, manure, snow or moisture from getting inside.

This footwear is made from RHINO RUBBER—the toughest and most wear-resisting that Science has yet discovered—which will wear up to twice as long as ordinary rubber.

Insist on RHINO Footwear.

"Compare The Wear"

THOMAS BROS.



13

SPECIAL

Men's special 18-inch Shoe Packs, reduced from $12.00 to $9.00

10-inch Shoe Packs, reduced from $9.00 to $6.75

While They Last

C. V. PROSSER

PRINCETON - - B. C.

At the New Stand

The VETERANS

DAN FERGUSON, Prop.
BRITTON BLOCK

SOFT DRINKS—ALL KINDS

Smokes all descriptions, Cigars Pipes, Tobaccos, Cigarettes

Come in and make yourself at Home.

POOL AND BILLIARD ROOM in connection

MAC'S SHOE HOSPITAL

Next to Princeton Hotel
PHONE 54

YOUR OLD SHOES REBUILT LIKE NEW

SHOES MADE TO ORDER

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIR WORK BY MAIL

PRINCETON HOTEL CAFE

FOR PROMPT SERVICE AND UP-TO-DATE MEALS TRY US

T. BROMFIELD, Prop.
PHONE 60

KEREMEOS MEAT MARKET

Wholesale and Retail.

Fresh and Cured Meats
Poultry and Smoked Fish

T. DALY - - Manager

Freshman-Masterpiece

A Five Tube Set

CLARITY
BEAUTY
VOLUME
DISTANCE
SELECTIVITY

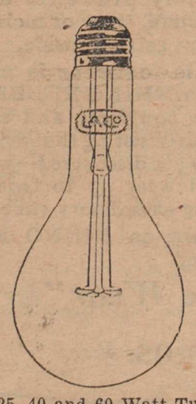
Tuned Radio Frequency built of the finest low loss material and in a beautiful genuine solid mahogany cabinet at only eight-five dollars.

Can be used with either Dry Cells or Storage Battery.

E. E. Burr & Sons

PRINCETON
PHONE 55

GUARANTEED ELECTRIC LIGHT GLOBES



10, 15, 25, 40 and 60 Watt Tungsten 25c each

60 W.	Nitrogen	50c
75 "	"	55c
100 "	"	65c
150 "	"	85c
200 "	"	$1.15

W. B. EWART

PRINCETON HARDWARE

KEREMEOS NOTES

(Our regular correspondent.)

Mr. and Mrs. W. Honeywell left on Wednesday for an extended trip to Minnesota.

* * * *

Last Saturday several packers went to Penticton after having completed a successful season at work here.

* * * *

Mr. Wallace Wake left for Kamloops Saturday to take up a new position.

* * * *

The Women's Institute intend holding their annual sale Saturday evening, December 13th, in the Victory Hall. We understand there will be some special features.

* * * *

Next Thursday, the 11th inst., the Women's Institute will hold their regular meeting at Mrs. Keeler's rooms. All members are requested to attend as it is the yearly election of officers.

* * * *

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Christie entertained a few friends in an old time dance. The room was cleared to accommodate two sets of quadrilles and a jolly time was spent till nearly twelve, when refreshments were served.

* * * *

The young married ladies entertained their bachelor sisters and friends at a leap year dance on Tuesday evening in the Victory hall. The young ladies were not slow in asking for partners. The moonlight waltz was danced amid falling confetti and streamers. The music was supplied by Harry Knighton of Princeton, Wm. Daly and Stewart Smith and dancing was kept up till 3 a.m. after a very enjoyable time was spent.

* * * *

A social evening was held at Carleton's rooms on Thursday, Nov. 27, at 8:30 p.m. under the auspices of the Anglican Ladies Guild. The guest of the evening was Mr. T. Crossley, who for some time has acted as honorary organist of St. John's church and was for three years president of the Community Club. Many members of the congregation and other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Crossley were present to wish them God speed. The proceedings were opened with a short concert at which vocal solos were rendered by Miss Hull, Miss Schofield, Mrs. Carle, Mrs. Willis and Mrs. T. Daly and Rev. W. A. B. Clementson violin solos by Mr. W. Daly and organ solos by Mr. Crossley. After the music most of the company played whist and light refreshments were served. At the end of the evening Mr. Clementson, in the name of the Anglican congregation presented Mr. Crossley with a signet ring, as a small taken of their gratitude and goodwill for all that Mr. Crossley had done for the music of the church; and Mrs. Crossley with a box of chocolates as an expression of their good wishes. Mr. Clementson said they would miss Mr. Crossley, not only as organist but also as a friend, that he would always be affectionately remembered and if he can come back would receive a hearty welcome. Mr. Crossley, replying for himself and Mrs. Crossley thanked his friends in a few well chosen words, and the evening concluded with the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," "Auld Lang Syne," and the national anthem. We understand Mr. and Mrs. Crossley are leaving Keremeos on Thursday, Dec. 4, and that they will eventually return to England. We wish them good luck and bon voyage.

* * * *

Keremeos Board of Trade

The meeting of the board of trade held on Monday night last and called for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, was not only well attended, there being sixteen members present, but showed a spirit of enthusiasm that has been sadly lacking during the past year. It was decided to postpone the election of officers until the meeting to be held on February 2nd, this being the first Monday in February. At this meeting a custom which has found much favor in Penticton will be adopted, that is the meeting will be held in connection with a dinner for the preparations of which a committee has been appointed, immediately after which the regular business of the meeting will be taken up and the officers for the year elected. In the mean time each member will endeavor to enlist at least one more new member. What is required to make the board a live institution is a large membership which will give it weight and backing in carrying out enterprises which will build up and enrich the whole community. Every person in the district who derives his livelihood from the district is directly interested in any movement which is made for the welfare of any branch of industry that is or many be established in the district and until we make a united effort there is little prospects of getting anywhere. The spirit shown at Monday's meeting promises a good live year in 1925. If you live in Keremeos, show the world that you're alive.

A committee was appointed to look into the situation in regard to electric light and power, with a view to the possibility of using one of the nearby creeks for our own hydro, should it be found impossible to induce the West Kootenay Power Co. to bring power in at the necessary voltage. The board heard with regret that Dr. Netherton was giving up his practice here with the intention of entering a larger field. He stated however that his brother has qualified in dentistry, but had not been able to pass the necessary B.C. examination, as these are not held until June next. The board will take up the matter with the provincial association requesting permission for him to practice until these examinations are held, and it is hoped that in this way the district will not be left without a dentist. Other matters of importance were discussed.

KEREMEOS PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

Division I.

Proficiency: Grade VIII.—1 Gwen Carmichael, 2 Doris Roddick; Grade VII.—1 George Echlin, 2 Lillian Madore.

Perfect Attendance: George Echlin, Ross Innis, Blanche La Bounty, Lillian Madore, Doris Roddick, Ralph Carle, Allen Christie.

Division II.

(Miss D. L. Schofield, teacher)

Proficiency: Grade VI.—1 Allison Bligh, 2 Bathryn Roddick; Grade V.—1 Ronnie Campbell, 2 Alice La Bounty; Grade IV.—1 Dorothy Clark, 2 Fred Derry.

Perfect Attendance: Reta Barlow, Ronnie Campbell, Dorothy Clark, Fred Crooker, Pansy Harris, George Loudon, Bertha Mills, Hubert Smith.

Division III.

(Miss M. East, teacher)

Proficiency: Grade III.—1 Mary Sorge, 2 Gladys Harris; Grade II.—1 Phyllis Daly, 2 Janet Derry; Grade I.—1 Marie Blogg, 2 Ruth Sorge.

Perfect Attendance: Phyllis Daly, Ross Echlin, Elspeth Lintott, David Ramsay, Marie Blogg, Yip Yeu.

KEREMEOS WEATHER

	Temp.	Rain	Snow
Nov. 1923	37.6	.52	½ in.
Nov. 1924	31.8	1.53	2½ in.

H. S. VERRALL.

CAWSTON NOTES

(From our own correspondent.)

W. J. Manery and wife of Penticton were guests of their son, S. R. Manery, last week.

* * * *

Miss Daisy Silvester returned from Penticton Saturday.

* * * *

Dr. White and Mr. Gibson of Penticton were in Cawston last week enjoying a trip to the hills with R. L. Cawston deer hunting.

* * * *

Mrs. Geo. W. Cole returned to her home in Vancouver Wednesday.

* * * *

Miss Schofield of Keremeos spent the week-end with friends in Cawston.

* * * *

Wilfred Wakefor of Ernfold, Sask., is visiting his uncle, H. Silvester, at Silver Heights.

* * * *

Mrs. Elwood Bromley and daughter Irene, of the Horn Silver Mine, are spending the week with W. J. Manery and family in Penticton.

* * * *

W. G. Garward and son Gordon of Penticton were Silver Height visitors last week.

* * * *

J. M. Pitman came up from Oroville for a few days' visit with friends and left Friday for Seattle to spend the winter with his daughter Mrs. Laura Watson.

* * * *

F. C. Sorge and family of Keremeos were guests of W. J. Hammill.

* * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Proctor and Geo. Shipton spent several days hunting near the sawmill on the Fairview road.

* * * *

C. McDougal, principal of the Cawston school has rented the W. D. Lang residence for the winter.

* * * *

R. B. Sheridan of the G. N. bridge crew came down from Hedley Thursday for a few days visit with his family.

* * * *

The children of the Cawston school will give a Christmas concert in the hall Thursday evening, December 18.

* * * *

A. Procter has purchased a new auto of the type known as a "bug."

* * * *

W. D. Lang of Penticton was in Cawston last week.

* * * *

The Cawston Co-operative Cannery shipped the last two car loads of tomatoes from this year's pack on Monday.

* * * *

Mrs. P. M. Madden entertained the ladies of the Cawston Auxiliary of the United churches at her home Friday afternoon. Twelve members were present. After the regular business, Mrs. A. Prentice and Mrs. C. E. MacKenzie gave papers on foreign missions, after which refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. B. Newton.

The Tactful Mendicant

"You seem able-bodied and healthy," she remarked coldly; "you ought to be strong enough to work for your meals."

"True enough, lady," he replied. "And you seem beautiful enough to be in the movies, but evidently you prefer the simple life."

The dinner he got was delightful.

Interpreted

He—"Do your believe in signs and omens?"

She—"Yes."

He—"Last night I dreamed you loved me. What does that mean?"

She—"That you were dreaming."—Korsaren.

Theacher—Suppose your father gave your mother twenty dollars and then took five dollars back again. What would that make?

Tommy—All kinds of trouble.

Only 21 Days to Do Your Christmas Shopping

Why not do it now when our stock is at its best and we can give you our best service. Almost every day goods are arriving and we think our stock will compare favorably with any of the city stores. We would call your attention to a few lines that cannot fail to appeal to each and all.

Braces

Put up in individual Christmas boxes. Prices from ..... $1.25 to $1.50

Braces and Garter Sets to match $1.75

Belts

Here is a line that is certainly the latest thing of its kind we have seen anywhere. A good leather Belt in a velvet lined case at only $1.75

Arm Bands and Garters

These are also put up individually in plain colors or Tartan. Price $1.25

Any of the above articles are just the thing for mailing to your friends away from home.

Shirts for Men

Have you seen our showing of Lang shirts, sizes from 14½ to 17½. A good variety of patterns and priced very reasonable. Prices from ..... $1.95 to $4.95

Collar Boxes

Here is something that is the very last word for gentlemen. The finest of leather in black or grey for either starched or soft collars.

Give Gloves

And you cannot make any mistake. We can show you a splendid variety either in Kid Fabric or Wool, plain or gauntlet style for ladies.

FOR MEN—

Wool lined mocha in grey and brown. Price $2.50

Brown calf lined at $3.00

Auto Gloves in brown or black, wool lined. The very thing for winter driving. Price $4.75

Giveable Scarfs For Women

In the most gorgeous colorings. Our stock of these is limited as our aim is not to have more than one of a kind. They are just the thing to give a touch of color to a dark gown. Prices from ..... $3.25 to $4.50

Silks

The woman who sews has still a chance to make up so many pretty gifts at half the cost of the ready to wear garments. We carry a very nice line of spun silks and wash satin in white and pink. Also silk tubing for vests.

Auto Rugs

Beautiful all wool Rugs that can be used either in driving or as a couch cover. The would make a splendid gift. Prices from ..... $6.00 to $7.50

GROCERIES

QUALITY FIRST VALUE ALWAYS

Now is the time to begin your Christmas shopping. We feel sure we can supply all your wants.

A LARGE SHIPMENT OF GANONGS HIGH CLASS CHOCOLATES IN FANCY BOXES—½ lb., 1 lb. and 2 lb sizes.

CHRISTMAS CRACKERS—A large variety

MINCE MEAT

APPLES AND ORANGES

NEW CLEANED CURRANTS

SEEDLESS RAISINS

PEELS OF ALL KINDS

BOTTLED CHERRIE

OLIVES—PLAIN OR STAFFED

SHELLED ALMONDS AND WALNUTS

CRANBERRIES—3 lb. for $1.00

Princeton Departmental Stores

WE SELL EVERYTHING

W. A. WAGENHAUSER, Proprietor

Telephone 8 - - Princeton, B. C.