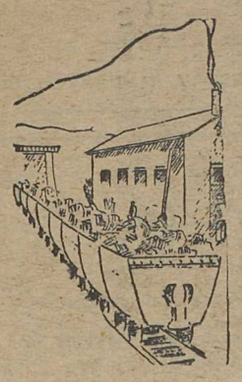

THE PRINCETON STAR

A COMMUNITY PAPER

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If It Will Help the Similkameen The Star Is for It

Twenty-Second Year No. 11 PRINCETON, B. C., THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1931

Princeton Congratulates Self On Fire Protective Efficiency

VOLUNTEER BRIGADE COMPLIMENTED ON ORGANIATION; FINANCES SOUND

Fire protection matters in Princeton are in a condition on which Princeton has a right to congratulate herself, it was emphasized at the annual meeting of Princeton Volunteer Fire Fighting Society in the court house Tuesday evening.

Chief C. A. Pease of the local brigade and his volunteer firemen were roundly thanked and congratulated for the efficient standard they have maintained.

Chairman P. W. Gregory, in opening the meeting, cited that the meeting date was just a year after the disastrous Similkameen Hotel conflagration and he contrasted the efficient handling of the Storer fire the Sunday previous.

Messrs. Gregory and Affleck were returned as chairman and secretary respectively of the Society, and Mr. C. Summers was added to the committee, replacing C. R. Watson who has left the district.

No assessment will be levied... in 1931. The ratepayers will not be called upon this year, as the outstanding balance of the initial assessment is thought to be sufficient, since the costs this year will be small compared to last year, when it was necessary to buy considerable new equipment.

A strong effort will be made, however, to collect the outstanding amount of last year's assessment, and a special committee comprising Messrs. L. Sherbauer, N. B. McFadden and C. Summers was made to take this task in hand. G. Prideaux and E. E Burr are named auditors.

IN GOOD SHAPE

The financial report presented by Mr. Gregory showed that there had been fair response to the assessment appeal. On real estate the response was 66 per cent, but the business men were lagging, and on stock in trade the response was only 10 per cent. Fourteen firms having ignored the appeal against nine who complied. There is no comulsion today, but the town is dependent on the fair mindedness of property holders for fire protection.

Receipts were $624.41, and... after considerable new equipment had been bought about $46.00 remains in hand. It is estimated that some $35.00 of last year's assessment may be collected this year.

Among new equipment bought was 750 feet of second hand hose, two reels, a ladder and cart, several belts, irons, axes, etc. and a siren and automatic switch.

Reporting on the brigade's activities, Chief Pease stated that the brigade had been well organized with two companies. Practices were held regularly during the summer and meetings in the winter. The apparatus had been entirely overhauled and in short Princeton now had two well trained and well equipped companies.

A suggestion that the firemen should be reimbursed failed to carry, chiefly through the objections of the firemen themselves. It was, however, decided to give authority to the chief to appoint a watchman for each subsequent fire, thus to avoid a recurrance of the second alarm sent in last week. He will be paid by the society.

Chief Pease also asked for 150 feet 1½-inch hose, smoke masks, two crowbars, and other incidtenal items.

Discussing the sounding of the siren for test purposes it was agreed that it would be more advisable if it could be given only a short blast on such occasions, but the matter was left to the chief.

Hearty votes of thanks were extended to Chief Pease and the brigade and to the Fire Fighting Society committee. There was a fair attendance.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE ON NEW CAWSTON ROAD

Excellent progress is reported on the Cawston Keremeos cut-off, which has been undertaken by the provincial government. This was a small project, easy to handle, and the speed with which the work has been done is regarded as justification of the Cawston claims that it should have been attended to years ago.

CREAMERY TO OPERATE

It is reported from Cawston that the Cawston Creamery will again be operated this year, under the same management as in 1930.

In an interesting hockey game Hedley juniors defeated a senior team 6-3 Sunday.

In The News

TUDHOPE FLIES FROM OTTAWA; PASSES PRINCETON

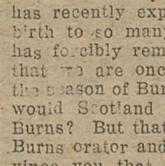
A yellow plane which was seen swimming over the blue about 3 o'clock Saturday was piloted by Squadron Leader J. H. Tudhope, formerly of Vancouver now in charge of departmental affairs at Ottawa. He flew from Cranbrook, arriving in Vancouver about 4:30. He will make an inspection of Victoria's airport facilities.

A BURNS' APPRECIATION

The difficulty which our linotype has recently experienced in giving birth to so many "achs" and "ochs" has forcibly reminded us of the fact that we are once again approaching the season of Burns and Haggis. What would Scotland have done without Burns? But that is heresy. Ask any Burns orator and he will quickly convince you that without Burns Scotland would never quite have reached the pinnacle of being the greatest country in the world.

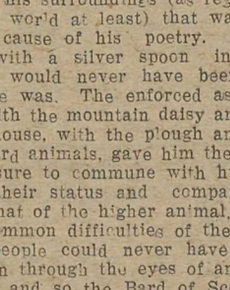
Most of the world's great men have begun life in very humble way and in this respect the Immortal Rabbie is no exception. Probably it was due to the humbleness of his origin and of his surroundings (as regarded by the world at least) that was the prime cause of his poetry. Burns born with a silver spoon in his mouth would never have been the poet he was. The enforced association with the mountain daisy and the field mouse, with the plough and the farmyard animals, gave him the mental leisure to commune with himself upon their status and compare it with that of the higher animal, man. The common difficulties of the common people could never have been so seen through the eyes of an aristocrat, and so the Bard of Scotland was cultivated by a Divine Providence amidst the surroundings which he so faultlessly portrayed and which he has handed down to us in his inimitable rhyme, which not only Scots, but every person speaking the English language, can enjoy, admire and cherish.

BURNS SMOKER MONDAY .... WILL BE BIG AFFAIR



The parade of the haggis and the skirl of the bagpipe will mark for a large gathering of Scotsmen and those who would like to be of the blue blood, declaration of war Monday.

The Burns anniversary celebration, revived in Princeton after a number of years, promises to be a memorable event. The bakers and butlers will be burdened with work, while an excellent program has been drawn up with Hughes' orchestra assisting.



FORMER CAMP McKINNEY MAN LEFT LARGE ESTAT

The late Spencer Cosens, better known as Cosens Spencer, whose tragic death in the Chilcotin country two months ago caused tremendous interest, left an estate worth $543.762 it was disclosed when his will was probated in supreme court. The widow is the chief beneficiary. Real estate, debentures and motion picture stocks are the chief assets.

Spencer who was formerly a storekeeper at Camp McKinney, shot and killed his storekeeper and seriously wounded another employee when he suddenly became crazed. His body was later found in the river.

Obituary

SCHMOCK

The death occurred in Keremeos Monday after an illness extending since last May of Mrs. Mary Schmock, wife of Wm. Schmock, and well known Keremeos resident.

The late Mrs. Schmock was a native of Detroit, Mich., born in 1875. She came west while in her teens and resided in Alberta for several years. In 1896 she married Mr. Wm. Schmock at Red Deer.

They moved to the Nicola Valley early in the new century and resided there eighteen years before making their home in Keremeos two years ago. Mrs. Schmock was a diligent worker for the Women's Institute at Keremeos.

FUNERAL

The funeral held in Keremeos Wednesday, was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Dixon (Anglican) of Oliver officiated and pallbearers were Messrs D. J. Inn's, G. Crowder, F. Sorge, G. Christie, W. G. Mattice and F. Pearce.

WATERSTREET

Death occurred recently in Port Alberni, V.I., of Mrs. Charles C. Waterstreet, well known former Rossland resident, and mother of Mrs. J. Ferko of Princeton.

Mrs. Waterstreet was in apparent good health, but suffered a sudden heart attack.

Deceased, who was aged about 50, is survived by her husband, daughter Goldie and son Fred who are at Port Alberni, a married daughter residing in Alberta and by Mrs. Ferko.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferko went to the coast to attend the funeral.

OROVILLE INTERESTED IN RICHTER PASS ROAD

(Special to The Star)

Interest in the routing of the trans-provincial highway over the Richter pass comes from a new angle. Keremeos Board of Trade recently received a communication from F. M. Covert of the Oroville board seeking information on this point.

A map accompanying the Oroville letter showed the state highway running from Oroville to Arlington, Wash., where it will bridge the Columbia River, and continue via the Deschutes River in Oregon to the Mexican boundary.

Keremeos and district are somewhat alarmed last summer on the assumption that the government contemplated routing the trans-provincial highway via Yellow Lake and Penicton rather than as originally planned, via Richter Pass and Osoyoos.

BRIDGE OVER SIMILKAMEEN LIKELY TO BE GRANTED

The bridge over the Similkameen River two miles below the customs clearance point, advocated for some time by residents as a convenience to Indians and others, is about to be undertaken by the federal department of Indian affairs, it is reported from Keremeos.

The Keremeos Board of Trade last year made strong petitions for the construction of this bridge, which it maintains, is highly essential to the district.

The Weather

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Market Control Is Condemned

ENFORCED CENTRAL MARKETING UNWIELDY AND FUTILE SAYS EVANS REPORT

Open denunciation of the central selling and compulsory marketing system built up by the control committee under Chairman Black was the outstanding topic of the eagerly awaited report by Sanford Evans, special commissioner.

Mr. Evans findings were against the whole machinery set up by the control board. He found that efforts at centralized selling the Okanagan had been a failure, creating a chaotic condition.

The attempt of the committee to regulate marketing had failed, because the committee could not control the fundamental selling laws of supply and demand.

There are too many orchards in British Columbia with uneconomic production must be given to making these ventures individually profitable.

Better storage facilities and improvements in the handling of the crop are essential. rBitish Columbia has for this reason been forced to crowd its marketing into too short a period.

Extension of markets is a feature that must be given attention. British Columbia must promote sales by advertising, and must create new markets.

ACT A FAILURE

The produce marketing act has proven unwieldy and unworkable and can only end in total failure if compulsory centralization of sales is carried to the extreme. Centralization has narrowed the market, since it has reduced individual endeavor.

The Evans report has been received with mixed feelings among interior fruit men, with whom the question of marketing has been for some time a very open and vital problem, and on which unanimity does not prevail.

Votes recently taken throughout the chief interior orchard points as to the adoption of full compulsory centralized marketing showed diversity of opinion. In general, the larger centers, especially the South Okanagan and Keremeos district, were behind the Black plan. Grand Forks and Kamloops were strongly opposed.

The independents regard the Evans report as a moral victory, but the growers are by no means subdued. Interest is at a strong pitch.

At Kelowna a special isue of the Courier was published with the recuse of the Evans marketing report A special session of the independents will be held January 29.

The Evans' report contains 43 pages of manuscript and was prepared by W. Sanford Evans, noted Saskatchewan economist and marketing expert, who was specially commissioned by the provincial government, and made a special study of the whole British Columbia fruit problem this summer.

Consideration of the weighty report will likely form an important part of the business of the coming session of the provincial legislature.

CROOKER HEADS .... KEREMEOS GROWERS

E. M. Crooker was named president and A. E. East secretary of the Keremeos branch of the B.C. Fruit Growers' Association at the annual meeting in the W.I. room, Keremeos, Friday. James C. Clarke was named director, and W. G. Smith was appointed delegate to the annual meeting of the provincial association at Kelowna.

A Keremeos critic remarks "It is to be regretted that Keremeos Growers apparently take so little interest in this organization, as it is the only one which caters to the interests of all growers in the province irrespective of whether they are co-operatives or independents."

It is reported from Keremeos that the local growers are contemplating the acquiring of the "little cannery" from the Keremeos Land Company (in liquidation).

All Ready For Big Ski Meet Here Next Week

ALL ROADS WILL LEAD TO PRINCETON NEXT WEEK—THIRTEEN CUPS UP—OLYMPIC RIALS

All roads will lead to Princeton Thursday—and the road will.... lead out of Princeton and to the.... towering promenade which lours darkly against the western sky. There, silhouetted against the.... sparkling snow, lithe figures will come hurtling down the hill, like flies hopping about a sugar pot—the sugar pot the provincial ski championships.

For the second annual ski tourney Princeton Ski Club has left no stone unturned. The annual winter campaign is more than just a function of the ski club. It is a community institution, just as much as are the schools or the much advertised beer parlors.

With the big event only a few days off, the harassed officials of the ski club woke up to find themselves in possession of everything to make the meet a success but snow.

Even the weather man could not daunt him, however, and what nature refused to give, man proceeded to take. A crew of men went to work this week carting.... snow and padding the hill. This gang will be supplemented by a large crew of volunteer workers early next week. The hill will be brought into jumping shape by hard work, and the ski men are.... just hoping that the belated fall.... will come after all. If it does, a few inches of natural snow will.... give the hill just the finish that.... is required.

Heading of the annual western ski sport crusade, to be followed by meetings at Prince George and Revelstoke, the Princeton meeting will be the rendezvous of the most famous personalities in the western ski world.

Chief Judge Grimsgaard of Western Canada will be here a day or two before the big jump to satisfy himself that everything is in order. R. J. Verne, president of the Western Canada branch of the Canadian Amateur Ski Association will also be present. T. H. Crump, superintendent of the Kettle Valley division, and J. H. Doyle, of the Great Northern Railway, may attend, travelling by special car.

Jumpers from practically every affiliated club in B.C. are expected to compete. Hollyburn, Grouse Mountain, and the Viking Athletic Club of Vancouver.... will all likely be represented. Revelstoke has been the most fertile breeding ground for skiers, and the local club has made special arrangements to have six of their best jumpers here.

Pete Sandnes, Western Canada and B.C. champion, will likely head the Princeton George contingent. Pete is responsible for the mushroom like growth of B.C.'s newest ski club. Omineca will also be represented.

Ivor Knudsen, said by experts to be one of the prettiest form jumpers that has ever competed in the West will be the cynosure of local attention. Ivor was distinctly unfortunate not to have a share of the honors in last year's meeting here, and he did very well in the other ski meetings in which he took part. He will be the popular local fancy.

Thirteen splendid trophies besides numerous other prizes should provide plenty of competition among a star field of jumpers and racers. Chief attraction will be the class A jumping.

Princeton's hill is the pride of all ski enthusiasts in the vicinity, and it is quite on the cards that a new record for distance will be established. The Princeton hill, experts declare, provides the possibility, and Nels Nelson stated early in the season that was his one ambition to come to Princeton to set a world record. He believeds no hill in his acquaintance provides a better opportunity. Unfortunately, Nels will be missing from all western meets this year, but there are plenty of others who will aspire.... to his ambition.

Chief amtng the spoils is the McKenzie grand challenge cup now held by Finkenhagen of Vancouver. The coast star will have his work cut out to hold this coveted trophy against all comers.

Two other challenge cups have been presented, one by the Restmore people of Vancouver for the longest standing jump, and another for the best performance in the distance race.

Thirteen cups in all are to be competed for. Four are for class A events, two for class B, one for the race, and three are challenge cups A new trophy of interest is the cup donated by Princeton ladies for best form. It is openly said that Knudsen

(Continued on page six).

S. O. S.

Forced to provide accommodation for a large influx of athletes and enthusiasts for next week's ski events Princeton Ski Club makes an appeal to the citizens of Princeton to assist in this matter. Will any household er who can by any effort accomodate one or more persons (sleeping accommodation chiefly desired) please communicate with Rev. J. C. Goodfellow, chairman of the accommodation committee, phone 57. 1c

ON THE AIR

Splendid publicity was given Princeton's annual ski gathering this week over the ether waves. Spokane, Wenatchee and Vancouver broadcasts all carried a snappy invitation to come to Princeton for the big attraction. Local radio fans tuned in on these stations and say the ad was excellent.

DONATIONS TO SKI CLUB PRIZE FUND

Princeton Hotel	$25.00
Princeton Brewery	25.00
Cook Estate	10.00
Travellers' Cafe	15.00
Drug Store	15.00
Bakery	18.00
Gilbert Prideaux	10.00
W. B. Ewart	15.00
Cosmopolitan Store	10.00
Tulameen Hotel	15.00
Geo. Wardle	10.00
H. C. McGuffie	3.00
A. L. White, merchandise	15.00

NEW ORCHESTRA ASSISTS SKI CLUB

Over sixty dollars was realized for the Ski Club Friday when Hughes orchestra donated their services to the cause of the provincial ski championships. A splendid crowd was on hand and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

Messrs F. Carlson and E. Engen spelled the syncopators off and the dancers enjoyed the variation of square dances.

The pair of skis drawn for were won by A. Jacobson with ticket No 37.

At the conclusion of the affair E. Engen thanked the orcnestra for their splendid donation.

Carnival To Be Attractive Affair

TWO PROVINCIAL SPEED SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE DECIDED

Two provincial speed skating championships will lend great interest to Princeton's first ice carnival which is being held Wednesday evening next, in conjunction with the provincial ski championship meet here.

Sanction has been given by the B.C. branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada to stage in... open competition the provincial title events in the men's one mile and ladies' half mile. Special loving cups have been awarded.

A number of leading coast skaters have already filed entries and it is expected that a formidable array will face the starter's gun Wednesday evening.

LOCAL RACES

While these attractions will form the outstanding sport fetaure there will no dearth of other competition. Speed skating races both graded by age and open have been arranged in goodly number, and a splendid assortment of prizes is on tap.

The real carnival features will not be lacking. Fancy costumes and the like will be encouraged, and Conductor Ed. Hughes is forming a special carnival band to provide music for the occasion. The rink will have the colorful carnival trappings.

Unusual interest will added in the form of a carnival queen contest. May Lindsay and Emily Wardle, two popular local students, are vieing with each other for the honor of being lady of grace. The queen will also preside at the big ski dance.

BREAKS WRIST

Mrs. R. D. Affleck, wife of the local school principal, had the misfortune to sustain a fractured wrist when some reckless youngster upset her in a collision at the rink Saturday.

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Help it grow.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1930

Looking It Over

(Our own and othe people's views.)

KILLING THE GOOSE

Merritt ratepayers yesterday favored a debenture by-low making possible for the Nicola Pine Mills the acquisition of timber on Bear Creek.

The sister city is to be congratulated on her enterprise and on her loyalty to her own workmen and her own industrialists.

But the Tulameen-Similkameen may find that Merritt's decision leaves her nothing on which to congratulate herself.

There are two side to every transaction, and while the taking over of the Bear Creek timber stand may be a good thing in one way, it may not be so in the final analysis.

The Bear Creek timber stand is a vital part of this valley. In the normal course it would provide work and profit for citizens of this valley.

Standing untouched as it does, it is true, it is yielding no revenue. But on the other hand, once the trees are cut down, this rich resource is gone. It is something akin to killing the goose that lays the golden egg. It might be better to wait until a local firm will saw up the logs at home.

Presumably if the Nicola Pine Mills are successful in their bid for this timber they will ship the raw logs to Merritt for sawing. In that operation, of course, lies the real payroll. If these logs are to be sawed outside the valley, about the only profit that will accrue will be the sale price, and this will go to the government. And past experience shows that very little of it will find its way back to the Similkameen. Tulameen timber proceeds may go to build the Fraser Canyon highway or more likely to defray election expenses of some pseudo-politician.

Bear Creek timber stand is as much a part of this valley as its mountains and its sunshine, or its gentle rains, and we fail to see how it will be in the best interests of the valley—or within its natural rights—unless this timber is cut up at Tulameen to make work for citizens of this valley.

BURNING THE CLAVIE

The "Clavie" was burned in Caledonia the other night, according to the good auld custom And so for another ear the good fisher folk of the wee village of Moray Firth are safeguarded for another year against witches coming down their chimneys.

Inverness is believed to be the only place where "burning the Clavie" is observed from old Scottish custom Casks of tar are placed on the ruins of an ancient Roman altar and lighted, and the simple villagers dance round the flames.

As soon as the heat permitted, the celebrants rush madly towards the fire, scrambling for coveted burning fagots, and charcoal is put up the cottage chimneys to keep spirits nad witches from coming down.

Where in this world are there folk like the Scotch? Good natured, kindly, simply loyal to the traditions of the past. To the fine-hewed Scot little incidents like the burning of the Clavie mean much, not in superstition but in tradition. There is no contrasting the abstract and the concrete. You either think in the terms of the one or the other.

To the Scot, tradition, trust, loyalty friendship, are as real as brick and mortar. And just that accounts for the universality of her artists like the poet Burns, whose anniversary we shall be commemoraing next week.

FEATS AND FEATS

From Washington, D.C., (why not Chicago) comes a dispatch that one Leon Windler of Baltimore, U.S.N., who is chief quartermaster in the navy, has, in the fifteen years he has served on the battleship Wyoming, stayed in one place, albeit he has travelled with the ship 500,000 miles; has not paid a cent of fare in the interim has consumed nine and one-half tons of food at a cost of $667.50.

Now isn't that a remarkable record. How the humanity-benefitting performances of Byrd and Carnegie fade into insignificance beside the luster of he who jumsp to his death over Niagara Falls in a barrel.

CORRESPONDENCE

MARTHA MUGGINS AGAIN

Editor, Star,
Princeton, B.C.

Dear Sir:—Some of the single men here have asked me if it is not possible to arrange some other way besides shooting them, and while we are thinking matters over two other men join us (married), one over 20 years and the other only a few months, saying that if the shooting is coming off, how are chances of getting in with the single men. Well some of the single men give their word that if the shooting is delayed [illegible] time and they allowed to work they will as soon as possible get married. This is very easy to arrange—cut out all machinery now being used for the time being and give all men, married and single a big pick and shovel, putting all local men to work. One hundred men would soon build a good road with the help of a few teams of horses, and we shall keep the money in our district. Every new machine bought is helping the U.S.A. for their relief work and putting more of us out of employment.

We notice that one more new "Cat" has gone up the road during the last few days. That does not look good, sir, as things are, and the worst may be yet to come. Just let the boss explain in a nice wayto these machines that they have had a long job, been working since May, and they are to be laid off ofr a time, as some of the men (human) want a meal ticket. Am sure the machines will quite understand. As stated they work good when they are working, but some of them seem to refuse to do their bit. I have been hunting quite a bit on the Hope road this fall and have seen them refusing to da any work for days at a time. Guess they were holding a conference, as at times there was quite a crowd of men around them.

Some of us single men have been told we can rustle for work. This we have been doing for months. We have here in this district six coal mines. Out of the six three ar working two and three days a week; two are shut down and one working full time. Some of us have been round to the logging camps—they tell us they are laying men off.

In one particular coal mine you will notice all over the place" Keep out, this means you." They say they are fed up with men looking for work and ask us what has become of that $20,000,000 for the unemployed. We don't know, then they say that we'd better find out and get some of it before it is all gone. We would much rather work at our own work if it was to be had. It is not charity we want, it is work, so that we can keep our heads up.

Then again, talk about rustling, they tell us here lots of work at Penticton, so we go over there. We don't hang around waiting for work to come to us, we go after it. Well, we arrive at Penticton and after a time we find the boss. He does not greet us with open arms as we expected. We tell him our business and he looks real mad and asked us where we came from, we told him Princeton, then he said get back where you belong. He said there is all kinds of work round there or should be. He also said he had about two to three hundred names now waiting so we came back wiser, if not with a worse feeling than before, so if the people will tell us where we can rustle work, we shall be glad.

Another item. I believe if it is explained to them, the road bosses are all a very good lot of men (from Penticton to Tulameen), if they agree to give their services free during the bad times, they have the country at heart and are willing to do their bit. They would only be glad to do this I am sure and they will reap their reward here, instead of waiting till the roll is called up yonder. I feel sure they have often thought of this themselves, but they are modest men and did not like to suggest it themselves.

Again, during the last year or so it is roughly estimated that $100,000 of work has been done in Princeton and I would venture to say not $1000 was spent in this town. The next time a contract is given out, have a clause in it that a certain percentage of local labor shall be used. We only want to be given a show.

Aleck says there are now better men in the country for using picks and shovels and he says he knows, for he has stood and looked at them for hours at a time, and Frank says there is no fooling about that—he knows too.

Well some one get busy and start us all to work and we shall all have a prosperous new year—in helping others we help ourselves ta the same time. We shall even be able to help China, there will be so much rice used when all these single men get married, there might even be a shortage.

MARTHA MUGGINS.
Princeton, B.C., January 20, 1930.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 13th February 1931, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for a period not exceeding four years four (4) times per week on the route Princeton and Railway Station (G.N.) from the 1st April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed oCntract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Princeton, B.C., and at the office of the District Superintendent of Postal Service.

J. F. MURRAY,
District Superintendent of Postal Service.

District Superintendent's Office,
Vancouver, B.C.
January 2nd, 1931. 8-3

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS

NOTICE

Application for Grazing Permits for the Season of 1931

Applications for permits to graze livestock on the Crown range within the Cariboo, Cranbrook, Fort George, Nelson, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, or Vernon Grazing Districts of the Province of British Columbia as required by the provisions of the "Grazing Act" Chapter 100, R.S.P.C. 1924, must be filed with the District Forester at Prince George, Nelson, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, or Williams Lake, on or before March 31st, 1931.

Blank forms upon which to submit applications may be obtained from the District Foresters at the above named places, or from the Department of Lands at Victoria, B.C.

H. CATHCART,
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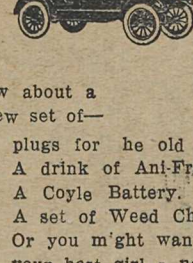

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Few towns are enjoying a better sports winter than Princeton. Despite the absence of high pressure competition usually found in Copper Mt. and Allenby, it is generally agreed that there has seldom been a more pleasurable arrangement than the three team city league. The brand of hockey is well above the average for such a league, the clubs are well matched, and there is real local interst. Whereas most towns are crying for ice, Princeton has had a great sheet since mid December, while Revelstoke and Nelson have been forved to call off widely advertised bonspiels Princeton curlers have never missed a day since January 1. And yet only once this winter has the mercury reached zero. Copper Mt. and Allenby are enjoying just as much hockey as is Princeton, all impromptu stuff. Only the ski-ers are in a quandary for lack of snow, with the provincial championships on their hands next week.

It will be a busy week-end for local hockeyists. Princeton midgets will travel to Summerland to meet the apple-pickers while a junior team will trek to Merritt Efforts to have Lumby play here Sunday evending did not succeed but negotitaions have been opened in an effort to have Vernon substitute. Penticton will play here Thursday next, between the ski-jumping and the dance.

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Tulameen Miners Upset The Hockey Applecart

BLACK DIAMONDS GET EVEN BREAK IN TOUGH WEEK'S SCHEDULE; TWO GOOD CONTESTS

Grant Smith's diamond diggers from the Pleasant Valley of carbonic darkness are still sitting pretty on top of the city hockey parade. But they received a rude shock this week when the rival miners from the Tulameen put upset their apple cart, 5-1, and James Maurice Wright's Georgian hashers travelled into the classy black diamonds at full speed and threw a real scare into them.

As a result, the Pleasant Valley team's record in the second canto of the league schedule is not so healthy, and with Bill Muir's team showing great form, the league championship is still a very open matter.

The revival of the Tulameens coincides with the signing of Johnny Pesut, star defense man with Copper Mt. for several seasons. Johnny's debut was the outstanding individual performance to date.

Daddy Wright put his hand into the ranks of the Tulameen team and took Pete Kelly for Tuesday night's affair, and also had a new goalie in the nets, but his team gave a disappointing display.

Tulameen Mine's margin over Pleasant Valley was 3-1, Pleasant Valley beating Travellers 4-2. A great deal will depend on the result of Friday's game, as the loser will in all probability be out of the running.

TRAVELLERS GIVE LEADERS SCARE

To rattle the lordly Pleasant Valley miners with two quick goals at the opening of the third period after being in arrears since Fido was a pup, and then to throw away their chances of victory by loose play was the effort of Daddy Wright's green clad Travellers' Cafe men in their crucial match Tuesday.

Ill-lucked when the goal judge failed to see a shot enter the net, which would have given thm a one goal lead and a big psychologicl advantage, the Travellers', with their second string forwards on the ice, proceeded to rattle the Wilsonites and to put the crowd in frenzied excitement, and wih victory in their grasp, opened up like Jonah's waterspouter and spewed out a potential victory.

A smart cross-shot from a seemingly impossible angle from the unassuming Jawn Coles started the landslide in a hectic third period. It completely fooled Campbell and everyone else (no doubt including the said Mr. Coles) and wormed in the rigging like an electrocuted eel. A minute later Dave Muir lumbered down th pavilion and Campbell had to fish out a soft off his stick.

The miners were obviously rattled, and the cafemen had two great chances to take the lead. Coles missed the puck with no one to beat, and Dobie sent across a perfect pass which floated in front of the goal mouth with no one to snar it. Wright stickhandled through but with three checks around him failed to observe the loose puck. Then the Pleasant Valley boys got two breaks and made them count. Ollie Carrington hot footed through the entire Travelers' team and gave the goalie no chance with his parting effort, while Roy Carrington was allowed to skate through in exactly the same fashion. The goalie got his pads in the way, but Roy was allowed to pick the rebound from the corner of the rink and come in on the custodian once more.

The Travellers' had a tough break early in the game when Dobie sent in a high shot. Public opinion seems unanimous that it hit the top of the net, but he goal judge ducked and did not see it. Littler got the first for the miners towards the end of the period, and O. Carrington soloed for the second midway through the second.

SUMMARY

First period: 1, P.V., Littler, 8 min.

Second period: 2, O. Carrington, 7 min.

Third period: 3, Trav., Coles from D. Muir, 4 min.; 4, Travellers, D Muir, 3 min.; 5 P.V., O. Carrington, 5 min.; 6, P.V., R. Carrington, 3 min.

PLEASANT VALLEY: Campbell, Garrison, Davis O. Carrington, R. Carrington, Littler, W. Garrison, Lind Johnson.

TRAVELLERS: Vickery, Muir, E. Garrison, Wright, Burr, Kelly, Girolo, Coles, Dobie, Smith.

Referee—Lambert.

PESUT STARS IN GREAT GAME

If one man ever beat a hockey team Johnny Pesut, rangy defense man from the wilds of Copper Mountain did it on Friday when he laid the high and mighty heavers of coal from Pleasant Valley on their respective but not respectable ears, and materially helped his new found team, Tulameen Mine, to a 3-1 victory over the pace setters. It was the first victory for the reds and first defeat for the black diamonds.

Two bullet drives from well out loped past Campbell and into the rigging, and, with his team mates playing with a new inspiration Johnny and company landed into the hall of fame comfortably enough.

The Pleasant Valley lads took the upset none too easily, however, and it was not before one of the greatest of games had been dished up that they handed down their proud and unblemished record. A bumper crowd watched the game.

Playing beautiful hockey all evening, Dick Davis sent the miners off to a good start in the first period after stickhandling through and giving Plecash no chance. Pesut opened fire in the second and one of his expresses whizzed past Campbell to tie the core.

With the teams deadlocked at the start of the third, there was blood in every eye, but it was young Lindsay who paved the way for victory with a snap shot from the blue line. Pesut made matters safe with a long drive a few minutes later.

The Wilson boys made every effort to pull through in the dying minutes but the Tulameen played careful hockey and Plecash was on his best behavior.

SUMMARY

First period: 1, P.V., Davis, 6 min

Second period: 2, Tul., Pesut, 7 min.

Third period: 3, Tul., Lindsay, 5 min.; 4 Tul., Pesut, 3 min.

PLEASANT VALLEY: Campbell, Johnson, Davis, Littler O. Carrington, R. Carrington, S. Garrison, W. Garrison, Lind.

TULAMEEN, E. Plecash, I. Plecash, Pesut, W. Muir, J. Muir, Vaydo Lindsay, M. Oreskovich, N. Oreskovich Kelly, Craigen.

Referee—Lambert.

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W. Muir	1	0	1
R. Carrington	0	1	1
Vaydo	1	0	1
M. Oreskovich	1		1
Lindsay	1	0	1
Craigen	1	0	1

CITY LEAGUE
Standing

Pleasant Valley	3	1	9-5	6
Tulameen Mine	1	2	6-8	2
Travellers	1	2	7-9	2

Individual

Burr, Trav.	4	0	4
R. Carrington, P.V.	3	1	4
O. Carrington, P.V.	3	1	4
D. Muir, Trav.	1	2	3
Pesut, Tul.	2	0	2
W. Muir, Tul.	2	0	2
Lindsay, Tul.	2	0	2
Davis, P.V.	1	0	1
Wright, Trav.	0	1	1
Dobie, Trav.	1	0	1
Littler, P.V.	1	0	1
Coles, Trav.	1	0	1

PRINCETON YOUNGSTERS WIN FROM ALLENBY

Princeton youngsters handed Allenby a 3-2 set-back in a well played ity of the local forwards M. Garrison, ternoon. Superior penetrative ability of the local forwrads M. Garrison, Campbell and Or skovich brought victory to the locals despite the effectiveness of Lawrence in goal. In the third period in an effort to take the game, Allenby put Lansing in goal and brought Lawrence out. They succeeded in twice tying the score, but finally lost out. Campbell (2) and Oreskovich netted for the winners. Alex Broomfield getting both for Allenby.

ALLENBY — Lawrence, Samaan, Adam Broomfield, Alex Broomfield, Lansing Wharton, Marston.

PRINCETON — Muir Broomfield, Caruso ,Oreskovich, Campbell, Garrison, Ewart, Gregory McConnell.

Referee—Vaydo.

"Bill" Murray was elected president of Chilliwack board at an enthusiastic annual meeting. Vice-president R. E. Law was returned for another year. E. H. Barton is again employed as full time secretary. Fourteen were selected from a list of 40 nominations for the council.

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BLAKEBURN NEWS

The Blakeburn P.T.A. held their whist drive in the dining room on Thursday, January 15. Refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed until 12 o'clock. The ladies travelling prize went to Mrs. Thos. Bryden, gent's to Mr. John Lloyd, ladies' first to Mrs. W. Woods and gent's to Mr. Jimmie Rhodes, consolations went to Mrs. Geo. Walker and Mr. Joe Benora.

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A very enjoyable dance was held in the dining hall on Saturday Jan. 17, under the auspices of the Blakeburn Girls' Club.

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Mrs. Harry Hopkins left on Thursday last for Vancouver.

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Mr. A. Lawley had the misfortune to have his knee rather badly hurt on Monday night when a large niggerhead fell on it. Mr. Lawley was working in the Wilson tunnel.

Mr. Ralph Branch was injured on Tuesday when his trip jumped the track squeezing him against the wall of the tunnel.

Mrs. W. J. Woods is at present visiting with Mrs R. H. Barnes.

The Blakeburn branch of the St. John's Ambulance Association are considering installing a first aid station at the new skating rink with an ambulance servce between there and camp.(?) Then perhaps with a little co-operation on the part of "our gang" with a hot dawg stand adjoining will make this a worth while venture. Wel, how about it, gang?

HEDLEY NOTES

Mr. C. A. Brown left for Vancouver on Monday on his annual holiday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Advocaat returned to Keremeos on Monday after spending a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bush.

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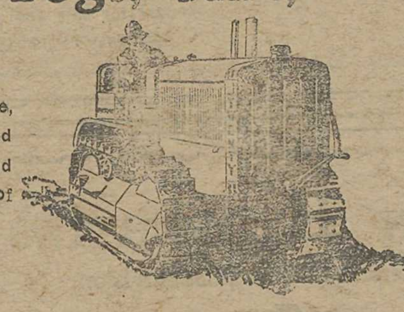

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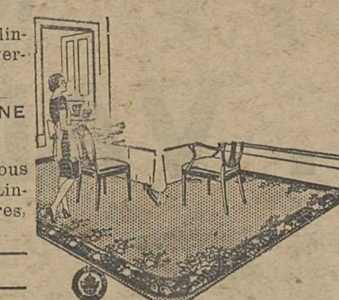

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Mrs. A. Enockson returned to Seattle on Friday, after spending a sohrt holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hambly.

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Mrs. Jerry Calvert returnde to Seattle after spending a short holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Smith.

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Tommy Sampson has taken the position as master mechanic in Tree's Repair Shop.

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Many spectators enjoyed the hockey game between the Hedley juniors and seniors Sunday afternoon. The game ended with the score of 6-4 in the boys' favor.

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M. T. Watt, accompanied by P. Flaler and A. Pither are in from Vancouver and are looking over the Kingston mining property.

COALMONT

Rev. Reid preached at Tulameen and uJliet Sunday and at Brookmere Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Hudson left Saturday to take up residence in Blakeburn.

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Because the Blakeburn boys were called out to work the return hockey encounter which was to have taken place at the mining town Sunday did not materialize. Owing to the poor condition of Blakeburn ice it will likely take place at Coalmont Sunday.

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Yorkshire pudding and a dutch drawing are outstanding attractions for Saturday's whist drive and dance in Coalmont.

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Mr. Jack Dickson will leave shortly to take up residence in Vancouver,

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To discuss plans for a proposed Burns' supper Jan. 31, a meeting is being held tonight (Thursday) in the Coalmont Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ted Riley and son will leave shortly for Penticton where Mr. Riley has taken a position with the Cnaadian Pacific Railway.

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Mr. Isaac McTavish left Tuesday on a business trip to Vancouver.

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Coalmont and district is watching with considerable interest the negotiations for the acqusition of the Bear Creek timber stand.

Keremeos

Mr. C. N. Jackson chartered accountant from Kelowna was a business visitor in town last week auditing the books of the Water Users and the Co-operative Growers.

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Mr. W. C. Honeywell, director of the Associated Growers, left to attend the directors' meeting and the B.C.F.G.A. meteing at kelowna.

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Messrs. Jas. C. Clarke and W. G. Smith, director and delegate respectively of the B.C.F.G.A. left on Tues-

Princeton Paragraphs

D. L. Munro of Merritt was a business visitor Tuesday.

rFank Barnes of Blakeburn was in town yesterday.

Charlie Armstrong is in town from Keremeos.

Mrs. R. Whall of Brookmere was a visitor to Princeton Friday.

mere were Princeton visitors Saturday.

A. W. Mattice of Keremeos was in Princeton Sunday.

Mrs. E. Doyle of Hedley passed through Princeton Thursday.

G. Scott of Keremeos was in Princeton Friday.

Princeton lads will invade the Okanagan to play hockey at the week end.

Mr. F. Rainbow of Hedley and Miss T. Schmock of Keremeos motored to Princeton this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Collett and son of Merritt were in Princeton Thursday.

F. Morrell of Coquihalla came to town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Calder of Brook-

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Claringbull of Penticton were visitors to Princeton Sunday.

W. R. Wilson and A. Lawrence of Fernie paid Princeton a business visit this week.

E. Dalton of Merritt was a business visitor Tuesday.

G. P. Broderick, now of Penticton, was in town Tuesday.

P. H. Fraser of the Summit Camp mines arrived from the coast Tuesday.

Mr. Allan Clark paid a short visit to his home in Mission early in the week.

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Mr. G. Harrison of Jura was the guest of Rev. Mr. Robinson at the week-end.

Mr. Allan Clark is employed as relief operator at the C.P.R. depot. Miss Waniess has left for a few day's vacation.

Mr. A. L. White has been under the weather this week, a victim of cold.

Mr. Cecil Bates, formerly employed with the firm of A. L. White, has left for Vancouver.

The Pleasant Valley mine is unfortunately working slack just at present, but there is no slackness about the Pleasant Valley hockey team.

Andy Stenvold is the most harassed man in town these days. If he can only keep it up until the 29th Andy is sure to celebrate at the big ski dance.

There is no dearth of willingness in Princeton's fire brigade. After last week's fire three more men aplied ofr a share of the smoke and water in future. The applications will be considered.

Mr. William Manson, who has taken a position with the Tulameen Coal Mnies Ltd. here, was prior to leaving Vancouver honored by his fellow Gyros, who presented him with a desk cigarette lighter suitably inscribed. Mr. Manson is a cousin of Dr. R. S. Manson, and a former Nanaimoite.

Hotel accommodation is going to be at a premium for the ski carnival and every private room will require to be pressed into service. You will perform a real service to your community if you will advise Rev. J. C. Goodfellow that just as many rooms as you can possibly spare are at his call.

Society

SINCLAIR—SMITH

St. Barnabas Church, New Westminster, was the scene of a pretty wedding on December 18 at 4:30 p.m., when Mildred Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith of New West-

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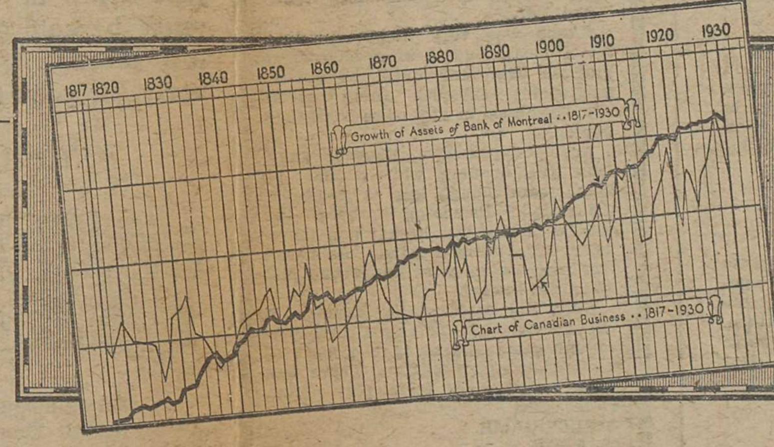

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SOCIETY

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minster became the bride of Mr. William Newton Sinclair of Cawston B.C. The bride was given in marriage by her father. Rev. W. R. George officiated.

The bride looked charming in a dress of pale beige georgette and lace, with a gold fitting gold lace hat. Shoes to match completed the costume. The bride carried a bouquet of ophelia roses and syclamen tied with white tulle. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Margaret Smith, who wore a dress of powder blue georgette and lace, with a blue and silver hat to match. Her bouquet was of pink carnations and mauve asters. Mr. George Francis Manery of Penticton supported the groom. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Preston, and during the signing of the register Miss Prudence Dauhpinee sang "Until."

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was decorated in pink and white and was centred by a three-tier wedding cake. The bride was assisted in receiving by her mother.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair left for Regina where they will spend several weeks. For travelling the bride wore a green and grey tunic costume fashioned on Russian lines, and fur trimmed black broadcloth coat with shoes and hat to match. On their return they wil reside in Cawston, B.C.

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FUN AT BLAKEBURN

Mrs. Thos. Bryden, gentlemen's by Mr.

Another enjoyable evening was held at Blakeburn Thursday when the P.T.A. entertained at whist. The ladies' travelling prize was won by Mrs. Tos. Bryden gentlemen's by Mr John Lloyd, with first prizes to Mrs. W. Woods and Mr. J. Rhodes, and consolations to Mrs. Geo. Walker and Mr. J. Benora.

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Mr. D. McCaffrey entertained a number of young people at an enjoyable social party in the Parish Hall Friday.

KEREMEOS NOTES

(Continued from page five.)

Through a telegrapher's error it was stated in last week's Star that D. J. Lewis was elected president of Keremeos Board of Trade. This should have read D. J. Innis, who was re elected.

Day the 10th to attend the annual meeting of the B.C.F.G.A. at Kelowna.

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The Old Time Dance Club held their fortnightly dance on Saturday the 17th and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

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Mr. A. M. Webb, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, returned from his annual holidays on the 19th.

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The smallpox scare seems to have definitely ended, there having been no further cases for some little time now. Prompt measures of vaccination apparently curtailed the disease

COMING EVENTS

Dance—I.O.O.F. Hall, March 17th, under auspices of Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary. Tickets $1.0 0each. 10 tf

Annual Valentine Dance—Rebekah Lodge No. 24 and Princeton Lodge I.O.O.F. No. 52, Friday, Feb. 13, Orange Hall. Rythm Boys Orchestra.-3

ANOTHER BIG HOCKEY WEEK AT ALLENBY

Allenby reports another full punchbowl of hockey this week.

MARRIED BEAT SINGLE

Once more the benedicts of Allenby demonstrated superiority over the home juniors, winning 7-5 Friday, W. Irwin, the old Allenby star, had five for the winners, Carter and Brookes one each. Pitney had five for the losers and Stocker one. Both goalies, Wall for the married men and Stocker for the boys, turned in a good game.

COPPER MT. GIRLS WIN

Copper Mountain girls took a 4-1 victory from Allenby Girls Club Saturday in a fine game. The Misses Nelson and Truax starred form the winners, while the Wharton girls were best for Allenby. After the game the visitors were entertained.

SINGLE TURN TABLES

In an effort to break the winning streak of the married men, Allenby juniors changed their tem around Sunday and rattled home twelve goals with a strange line-up, despite the presence on the opposing line up of Dick Davis and W. Irwin. Joss had six, Pitney 4, and the Broomfield boys one each for the winners, while Davis and Irwin each netted a brace.

MARRIED: Wall, Sanders, Davis, Irwin, Shaw, Anderson, Samaan, Brookes, Robertson.

SINGLE: Lawrence, Carter Adam Broomfield, Stocker, Joss, Pitney, Alex Broomfield.

ALL READY FOR BIG SKI MEET HERE NEXT WEEK,

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has his eye on the ladies.

New importance was given to the ski meeting here when it was learned from Chief Judge Grimsgaard that form would be taken into consideration for the Olympic tryouts, to select a Canadian team for next year's Olympiad.

BOYS' EVENTS

Two new branches of the sport will enlarge the program and enhance the interest. These are the class B competition, which is also a provincial championship event in both racing and jumping, and the junior jump.

Just how the marathon race and the class B and boys' jump will be handled is a matter not yet settled upon, due to the dilitoriness of the weather man. It is hoped to stage the jump events on the Wednesday afternoon on the One Mile hill. Arrangements will not likely be concluded until early next week.

Coupled with the actual ski sport attractions will b ethe usual frills, including a monster ice frolic, held in conjunction, but separately conducted by the management of Princeton rink. The annual ski ball will be a bigger attraction than ever.

Captain E. Engen, himself a veteran in ski sport for the psat twenty years, will be in charge at the hill on the big day. O. Carlson is president of the local club and A. Stenvold secretary.

BEAT THIS MARK!

A new world record for ski jumping was made by A. Engen of Chicago at Salt Lake City this month, when he leapt 247 feet. The former professional record was held by Henry Hall of Detroit, a jump of 225 feet made at Revelstoke in 1920. The amateur record is held by Nels Nelson, 240 feet. Engen is no relation of the local jumper.

RESTMORE CUP GREATLY APPRECIATED

A splendid stimulus has been provided with the receipt by Mr. Andy Johnson of a letter from J. E. Thompson, manager of the Restmore Manufacturing Copmany of Vancouver, offering the Princeton Ski Club a challenge cup.

In honor of the Boundary centarian who passed away at Princeton in April, the trophy will, at Mr. Thompson's wish, be known as the "Archie Aberdeen cupp," and will form a perpetual monument to his memory.

At last night's meeting of the club it was decided to award the cup for he longest standing jump. It must be won three times in succession to be held outright.

The local club and the community regard Mr. Thompson's gift with sincere appreciation.

PRINCETON AND KEREMEOS SPLIT DOUBLE BILL

For the third time this season... Princeton and Keremeos basketballers rough and tumbled to a division of the spoils Saturday evening. The maroons took the men's contest in somewhat easy fashion, 22-13, while the green... clad girls from the apple belt maintained their unbeaten record 7-4.

There was very little basketball for a meager band of spectators to enthuse over, and until the hockey excitement subsides there seems little likelihood of any more basketball here.

Kremeos played a vigorous game from the opening whistle and the home team though less excitable, reciprocated. Princeton grabbed the lead with the first basket and thereafter were never headed. As usual, Keremeos were most dangerous just after the interval.

Dodd did most of the damage of the evening. He plyed a cool persistent game and made the most of his scoring opportunities. There was little evidence of team play from either side.

GIRLS' GAME IS POOR

The girls put up a pitiful exhibition, if serious basketball was their endeavor. Their game was a mixture of rugby, polo, and hysterics, with a dash of cinnamon to flavor. Princeton managed to get the lead, and at half time were head 4-2. As usual "Steve" Lang was the one bright spot in the entire game.

KEREMEOS MEN: Crooker 7, Smith 4, Wainwright 2, Parsons, McCallum, Smith—13.

PRINCETON: Dodd 9, Gregory 4, Vaydo 2, Taylor, Madore 4, McAlpine 2 Cook 1, Muir—22.

KEREMEOS GIRLS: S. Lang 3, B. Pearce, M. Davidson 2, H. Manery, J. Hammill 2, M. LaBounty 2—7.

PRINCETON: M. Garrison 4, M Orchkovich, B. Lockhart, L. Mitchell M. Hughes, M. Gellatly.

PRINCETON BEAT PENTICTON HOCKEYISTS 1-0

Invading the fruity Okangan with a fairly strong team Sunday, Princeton obtained revenge for a set-back sustained their last year by a second-rate squad.

Their consolation was of the milk and water type, however, for they were only able to bring back a 1-0 victory, and their display did not satisfy either themselves or their supporters.

Soft ice proved something of a handicap to both teams, and the game was never very fast. Princeton g the only counter early the first period when O. Carrington went through. In the closing minutes Penticton gave the visitors an anxious time.

Penticton had the assistance of "Jumbo" Davidson, former Princeton and Allenby star, who was as usual a host in himself.

SUMMARY

Fist period: 1, Princeton, Craigen, 5 min.

Second period: No score.

Third period: No score.

PRINCETON: Pleeash, Wright, D. Muir, S. Garrison, E. Garrison, O. Carrington, R. Carrington, Craigen, Burr.

PENTICTON: Cranna, Davidson, W. Burtch, C. Burtch, Stevens, Henderson, Sims, Bennett, Nesbitt, Greyall.

NO SENIOR HOCKEY

There will be no senior hockey attraction here this week-end. Efforts to have Vernon come here have failed. Negotiations with Lumby earlier in the week were similarly futile.

CURLING RESULTS FOR LAST WEEK

Towris 7, Field 9; Brown 7 Grey 9; Arthur 8, Miller 6; Biggs 12 Rotherham 8; Bloom 11, Harmon 5; Coles 9, Miller 6; Sorenson 17, Coles 8; Field 7, Miller 9; Brown 11, Clerf 15; Arthur 13, Biggs 5; Grey 8, Rotherham 5; Bloom 11, Thornber 9; Sorenson 7, Harmon 6; Towris 7, Brown 11, Field 8, Biggs 9; Coles 7, Clerf 4; Towris 6, Arthur 7; Miller 5, Rotherham 7; Harmon 6, Brown 14.

CORRESPONDENCE

PRAISES DECORATORS

Editor, Star,
Princeton, B.C.

Sir:—Great credit is due to the Collas Bros. for the way in which they decorated the Community Hall at Cawston on Friday, Jan. 9th, for the carnival dance. If others took as much interest in other dances it would be more appreciated.

Yours,
E. A.

Cawston, B.C.

AN ANSWER

Editor, Star,
Princeton, B.C.

Dear Sir:—Martha Muggins' letter in your last issue was a good one. I approve everything she (or is it he?) said, except the shooting stuff (probably on account of my age).

Of course if a man's only qualification to get a job with the government or corporation is that he is married, I have no objection to shooting. In fact, a man like that should be shot before he is married, to save the country lots of money. But "Martha Muggins'" suggestion to take all us single men over 35 years to some "waste land or dump" and get a firing squad to get rid of us I do not approve of at all.

Imagine, Mr. Editor, although you may be on the safe side of the fence, you will wake up some morning and find out that you have no Perley Russell, no Jay Ell, no local brewer, no liquor vendor, no premier of Canada, no leader of His Majesty's loyal opposition, and of course I would be popped off too. Wouldn't that make you mad?

BACHELOR.

THOSE DRUMS AGAIN

Editor, Star,
Princeton, B.C.

Dear Sir:—Several opinions have been expressed re the remarks of the Cawston correspondent regarding the putting on of the dances at Cawston under the management of the Collas Bros. As there is already a set of drums at the Victory Hall which are plenty good enough for the purpose, we fail to see why another set is necessary. If the Cawston drummer wants a set why doesn't he skin a fox and buy them himself. We don't see how he can reasonably expect the public to buy them for him. Also we understand that the other members of the orchestra all own their own instruments and such being the case it is up to the drummer to do likewise.

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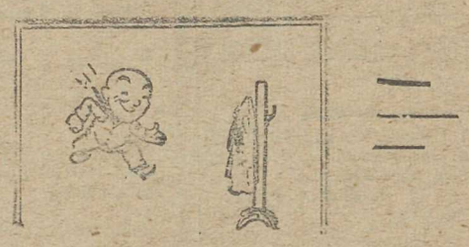

Means Business

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stop to think just what the Board of Trade means to Princeton? Do you ever consider just what your business men are shouldering by way of civic and community responsibilities. They have their failing,, all of them, but they are the backbone of your community, and their responsibility for the progress and well being is just taken for granted, so inauspiciously do they undertake these duties.

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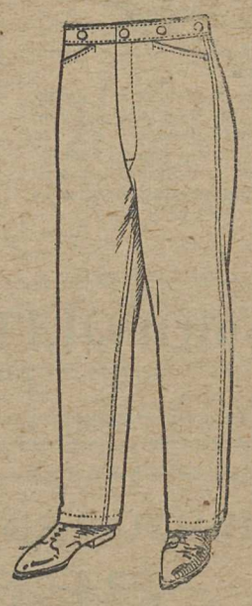

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