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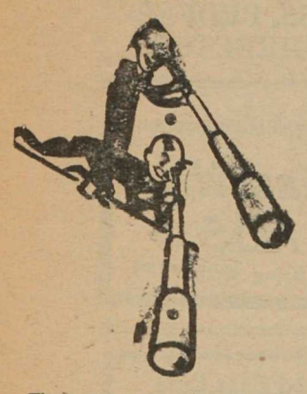
LOOKING IT OVER

AND OVERLOOKING PLENTY



There was a rare bit of controversy in the Dundee town council not so long ago. It concerned the limb (or limbs) of the law.

Some of the councillors wanted to know why Aberdeen, about the same size, could get along with fewer "bobbies" than the Jute city.

Various theories were introduced but none seemed to hold water to the canny Dundonians.

Then the chief of police was called in, and he put his foot in it by saying that Dundee was a more difficult town to police.

The councillors flared in righteous indignation. It looked like trouble.

The Lord Provost had been sitting back while the storm brewed. Suddenly the Scotsman's sense of humor saved a difficult situation.

"Och," says he, "The Aberdeen polismen tak longer steps."

And the incident was laughingly forgotten.

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We notice that a few of our High School hopefuls came pretty close to making the all-star team.

THE WEATHER

March	Max.	Min
29	57	33
30	59	32
31	57	31
April 1	45	32
2	59	39
3	64	24
4	66	25
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In Police Court

Louis Schulli, Princeton youth, was granted $500 bail on a charge of supplying liquor to a minor. He will appear Friday.

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Frank McLeod has been charged under Section 386 with theft of food from the Princeton Cafe.

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Failing to return clothing when he left relief camp, Ludwig Csapi has been charged with theft of government property.

And Say, Sally

[NOT FOR PUBLICATION]

DEAR SALLY—It hardly seems like a week since I wrote you, but then one is apt to lose track of the time over a holiday. It certainly was a real holiday at that, here. The boys cut loose on Saturday night when the first real money that has been seen for some time was floating around. Unfortunately, it was all water logged before it got my way. The old town is a whole lot better, and pretty soon people will be speaking to each other.

There was really nothing exciting in the old town over the week-end, though two of the boys got to arguing, and one beaned the other with a chair. It was only a matter of a yard or two of dress-making for Doc., but Andy wants to know who pays for the chair.

Did I tell you about Ed and Eddie They went to Penticton, but the dozen ran out before they got there. However, they found a filling station there all right. Ed looked quite washed up, poor fellow. He's so unsophisticated

Boy, you should have been at the softball meeting. Talk about the tower of Babel! Say, Shakespeare would have rewritten that if he had been on hand. There is going to be a real job getting a league, as the Brewery is in, and everybody wants to play for them. That's Wilf's hard luck, cause he is manager of another team, and will have to get a special dispensation to play for any other team. Joe was telling me he used to down two dozen at a sitting in the old days. I always was delicate. Jimmy says he doesn't see any sense in drinking beer; it is less work on four star. Joe says it is a labor of love. He sure is some Romeo in that case.

Pete says he is going grow a beard and play for the House of David. If it grows curly like his head did last year, he'll land in the big leagues. Bill says he wouldn't mind playing with them either. He thinks we don't know Babe Didrickson is on the roster. Mark thinks she's some kind of a juvenile movie star. He thinks the big dipper is what they use to skim the cream off the milky way.

I was going to tell you about the Blakeburn play, but I can't, on account of one of them is sore at me. Next week I'll tell you how I made her sore.

Well, so long, mama is waiting to tuck me in. Who's afraid of the big bad base drummer?

Lovingly,
EMALINE

TAKES CHARGE OF WILSON OPERATION

Robert Henderson, Former Cassidy Manager In Charge Here

OUTLOOK BRIGHT

To Superintend Both Wilson Properties

SIGNIFYING intentions to step up the scale of their local operations, the W. R. Wilson mining interests have obtained the services of Mr. Robert Henderson, well-known Vancouver Island man, to superintend both the Pleasant Valley and Blue Flame operations.

Mr. Henderson has already taken up his duties at Princeton.

Mr. Henderson comes to his new responsibilities with a fine reputation. He was manager of the Granby Consolidated's colliery at Cassidy, in the Nanaimo distrct, and is rated as an A-1 man. The Cassidy mine was closed some two years ago, having been worked out.

Look For Big Things

This step on the part of Mr. Wilson is decidedly good news for Princeton. It consolidates their local operation, and gives a good deal of comfort for the future security of the town.

It has long been realized that the payroll of the future for Princeton itself is in the Wilson operations. The grand old man of B. C. mining, however, has met with a few disappointments, and it is encouraging to note that developments have shown hs faith in this coal field to be justified.

Mr. Wilson, whose extensive interests extend from the Crow's Nest to the Ingenika country, and to Montana, entered the local field about six years ago, when he bought out several coal leases bounding the Tulameen river, and only a few hundred yards from the center of Princeton. He proceeded, in his usual thorough manner, to make elaborate preparations for a large operation. He built a splendid tipple, and it is estimated that he has spent well over $300,000 in development. Coal values were disappointing, however, and it was often wondered if Mr. Wilson's judgment had not been at fault for once. The quality of the coal has recently improved considerably, however, and we understand very recently there is even better news.

Consolidates Operation

Last fall, when the Blue Flame colliery, operating on Lamont creek, and extending to the boundaries of Mr. Wilson's Pleasant Valley leases, became involved in financial difficulties, Mr. Wilson bought this promising property under very attractive terms. It was generally accepted that this move consolidated his local operation. It has been well known that since that time Mr. Wilson's policy has been to co-ordinate both operations, and that a large-scale program has been embarked upon with this in view. The appointment of Mr. Henderson is a ramification of this plan. Mr. Thos. Cunliffe continues as manager of the Pleasant Valley mine, and Mr. Robt. Alstead at the Blue Flame, with Mr. Henderson as general superintendent.

Great things are expected of Mr. Henderson, and he appears to be just the man to do the job. He hails from the Hamilton district of Scotland, and has a wealth of practical experience. His record as a manager is a good one, and he has a reputation of being popular with the men.

His appointment it taken to signify the intention of Mr. Wilson to step up production, in vew of the improved demand for this coal.

THE PLOT THAT FAILED

EXAMINATIONS are and always have been the bugbear of school life, especially from the point of view of the schoolboy, so aptly painted by friend Shakespeare.

For many years youthful minds have labored in an effort to get round the difficulty. Everything from sore tonsils to dead Aunt Hattie's has been tried.

A Penticton high school student had a brain wave or smelt a rat, or what have you; but—

Examinations were due to commence on Thursday. When the staff arrived on Wednesday morning it almost knocked them over. Someone had liberally besprinkled every classroom with skunk oil.

But the best laid plans of mice and men, and even that infinitely superior species, the high school student, sometimes skip a beat.

Instead of being sent home due to impending death from unnatural causes the students were ordered to proceed as usual—and open windows and doors were the only relief.

After that, more than the teachers were looking for the skunk oil merchant.

Julian Well Known In The Similkameen

C. C. JULIAN, the fugitive oil magnate, who last week ended a colorful career by poisoning himself in Shanghai, was no stranger in the Similkameen.

It will be recalled that during his Vancouver enterprise, he became interested in the Dornberg properties at Summit Camp, Tulameen, and visited this section more than once. On one occasion, it is recalled, he created a sensation by chartering a plane from Vancouver and landing on Tulameen lake.

Easter Music At St. Paul's Church

EASTER THEME was musically portrayed at St. Paul's United Church on Sunday. Two anthems were sung by the choir, while Messrs Foster, Paul, Francis, Bamford and Rowlett also combined in a special rendition. Mr. W. Francis gave a violin solo. Mrs. R. M Irwin was at the organ. Rev. J. C. Goodfellow delivered the Easter message There was a large congregation.

Saw Wonderful Changes In Canadian Standards

Blakeburn Play To Show At Princeton

BLAKEBURN players will present "Only Sally Ann" in the Capitol theatre on Tuesday, 10th April.

This delightful comedy-drama created a sensation a Blakeburn a fortnight ago, and the presentation has been arranged in response to scores of requests.

Arrangements have also been completed for a performance in Vancouver, an event that will make history in so far as entertainment efforts in this community are concerned.

In the absence of Father Freney, who directed the play until his departure, Father A. F. Carlyle will be in charge. There is nothing like success for uncovering talent, and it now develops that Father Carlyle had considerable experience in dramatics in earlier life

MANY ATTEND BAND CONCERT

PRINCETON BAND was accorded a royal reception by an appreciative public when it made its first professional bid with a concert and dance on Easter Monday.

One of he largest crowds of the year turned out and was treated to a fine evening's entertainment, which it warmly applauded.

The band rendered several selections, and showed commendable form. The public by its generous support endorsed it as a community asset.

Under the baton of Ed. S. D. Hughes the band played several marches, waltzes and more serious numbers.

Assisting artists contributed in no small degree to the evening's success. Both as a vocalist and a violinist, Mr. William Francis scored his usual success, and Mr. B. Rowlett, vocalist, was also heard to advantge. Both are established favorites with Princeton audiences. Mrs. R. M. Irwin as always was an efficient accompanist.

Three charming Princeton lasses delighted with Scottish dances. They were Isobel Sim, Barbara Rintoul and Primy McConnell.

The band has uncovered a real diamond of hidden talent in Dr. J. D. Butler, its respected president. The

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Mrs. Nesbitt of Penticton Is Philosophical At Ninety-Two

TO sit contentedly at the fireside, with a much-petted cat purring in one's lap, to read the papers, to smell fresh flowers on the table, and to chat with one's children on one's 92nd birthday is an experience it is not the privilege of many to enjoy. But Mrs. Henrietta Nesbitt of Penticton, who is well known to many in this section of the Similkameen, (a grand-daughter taught at the Five Mile school) did that and on the anniversary philosophically gaze back over a life of varied experiences, on Thursday, 29th March, 1934.

A host of admirers rose to wish the venerable old lady "many happy returns."

Old age may have brought a mellowed vision to Mrs. Nesbitt, but it has certainly brought neither feebleness or regret. Wth every sense virtually unimpaired, quick of wit and clear of memory, Mrs. Nesbitt is able to look back over a wide ocean of experiences and reflect that life has been—and is—good.

For, with the memories of pioneer days in the Canadian north west, the comforts and conveniences of the present day look, to her, luxurious indeed.

Came to Canada 87 Years Ago

Mrs. Nesbitt's maiden name was Kenny. Her father was Irish and her mother English. Although born in Leicester, she remembers very little of the Old Land, for at the early age of five she boarded the sailing ship "Intrinsic", Capt. Davis in command, and set out for a new and strange land.

In 1844—about the time that James Douglas, then a trader, was establishing a post on Vancouver Island, and British and American governments were hotly disputing the possession of the Oregon-British Columbia section, landed at Montreal and pushed inward to the wilds of Upper Canada (Ontario).

The crossing of the Atlantic was in itself no mean adventure in those days. Sea-worthy enough, the old sailing ships were not the all-weather floating hotels of to-day. For example, the passengers had to provide their own food—not an altogether inviting experience through six weeks of storm-tossed travel.

At Montreal they embarked once more, but this time the sailing was much more pleasant, with the green banks of the mighty St. Lawrence never failing to attract.

For three years Mr. Nesbitt taught school at Cobourg, and then decided to push farther west. They broke their journey at Toronto, then a very small settlement, just recovering from an epidemic which took a heavy toll of the population.

Another boat journey brought the family to Hamilton, where they packed their possesions into wagons and jogged over rough roads to Paris, where Mr. Kenny again taught school.

The virgin bush of Upper Canada presented a strange contrast to the smooth high ways and electrified cities of to-day. The air was fra-

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Educatlonalist Spoke At Teachers' Parley

DR. G. M. WEIR

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S Minister of Education. Formerly a professor at the University of British Columbia, he has in his first session introduced some of the most advanced ideas on education ever heard on the floor of a legislature. Addressing the B. C. Teachers' convention this week, he held that education should be standardized and made more international in scope.

STRUCK MAN WITH CHAIR

FEELING flared in Princeton Sautrday and resulted in one man receiving medical treatment for a gashed head and wrist, and another being charged with assault. Both were foreigners.

"Red" profesions were said to have been at the root of the trouble. The men engaged in an argument in the Tulameen beer parlor, one suddenly seizing achair, which he broke over the other's head, opening a scalp wound which required four stitches. Dr. Naden attended. The victim had put up his hand to protect his head, and a blood vessel in the wrist was also severed.

The case will likely come to hearing Friday.

Keremeos W.I. In AnActive Sesslon

KEREMEOS ladies turned out in large numbers for the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute in the W. I. room Wednesday. Many visitors were present. Plans were discussed for the Easter dance.

An enjoyable attraction was provided at the conclusion of the regular business, when stories of pioneer days in the lower valley were related by Mesdames A. Kirby, E. M. Daly and H. Tweddle and M. Clarke.

A delicious tea was served by Mesdames J. L. Armstrong, W. G. Smith and J. C. Clarke.

COMING EVENT

Girl Guides' Tea, Parish Hall, Saturday, 14th April.

ALL HAPPY AS TULMEEEN MINE OPENS

Men Went Back To Work This Week, and Prospe ts are Good

PRODUCING AGAIN

Long Spell of Operation Is Hoped For

TULAMEEEN Coal Mine has resumed operations.

Number Two incline, the main working section of the mine was opened to workmen on Wednesday, and at the Princeton office of the operating company it was announced that the mine had "re-opened for continuous production."

It was the best news for depression-scarred Princeton in months.

In line with negotiations between the men and the representatve of the directors, maintenance and repair men went out in increasing numbers Friday Saturday and Monday. Coal was produced on Monday.

Everybody Happy

"Summer work" stated Manager T. M. Wilson in his best official style as he was asked what the program was. Then the venerable man who weighs every word whispered something in the official ear.

"Oh aye." added the official one, his camouflage deserting him. Then added, in serious tone and dress-suit language. "Continuous production."

But that slip did it. The cautious, formal manager of the past eight weeks suddenly became Tom Wilson again, even to a chiel', takin' notes. And one saw that he had, though still clinging to the official air, shaken off a load of anxiety and was hapy again, just as everybody in Princeton seemed to be.

There was a real atmosphere of rejoicing in Princeton as the mine re-opened. It was one of those psychological atmospheres that you could not describe, but real enough to be cut with a knife. It was the brightest Saturday night Princeton has seen in many months.

Wage arrears have been fully met, and needless to say, all cheques have been honored by the bank.

As You Were

Apparently things are to slip into gear just as when they slowed down to a halt through financial complications.

The Tulameen Coal Mines Ltd. are still the operators, and as far as outward appearances there is no change either in internal organizationo or in policy.

Its position has been considerably strengthened by the advance of more capital. It is generally taken for granted that the man responsible is Mr. Schultz, who was here at the week-end to arrange the re-opening.

Employs 50 Men

The property did not suffer much by the shut-down, according to Manager Wilson. Pumps were, of course, kept in operation.

Outlook for the mine is favorable. There is a considerable tonnage of coal blocked out, and the fact that the Company has just put considerably more capital into the operation is a fair indication that it will be anxious to operate on as large a scale as possible.

With a written agreement between the management and the local union, there seems to be adequate insurance against labor complications.

The property employs about 50 men.

Beautiful weather continues It is surely the finest spring in recent years

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"It Is An Outrage"

IN the Provincial house just before prorogation, Maj. D. M. Mackay, Liberal member for Cariboo, asked what many British Columbia taxpayers will consider a pertinent question.

The member for Cariboo levelled his sights on the $4200 annuity Mr. F. A. Pauline receives as former agent-general for this province.

We have no particular aversion to Mr. Pauline, or to the Conservative party; we concede that Mr. Pauline may reasonably have given a few years of valuable service to the province as agent general, and a few more than that to his party; but we do not see why that is good and sufficient reason, while interest rates on our government debt are beyond our ability to meet them, why Mr. Pauline should be paid $4200 a year for nothing. We can't afford it ,and no country where there is honest government can.

The position of agent-general may be a perfectly useful and honorable one, and the man who fills the post may be worth every bit of his salary. But we do not see why a man who got a job on the strength of his politics, and lost it for the same reason, should be paid $4200 a year out of our hard earned taxes, in "heart balm", while hundreds of needs clamor for attenion, needs that woud open up our country and enhance our prosperity.

"It is an outrage!", said the Cariboo member; and B. C. taxpayers will echo the sentiment.

It would be interesting to know, when presented with figures showing how much our goverment costs us, just how much our politics cost us: just how much money is spent for necessary services, and how much to satisfy political obligations.

British Columbia can not afford and should not tolerate such outrages. Major Mackay is in the proper place to stop them.

CHURCHES

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SUNDAY, 8th APRIL
Mass—8:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Benediction—7:30 p.m.
TULAMEEN—Rabbitt's Ranch
Saturday, 13th April, 8 a.m.
ST. MARY'S, BLAKEBURN
Sunday, 14th April, 8 a.m.

I am very happy to be in this district again, and to take up my residence at Princeton and Blakeburn. I hope that all our people will rally round and help to get our work upon a good, solid foundation; and on my part, I shall do my best to meet the needs of our Catholic communities. Easter is the best time to start in again with fresh vigour and resolution.

A. F. CARLYLE,
Pastor

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True heroes seek no medals.

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Safety often lies in silence.

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The heart often fools the head.

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Envy is an admission of inferiority.

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In deceiving others we deceive ourselves.

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Lose your temper and you lose the argument.

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Generosity often is merely a bid for popularity.

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One is rarely as glad or as miserable as he thinks he is.

Scottish Entertainer Pleases Audience

SCOTTISH humor, road and pawky, was delight fully portrayed by Andrew Murdison, the Toronto entertainer, who is on a tour of Western Canada.

Mr. Murdison proved himself a finished entertainer, and showed a canny appreciation of a Scottish psychology and a great versitility in portraying widely contrasting types. He kept his audience in a continual chuckle. It was half in what he said, and half n how he said it. Both in song and in story he was enjoyable.

His very appearance was enough to put one in a good humor.

Assisting local artists did a lot to lend color to the performance. Piper Jock Miller of Coalmont gave three selections, and three bonny we'uns in Isobel Sim, Barbara Rintoul and Primy McConnell danced picturesquely. Mr. and Mrs. W. Foster sang "The Crookit Bawbee."

LEGALS

MINERAL ACT
(FORM F)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

LIVERPOOL Mineral Claim, situate in the Similkameen Mining Division of Yale District.

Where located:On the left bank of Bear Creek about three miles from its mouth and joining the St. Lawrence Mineral Claim on the south.

Take notice that I, P. W. Gregory, B.C.L.S. acting as agent for L. Marcotte, FM.C. No.76641 D, N McDonald, F.M.C. No. 76732 D, Alice James F.M.C. No. 76617 D, A. A. Price, F M.C. No. 67779 D, and Emma W. Cook, F.M.C. No. 76732 D, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 28th day of February,
P. W.GREGORY

NOTICE

Invitation to all Catholics in the District to meet Father Carlyle, Parish Hall, Princeton, Thursday, 12th April, 1934, 8-10 p.m.

Emergencies

DRUG STORE—Week days: 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays and holidays: 11 a.m. to 12 noon; 7 to 9 p.m. Phone 15; Night (emergency) 73.
HOSPITAL—Phone 25
DOCTORS—Dr. J. R. Naden: 23. Dr. D. McCaffrey (coroner): 20
POLICE—Phone 39L, or Central
FIRE—Phone Central

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COALMONT—Blakeburn ,Tulameen
Daily, except Monday—6 p.m.
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Canning The Squeal

Civilized people in Princeton got an awful start the other morning. They thought that the fire siren had developed a cold, or that all Pete's baby porkers had gone on the Easter parade. When they looked out, however, they saw a figure like the pie-eyed piper dressed(?) in half a skirt cut off at the depression, blowing into a football with four horns. Somebody said it was one of the Blakeburn Scotchmen.

George thought it was a new fangled sausage machine in reverse. "Here she comes, boys," he says, "there goes the squeal; pretty soon the pig will come out."

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THE TELEPHONE BROUGHT THE EGGS IN A JIFFY

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Mrs. Currycrumb consulted her recipe book and noted that three eggs were required for the cake she was planning to make.

"Oh, dear!" she said. "I have n't an egg in the house, and I'd hate to go out this morning. It's just pouring."

Thanks to her telephone, Mrs. Currycrumb got the eggs without venturing out in the rain. A call to the corner grocery store brought the eggs in a jiffy.

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Leaves Vancouver 6:45 p.m. Daily
Leaves Princeton 4:05 a.m. Daily
Arrives Nelson 8:45 a.m. Daily

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PRINCETON STAR

Life Still Looks Good At 92 Years of Age

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grant with wood-smoke as pioneers hewed out homes in the wilderness. Wagons were built for wear rather than comfort, and had no springs, and most things were in the same category. To produce sustenance for man and beast was the predominant problem.

When Fires Were Valued

Illumination was provided by home-made tallow candle. There were no matches, fire being produced by use of flint and tinder. Embers were safely guarded, and great care was taken to see that fires did not burn out. It was no uncommon thing for a member of the family to be sent to a neighbor's for a pail of embers.

All sewing had to be done by hand, and this included virtually all the clothing needs of the family—and in those days it took more sewing to make a dress than with to-day's fashions. Some of the skirts measured five or six yards around the bottom and were elaborately trimmed with flounces and tucks.

It was not, indeed, Mrs. Nesbitt recalls, until several years after she was married that she saw her first sewing machine. She purchased one of thefirst two machines brought across to Point Edward. It was a Howe, the first make of machine on the market. She paid $50 for it—considered a lot of money in those days.

Part of Mrs. Nesbitt's girlhood was spent in the first frame house in that district. The nails had been packed o nhorseback from Londan, Ont.

It was a day never to be forgotten when the first puffing train came through over the Grand Trunk line.

When The Prince Came

Another event that stands out in the venerable lady's memory is the visit to Canada of the Prince of Wales, later King Edward VII. The visit of a Prince meant even more then than to-day, and the entertainments given in his honor were elaborate affairs. Great thought did the ladies give to what should be worn, and no doubt many miles of thread was expectantly sewn. The long trails of the dancing gowns of those days dusted the floors well, the old lady observes, with a faint smile

It will be recalled that Princeton took its name from the interest aroused by this royal visit.

Came West In 1899

At the age of 21, Henrietta Kenny became Mrs. Nesbitt.

For a number of years she and her late husband—who passed on in Moose Jaw a few years ago—lived in Ontario, where seven sons and two daughters were born.

The frontier by this time had been pushed westward, and in 1899 the family took up a homestead on the Saskatchewan prairie near Moose Jaw. It was again a pioneer life—but an enjoyable one. There was, Mrs. Nesbitt observes, a satisfaction and contentment about life in those days that is rarely found to-day, among so many artificial comforts

About nine years ago Mrs Nesbitt came with her daughter, Miss Ida Nesbitt, to Penticton. A son also resides there. Besides the family of nine, there are forty grandchildren and twenty great-grand children.

At the age of 84 Mrs. Nesbitt underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract and now reads quite readily

Life takes on a different color when one sees this grand old lady, happily and gratefully rounding out an active life among apreciated comforts — enjoying the newspaper and the automobile and the radio.

And as she looks back over the years, she is not slow to urge that we are living in a wonderful age, and have a great deal to be thankful for. She frankly says that the women of to-day do not know what work means.

Similkameen Social and Personal

BLAKEBURN

Mrs. R. E. Rhodes is a patient in the Princeton hospital

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F. M. Barnes and family departed this week for a two months' holiday at the Coast, including a motor trip to Spokane.

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Mr. Jas. C Logan of Vancouver s spending a few weeks in Blakeburn, the guest of Mr .and Mrs. W. H. Logan, Barnes' Camp.

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Miss K McLeod of Coamont is spending the Easter Holidays here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Oxley.

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Miss Avery, Miss Ashley and Mr. Gillanders of the teaching staff are spending the holidays at their respective homes in Vancouver. Mr. Fitzpatrick remained at Blakeburn.

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Mr. F. M. Barnes has ceased logging operations for the next two months.

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AUXILIARY HOLDS BAZAAR

The ladies of the United Church W. A. held a bazaar in the public school last Friday night. The sale of sewing, randies and home cooking was very successful, and within half an hour the tables were cleared. Tea was served in another room and fortunes were read to those desiring to "know their future."

CAWSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Pettipiece and sons, Percy and Orval, were in Penticton Saturday.

Mr. A Ritchie went to Penticton Friday.

Chris Tickell of Kelowna visited S. R. Manery and family last week

Mr. A. Prentice returned from Oregon, where he has spent the winter with his sons

BARN DANCE ENJOYED

The Community Social Club gave a barn dance in the Cawston Community Hall Saturday night. An enjoyable evening was spent playing games and dancing. Refreshments were served.

A number of the young people attended the Easter Monday dance at Keremeos.

Misses Verna MacDonald and Marie Nielson and Messrs Albert Neilson and Billy Beecroft rode horseback to Chopaka last Sunday

Mr. Suiter of Sterling Creek was a visitor last week.

Princeton Paragraphs

☆ITEMS FOR THIS COLUMN WELCOMED.
—PHONE 36—

Miss M. Batstone was a Princeton visitor Saturday.

Mrs. J. G. Biggs has returned after a visit with her son and daugter-in-law in Merritt.

A number of Princeton young people celebrated Easter Monday with a hike.

Mr. John Wood is spending the Easter vacation at his home in Penticton.

Miss M. J. Gray, teacher at the Copper Mt. school, is spending the holidays in Vancouver.

Mr Schultz of the Tulameen Coal Mines, Ltd., was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. R. Turner, during his Princeton stay.

Mrs. H. Hunter has returned from a visit to the Coast. She says the orchards are in bloom and potatoes six inches high.

Mr. Walter McDonald was down from the Hope Road camp on Tuesday. He hopes to do some work on his claims on Nickel Pate Mt. this summer.

Rev. Father T. P. Freney left by auto on Tuesday for his home in Rossland where he will visit for a few days prior to leaving for Vancouver, where he will undergo a serious operation.

After an absence of nearly a year, Rev. Father A. F. Carlyle returned from extensive travels on the Continent and resumed his work here. He is looking the picture of health and says he is glad to be back again. He proposes to move into Mrs. Levack's house.

HEDLEY

Mr. G. Crockett returned to Vancouver after spending several days pospecting in Hedley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claire Loomer of Penticton have been spending part of their Easter Holidays in town, visiting friends and relatives

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Miss Nora Guinan of Jura was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. P. G. Wright.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Mairhoffer and Mr. and Mrs. A. Magner and son returned on Monday after spending several days visiting friends in Republic and Spokane.

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Mrs. L. Sumner has returned to her home after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Edmonds.

Mr. R. W. Aylett of the Stemwinder Mining Co. is spending the Easter holiday at the Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Prest of the Nickel Plate mine spent the week-end in Princeton.

A large number of Hedley people attended the Easter Monday dance in Keremeos. A good time was reported by all.

Sterling Creek

Mr. and Mrs. J. F, Suiter and family were dinner guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Unwin

Spring arrived in Sterling Creek on 25th March, when Mr. Ambrose Tree drove the first car as far as the Suiter residence.

SIMILKAMEEN SCHOOL SPORTS ASSOCIATION

NOTICE

At the instruction of the President, and in accordance with the Constitution, the Annual General Meeting of the Similkameen School Sports Association will be held in

The School House
Hedley, B. C.
Friday, 13th April 1934
at the hour of 8 p.m.

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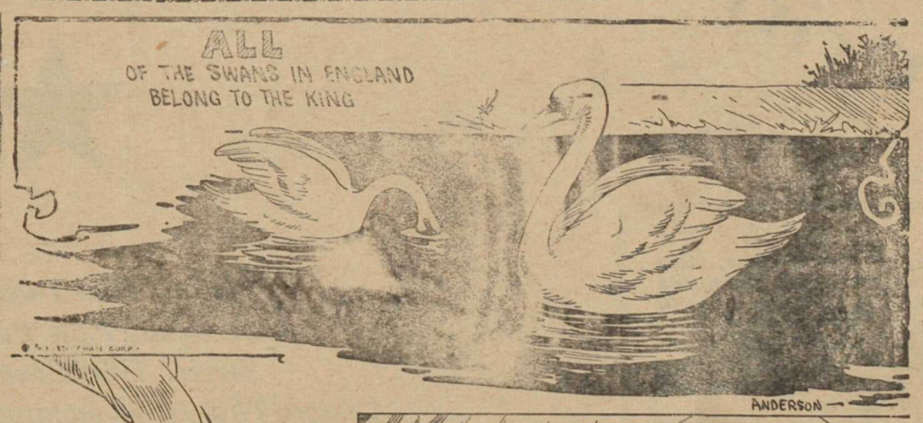

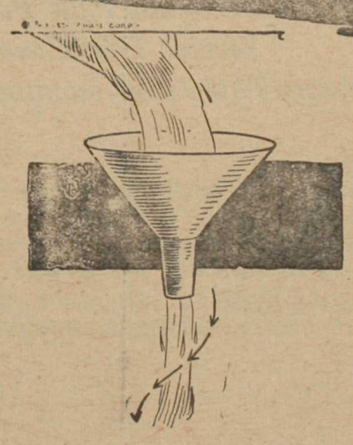

WATER POURED THROUGH A FUNNEL WILL WHIRL TO THE RIGHT, IN THE NORTHERN HEMISPHERE AND TOWARD THE LEFT IN THE SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE

CLEOPATRA HAD NO SOAP—SHE 'BATHED' BY RUBBING HER BODY WITH OIL AND SCRAPING IT OFF

CAPITOL THEATRE

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STAR SPORTS

SOFTBALL IS ORGANIZED

Five Team Loop Is Planned; Boys Get Down To Business

A FIVE TEAM league operated along organized lines is expected to give Princeton plenty of good softball during the coming summer.

The new sport, which has taken a prominent place in the local sport firmament in the past year or two, was for the first time put on an organized basis at a well attended meeting of prospective players on Wednesday night.

The game will be governed by an elected committee and played under approved rules.

The series will be semi-competitive, for while a regular league series will be played between five teams representing local business establishments, teams will be balanced by the committee instead of entered at will In this way it is hoped to give more players advantage of even competition.

Prospective teams are: Rhodes', Telephones, Princeton Garage, Overwaitea and Brewery. Managers are respectively :E. J. Rhodes, C. Boulier, W. E. Madore, W. Maxwell, and a man to be named by the Brewery.

Committee In Charge

Responsibility for the conduct of the league was saddled on an elected committee, which was given wide, but defined powers.

They will conduct the business of the league and adjudicate in case of dispute They will be guided by a set of local rules covering administrative and field points. These rules are to be compiled by the executive and submitted for consideration to a general meeting. They will cover such matters as registration, substitutions, defauts, protests, transfers, ground rules and the like.

The executive comprises three elected officers and a representative from each of the competing teams.

Teams will be competing for the Star cup. No arrangements were made regarding the shedule or playoffs, nor was the opening date set.

A list is to be opened in Rhodes' Garage, on which all who wish to play are required to sign. From this list the executive will select the teams by any method they see fit. A trial round may be played, to guage the strength of the teams.

Definite arrangements for the competition are in the hands of the executive, subject to approval of a further general meeting to be called by the chair.

After that the committee will hold the reins.

This year the boys are not overlooking the sheckels. A fund is to be started, with an original contribution of twenty-five cents from each player who signs up. Collections are to be taken at the games.

It is expected that play will get away during April.

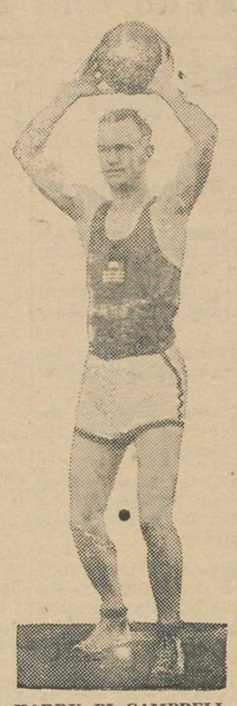
Officers

President—E. J. Rhodes.
Vice-president—W. E Madore
Secretary—M. Gregory

Managers

Rhodes'—E. J. Rhodes
Telephones—C. Boulier.
Princeton Garage—W. Madore
Overwaitea—W. Maxwell
Brewery—

Naughty Boy



HARRY PI CAMPBELL
The bad boy of basketball who lost his temper again on Saturday night. Jerry spank.

School Sports Body To Meet Friday

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Similkameen School Sports Association has been announced for Friday, 13th April, in the School House, Hedley, B. C.

This Association conducts the anual track and field meet of the Similkameen Valley schools. Each school in the district is entitled to two voting delegates.

They Admit He's A Curler

And Rolf Arthur Has Quite A Record

TO win three major competitons out of four may be just one of those things to Rolf Arthur, but to the average person, and especially to openhearted addicts of the roarin' game, it's guid curlin'.

When he skipped his rink to the Grand Challenge shield in this week's bonspiel of the Princeton Curling Club, Mr. Arthur hung up just such a record. And as he has been doing things of a similar, although less salutory nature since the infernal sport got away here some four years ago, it is perhaps time he was given credit for being a curler.

Mr. Arthur picked his own rink for the 'spiel, but the two other rinks he skipped to victory his season were drawn from the hat. So there is perhaps something in it.

The victories included the Coles cup, inter-rink championship, the best all round test of the season. His rink lost only one game. And is T. B. Iefflink. Then new rinks were picked for a double knockout. He won that too. He also won the Coles cup on a former occasion. It is just possible that he won a game or two before coming to these parts, too.

An incident from a final game: Skipper Arthur has the last rock. There is no need to throw, as his rink is already one rock to the good, and that is the winning point of the game. The opponents have one rock alongside. To make the lead two, he must displace that rock. A few inches out and he will move his own ace, and make the opponents' rock the matchwinner. An unnecessary effort and perhaps a foolish risk, but he has the curler's psychology. He essays the shot, clips the opponents' last rock alongside his other for a two. That's curling.

This year the prime consideration will be whether the meet will be held in the fall. as per last year's new departure, or whether it will revert to the spring as formerly.

According to the rotating schedule, Keremeos has the meet this year.

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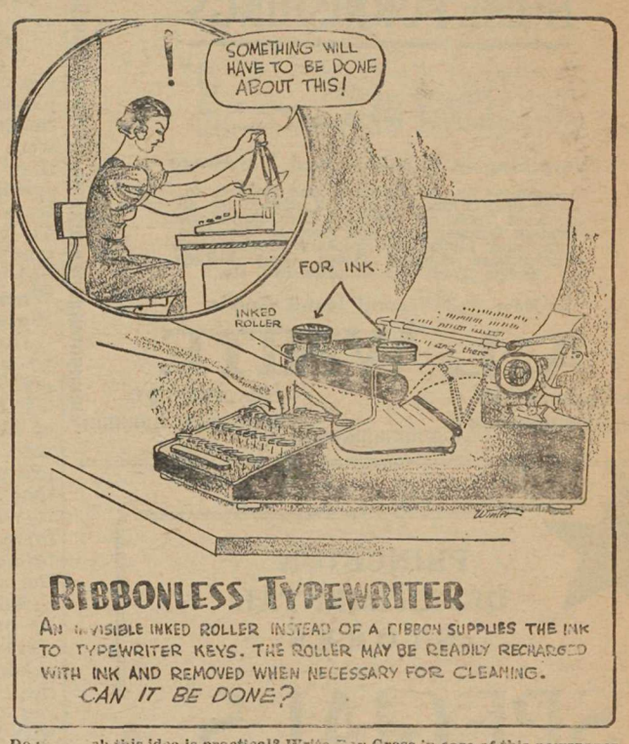

Do you think this idea is practical? Write Ray Gross in care of this newspaper

BAAD CONCERT (C't'd)

Doctor is as efficient in the chair as when he has someone else in it.

Following the concert, dancing was enjoyed, the orchestra donating its services.

As a result of this fine support, the band netted a tidy profit on its endeavor, and is in a position and a humor to perform an even greater public service

Programme

Band Selections: (1), March, "Our Special". Jewell; Andante and Waltz, "Admiration", Ripley; Overture "Searchlight" Ripley.

Vocal Solo—"I'll Find My Paradise", B. Rowlett.

Band Selection—"Tenth Regiment.", Hall.

Band Selection—Serenade, "Violets", Ripley.

Violin Solo—"Hope Told A Flattering Tale", W. Francis.

Band Selections (1) March, "King Pin", Rosembaum. (2) Reverie, "Whispering Leaves", Weidt; (3) "Dance of the Teddy Bears", Weidt

Vocal Solo—"Vale" and "On The Road To Mandalay", M. Francis.

Band Selection—Waltz, "Flower Queen"—Weidt.

March, "The Princeton Band", Hughes.

BLAKEBURN'S St. Patrick Masquerade, conducted by that grand old Irish organization, the Caledonian Society, was again an outstanding success, although comparatively few were masked.

Best dressed—Mrs. G. Murray, Mrs. McLaren.

Comic—Mrs. E. J. Rhodes, A. Angstadt.

Best home-made—Mrs. LaFleche

Best original—Cecil Rhodes

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Girls' prize—Pat Gilmour.

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