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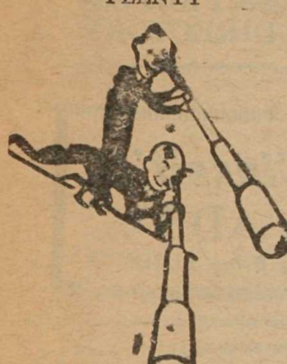
LOOKING IT OVER
AND OVERLOOKING PLENTY



Not so good this week. The was a dog race the other day so place or other. The first dog to the wire was Cleoparta, and the secon Hot dog!

THE WEATHER

JAN.	MAX.	MIN
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2	46	32
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KEREMEOS
MINIMUM TEMPERATURES

16	36	23	32
17	30	24	27
18	22	25	25
19	32	26	28
20	38	27	32
21	30	28	28
22	32	29	26

BIRTHS

CECCON—To Mr. and Mrs. E. Ceccon of Coalmont, on Thursday, 18th January, a son.

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VICKERS—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Vickers of Coalmont, on Friday, 12 th January, a daughter.

Seen on the Street

Mr. Goodfellow, acting the part.

Mr. Pease, airing the bear.

Mr. Foster, bearing the air.

Ken Wright, heading west.

Mr. Brown, explaining how it happened.

COPPER MT.

Mrs. Dignan was a visitor to Copper Mt. via horseback route. She was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Muir.

Mr. Tommy Wharton of Allenby visited the Mountain on Monday.

Old "Sol" has favored us the past few days. The snow is fast disappearing.

It looks as if curling will have to be forgotten this winter, unless Jack Frost appears "pronto."

Mr. Popovich conveyed our mail to us last Friday.

AND WE GOT ACTION

OI, oi (the war-cry of the rampaging printer, and incidentally the breath of Judea) It worked!

In an earlier edition this week (we could not tell a lie) we hinted that we could give you a better paper if you could assist is overcoming a deficiency of our parents in not making us twins by drawing the odd news item to our attention. We meant it. No need to make a story out of it; you give us the meat and we can supply the baloney, as you no doubt have discovered. But we digress.

We mentioned that we invited news items. Well, it registered so well that no fewer than three readers sent in the same item.

Of course, we have to admit (we still like that cherry tree stuff, especially when it ferments) that our good readers must have sent in their items before they could possibly have read our plea, we still think it proves that advertising pays (and we wish someone would suggest this to our leading butter and egg men).

We have, too, received several other little helps, and a few compliments. The former we appreciate sincerely, and the latter, as usual, move us very much.

It may be as well to relate that the much reported item was a Liberal meeting, and we are just wondering whether we are popular or the Liberals are.

SIMILKAMEEN SCOTS GATHER TO HONOR MEMORY OF RABBIE BURNS

ROBERT BURNS

Blakeburn Does the Honors In Its Usual Fine Style

SCOTSMEN from several points of the Similkameen—and those unfortunates who would like to be Scots, for the occasion at least—foregathered at Blakeburn on Saturday to pay tribute to the Immortal Memory in time honored fashion.

The Blakeburn Dining Hall presented a festive appearance for the day of days. Scotsmen have a habit of doing this particular job well, and no where do they do it more conscientiously than at Blakeburn.

Approximately 150 persons were the guests of the Caledonian Club, and the number was augmented as the evening wore on.

The tables literally groaned under the burden of the choicest cuisine of the chef and staff, and faces flushed as Mr. Jock Miller piped in the haggis. The haggis bearer was Miss Frances Clue. The eyes of the uninitiated simply popped as Mr. Jerry Brown ably delivered the "Address to the Haggis" and the Selkirk Grace.

MR. MURRAY DOES THE HONORS

The toast of the evening, "To The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns" was ably given by Mr. George Murray, who gave an appreciative commentary on the great bard's life and works, and illustrated with apt quotations the homely yet universal philosophy of old Scotia's most loved son.

Mr. Hugh McConnell of Princeton proposed the toast "To Absent Friends."

A program of Scotch songs and recitations was acceptably received, the following artists contributing: H. McConnell, Mrs. R. Murray, Mrs. J. Boag, Messrs T. Bryden, J. Edwards and A. McDonald. Accompanists were Miss Geraldine Bryden and Mr. W. Valentine.

Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

HURT IN MINE BLAKEBURN MAN

CRUSHED by a car of coal at the tram, "Jock" Whitelaw of Blakeburn suffered internal injuries at the Coalmont Collieries' mine. A patient in Princeton Hospital, his condition is not thought to be serious.

SNOW DAMAGES HOUSES HERE

DANGER to buildings from the heavy weight of snow on the roofs was demonstrated this week when a cottage on the lane off Kenley avenue suddenly collapsed, and others showed signs of impending disaster. The old building near the river, formerly used as a garage and arena was somewhat damaged.

It is difficult to realize the weight of the snow or the subtlety of its destructive power.

The building which suffered heavily was a light frame cottage owned by Bert Irwin.

Several people have wisely taken precautions against snow damage by shovelling the snow from the roofs. It is especially troublesome when it thaws and becomes icy.

Sunday's fine cold weather attracted many out of doors.

FOX FARMING ON SOUND FOOTING HERE

FOX FARMERS have had a good season in the Princeton district. Quietly without much notice, they raise animals and ship pelts, and few realize the importance of this minor, but none the less resourceful, local industry. Mr. Mannering, at Five Mile, where most of the fox farming is located, has had a busy season, and shipped several pelts.

Among others who find lucrative employment in the breeding of the sharp eared little fellows are J. Matthews, Bert Thomas, John Ol- O. D. Garrison.

Fox farming has been particu- sen, at the Green place, and Mrs. arly successful in the Similkameen.

LARGE MILL FOR HEDLEY

MINING DEVELOPMENT a Hedley that promises much for the future is attracting considerable attention in the financial world and in mining circles, as well as at home.

It is reported that plans have been made for the erection of a big, modern mill at one of the largest and best known of the new mines, and that machinery is actually en route.

This mill, it is said will be equipped to recover many values generally obtained with difficulty, and in this respect would be a real asset to the district. as it would render possible of operation a number of lower grade mines which could not hope to ship crude ore at a profit.

REAL ESTATE BOOM SEEN IN HEDLEY

Lots Snapped Up By Speculators As Mines Show Promise

A REAL ESTATE BOOM is usually worth a laugh in these days of depression, but it is no laughing matter if you try to buy property in Hedley.

A regular real-estate boom has been in progress, according to report. It is of course stimulated by indications of early mining activity. All loose property, it is said, has been snapped up. At this time, of course, such action is largely speculative.

No section of British Columbia to-day, however, shows more promise than Princeton's golden southern door. During the past season considerable activity was in evidence—not in one property, but in half a dozen, and if prospects materialize Hedley is soon to experience a new prosperity which will justify not only the shrewdness of recent investors, but moreso of those loyal citizens who have kept faith during many lean years of hopeful waiting.

Diamond drilling s in progress at the Gold Mountain mine, near Hedley, where promising disclosures have been made during prgevious exploration work. Drilling operations are in charge of Mr. E. Norde of the Conners Drilling Co.

INTERESTING TALK AT HISTORICAL MEETING

An interesting account of an early hunting trip into the Ashnola country in 1894 was related by Mr. E. Waterman at a meeting of the Similkameen Historical Association in the annex of St. Paul's church on Friday night. Tales were swapped by old timers at the conclusion of Mr. Waterman's talk.

The date of the next meeting was set for 27th April.

Mr. Groundhog Saw His Shadow

And Local Folks Are Beginning To Think There Is Something to It

WHETHER the elusive Mr Groundhog saw his shadow on Friday is for you to decide. Whether it makes any difference or not is equally up to your own peace of mind.

One thing is of course certain—he could have seen his shadow in the Similkameen had he been anxious, always, of course, providing he had no defect of vision. and kept better hours than the Printer's Devil. For there was no lack of sun. Friday, in fact, was one of the mellowest days of the winter.

There has been a lot of notoriety given to the hard-dieing groundhog superstition, and as we have frequently resorted to it as a space-filler, we may as well get away with it again. Our staff photographer was sent out to get a snap of the marmot, but the last we saw of him he was heading south with Perley Russell and we suspect that they both got into the hole, so that as no self-respecting groundhog would remain in such company, the S.P.C.A. is probably hoping that said ground-hog did not see his shadow.

Someone comes to bat with the theory that only one out of every two ground-hogs sees his shadow any way. The series idea no doubt applies also to the human race, onyl there it goes by sex.

SPRING THAW—THEN FROST

To have done with the groundhog and other superstitious and abnoxious subjects, such as Perley, Friday capped another unusual phase of an unusual winter.

For a few days the weather had shown signs of softening up. The sun has been gaining warmth, and there has been relatively little frost at night.

Friday saw a regular spring thaw evidently in progress. A wind came up, and the sun was summery. The streets became ugly. It had rained the previous night

Towards evening there was distinct evidence that the weather was tigthening up. There was a heavy frost, and by morning a minor cold snap had been properly installed.

Experienced observers say, however, that winter's seige may shortly be ended. They expect an early spring. As there has been an abundant snowfall—nearly five feet of a season's fall in Princeton—it is expected that it will be an excellent year for field crops.

DANGER FROM THAW

When the thaw does come, there is bound to be some unpleasantness and if it comes really there is just a little possibility of damage. The streams are higher than usual for this time of year, however, and cannot be badly ice-bound, and an examination of the ground shows that very little frost has penetrated the early blanket of snow, so that a lot of moisture will be absorbed, unless recurrent soft and hard snaps drive the frost into the ground

A Dark Moment

KEREMEOS GRITS ELECT

LIBERALISM was prominent in Keremeos Friday, when the Liberal supporters of the lower valley organized as the Keremeos-Cawston Liberal Assocation.

No fewer than 55 attended at the Mills Garage, and there was no dearth of enthusiasm. A strong organization was formed.

The association has its ear to the ground and is looking out for the interests of Keremeos and vicinity.

Officers

President—W. D. Lang.

Vice-president—H. Tweddle.

Secretary-treasurer—E. A. Morrissy.

Executive—J. S. Heaps, G. Christie, E. Mills.

Honorary officers include Hon. W. L. McKenzie King, Hon. T. D. Pattullo, and C. H. Tupper, Esq, M.L.A.

A hearty vote of appreciation was tendered the retiring president Mr. F. Bell.

TRAINS DELAYED BY SLIDE NEAR MERRITT

Soft weather which caused bad slides between Merritt and Spences' Bridge was responsible for tying up Kettle Valley train schedules this week.

Thursday morning's train, which is properly due here at 4 a.m., but which during the winter, while trains are routed by Spence's Bridge, generally arrives about 7:30, got in after 6:30 p.m. Trains are now running fairly regularly again.

NO DEVLOPMENTS AT MINE. BUT OFFICIALS ARE HOPEFUL

Developments Expected As Directors Plan To Meet

NO PAYMENT of wages had been made, the mine was idle, the men were pressing for financial assistance, and yet the outlook for the Tulameen mine was hopeful.

This summarized the situation on Saturday night.

An appeal had been made to the Provincial Department of Mines to take some action on behalf of the men, whose wages had not been paid, and pending a definite outcome, the men had been placed on direct government relief.

Further developments were expected at any time, the local office intimating that while there was nothing to say at this time, it was hoped that there would be an encouraging turn within the next few days.

The property has been idle for a week, after the Company had for the second successive time failed to meet the payroll. The first time, cheques were issued a few days late, but were not honored by the bank. The second, no cheques were issued.

MEN ASK FOR ACTION

Employees, through their union, met Thursday night and gave thothorough discussion to their problem. They decided to appeal to the Department of Mines and Labor, and are expecting Mr. Adam Bell, Deputy Minister of Labor to come to Princeton. They also decided to appeal to the government for direct relief.

The following day the officials obtained and approached the local government agent with, a list of the employees of the Company. It was pointed out by the men that this had been a particularly poor season in the coal mines. There was considerably less work than usual, and wages cheques had been small. Following on the idle period of the strike, and the slack summer season, failure to get even one pay meant that some were in straitened circumstances. They appealed for relief.

They also pointed out that the single men, who do not customarily get relief but are sent to the camps, those employed at the mine were placed under peculiar circumstances. If they went to the camps and the mine suddenly re-opened, they would have no way of getting back to their jobs.

MARKING TIME

Mr. Dodd, government agent, the men report, gave them a sympathetic hearing, and explained that under these unusual circumstances he would have to communicate with the authorities at Victoria. He did so, and shortly afterwards announced that arrangements had been made to issue relief to all needy employees until the issue clarified.

There was little new in the attitude of the company as expressed at the local office on Saturday. There was, indeed, nothing that could be done until a new aspect loomed financially. While nothing definite was said on this pont, it was evident that there were hopes that there would be a change of outlook in the next few days. If the mine is to continue, it will have to be soon. There were reports that the absence from Vancouver of one of the principal directors had a lot to do with any chances of solving the difficulty. He was expected to return to Vancouver shortly.

Meanwhile, the mine is taking no harm, and the worst feature appears to be the uncertainty.

Grand Forks Mayor Heads U.B.C.M.

MAYOR T. LOVE

Of Grand Forks, B.C., who was this week at the provincial convention elected president of the Union of Municipalities of British Columbia. He has many friends in the Similkameen.

PRINCETON JUNIOR HOCKEYISTS WIN

Princeton junior and juvenile hockey teams defeated Blakeburn in a double-header on the Princeton rink on Saturday night. The home juveniles won 4-0, but the juniors were given a much better argument, and had to play some smart hockey to win 5-3.

OBITUARY

CONNELL

Mrs. C. E. MacKenzie of Cawston has received news of the death at Newberg, Oregon, of her uncle, Mr. H. A. Connell, aged 80.

LOGGING IS ACTIVE HERE

ALTHOUGH badly handicapped at present due to abnormally heavy snows, logging is taking a conspicuous place in local industry.

Bear Creek, with a splendid stand of fine quality spruce, is a regular bee-hive of activity during the summer season. Heavy snow and the condition of the roads have made logging operations there practically out of the question for the time being, but once the weather and the roads become suitable, operations are expected to go ahead at a faster clip than ever. A busy summer is anticipated.

Since the mill has been re-opened at Merritt more than three million feet of lumber have been cut and preparations are being made for another big run, Mr. Mark Peacock having recently gone to Merritt.

The DeMuth mill is producing steadily, and apparently finding a ready market for the product, and the Archibald brothers are preparing for a big summer.

A new operation which is doing well is the Barnes mill west of Blakeburn, on the Lodestone mountain road. Mr. Barnes moved his equipment there last fall, and has a fine stand of timber to work in.

Matheson Brothers keep 25 men employed on a logging operation in Otter Valley.

A pleasing feature is that despite the slump and the depression by which no industry has been hit harder than logging, satisfactory prices have been obtained by local producers and the general outlook is encouraging.

In Police Court

Arrested when they acted suspiciously and became defiant, two men who got off a train here were given 30 days on vagrancy charges They had come from a relief camp near Michel.

NEWS BRIEFS

By a vote of 1076 to 756, Kamloops on Thursday voted in favor of beer parlors.

Progress of mining in the Hedley district forms the bright spot in the annual report of government engineer P. B. Freeland, recently published.

A number of people were attracted to the ski-hill Sunday, where exhibtion leaps were made by local jumpers. Nothing definite has, apparently been settled about the big tournament.

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PRINCETON, B. C., THURSDAY, 1st FEBRUARY, '34

elling Our Big Brother

Vancouver has, through its influential mouthpiece, the Customs and Transportation bureau o fthe Board of Trade, taken another rap at the southern interior of British Columbia in a totally forward and obviously prejudiced opposition to the Crow's Nest Pass trans-continental air route.

In our last issue we refuted the case presented by the powerful potentates in support of their new brain-child. The southern air route will not be sacrificed without a struggle, and we do not feel greatly concerned about the ultimate fate of this selection, because it is plain that for once the zeal of the coast cabal is obvious to the point of absurdity.

It exposes, however, some thing that every progressive aposle of the southern interior has always felt about the big brother of the salt chuck: and that is that for some undiscernible reason he likes to kick us in the pants every time we bend to an effort.

In the early part of the century the southern hinterland was building up at a tremendous rate. By settlement and natural development it was forging ahead and crying for an outlet—and an inlet. It wanted rail rail and road connections it wanted public works.

It is taken for granted of course that Vancouver is the alpha and omega of everything. Everything starts and must end there. There is a lot of truth in it, too, for there is no denying that Vancouver is the logical distributing point for the larger part of the province, But that, let it be remembered, is nature's way, and no achievement of the Vancouver Board of Trade; and in this sense the facilities of Vancouver are the right of the tributary district just as much as they are of the city of Vancouver. It does not assume that the tributary territory is to be maneuvered for and by Vancouver.

From the first, however, Vancouver has apparently done its level best to annoy the southern interior. Time after time it has assumed the role of dictator, and for no good reason thwarted the aspirations of this promising section. In the matter of railroads, roads and public works this has been so; and now comes air route.

Granting normal rights of suggestion or criticism, what is the object of Vancouver going out of its way to delay the Coast-Kootenay high way, to discourage the Coast-Kootenay railway, and now the air route?

When you get into the Kootenay country you find the feeling much stronger than it is here; and you have to have a bad cold to miss it even in these parts. In fact the Association of Boards of Trade of Eastern B.C. has in its inception protection against the aggressions of the Coast bodies. It is only recenly that they have been amicable, and they are still far from trusting.

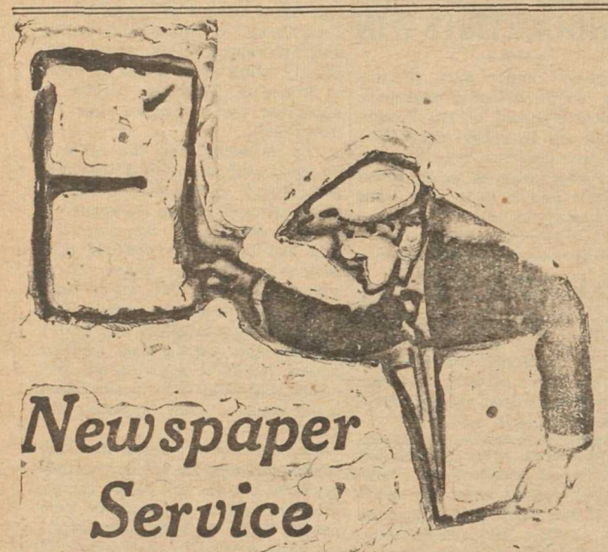
Where one would expect appreciative leadership, all one seems to find is a sort of arrogant presumptiveness: a knack of doing the wrong thing at the wrong time, and then coasting to happiness on the backs of those they trod on, without blushing one whit: just as when they turned out the slate that had represented them through many lean years, opened the back door, and termed Hon. H. H. Stevens "our member."

Vancouver has found her back door convenient in more cases than this. It might be well to remember that the cook may have brains—and feelings—as well as the butler.

It is certainly a truth, and a very regrettable one, that rally does not regard with too much confidence the the southern interior geneleadership of Vancouver.

For years a volume of business has been rolling in by this back door. If respon sibilities of leadership do not inspire Vancouver to a little less selfish outlook and a little consideration for the littler brothers, then cold, hard, business sense should. Vancouver gets its shaving of every interior stick; and the more sticks, the more shavings. Then too there is that vital business factor of good-will.

It is high time Vancouver people grew up with their town.



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A Quotation for the Week

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The measure of a man's real character is what he would do if he knew he would never be found out.
—MACAULAY

LEGALS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF AXEL OHRSTROM, SOMETIMES CALLED AXEL OHSTROM, DECEASED:

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TENDERS will be received up until the 1st day of March next for the purchase of the westerly twenty-five (25) feet of Lot Eight (8) in Block Four (4) Map Thirty-seven (37) measured along Harold avenue in the Town of Princeton.

Not.—This property is situate immediately behind the Princeton Hotel, and has a log cabin erected thereon.

No tender necessarily accepted.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1934.

L. A. DODD,
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DOCTORS—Dr. J. R. Naden: 23.
Dr. D. McCaffrey (coroner): 20
POLICE—Phone 39L, or Central
FIRE—Phone Central

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Daily—Closes 6 p.m.
COALMONT—Blakeburn ,Tulameen
Daily, except Monday—6 p.m.
LOWER VALLEY—
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Monday—12 noon.
NELSON and MIDWAY—
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Axe Lost at Hedley

At the Hedley school sports track meet a small hunting axe was mislaid. It was all steel, with a sheath. It was privately owned, and if whoever picked it up would return it to the Star, the owner would be very glad to have it back.

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In every case the "grudge" fight turned out to be a fiasco; notably in North Vancouver and Omenica, and with all the Independent C.C.F. candidates.

30 YEARS AGO

FROM THE FILES OF THE SIMILKAMEEN STAR

SATURDAY, 30th JANUARY, 1904

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Mrs. G. W. Aldous left last Sunday for the Coast.

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The monthly report of the Princeton school shows an average daily attendance of 19.60, and a registration of 20.

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Rev. J. Lang preached at the Schoolhouse on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Mr. Lang, a painter by trade, and a former alderman of the city of Ottawa, has a fruit ranch at Okanagan Falls. He is over 70, but is untiring in his zeal for the Master.

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Geo McCoskery was in town this week in connection with a logging contract for the Similkameen Logging Co.

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Barr Hall is the possessor of a lightning tooth extractor with which he releives tooth-ache instantly. His latest patient says it is a pleasure to have a tooth extracted by him. He is also expert at pulling pine stumps, as his natty grounds testify.

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George Aldous is erecting a cold storage building at the rear of the Tulameen hotel.

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Since July, 1895, 2518 mineral claims have been staked and recorded in the Similkameen Mining Division.

Tell This To Mussolini

The secretary of the Keremeos Board of Trade is a smart man and a great booster for his home town. He tried his best to get the citizens out to a meeting of the Board of Trade but only five came. Then a bright idea struck him. He put up notices for a Liberal meeting and they flocked in from all parts of the country.

Mr. Morrissy is a great booster for the Similkameen, and he ought to rely on

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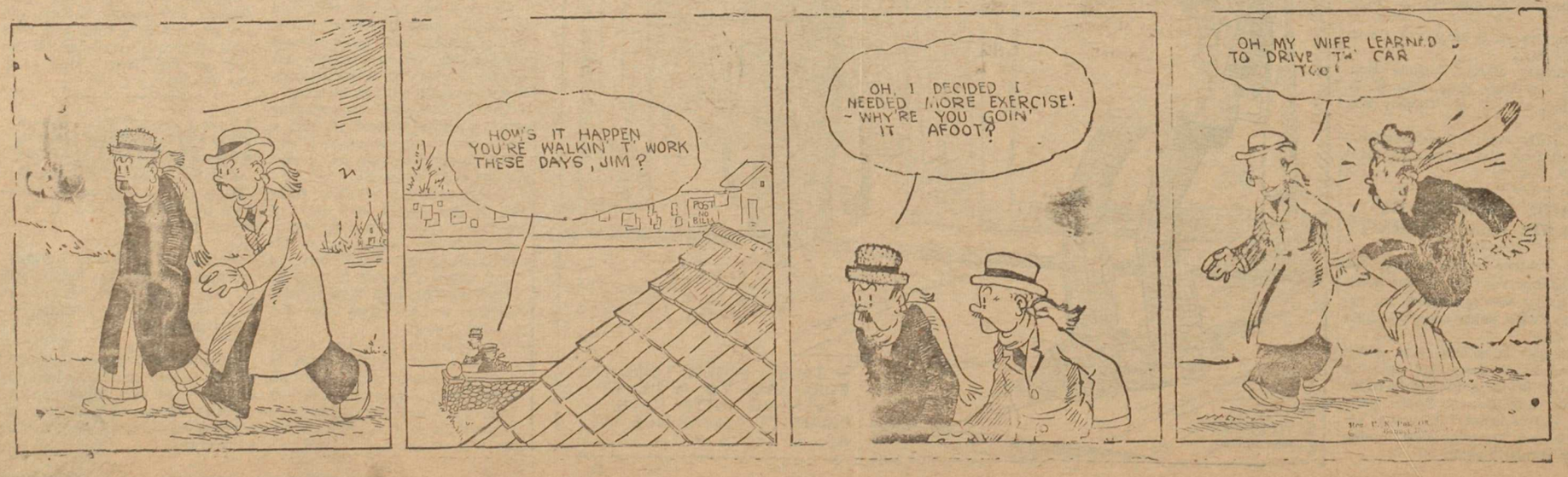

Time Table

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CAWSTON

A. H. Caws on returned from Copper Creek, where he has been visiting his brother, R. L. Cawston and family.

Miss Marie Nielson went to Penticton Monday to visit her siser, Mrs Earl Weitzel.

The Women's Assocation of the Cawston United Church were tre guests of Mrs. C. A. Ballard at Keremeos on Wednesday afternoon

A large number of Liberals from Cawston attended the Keremeos-Cawston Liberal meeting held at E. Mills' garage on Friday evening

Mrs. C. E. McKenzie has received news of the death of her uncle, in Oregon.

MOCK TRIAL ENJOYED

A mock trial was held in the hall by the Social Club on Saturday evening and was much enjoyed by all present. New officers were elected. Another entertainment will be held on Saturday evening.

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And now the trouble is to find a Conservative.

CURLERS IN MIXED ELIMINATION SERIES

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A double-knockout competition is well under way among Princeton curlers. New rinks have been drawn, with ladies as leads. Results to Sunday:

Avery beat Fitzgerald; Biggs beat Joss; Whittaker beat Bonvin; Harman beat Bloom; Brown to play Sorenson; Hooper to play Arthur.

BLAKEBURN

Mrs T. S se and family are back in Blakeburn after a long absence in the Old Country.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Morton of Vancouver have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murray for the past week.

Mr. "Jock" Whitelaw is a patient in the Princeton hospital, following an injury at the mine.

Mrs. R. L. Caulfield is spending a few days with Mrs. V. Marochi in Princeton.

More than 150 persons attended the annual Burns' celebration in the Cookhouse Saturday.

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KEREMEOS

KEREMEOS FRUIT GROWERS MEET

A meeting of the local division of the B.C. Fruit Growers' Association was held Wednesday, 24th, in the W. I. room. Mr. Crooker, local spray inspector, was in the chair, while Mr. E. A. East., local representative to the recent association convention at Kelowna, reported on that important session.

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Liberals from Keremeos, Cawston and Kelowna attended the annual meeting of the local association to the number of about 50.

HEDLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sutherland and Mr. Fred Thompson were visitors in town during the week.

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Mr. Len Innis of Keremeos is in charge of the Hedley Garage while Mr. Hill Innis is visiting at the Coast.

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Hedley's hockey team invaded Keremeos on Sunday and defeated the home team 7-1.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Five Mile were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones for several days.

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Mr. Archie Robb of Penticton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Corrigan.

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Dr. D. McCaffrey of Princeton was a visitor n town last week.

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Mrs. R. E. Baxter was a week-end visitor to Penticton.

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Mr. Pat Hamgly left on Friday mornng for the Morning Star mine at Fairview where he will work.

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Mr. E. Norde of Rossland who is working for the T. Connors Drilling Co., is diamond drilling at the Gold Mountain property.

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Mr. Otto St. Dennis has returned from Vancouver to resume his duties as compressor man at Go'd Mountain.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Bannman returned after spending a few days at Penticton.

GAME CASE AT COALMONT

Before Magistrate Norman Craigie at Coalmont last week a resident of that town was fined $20.00 and costs, and two others each $10. on a charge under the game act. They were found with venison in their possession out of season. They were members of a placer mining concern.

Princeton Paragraphs

☆ITEMS FOR THIS COLUMN WELCOMED.
—PHONE 36—

Mr. W. B. Ewart has returned from a business visit to the Coast.

A Choir service was held at St. Paul's church Sunday night.

Dr. D. McCaffr y was a visitor to Hedley this week.

Const. Lees has been at the Cosat on escort duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidoni Jr. are spending a few days in Princeton.

Mr. Guy Bamford has returned from a holiday at the Coast.

The little Sidoni boy is seriously ill in Princeton hospital, folowing an appendicitis operation.

Dr. Coddington of Blakeburn was here on professional business through the week.

Dr. J. D. Butler has been making his usual dental visit to Coalmont and Blakeburn.

B. Vittoni and Mrs. P. Vittoni were Princeton visitors in midweek.

Rev. Mr. Greene will hold services at the Aglican church next Sunday.

Ranger Evan J. Thomas went to Merritt on Sunday in connection with a timber sale.

Mr. A. L. White has not been so well of late, and for a young fellow is taking his time about making a recovery.

An x-ray of the injury to Mr. Lucas' leg revealed that the bone had been chipped. Remember. we said leg not head.

Dr. Naden has been able to resume his practice, though his leg fracture has not altogether recovered.

We have a cheerful note from Const. C. G. Miller, anxious to keep in touch with Princeton. He says that he and Mrs. Miller like Grand Forks quite well.

A number of Blakeburn people were in town on Saturday night, and the town looked busier than for some weeks. Real spots, these Blakeburn, in view of the condition of the road after the soft spell

Mr. Ambrose Tree had quite a cargo on Friday. Mr. Tree is one of Hedley's greatest boosters, and he is just now saying "I told you so." There are prospects of an early building boom in the golden city.

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JUST AS PRETTY—
— BUT
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Myrtle Marsden is just as pretty and just as good company as her friend Jeannette Crosby — at least people who know her say so. But somehow Jeannette is always being invited places while Myrtle is left at home.

Naturally, poor Myrtle wonders why. The reason is that there is a telephone in Jeannette's home, but none in Myrtle's. So it's much harder to get in touch with Myrtle.

Nowadays most invitations come by telephone. People without telephones miss many pleasant evenings.

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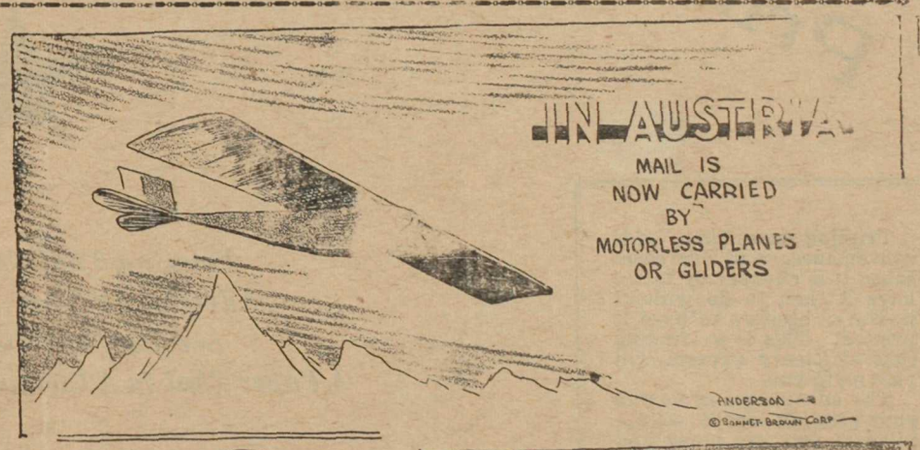

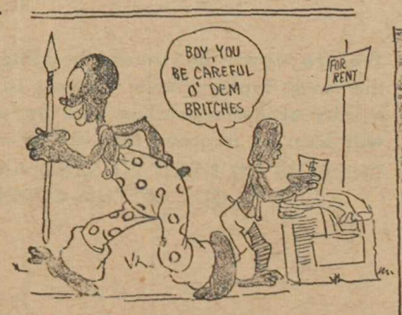

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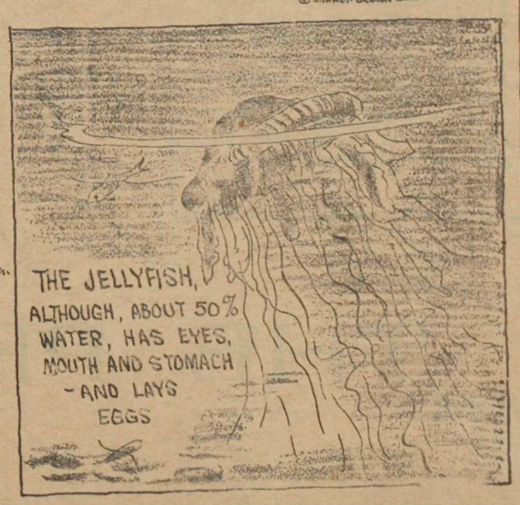

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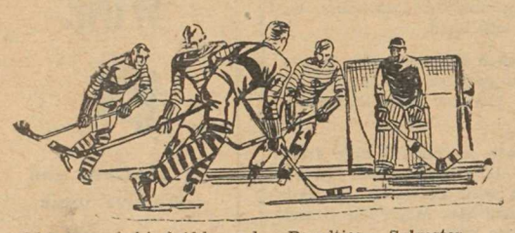
STAR SPORTS

TULAMEEN IN SCORING FORM

TULAMEEN MINERS went places in the City Hockey League again on Wednesday night, and so badly undermined the Garagemen that even the weather man had the jitters after the slaughter was all over. For two periods it looked like a struggle, and then the plucky service men gave up the ghost, and the miners again ran up a big score, 7-2.

To step into a two goal lead against the fast Tulameen sextette is no mean achievement, but the Service boys did just that. Of course it may have been a mixture of faith hope and charity, but the mutters say you can tell that to your uncle Adolph when he comes back from Peru. But wherewith, withal and notwithstanding (in some cases, any way) the surprised colliers found themseves facing off three times in a row (pronounced "row" and not by their own volition. The Rhodesians had come ou of the yungle with a vengeance, and were hotter than a certain party the night before. They cut loose with all they had, and made a dint at hat. Tuffy Burr forded the blue line with a truck under the Coles name-plate in tow, and Mr. Vickery admitted defeat. Then Ke" Garrison returned to the transfer business. This time he transferred the play to the miners' end and



unloaded his cargo behind Aldo, and presto, the wheeled ones were two up.

SHOVELLING THEM IN

Then the miners' machine got down to work, and some hefty drilling they did and the more they drilled the more they shot, and the more they shot the more dynamite they packed, until Bannockburn changd to Waterloo, or was it the Bowery, until the young and very able Mr. Lawrence became as busy as a cow's tail in fly time.

Nick Oreskovich got one back for the Tulameen boys before the end of the period, and the second period saw the deluge break. Tommy Lindsay, blushing, turned in a display reminiscent of his childhood days, and scored four beautiful goals, while Pete Pesut continued his spledid work by manoeuvering two more, and after the seventh goal Stan was heard to mutter in disgust "something tells me these guys are gonna win." Well, they did, and here endeth the third lesson, unless Mae or Silvester have anything to add.

And by the Way

First period—1. Rhodes, Burr from Coles; 2. Rhodes, K. Garrison; 3. Tulameen, N. Oreskovich.

Penalties— Sylvester

A Coalmont man was given 30 days bef (sorry, ths belongs to another story.)

Second period—4. Tulameen, Lindsay from E. Plecash; 5. (rubber stamp, pliz) Tulameen, P. Pesut; 6. Lindsay from J. Pesut; 7. Tulameen, Lindsay from M. Oreskovich;

Penalties—said

Third period—8. Tulameen, (print us 500 copies, please) P. Pesut; 9. Tulameen, Lindsay. And thank the giver of good headaches that's over.

Penalties— S-s-s-s-s-s (all we have, sorry.)

TULAMEEN—Vickery, Dobie, J. Pesut, Lindsay, P. Pesut, M. Oreskovich, N. Oreskovich, E. Plecash, Francis.

RHODES'—Lawrence, W. Garrison, S. Garrison, K. Garrison, Burr Coles, A. Caruso, Broomfield.

Hockey Dope

LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	F-A	Pts
Tulameen Mine	2	0	16-2	4
Telephones	1	1	6-12	2
Rhodes	0	2	5-11	0

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

Lindsay, Tul.	6	0	6
P. Pesut Tul.	5	1	6
Vaydo, Tel.	3	1	4
N. Oreskovich, Tul.	4	0	4
W. Garrison, R.S.	1	1	2
Joss, Tel.	2	0	2
Coles, R.S.	1	1	2
J. Pesut, Tul.	1	1	2
J. Pesut	1	0	1
Johnson, Tel	1	0	1
Burr, R.S.	1	0	1
K. Garrison, R.S.	1	0	1
E. Plecash. Tul.	0	1	1
M. Oreskovich, Tul.	0	1	1

SPORTS SAUCE

[BY DEE TEE]

It did not take Ken Wright very long to jump back into the game—and the headlines—at the Coast. He turned out on the night of his arrival and his second half rally did a lot to help his Adanacs upset Varisty.

The Wright incident is best forgotten. It was unfortunate in many ways, not forgetting Ken himself. Everyone was glad to see that he was able to get back into the game with the Adanacs. Had he waited another day he would have been out for the playoffs.

We have notes from two former local athletes. Coll Campbell writes that he is figuring on breaking into basketball in the big city. One wonders why he waited so long. Coll is just the material Vancouver coaches are looking for.

The other is from Ossie Nichol. He evidently plans to get into soccer in Vancouver. He is up at Pender Harbor, and is livng next door to an old friend in Mr. Art. Dingman, formerly sport editor with the Province, now a racing official. Ossie's dad, the former "Soldier" Nicholl of Celtic fame seems to have given up all connection with the game.

WINS AT KEREMEOS HEDLEY HOCKEY TEAM

Hedley's clever hockey team proved a cut above the Keremeos home towners, and had no difficulty in bearding the fruit-pickers in their own den Sunday. The 7-1 score does not exaggerate the difference between the teams, as the miners' experience gave them an edge in all departments.

The home boys, however, put up a game display, and showed flashes of real ability, but could not match the smoo hness of the visitors.

Penticton To Piay Here On Saturday

Penticton basketballers will be in Princeton Saturday, 10th February, according to advices from the local club, and the home boys have let it be known that from now on they mean business. They will not have Wright, and it is also odds against Lucas playing, but there is a more determined spirit in the club than for some time, and while they admit they would be better off with Bill, they do not intend to let his absence stump them. They have beaten Penticton already, and they do not see why it can't be done again.

LOCALS SHOW WORST FORM

A BADLY disorganized Princeton team bowed once again at Penticton Saturday, suffering one of the heaviest defeats of the season, 35-19.

Without Lucas, injured, and Dodd, unable to get off work, the Coal-ads were far from their usual selves, and only in a final five minutes of wild abondon did they hit a telling game.

It was that last wild flurry that was their one redeeming grace. They showed that they have it in them, running in seven points without reply. On the game as a whole, however, they gave their sorriest display of the season. The usual snap was not there.

Once again the youngsters in the Penticton team were the Similkameen boys nemesis. Wilson again was in deadly shooting form, and young Rollo and Jack Gibbs, who stepped in to fill the gaps left by the absence of Blacklock and Gartrell, turned in a dandy game. The Princeton boys played loosely. Wright was effectively held, and the rest of the Princeton boys failed to show their usual form.

PENTICTON ON TOP

Penticton got off on the right foot and were never shaken from the lead. McDougall opened the scoring with a raking one handed heave, and his mates ran the tally up to 8-0 before Wood broke the ice for Princeton. Play at this point became somewhat ragged, and both teams missed several shots. There was a good deal of individual dribbling, with Penticton averaging about two baskets to Princeton's one. Half time count was 14-8

Princeton's poorest spasm of the game was at the start of the second half, when they were totally off color. Penticton ran the score up to 25-8 when Coles momentarily ran wild and snared two baskets, his only points of the night.

Then Penticton continued with five more baskets, some of them sensational shots, before Princeton staged i s final rally.

PENTICTON—J. Gibbs (1), Miller (4), Wilson (12), Rollo (6), Mc Dougall (8), R. Gibbs (4), Thom—35.

PRINCETON—Wright (4), Gregory (3), Coles (4), Wood (6), Scholefield (2), Cook, Garrison—19.

Referees—Andy Vaydo and Tim Armstrong.

STAR C's TO PLAY AT KEREMEOS

Princeton (Star) Senior C basketballers will make their first essay at outside competition on Monday when they tackle Keremeos in the orchard town. The Keremeos boys have been going well this year and are planning a hot reception for the boys from the up Valley town.

Princeton ladies will meet the Keremeos ladies.

The Nobility Gordie Joins

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Made Student Prince In the Big Town Sausage League

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DOWN in Vancouver big Jumbo McLean is doing some nice catching in the sausage league.

Gordie started the season as a refere in the Big Four, bu the moguls rested him one evening to give a trial to an umps who had blown back into the fold after a try-out in the pro games. Gordie shocked the big shots by turning out that night just the same—but in a Macabees' uniform.

Then one Mr. Mullett, who just radiates color, saw a spot of purple pig in Gordie, and drew him into the fold. Before you could say Auchtermuchty (can you?) Gordie was business manager of the league.

Gordie was attracted to these parts a few years ago when the Copper Mt. heads went gunning for ivory, and he proved himself very useful indeed, for there is so much of him that he kept the bench nice and warm for all the boys, and thereby acquired the monicker of "sixty minute Gordie" He played a little basketball here too.

We first lined up with Jumbo in a Vancouver—believe it or no —Sunday school league.

GOOD GAMES IN CITY HOOP LEAGUE

STAR C's and Cosmos showed best form in the City League warmning up games. The C's tried out several combinations, but at the same time managed to finish just ahead of the Travellers, 29-28, while Cosmos were much too good for the new Brewery team won 20-13.

There was not a great deal of good basketball in the Travellers' Star encounter, but there were several bright patches.

The Senior C entry failed to show exceptional form, but gave considerable promise, the sniping of McAlpine and Lansing being the feature.

The game was close all the way, with the Star taking the lead for the first time near the end.

TRAVELLERS—Wood (14), Gregory (8), Mitchell (2), Coulthard, Lawrence (4)—28.

STAR C'S—McAlpine (14), Vaydo (2), Samaan (2), Taylor (3), Lansing (8), Madore, Johnson, K. Dodd (2)—29.

With Wright on a scoring spree and the Brewery boys failing to strike anything like average form, the caanaries had little difficulty in winning the second exhibition.

The Hooker snared twenty points while Garrison and MacDonald had another ten between them. The Cosmos looked the class of the loop at times, and at others they played scrappily. Their lead was never in danger.

COSMOS—Wright(20), W. Garrison(4), MacDonald (6), Muir, Miller—30.

BREWERY—Coles. (4) A. Dodd (6) G. Gibson, K. Garrison (3), Lindsay—13.

BLAKEBURN GIRLS WANT GAMES

COME up and see us sometime. Blakeburn young ladies slip the hint—but cool off—it's not addressed to the men.

Blakeburn wishes it known that they have a snooty girls' hockey team up there, and, like Mae they want action.

Fact is, or appears to be, that they have two teams, the Rinkey Dinks and the Doo Dads. They have picked the fiercest and the reddest-haired to do battle on behalf of dear old Blakeburn against the rest of the civilized world and they compliment us by inferring that this includes Princeton.

They do, seriously, want games, and any ambitious aspirants should get in touch with them, as even in Blakeburn they don't play much hockey after 1st July.

Here are the names of the Blakeburn ladies, so you can understand how disappointed we were when we found the invitation was not a personal one:

Mrs. Malek, Miss Ashley. Isobel Pacey, Bety McWhirter, Mrs. Lafleche, Mary Barnes, Geraldine Bryden, P. Bryden, Frances Clue, H. Markle.

SIMILKAMEEN JUNIORS WIN

PRINCETON junior hockey team, aided and abetted by four intermediaate players stood off the challenge of the Summerland boys on Thursday, and came home with their scalps by a 5-3 score.

Princeton has been to the Okanagan in the past, and has lived to learn. Often they have come back empty handed. They have more than once played a junior game against a senior team. This time they took along four stalwarts just in case, and it was well that they did, for the fruitgrowers turned out the usual hefty team, and it made a nice game of it.

Princeton's older contingent did the balance of the damage, Pesut scoring three of their five goals and Kelly getting three assists. Caruso and F. Oreskovich had the other tallies.

All the local youngsters showed good form and the presence of the older fellows gave them plenty of confidence. The Similkameen boys held a comfortable edge throughout.

PRINCETON—W. Garrison. Joss Pesut, Burr, Kelly, F. Caruso. A. Caruso, Oreskovich, M. Garrison.

NO CITY LEAGUE GAMES ON MONDAY

There is talk of postponng the balance of the City League hoop schedule until after the completion of the in erior playoffs.

LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	Pts
Brewery	1	0	2
Star C's	1	0	2
High School	1	1	2
Cosmos	1	1	2
Travellers	0	2	0

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