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Exhibited Best Sporting Instincts

PENTICTON EXPRESSES APPRECIATION OF PRINCETON'S GENEROUS DONATION TO INJURED BALL PLAYER

The Penticton Herald says:

Harmony once more between the sporting elements of Princeton and Penticton, due to the very generous action of a number of Princeton citizens following the accident to Lockwood of Penticton, who broke his arm in the game there on Sunday last.

Princeton citizens certainly proved themselves good sports and appreciative of the action of Penticton players in giving them a return game. Mr. S. B. Hamilton received yesterday from Mr. J. A. Brown of Princeton, a cheque for $116, the proceds of a collection taken up for the injured Penticton player. Dr. Lee Smith, of Princeton, as well, attended to Lockwood's injury without a fee, the doctor being too good a sport to charge an injured player.

The sportsmanship of Princeton is, needless to say, greatly admired and appreciated by Penticton citizens generally and in future the mining town sportsmen can have anything they want in this town, where their stock now rates considerable above par.

The affair is a pleasing climax to some irritation which existed between the two town a week or so ago, when, through some misunderstanding, Princeton expected a Penticton team to arrive in the Similkameen town while the locals played Wenatchee here instead. Despite the fact that the season here was officially closed and the equipment stored away, local players determined to give Princeton a return game and got a hold of Summerland uniforms and girls' ball equipment and motored to Princeton on Sunday. That Princeton sportsmen appreciated this was apparent and the unfortunate accident to Lockwood permitted them to demonstrate it in a practical way. The dispute has, therefore, had a pleasant outcome which will do much to foster good will in sport between the towns.

Mr. Hamilton has acknowledged the receipt of the money and expressed appropriate appreciation of the action of Princeton citizens.

Editorially the Herald says:

Princeton sportsmen are to be congratulated upon their action in contributing over $115 for the benefit of a Penticton baseball player injured in a game there on Sunday last. It was a fine exhibition of the best sporting instinct and traditions of the game which will not soon be forgotten in Penticton.

CLOUDBURST HITS WENATCHEE

On Friday last a cloudburst in the hills close to Wenatchee caused heavy property damage and took a toll of 17 lives. Alex Broomfield, who was in Wenatchee the day previous, reports that the weather was intensely hot, the thermometer registering in the neightborhood of 110 degrees. Following is a press report of the disaster:

Wenatchee, Wash., Sept. 8.—The dead number seventeen in the flood caused by a cloudburst in Squillchuck mountains, near here. Property damage was $500,000, with railroad traffic tied up. The town of Appleyard was destroyed and hundreds of carloads of apples wasted in the orchards. Four known missing are believed to be dead. It is believed that tourists stopping at Appleyard auto camp have been lost. Half dozen cars are known to have been parked there before the flood. Parts of cars have been found, but no trace of the occupants.

The roaring wall of water, 12 feet high, swept down from the canyon upon the Great Northern Railway terminal at Springwater, picked up five dwellings in its 100-yard path tore them to splinters and hurled the three storey Springwater Hotel, a frame structure, 60 feet across the street. The building crashed into the Terminal Hotel, wrecking it.

The four children of the Hanson family, ranging in age from four to nine years, were among the injured, while Mrs. Edward Groff, and her 13-year-old son, Harold, were injured, and four of her daughters killed.

Clasped tightly in Mrs. Butt's arms, Fanny Macdonald, 6, battered, bruised and covered with mud, was pulled from the ruins of a house after being in the wreckage all night. Mrs. Butts was dead, but her crushed body had sheltered the child, who asked for "mamma" when rescued.

FIRE ALARM DRAWS CROWD

Practically the entire population of Princeton turned out hurriedly on Thursday evening last shortly after 9 o'clock, in response to the clamor of the fire bell, for a small fire that started in an upstairs room in the rear of the Tulameen hotel, and which was quickly subdued by the use of a couple of chemicals.

Friday evening, when a meeting had been called to discuss ways and means for the better organization of our fire fighting service and to take action with reference to a permanent site for a bell tower and reel house, there were not sufficient citizens turned up to make it advisable to hold the meeting.

"KAMARAD" BADMAN

Merritt, Sept. 4.—On advices from Savona last Saturday that a demented man was terrorizing the good people of that community, Sergt. P. Badman of the provincial police, Merritt station, proceeded as quickly as possible to that town, some fifty miles distant, and gathered in a man by the name of Freidrick Wozeske, a native of Germany, arriving back at Merritt Sunday afternoon with his man. On examination by two physicians Wozeske was pronounced insane, and on Monday Sergt. Badman took the unfortunate to the mental hospital at Essondale. While confined in the cells at the local station Wozeske amused himself hanging by his feet from the upper berth of the cell. When being placed under arrest Wozeske said he recognized the Sergt. and murmured "you good German," "you good sailor man."

BIG MINING STRIKE ON ELKHORN FRACTION

Ore Now Being Mined That Promises To Rival the Famous Highgrade Beaverdell Production

Grand Forks, Sept. 4.—Greenwood is elated this week over the latest strike on the Elkhorn Fraction, where a vein has been uncovered running from 8 to 15 inches in width with ore that promises to rival in silver values the high grade shipments which have been made from the now famous Beaverdell camp. A carload shipment will go forward in the course of a few days and those interested conservatively estimate that the shipment will run from 300 to 500 ounces of silver to the ton with an average for the car of about 400. Others more enthusiastic over some of the splendid specimens mined insist that one will run close to $20,000 for the carload shipment.

The Elkhorn Fraction joins the Providence mine which in days gone by has shipped ore that ran around $12,000 to $15,000 a car. The vein now uncovered in the Elkhorn Fraction is believed to be a continuation of the highgrade body in the Providence which made the latter famous for its silver ore in the early days.

The mine is being operated with but a small crew, but so encouraging is the latest strike that the management is arranging for the installation of a compresor plant at once. At the present time an electric pump is operated about half an hour daily in keeping the mine unwatered.

Such is the romance of mining, that the present Elkhorn Fraction operators are working on the nominal bond of $4,000. It was owned by Dan McKenzie, who did a great deal of development work covering a number of years, but finally becoming more or less disgusted quit work, and is now taking a hand in Beaverdell mining. Last fall Dan McGillis, Geo. Hambly and George S. Walters secured a bond on the property from McKenzie for $4,000. When the new owners took over the property, it is stated that they had only driven ten feet when they encountered an ore shoot with promising prospects. Early this spring they made a two ton shipment of the ore to the smelter and obtained very satisfactory returns. Thus encouraged they kept on digging, and have now been rewarded by uncovering what is believed to be the lead from which ore with fabulous silver contents were taken from the Providence years ago.

While the actual value of the ore now being taken out is not known, there is sufficient evidence that it will run high in silver and some specimens are regarded as extremely rich.

FRUIT CULTIVATION ON THE PRAIRIES

The difficulties of growing fruit on the older cultivated parts of the once wind-swept prairies of the west are rapidly being overcome. The superintendent of the Morden, Man., Dominion Experimental Station in his report for 1924 remarks that the interest shown in horticulture is increasing very rapidly and that there is a large demand for information thereupon, in fruit growing particularly. Many requests are received for scions and budsticks to work on native plums, and cherries, pin cherries, and choke cherries, for seed for planting and especially for plums and hardy apples. The station at Morden, Man., is largely devoted to horticulture.

Judging from the report 1923 was not altogether favorable for fruit growing, but we are told that the Siberian crab, and its hardy hybrids seem to offer the safest roots for apple and crab apple varieties; that all types of currants had a good year; that gooseberries generally do well; that there was much winter injury in the raspberry patch; that Senator Dunlap and Dakota vorieties of strawberries wintered well and produced fair crops; that the Champion variety of ever-bearing strawberry produced generously over a long season, 5½ quarts being picked on November 1; that the Wanita plum attained good size, and that Champa and Tom Thumb are two low-growing bushes of sand cherries of value in the back yard garden.

Relative to vegetables the report states that in a normal season a great variety can be grown with success in that part of the prairies where the Morden, Man., station is situated.

Baseball and Trap Shooting Sunday

SHATFORD CUP SHOOT WILL BE OPEN TO ALL CLUB MEMBERS —COALMONT AND PRINCETON MEET ON DIAMOND

Which of the four valley gun clubs, which have been competing for the Shatford cup all season, will hold it for the winter? The question will be decided at the Princeton traps next Sunday and the local club is arranging to make the event an appropriate finale to what has been a good season's sport with the scatter gun.

There will be no shortage of ammunition and targets. Secretary "Doc" Butler has attended to that, and in order to make the competition open to all members of the various clubs who wish to enter, and thereby promote interest in the sport, it is proposed to allow all to shoot and determine the winning club by the five highest scores. Shooting will commence at 11 a.m.

Had Blakeburn insisted on their rights the shoot should have been held there but out of consideration to the Keremeos club they waived their right in favor of Princeton which is more centrally located. All the competing clubs except Keremeos have won the cup during the season, and from reports reaching us from the lower valley they intend to make a dead set for it on Sunday. The shoot, coming as it does just before the opening of the open season for birds, will prvide an opoprtunity for some useful practise for the sportsmen.

Following the trap shoot Princeton and Coalmont ball teams will meet on the diamond, and if the extra inning game these two teams had to play on Monday at Hedley before a decision was reached, is any criterion, Sunday's game should prove a hotly contested one.

WATERMAN CHALENGE CUP GOES TO KAMLOOPS

The Waterman Challenge Cup, donated a few years ago for competition among golf teams in the interior of B.C., is now resting in Kamloops, having been wrested from the Merritt club at the annual competition staged there last Sunday and Monday.

The competition is a two-ball foresome. Princeton was represented this year by two teams—Dr. Lee Smith and Alf Sorenson and J. Nathan and W. B. Ewart. Merritt entered two teams, Penticton one, and Kamloops two.

Penticton and Princeton were eliminated in the preliminary round, both Merritt teams winning, and one Kamloops team winning and the other drawing the bye. In the finals Irwin and Bethune of Kamloops emerged the victors.

Grand Forks.—J. M. Doyle, divisional superintendent of the Great Northern, with party of friends in his private car, came over the Kettle Valley lines from Vancouver on Sunday and proceeded to eastern points. Jim's many old friends that happened to be around the depot hastened to congratulate him on having taken over the Canadian Pacific, but the genial G. N. superintendent insisted that the alleged consolidation of lines and other such proposals was all news to him.

Federal Election Has Been Launched

PREMIER MAKES DEFERRED ANNOUNCEMENT—LOCAL LIBERALS AND CONSERVATIVES PREPARING FOR NOMINATIONS

With the announcement of a federal general election for October 29, local Liberals and Conservatives are bestirring themselves in view of the comparatively short time between now and election day.

The central Conservative Association for Yale has passed the word that their nominating convention will be held at Penticton on Monday next, September 14th, and Princeton supporters of the party have called a meeting for tomorrow (Friday) evening to appoint delegates to attend. The announcement that Reeve Kirkpatrick of Penticton will allow his name to go before the convention seems to have instilled a lot of enthusiasm into supporters of the party throughout the Similkameen valley. Strong efforts were made a year ago to induce Mr. Kirkpatrick to allow his name to go up but, at that time, he felt forced to decline for personal and business reasons. Mr. Kirkpatrick's appears to be the only name mentioned by Conservatives in this riding apart from that of the recent representative, Mr. Grote Stirling of Kelowna.

Local Liberals will meet at the Parish hall on Wednesday evening of next week to select their delegates to the nominating convention which has been called for Friday, Sept. 29th, also at Penticton. Names most prominently mentioned in connection with the Liberal nomination are those of Dr. K. C. McDonald, dentist, Vernon, and Colonel Edgett of the same place. Dr. McDonald carried North Okanagan in the last provincial election but lost the seat later, when, owing to being given a seat in the cabinet, he had to appeal for re-election. Col. Edgett unsuccessfully contested this seat against the late member, Mr. J. A. McKelvie. At that time he was endorsed by the returned men, the united farmers, labor and the Liberal party.

HEAVY TOMATO PACK AT OROVILLE

Oroville, Sept. 4.—The Oroville Cannery will pass last year's pack today. Yesterday evening the cannery had packed a total of 14,701 cases this season. When the cannery closed last year on October 16, only 14,481 had been packed. If the weather remains favorable this month it is believed that approximately 30,000 cases will be the season's output.

Of the pack this season 7,793 cases have been standards and 6,908 cases extra standards. The first tomatoes of the season were of the standard grade but a better quality is being brought in at the present time and it is expected that the pack for the remainder of the season will be extra standard and fancy grades. The entire pack yesterday were extra standards.

Grand Forks has decided against the appointment of another magistrate to fill the vacancy created by the removal of Neil McCallum, who recently left for the east. The town will save $650 annually oy the action.

PRINCESS THEATRE

Friday and Saturday
SEPTEMBER 11 and 12

"Lord Chumley"

with

VIOLA DANA, THEODORE ROBERTS and RAYMOND GRIFFITH

Don't just read this but come and see it. There are barrels of laughs in this picture. You will go away satisfied.

Comedy: "TAXI PLEASE"

Starting on next Monday, until further notice, this Theatre will run two pictures a week

SPECIAL

Monday and Tuesday
SEPTEMBER 14 and 15

"THREE MUSKETEERS"

With DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

Thursday = Friday = Saturday
SEPTEMBER 17-18-19

'Thundering Herd'

FORCED TO TURN BACK

Travelling by auto as far as Quesnel up the Cariboo road and then having to abandon their trip was the experience of Mr. G. B. Armstrong of this city, and who was accompanied by Mr. T. J. Richards, of Ashcroft, on account of the muddy condition of the road between Quesnel and Prince George, to which point the travellers were bound. The two gentlemen were en route to attend a meeting of the Cariboo Automobile Association to be held at Prince George on Tuesday night of this week. Mr. Armstrong arrived home on Wednesday night, very tired after his trying experience. —Merritt Herald.

COOLER WEATHER FAVORS RIPENING OF FRUIT

McIntosh Reds Show Splendid Color And size—Onion Crop not up to Former Estimate

Vernon, Sept. 3rd.—

Since the last issue of the weekly news letter, the weather has turned decidedly cooler, and a nice rain has fallen. Conditions are now ideal for maturing fruit. Cool dewy nights, and bright days lacking the intense heat of August are aiding development of the fruit, and putting a wonderful color into McIntosh Reds and later varieties.

Wealthies are well past the peak of picking and will clean up very quickly at the present rate of shipments. McIntosh Reds are at maturity and no time should be lost in getting these off the trees, as they are commencing to drop very freely. With the present cool weather McIntosh could be picked and held in ordchards until required by packing houses, rather than chance a heavy loss by wind of those left on the trees.

An excellent sample of Hyslop crab apples is moving out freely. This crop is short and will clean up quickly.

At present there is no heavy movement of vegetables. The onion tonnage will be considerably below first estimates as pest injury has checked the growth in many plots. Late potatoes promise only a medium crop. Hay meadows and pastures have been much improved by the rain and cooler weather.

Kelowna.—

Apples are commencing to move in quantities. Wealthies are about all off the trees and many growers are picking McIntosh. By the end of the week the McIntosh harvest will be in full swing.

Excellent samples of Italian prunes are being shipped. The crop is better than anticipated in both quality and quantity.

Jonathans are coloring very fast and generally are of good size. Most of the Jonathans will be off the trees by the end of this month. Fruit in general is of good size and quality.

Large shipments of excellent onions are being prepared for export. Tomatoes are going to the canneries in large quantities, but are not ripening as fast as desired. The nights have been exceptionally cool for the time of the year.

Penticton, Keremeos and Oliver.—

The cold nights of the last week have helped considerably to color the apples. Wealthies and most of the varieties up to McIntosh have been harvested. McIntosh are coming in good quantity and should pack to a large percentage of high grade.

Keremeos has been cleaning up the early varieties, Belle-Fleur, etc., and will be harvesting McIntosh in good quantity this week.

SHORTER GAME SEASONS ACROSS THE LINE

Game regulations just across the boundary line in Okanogan County, Wn., are designed to protect the game to a much greater extent than those in effect in B. C. Only in the case of Hungarian partridges do the regulations allow more latitude than ours, and those familiar with the damage done by these birds will agree that our game act perhaps affords them too much protection. The close season and bag limits across the line are as follows:

The fishing season will close on September 30.

The open seasons and bag limits set by the county game commission are:

Blue Grouse—September 15 to October 15, inclusive. Bag limit: Three birds per day, and not more than three in possession at any one time.

Chinese Pheasants—October 25 to November 10, inclusive. Bag limit: Two birds per day and not more than two in possession at any one time.

Hungarian Partridges — September 16 to November 10, inclusive. Bag limit: Six per day and not more than ten in possession at any one time.

Mixed bag of not more than eleven upland game birds in possession at any one time.

Season closed on Ruffled Grouse (Native Pheasants, Prairie Chickens, all Quail, Fool Hens, Ptarmigan and Bamboo Partridges).

Deer—October 25 to October 29, 1925, inclusive.

That no person shall during the season as above established, hunt, pursue, take, kill, capture or have in his possession more than one buck deer.

Bear—October 25 to October 29, 1925, inclusive. Limit: One bear.

Imported Ball Players Outclass Local Boys

PERFECT WEATHER PREVAILS ON LABOR DAY AND THE HEDLEY SPORTS ARE WELL ATTENDED

The lure that this country holds for residents of the "Sahara" just across the boundary line was exemplified at the Labor Day sports at Hedley on Monday.

The celebration committee made the baseball tournament the big feature of their sports. Instead of putting up the usual purse for competitions, which is not considered in the best interests of amateur sport, they offered the different valley ball teams the sum of $25 towards expenses if they would compete. Keremeos, Princeton and Coalmont accepted the offer. Hedley naturally felt that it should be represented on the field, but not having a team of its own, had to cast around for players. It was decided to spend as much on a Hedley team as on each of the visiting ones, and, accordingly, the modest sum of $25 was offered Tonasket—which possesses a real ball team—to send up a few players.

Two, or possibly three, was the most that could be expected, but so attractive were the possibilities attending a trip "across the line" that a full team—and not a "dud" among them—answered the call. The result was that Hdeley was represented by a team that simply outclassed all other competitors, but that did not contain a single Hedley player on its line-up. The spectators saw some gilt-edged ball, with special stunts thrown in, but the games could not be called matches and the scores were anything the Tonasket boys wished to make them.

Princeton and Coalmont took the field at 11 o'clock, and it was close to 3 o'clock when they finished. This proved to be a real "match," the players being very evenly matched, though their work could not be said to be of big league calibre. The opening games were scheduled to be of 7 innings each, but in the 6th frame Coalmont tied the score at 6 all and the game went to the 10th innings before a decision was reached, Coalmont emerging winners with a one run lead. Considerable time was lost in argument over ground rules.

Keremeos, with "Frenchie" Madore back in the pitcher's box and the team strengthened in several places, put up a nice game and would easily have held their own with any of the other valley teams. But they were outclassed by the Tonasket boys who put the game on ice in the opening innings and were content with a score of 7-2. Supporters of the Keremeos team could not refrain from expressing disapproval of the action of Hedley in bringing in outside players, but as there was no purse at stake the incident was generally accepted in good part, and, no doubt, many of the young players on the local teams will benefit from the contact they had with finished players.

The final game, Coalmont vs. Hedley-Tonasket, only went five innings when the curtain was mercifully drawn; the visitors in that time having accumulated enough runs to win several ordinary ball games.

With perfect weather prevailing there was a splendid attendance from all parts of the valley with a few prominent outsiders, such as W. A. McKenzie, M.L.A., Penticton, and Grote Stirling, M.P., Kelowna, present. The picture show put on by Norman Reston of Princeton in Fraser's hall in the evening, followed by a big dance in Shatford's hall, rounded out a splendid day's entertainment. Altogether it was the best celebration that Hedley has put on for some years, and the hospital, under the auspices of which it was staged, will benefit very materially from the proceeds.

PRINCETON MINING & DEVELOPMENT CO.

Optimism was the keynote of the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Princeton Mining & Development Company held at the Hotel Princeton on Saturday afternoon last. The directors report showed that a considerable amount of development work had been carried out during the past year and that the company is experiencing no difficulties financially. 638,000 shares were represented by those present at the meeting.

The old officers and directors were all re-appointed. These include Fred Foster, president and general manager; Guy Murphy, vice-president; Perley Russell, secretary; Adam Stiles and Frank S. Lynn (Everett), directors.

The company contemplates extending No. 2 tunnel an additional 100 feet to intercept a lead of rich silver-lead ore which s exposed in the upper workings. Mr. Foster, who came up for the meeting left for Seattle on Monday.

Penticton has purchased a new Graham fire truck with La France fire fighting equipment at a cost of $4,000. The council is also planning for a new fire hall.

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CASTING LOOSE THE PAINTER

With the devotion and love of a parent, Great Britain has watched and even encouraged the gradual breaking down and cutting away of the ties which bind her to her self-governing Dominions. As true and loving parents encourage their children to creep, to walk, to run, and finally to launch out on their own, so has Britain treated her children in far away lands. Again, as with the true parents, though the ties may be cut away, always one bond is held; the love she has bestowed she still hopes will bind her children to her, invisible but ever enduring bond which holds till death and beyond.

There is talk of severing one of the last, if not the last, material bond that still unites the old land to this great Dominion. That is the appointment of a representative of Britain as governor general. Let us think before we cast this tie loose. What do we gain? Whereby shall we be benefitted? Over all the appointments to our offices, from the highest to the lowest, always there hangs the cloud of politics, save in this appointment alone.

Why cast loose this painter? Whereby shall we gain by doing so save only in obtaining another political plum, to be juggled with by the party in power? Whereby should we lose? Britain has always sent us of her best; wise and and astute men with high ideals, above political prejudices, learned in the art of government and dimplomacy. They come without ostentation and quietly give the guidance of their knowledge. They learn much of us and of our country and take this knowledge back to the fountain head to our benefit; true and impartial judges of all they see and hear.

Britain has given us much and she gives of her best to all. Burdened with debt she votes $400,000,000 for increase of her navy, nor asks us for a single cent in aid, nor do we give her one. But why this vast expenditure? If the news that is given us is correct it is to protect the civilized world; to protect her late enemy, Germany; to protect the neutrals, Denmark, Norway and Sweden, from a possible if not a probable foe. France approves the expenditure, also the United States and Japan, in the knowledge that it is against a common danger. But Britains, of this wonderful island, or group of islands make the vast expenditure for the common good, and makes it unaided.

Do we want to cut loose this painter? To sever this last tie with the people of these glorious isles? To cast loose this last material bond that does so much to hold the spirit of their people within us. The spirit of the founders, the builders of the greatest empire the world has ever known, and the best. No let us retain this bond. Little will be gained by a change, but much will be lost.

The Pedlar's Pack

By AUTOLYCUS

"A Snapper up of Unconsidered Trifles."

LIBERTY!

Mussolini has been talking that intangible asset of humanity known in a general way as liberty, and in particular aspects as self-determination, the free expression of the soul and so forth. The Italian dictator is credited with the statement that liberty is a myth which is directly opposed to the essence of civilization, and he has been severely taken to task by an editorial writer in the "Daily Province." The position taken by this authority seems to be that if liberty and civilization clash, it will be the latter which must reorganize itself, since liberty is an inspiration which cannot be expunged from the human makeup. This reminds us of that impassioned line which has been declaimed on thousands of platforms in that land which loves liberty so well that it has her statue at its chief harbor entrance:—"Give me liberty, or give me death!" The question is, what does the term liberty really convey? Mr. Hannibal Chollop's interpretation of national liberty was shown in his playful use of bowie knives and revolvers against such gentlmen as happened to disagree with his views—today this procedure is known as "expression of the ego" or something of that sort. Woodrow Wilson looked upon "self-determination" as the right of a people, and theoretically his position was unassailable. In practice it has been responsible for trouble which is certainly not yet ended.

The real meaning of the Mussolini dictum is found in these words:—"Those who would benefit from the advantages of civilization must necessarily pay in the coin of personal freedom." There we have the kernel of the whole matter and it is by no means weakened by the fact that it is really a truism. If we realize that one of the necessities of civilization is the circumscribing of many of our personal liberties we shall at once see that Mussolini did not advance any new doctrine, but merely reaffirmed an axiom which all of us know, but which some of us occasionally forget. And when it is objected that his pronouncement is an exposition of the philosophy of rule by force, we have only to visualize the impotence of law without force to support it, to see that no other theory can be admitted.

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OUR FUTURE SUSTENANCE

I see that an eminent chemist, whose name is not given, claims that the world will one day be fed with food in tablet form, and that the people of that distant period will be able to carry a complete bill of fare in their vest pockets—if they still wear vests at that time, which is very doubtful. So many organic changes will have to occur in the human form before it will be satisfied with a tablet diet that it is altogether likely our descendants will be floating airily in space unencumbered with bodies as we know them, and will have to tuck their tablets under the wings with which they will no doubt be equipped. There is also going to be a serious slump in the restaurant business with the approach of the age of tabloid nourishment, and about the only investment stock worth buying will be shares in drug store concerns, those being the logical purveyors of tablets. Our eminent chemist does not specify how "beer by the glass" will be handled in those days, but it looks as though the holders of beer parlor licenses had better make the best of things while they last. Possibly, however, there will evolve some system of piping delectable liquids to easily accessible fountains, at which the aridity of the tablets may be ameliorated.

One curious feature about this inspired paragraph is its apparent hailing of the tablet theory as a new one, whereas W. S. Gilbert exploited it more than half a century ago in one of his delightful burlesques. A character in "The Sorcerer" finds himself at noon far from the madding crowd and regales himself with a light lunch of several courses, all taken from his vest pocket in tablet form. Thus we see science forestalled by romance, an occurence which by the way has several examples. Both Tennyson and Jules Verne foretold the airship many years before it was seriously thought to be practicable and Verne also took us "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" in the days when such a voyage was sheer imagination. The great difference between these cases lies in the fact that Verne's dreams were capable of realization by man as he exists—the tablet food conjecture presupposes so drastic a change in the physical man that he will cease to be the same creature.

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"THE CITY OF THE GODS"

The place of the honey bee in Eastern mythology is very high and is is interesting to note some of the references to it. I think the Arabian name "Nahlat" (The gift of the gods) is one of the most expressive titles given, but the Greek "Melissa," denoting holines, cleanliness and intelligence is probably better known. A Mr. H. D. Linnett contributes a fascinating article on this subject to an American bee journal, and notes the blending of bee lore with the legends and teachings of mythology. The honey bee was the friend of all the gods, and was said to have furnished the chief food of Zeus and Bacchus in their infancy. Aristaeus, a son of Apollo, was instructed in bee culture by the nymphs who reared him, and the Romans even invented a special goddess (Mellona) as protectress of bees, alehough they were consecrated to Apollo. Vishnu, the Indian sun-god, was pictured as a blue bee in a lotus flower; while the Persian mythology gave the bees a resting place on the lips of Mithias, god of truth and faith. This recalls that other legend of the Persians, that their boys were taught to ride, to shoot with the bow and speak the truth. Evidently truth was a virtue strongly inculcated by the Persians of old. There is perhaps a sad contrast between them and the Vikings of Northern Europe, who seem to have valued the bee chiefly as a source of that divine drink which they loved so well, and which was said to await the warrior who passed to Valhalla direct from the field of battle. But since Odin, himself, is said to have gained much wisdom by the drinking of mead, there is something to be set down extenuation.

CLOSE SEASON FOR GROUSE IN SOUTH OKANAGAN

Summerland, Sept. 4.—A feature of the game regulations for the province, announced on another page of this issue, which will be received with regret by many sport lover locally is the fact that there is not season for grouse this year in the Lower Okanagan. Grouse may be shot during the time specified in the Similkameen district, but not in this vicinity.

The reason for the closure of the season is presumably owing to the growing scarcity of the grouse in the Lower Okanagan. The closing of the season may have the effect of increasing the number, following an open season for next year.

Anyone apprehended shooting grouse in Summerland district this year will be liable to the usual fine for shooting this game out of season.

COAL AND PETROLEUM ACT NOTICE

Take notice that I, John Meldrum 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 situated in the Yale Division of the Yale District:

Commencing at a post at the south-east corner of Lot 361, thence north about 25 chains to the right bank of the Tulameen River, thence upstream along the said right bank to its intersection with the south boundary of Lot 361, thence east about 30 chains to the point of commencement.

JOHN MELDRUM, Locator.

Located this 10th day of August, 1925. 42-5

COAL AND PETROLEUM ACT NOTICE

Take notice that I, Robert Schulli, 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 situate in the Yale Division, Yale District:

Commencing at a post being the S.E. corner of Lot 232, thence westerly 80 chains, thence southerly 80 chains, thence easterly 80 chains, thence northerly 20 chains more or less to the south boundary of Lot 157, thence westerly 10 chains more or less to the S.W. corner of Lot 157, thence northerly 40 chains, thence easterly 10 chains, thence northerly 20 chains more or less to the point of commencement.

ROBERT SCHULLI, Locator.

Located this 25th day of August, 1925. 42-5

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.

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The week-end saw the return to Princeton of several families who had extended their summer vacation till the close of the school holidays.

COMING EVENTS

(Notices under this heading 2c per word when cash accompanies order; 3c per word if charged; minimum 50c)

Blue Birds Orchestra Dance—Oddfellows' Hall, Princeton, Thursday evening, September 17.

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Liberal Meeting—In Parish Hall, Wednesday evening, Sept. 16, at 8 p.m., to elect delegates to nominating convention.

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Conservative Meeting—A. S. Black's office, Friday evening, September 11, at 8 p.m., to elect delegates to nominating convention.

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Flower Show and Dance—Victory Hall, Keremeos, Wednesday, September 17th.

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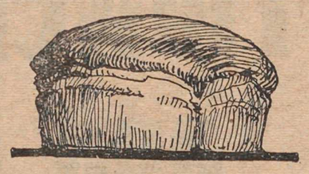

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COPPER MOUNTAIN

The population here is steadily increasing and the Mountain now numbers 16 families. Arrivals during the week include Mr. and Mrs. Ned. Nelson, H. Challand, C. G. Anderson and J. C. Truax

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The public school re-opened on Tuesday with Miss Nielson of Trail in charge, and an enrolment of about 20 pupils.

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Mrs. J. A. McLaughlin returned the first of the month from a month's visit to friends in the east.

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So far the postal department has seen fit to grant Copper Mountain a semi-weekly service only but it is hoped that this will be made a daily service as the population increases.

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Arrangements are under way to hold an opening dance here about the end of the month.

BOXING CARNIVAL AT OROVILLE

Oroville.—Announcement of the complete program for the boxing carnival to be held here on the last day of the Third Annual Fall Fair has just been made by B. B. Powell, manager.

The following preliminary features are on the program:

Battle Royal, five Oroville Boy Scouts.

Albie Fisher vs. Art Riste, Oroville, 125 pounds, three rounds.

Eddie Williams, Biles-Coleman, Omak, vs. Foss Sargent, Tonasket, 145 pounds, four rounds.

Ed Tjeerdsma, Tonasket, vs. Virgil Webb, Okaogan, 170 pounds, six rounds.

Main event—Morris Berg, Loomis, vs. Blackie Orth, Seattle, 180 pounds, six rounds.

Word has been received that Morris Berg, the sensation of Okanogan county, will start training here next week in preparation for his bout with the Seattle heavyweight. It is understood that Berg will work out each evening with Ed Tjeerdsma of Tonasket, who is to meet Webb of Okanogan.

Greenwood, Sept. 5.—Work was commenced at the Combination mine two miles north of Greenwood, this week. The compressor house is being repaired, as some months ago a large cottonwood tree fell and damaged the building. C. R. Garris is in charge.

CARD OF THANKS

Editor of The Star:

Please convey to the citizens of Princeton our heartfelt thanks for the substantial cheque which they were kind enough to send us. We certainly appreciate it.

Yours sincerely,
MR. and MRS. H. LOCKWOOD.
Penticton, Sept. 3rd, 1925.

Midway, B.C.—Last Saturday, August 29th, was a gala day here, when the district turned out en masse to do honor to Miss Juanita Richter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richter, who is to be married to Mr. Harold Moll of Kimberley about the middle of September.

District Mining Engineer P. B. Freeland returned Tuesday evening bringing with him a considerable quantity of ore samples from claims which a party of Keremeos prospectors have located in the vicinity of "Three Brothers" mountain, near Allison Pass. He declined to express any opinion on the strike until such time as has had an opportunity of securing an assay of the samples, other than to say that there is an immense showing of ore. The party of prospectors holding the claims came out with Mr. Freeland, and, after spending a day here left for the headwaters of the Ashnola where they have another promising showing which they wish to investigate before winter sets in.

Princeton Paragraphs

Mrs. Alex. Grant is offering her household furniture and effects for sale, preparatory to taking up residence in Vancouver, where her daughter Evelyn is attending King George high school.

Dave Muir who returned on Tuesday morning from a short holiday trip to Vancouver, states that among exhibits prominently displayed at the Provincial Fair at New Westminster, is one of ore from Fred Foster's mine.

We have cheap beds, springs and mattresses, and other household goods in old and new at very low prices. A. L. White.

E. N. Freding left on Sunday for the Vancouver General Hospital where he has to undergo further treatment for his knee which he injured in a logging accident early last year.

Wm. Dignan of Kruger Mountain spent a couple of days in town the last of the week. He is considering quitting ranching for a time at least, and, while here, visited Allenby with the view of looking over the possibilities which it offers.

Regular meetings of the Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's United Church, which were discontinued during the summer months, have been resumed, and for the present will be held weekly on account of a bazaar which it is intended to hold on the 26th of November.

Although registration of voters for the coming election will proceed at once in urban districts, it will be some weeks yet before registration commences in rural districts, such as the Smilkameen riding.

W. B. McEwen and his wife of Glendale, a suburb of Los Angeles, are spending a forenight renewing acquaintances in this district. Mr. McEwen was employed with Guthrie & McDougall during construction of the K.V.R. between Osprey Lake and Penticton. Mrs. McEwen is a daughter of Mr. Wm. Martin of One Mile.

Commencing next week Manager Knighton has arranged to put on two pictures weekly at the Princess Theatre; one performance on Mondays and Tuesdays and the other, as usual, on Fridays and Saturdays. This arrangement will be continued as long as the results warrant. "The Thundering Herd," the big special booked for next week will run three nights, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Cedric Drucquer and S. L. Stoker spent the week-end holiday with friends in Princeton. They motored from Vancouver to Hope and took the train from there. Mr. and Mrs. John Drucquer and son Merlin recently made a motor trip from Vancouver to Detroit, Mich.

Bob Marich of the Nickel Plate mine and his bride, just out from Europe, arrived in Princeton on Monday from Kamloops, where the nuptial ceremony was performed. They were entertained by friends here at the residence of Gust Vladetich.

It is learned from Penticton that while Kelowna baseball team was unable to give them the baseball game that had been arranged for Labor Day as a benefit for H. Lockwood, the injured ball player, the advance sale of tickets netted $130, and arrangements have since been completed for the game to take place next Sunday, when a fruther collection of money is expected to be made

Last Saturday afternoon Mr. K. W O'Beirne, editor of the Penticton Herald and his brother W. S O'Bierne, editor of the Summerland Review, paid The Star a friendly visit. Accompanied by Mr. John Power and Mr. E. Law of The Herald staff, and their respective wives, the party were motoring up the Tulameen river to observe the placer work that is in progress there. Returning to Princeton the same evening they spent the night here and left for home on Sunday.

W. K. Gwyer, district road engineer, arrived in Princeton on Tuesday evening and on Wednesday, in company with District Mining Engineer P. B. Freeland, left for the upper Tulameen in connection with road construction that is being carried out by Wm. Dornberg to claims at Summit Camp.

Miss Truda Broomfield, who, accompanied by her mother, has spent the summer at Wenatchee and Cashmere, Wn., undergoing treatment for injury to her hip in a bicycle accident early last spring, is back in Princeton again and able to attend school once more. Mr. Broomfield motored over to Wenatchee for them, returning on Friday. While Miss Truda will have to use crutches for a while longer, there is every hope that her recovery will ultimately be complete.

Among 45 pens of hens competing in the Dominion egg laying contest at Agassiz the pen of White Leghorns entered by Wm. Kinch of Cawston tied for second place last week with a total of 53.

School reopened here on Tuesday with an enrolment of 140 pupils in the public school and 20 in the high school. This number represents a small increase on last year's enrolment. It will probably be slightly further increased as the term proceeds.

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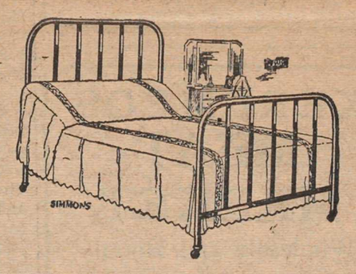

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5 pounds for 25c

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5 pounds for 25c

Preserving Peaches—We have again received another consignment, all No. 1 quality, per crate $1.60

Flemish Beauty Pears—For preserving. Per box $2.60

Ripe Pears—No. 1 quality, per pound 10c

Tokay Grapes—Per pound 25c
Per 6 pound basket $1.25

Concord Grapes—We will have a special price on these and they will be the last this year.

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Tomatoes—Per basket 20c
Per 20 pound box 75c

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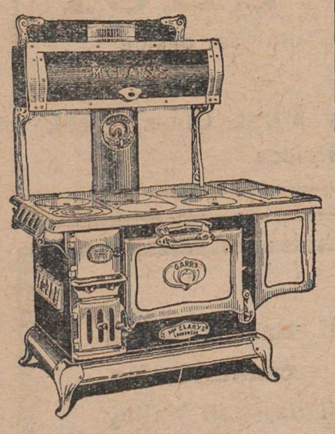
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KEREMEOS NOTES

(Our regular correspondent.)

Don't forget the board of trade meeting on Monday evening next.

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Already the political bug is working. In many cases friendship ceases until the 29th of October, then forget it.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams spent the holidays in the lower Okanogan.

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Mrs. Lewtas, a former resident of the valley is visiting Mrs. Kerr, and is accompanied by her friend Mrs. Cooper of Winnipeg.

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Two cars from Seattle with a very jolly bunch of the fair sex have spent a few days at the park while on a motor tour.

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Mrs. Harris is again visiting the valley and her father who is seeing the valley for the first time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Blogg, taking advantage of the extended holiday at the mine, visited friends in Keremeos.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alex Morrison with their son Donald arrived in Keremeos on Monday last.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hempton of Seattle were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Armstrong during the week.

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Mr. Dan Crawford came in from the coast on Monday to look over his orchard on the hill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay of Okanogan, Wash., have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Thos. Daly.

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Mrs. Redman is enjoying a visit from her mother.

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Mrs. McGuffie of Princeton is in town visiting her mother Mrs. R. C. Clark.

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Donald McCallum Jr. spent the week-end in Keremeos visiting his parents. He returned to Kelowna on Tuesday with Mr. Grote Stirling.

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Mr. Grote Stirling and Mr. W. A. McKenzie visited Keremeos and Hedley during the holidays. Signs of the times.

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Mr. and Mrs. Osser of the Nickel Plate mine and their two children were in town during the holidays visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mills.

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The school staff has again assembled and school opened on Tuesday last. Mr. Gurney and Miss East are back in their old positions. Mr. Burton of Vancouver takes charge of the high school in place of Mr. Barron and Miss Butler of Kaslo will conduct the class formerly taken by Miss Schofield.

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With the coming of the "Macs," what may be considered the first big variety to be picked, the packing house is taking on a busy appearance. The big grader is now in operation and it is well worth a visit to the packing house to see this working. The apples are sized by weight and come into the bins very uniformly. The grading is done before the fruit reaches the sizer and when the graders become expert the packer will be able to pull off the brakes and go ahead in high. It will however take a little time for the graders to become proficient, but after a little experience the eye becomes wonderfully quick in detecting flaws in the fruit. It can easily be seen how a grader can speed up the packing, and already some of the packers are hitting on all four cylinders and have the appearance of machines themselves.

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The canneries are now getting the crest of the tomato crop and there has been a decided improvement in the condition and color of the fruit being delivered during the past week. If the weather remains as it has been the last week, that is cool without being too cool, a nice line of extra fancy stuff will be put up, both color and texture being excellent. The Keremeos article when it comes to tomatoes, and in their best condition, cannot be beaten, if equalled any place else.

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The committee in charge of the organizing of an association to take over the park and cemetery are making good progress towards this end. The government advised that a society formed under the Friendly Societies Act, would have power to receive these deeds and administer the property in the interests of the community. Five residents are required to form the nucleus to obtain the charter. A draft of the by-laws have been made to forward to the registrar and after the necessary advertising has been done a general meeting to elect directors will be called. A nominal fee must be charged for membership, but anyone who has the interests of the district at heart will become a member and assist in carrying out the necessary details. Application wil be made not only to empower the society to take over the park and cemetery, but also any other donations which may be made of like nature. Mr. Castleman has promised to have the deeds ready to turn over as soon as the necessary steps have been taken and has frequently expressed a desire to have the matter settled up as soon as a legal organization was formed to receive the deeds. Mr. Evans is still continuing his good work in making the park a real pleasure ground. Besides the boat swing which has already been mentioned he has added a merry-go-round for the children, and is also making some very suitable benches for the comfort of the grown-ups who like to take advantage of the quiet and beauty of the park. It has been suggested that Mr. Evans be made park commissioner when the property is ready for administration.

CAWSTON NOTES

(From our own correspondent.)

Mrs. May Wilcox, A.T.C.M., of Penticton, was the guest of Mrs. R. B. Sheridan. Mrs. Wilcox taught school in Cawston a few years ago.

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Mrs. R. L. Cawston, Sr., and Mrs. R. L. Cawston Jr., were in Penticton last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Armstrong were in Penticton on business Wednesday.

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Mrs. L. V. Newton entertained about 12 ladies on Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. W. Lewtas of Winnipeg, who is visiting in the valley. Mrs. Lewtas formerly lived in Cawston.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Prentice left Sunday for Waldeck, Sask., where they will visit with relatives for some time.

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Misses Dorthey Frasier, Millie MacKenzie, Jean Lang, Greta Rooney and Joe Burnell road to Fairview on horse back Sunday.

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W. N. Sinclair of the firm of Newton & Sinclair, returned from Winnipegt Saturday, where he has been for the past few months.

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F. E. Wilson was down from Hedley over Sunday.

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W. N. Sinclair, Miss Alice Sinclair and Mrs. L. V. Newton were in Hedley Monday attending the Labor Day celebration.

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Mrs. Victor Twiss and son Lawrence of Penticton, are guests of Mrs. J. L. Dye.

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Maj. McDonald of Kelowna, was in Cawston last week on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Roblin motored to Penticton Sunday.

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W. D. Lang and daughters Agnes and Jean left for Penticton Monday, where the young ladies will attend high school this year.

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The Cawston school opened Tuesday. C. McDougal of Vancouver and Miss Baxter of Hedley are the teachers.

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Misses Eva and Lois Dye left for Penticton Monday, where Miss Lois will attend high school this winter.

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Ray Ritchie of Kelowna was in Cawston last week.

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The dance announced for the 18th by the Cawston Hall Society, will be held Friday, the 11th. The date having been changed on account of the Flower Show and dance in Keremeos the following week.

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Mrs. Geo. Lindsey of Bellingham, Wash., and Mrs. Jas. G. Bayne of Moosejaw, Sask., were guests of their brother, W. J. Hammill and family last week.

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The Cawston Women's Institute held their September meeting at the home of Mrs. W. J. Dunnett Thursday afternoon. After the regular business, the afternoon was spent socially in honor of Mrs. A. Prentice who is leaving on an extended visit to Saskatchewan.

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Miss Margaret McDonald received an ugly cut on the face last Saturday at the Cawston Cannery, when another young lady jokingly grabbed for an apple from which Miss McDonald was taking a bite. The young lady had her peeling knife in her hand and nearly severed the end of Miss McDonald's nose. Although very painful the wound is healing nicely.

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Brent, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Smith of Similkameen, who was so seriously injured in a run-away a few weeks ago, is now able to walk a few steps.

WHAT WAS DOING HERE TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Similkameen Star of Saturday, September 9, 1905

J. S. Snapp and Col. Anderson, of the Great Northern land purchasing department, accompanied by A. H. McNeil, solicitor, of Rossland, were in town Wednesday and went up to Voigt's camp, Copper Mountain.

The Hedley Labor Day celebration was much enjoyed by crowds of visitors. The drilling contest was very interesting and resulted in Birtch and Ellstrom winning first money, $100, 28½ inches; 2nd, McKinnon and Bowerman, $50, 24¼ inches, time, 15 minutes.

The Vermilion Forks Mining & Development Co. call for tenders to haul 500 tons of coal to Hedley. This distance is about 25 miles.

The mysterious drowning of Chas. Schilling on Dog lake last week has cast a gloom over a wide circle of friends in the Similkameen.

C. A. Stoess, P.L.S., is surveying on Dividend mountain.

J. Hislop, P.L.S., has gone to Manitoba to work on the G.T.P.

KEREMEOS FLOWER SHOW

Printed List of Prizes Is Supplemented by Many Special Prizes

The Keremeos Flower Show will be held on Thursday, September 17th, in the Victory Hall at 3 p.m. This show is put on under the auspices of the Women's Institute and the Board of Trade.

Besides many cash prizes contained in the printed prize list the following special prizes are to be given:

1. Best exhibit of Roses—1st $10, 2nd $5.00; given by the Princeton Star.
2. Best Carnations—six shrubs given by Mrs. Tweddle.
3. Best bouquet in Institute colors (green, white and gold)—Cup and saucer, Mrs. Tom Daly.
4. Best collection of annuals—Special prize given by Mrs. Willis.
5. Best dahlies—Bottle of perfume, Mrs. J. Campbell.
6. Best loaf of bread made from Royal Household flour—1st, 50 lbs. flour; 2nd, 25 lbs. flour; 3rd, 25 lbs. flour; given by Ogilvie Flour Mills.
7. Best loaf of bread made from Maple Leaf flour—1st, 50 lbs. flour; 2nd, 25 lbs. flour; 3rd, 25 lbs. flour; given by Keeler & Son.
8. Best light fruit cake—Box of handkerchiefs given by Coleman & Co.
9. Best light layer cake (iced)—Special prize given by Mrs. Lloyd Armstrong.
10. Best lemon pie—5 lb. roast, given by Keremeos Meat Market.
11. Best hand-worked bedspread—Special prize given by Mrs. Cargill Armstrong.
12. Best hand-made linen afternoon tea-cloth, all white, at least one yard square—Fruit cake given by Mrs. Bligh.
13. Best collection of doilies—Special prize.
14. Best hand-made garment—Special prize given by Mrs. J. W. Armstrong.
15. Best cushion cover, crochet—Special prize.
16. Best child's hat, made in Keremeos—Special prize given by Mrs. Coleman.
17. Largest collection of fancy work exhibited by any one person—One year's subscription to "Needlecraft" given by Mr. B. Williams.
18. Best collection vegetables, not less than 8 varieties—1st, $3.00; 2nd, $2.00.
19. Best box packed McIntosh Red apples—1st $5.00; 2nd, $3.00, given by Board of Trade.

Many cash and special prizes are also being given in the children's section. Cash donations will be acknowledged in next week's Star.

B.C. FRUIT AND VEGETABLES FOR NEW ZEALAND

Cantaloupes Have Put Oliver on the Map

Vancouver, Sept. 9.—Work of assembling a large shipment of onions for the New Zealand market is now going on in the Okanagan. They will begin to move down from the interior next week, and will be shipped from Vancouver on September 23.

The Associated Growers alone will ship approximately 14,000 crates, which will represent forty cars. Independent shippers will send about 6000 crates, or roughly seventeen cars more, making a total of approximately fifty-seven carloads.

At the same time there will be exported about 6000 crates of apples, mostly McIntosh Reds, by the Associated Growers, and an additional 2000 boxes by independent shippers.

Picking of "Macs" has now been started and advices received from the head office of the Associated Growers indicates that they will be in Vancouver in time to go out to the retail trade about the end of this week.

Wealthies have been coming in steadily, and have been meeting a good demand.

Two additional carloads of cantaloupes have arrived on Water street from Oliver, the quality being quite up to the standard of all former shipments. Oliver has now established its requtation as an area for cultivation of this fruit. There was never finer cantaloupes shown on the local produce market than those which have come in from Oliver. They are not so large as some varieties that have come in from the south, but they are of prime flavor, and there is scarcely any waste, every part being edible right down to the skin.

A car of prunes from the Okanagan was also included in the arrivals this week.

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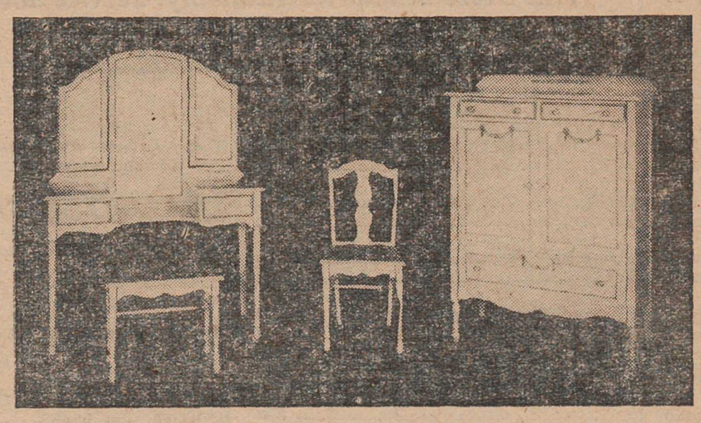

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