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BIRTHS

MITCHELL—To Mr. and Mrs. G. Mitchell of Princeton at the Princeton Hospital on Thursday, 19th January, a daughter.

LOWE—To Mr .and Mrs. R. Lowe of Hedley, at the Princeton Hospital on Tuesday, 17th January a daughter.

EDWARDS — To Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards of Blakeburn, at the Princeton Hospital on Sunday, 15th January, a daughter.

FRANCIS—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Francis of Princeton at Princeton Hospital, on Sunday, 15th January, a son.

KENWARD — To Mr and Mrs. E. Kenward of Princeton, at the Princeton Hospital, on Monday, 9th January, a son.

SHENTON—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Shenton of Princeton at the Princeton Hospital, on Sunday 8th January, a daughter.

POLICE BLOTTER

Liquor in Cafe—

The evils of wine and women—Jack Gulliford, Princeton youth, drew a bottle in a local cafe, drew the ire of a Constable who happened to be nearby, and drew six weeks at Oakalla, from Magistrate Nochils. The young man had just returned from a term for a statutory offence.

Willful Damage—

Charged with willful damage to property, Eleanor Mary Paton paid a $50 fine in police court . She was represented by counsel but entered no defense.

WEDDINGS

Wilkinson-Loski

The wedding was solemnized in the United Church, Princeton, on Friday, 6th January, Rev. J. C. Goodfellow officiating, of Ethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Loski of Princeton and Mr. John Wilkinson of Copper Mtn., son ofMr. and Mrs. T. J. Wilkinson of Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson will reside at Copper Mtn.

OBITUARY

Kerrence Ferguson Curran

Death occurred in Vancouver at the family residence of Kerrence Ferguson Curran, father of Mr. Roy Curran of Princeton. Death overtook the fine old man a day following his 85th birthday.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Miss Ethel Curran, at home, Mrs. R. H. Quinn of Vancouver, and one son, Mr. Roy Curran of Princeton. A brother, A. J. Curran, and a sister, Mrs. Wm. Murray of Moncton, N.B. also survive.

Funeral services were held in Vancouver, interment being in the family plot at Mountain View Cemetery, Saturday, 7th.

JUST THREE YEARS

Attacker of Perley Russell Confesses All and Gets Light Sentence

A STORY that flashed on a dark evening last November and set quiet little Princeton into a vengeful flurry petered out this week as Perley Russell, sparse, white-haired pioneer store-keeper moved back into familiar quarters, bearing vivid marks of his tragic experience; and Gordon McKenzie, 25-year old ne'er-do-well and confessed brutal assailant, moved off to the big house for a three year stretch. And folks in and about Princeton, where kindly old Perley is a living idol, muttered harsh things about "justice" and actively moved to urge the Attorney-General to stiffen the punishment.

But there were dramatic interludes between the first and final chapters—anxious days when the friendly old fellow from the corner store, weak from shock and loss of blood after merciless beating on the head with a hammer, lay betwixt; pulsing moments when the police combed the town until, four hours after the revolting burglary that gave Princeton its worst crime shock in years, they had the virtually unknown McKenzie locked up with the goods on him so strong that one of the best criminal lawyers in B.C. realized the futility of entering any defense at all; then the tragic sequel in Vancouver when their three-month-old babe dropped from the arms of Mc Kenzie's young wife to the dark waters of False Creek under Burrard Bridge, and the hysterical 22-year old mother wandered into the metropolitan police station and told a sordid story that screamed from the front pages of the city dailies.

Perley was back at the old stand, acknowledging warm greetings; Mc Kenzie, too, was back at the old stand, and the young mother, on bail on a technical charge of manslaughter which will probably not be pressed seemed to have gained much of her composure. At any rate, we learned enough of the Vancouver couple to discount a lot of the sob stories. McKenzie apparently comes from a good and fairly well to do family. He has lived loosely, and was in jail at 20, and more than half of the five years that followed has been spent there. For years he has suffered from an abnoxious disease. Neither his appearance nor that of his wife is that of depravity. The families of both live in Vancouver, and the McKenzies are apparently well enough off to send a well known lawyer—son of a supreme court judge—all the way from Vancouver to enter a plea of guilty—and for leniency. The young couple has a circle of friends, and when the sorry wife saw her husband off to trial the conversation was of New Year parties and she had $25 in her purse.

PREMIER PATTULLO
is in Ottawa again, talking roads and Southern B.C. is wondering why he never talks Hope-Princeton Maybe this year.

On the other side, in court she and neighbors told of a bare existence on relief, with the only covering for herself and her three babies a shanty through which rain leaked so badly that she could not prepare the baby's bath.

"You might very well have been here on a murder charge," said Judge Kelley. He delivered fatherly advice and announced a term of three years in the penitentiary.

McKenzie sat through the hearing with little show of emotion. He wore a black suit of good material, with pin stripe, and in good taste. He was intelligently groomed Of slender build, medium height, with straight black hair, well kept, and sallow complexion, his dark eyes showed instability. Occasionally he put a hand to his face. He spoke in a quiet, medium-deep voice

When asked if he had any questions of the witnesses he half rose and said "No, Your Honor."

Only twice did he vary this procedure. Of Corp. Halliday he asked "What happened to my wife that night?" Magistrate Nichols reminded him that he must confine himself to the evidence, but Corporal Halliday explained that Mrs. Mc McKenzie had been locked up for the night but released the next day

When Magistrate Nichols announced committal, McKenzie said he wanted to get in touch with his lawyer.

The trial two days later was little more than a formality. Paul Murphy, Vancouver barrister, acting for McKenzie, entered a plea of guilty and then pleaded for leniency. A. D. C. Washington appeared for the Crown.

Back at the old stand, some 40 pounds lighter, Perley was anxious enough to forget the whole thing. There's not much wrong with Perley's nerves, and it doesn't bother him now he says, though it did for a while.

He outfitted the boy, gave him his house to live in, found him a job. Bitter? He smiled as he said "Well, if I'd done it, they'd have probably hanged me."

Perley says he has seen men prowling about the place before, but they have fled on sighting him

The building was in darkness. He became aware that there was someone there, and suspected boys. As he rounded the counter he was attacked. "I had enough and lay down." He does not recall his pockets being searched.

The trial was a virtual walk-away for the police. Unchallenged, they pieced together bits of circumstantial evidence, but their real dynamite, an alleged confession by the accused, remains locked up as an exhibit. Its admission was unchallenged.

Presented as in McKenzie's own handwriting, it describes in detail how McKenzie twice entered the store, each time picking the lock with bits of celluloid. Getting only 50c from the cash register, he observed the outer door of the safe was open, the inner door locked.

He went home for his hammer and purch and was at work when the 65-year old manager entered.

The confession describes the attack with a hammer, thereafer thrown into the Tulameen river. It also admits burglarizing the Light & Power office and the Princeton Brewery.

Dr. D. McCaffrey described five severe scalp wounds, and said that the attack might easily have proven fatal. For several days the patient was in a complete daze and would be permanently affected.

Sergeant D. Halcrow said that in searching garments in the McKenzie home he recovered $57, in similar bills to what Mr. Russell had said were in his pocket. He had had $67.00

Const. E. Nelson said that on answering a call at 6:10 p.m. on the evening of 24th November he found all doors, etc. of the Cook store secured. There was a pool of blood in the center of the floor and near it a gray felt hat and a wrist watch Lock of the inner door of the safe was broken. At 10 p.m. same evening McKenzie was searched and a return ticket to Vancouver found.

On 28th November accused called him and said he wanted to make a confession. Witness promised to bring Corp. Halliday to see him.

Witness was present at the conversation and explained that Mc Kenzie was carefully warned. The confession was written and signed by McKenzie on the morning of the twenty-ninth.

At 11 p.m. on the night of 24th Const. Nelson, Const. Lines and Const. Stewart searched the Mc Kenzie home. They found a pair of gloves, recently washed, mackinaw coat, brown hat, and pair of

McKenzie's Score

1933—29th June, Vancouver. Theft of Overcoat—3 months.
1933 — 3rd October, Victoria, theft, over $25, 2 years.
1933—3rd October, Vancouver, House breaking, 2 years (concurrent).
1936—22nd April, Vancouver—House breaking, 18 months.
1938—8th June, Vancouver—Theft of merchandise. 3 months.
1938—8th June, Vancouver—Possession of stolen goods. 3 months. (concurrent).

18 MONTHS ON FORGERY BILL

Local Youth Pleads Guilty To Uttering 2 Forged Cheques

COPIED SIGNATURE

Bruce Baxter Collected After He Left His Old Job

FRIDAY—Baxter, undefended this morning pleaded guilty and was sentenced by His Honor Judge Kelley to 18 months.

To work or not to work, that is the question;
But harken unto this suggestion:
If inclined to write a check
First of all pull in your neck.

TWO cheques of doubtful parentage hold Bruce Baxter, a youth of about 20, sometime resident here, for trial on a charge of forgery.

Committed by Magistrate Nichols at preliminary hearing on Wednesday, he will face County Court Judge J. W. Kelley at Princeton on Friday, 20th, and may plead guilty. Against damaging evidence a his hearing he made no defense and immediately inquired when his trial would be held.

Baxter allegedly passed two bad cheques, each for $30.03, supposedly tracing from a letter of recommendation the signature of F. M. Barres, Blakeburn logging contractor, with whom he recently was employed. Both were made in favor fo himself and were cashed after bank hours 15th December, one by G. L. Gibson, night clerk of the Princeton Hotel, the other by C. V. Prosser, men'swear merchant. In the latter case, Mr. Prosser said, Baxter made a small purchase.

Mr. Barnes gave a clue to the similarity of the signatures, which he said were forgeries, to his own, when he recalled signing a letter of recommendation for Baxter when the latter left in mid-November after about a month's employ in his Blakeburn mill. This document, however was in pencil, and larger than his cheque signature, closely resembled that on the disputed cheques.

Mr. Barnes said he has never drawn cheques on his savings account in the Princeton branch of the Bank of Commerce, against which these cheques were issued. His business account is in the Royal Bank at Vancouver. While employed, Baxter had been paid with such cheques.

C. T. Thomson, bank clerk, said that he detected the two cheques and held them for investigation, learning them to be forgeries.

Const. Francis Earl Nelson of the Princeton Detachment B.C. Police, who conducted the prosecution, said in evidence that in searching Baxter's room at the Dominion Cafe after the bank's compliaint, he found several blank cheques on the local bank.

Baxter was arrested in Vancouver and turned over to the local police. He came here from Powell River during the late summer.

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Similkameen Under Sheet of Glare Ice

SIMILKAMEEN picked its perilous way on a slick sheet of glare ice as alternate rain and frost conspired to make it marvellous overhead and treacherous under foot. Road foreman Al. Johnson was forced to sprinkle ashes over streets and sidewalks and most of the Copper Mtn. road. Star's forecast is cooler temperature with snow

Round The Corner

★ An elderly Vancouver man of no particular genius while alive gained a manner of notoriety in death when he chose to make the leap to a more or less uncertain eternity on fumes of gas and to the jingle of poetry.

It is hardly politic to discuss the merits of suicide, but I suppose there is no particular harm in passing out to poetry, so long as it is reasonably good poetry; but in the case at bar it was enough to kill anybody, and from the angle of society quite intolerable that a man should inflict such stuff and live.

Death is profoundly fitted for poetry, but like almost every other fine thing in the arts, it has been superbly done already. There is, for example the superb meditation that Shakespeare puts into the mouth of Hamlet, worn from too much feeling. Quite on the other side there is Rupert Brooke's magnificent thought "If I should die think only this of me There is some corner in a foreign land That is forever England", and perhaps the most beautiful and finest salutation of death in the language is Tennyson's immortal "Crossing the Bar." Truly the man who loves poetry can set himself to die without scribbling doggerel.

★ No live elk for the King; and no beavers. All of which has nothing to do with His Highness emulating the Smith Brothers or joining a lodge.

It is the hang-over of one of those old customs that are often so embarrassing, like kissing the bride, or Pancake Tuesday.

Back in the days of Charles II when the Company of Gentlemen and Adventurers trading into Hudson's Bay was formed, it was stipulated in the charter that as tokens from the Company the King must receive two live elk and a pair of black beavers.

The Stuarts, of course, were long on heads and having things draped around their necks, but the gentle George doesn't fancy live denizens of the Canadian wilds, and so, that the spirit of antiquity be not violated, a compromise has been entered upon whereby the monarch receives two elk heads and two beaver skins. It is typically the British way to do things.

No one seems to have hit upon it that since the King will be visiting Canada this year they could turn him loose with a lassoo and a couple of No. 4 traps.

A somewhat similar situation arose in the local police court last week. The prisoner upon confession led the police to the river and indicated where he had thrown the weapon. But meantime the ice had formed and they could not find it and it was missing among the exhibits. The logical solution was to enter the river, but nobody thought of it.

★ There seems to be current a sort of amnesia mania. It should be food for the moralist and the scientist alike.

Without pretense of analysis, it is a safe deduction that this disclosure of mental strain is but a manifestation of a dizzy age where values are distorted, essentials disregarded, all in the name, or rather the illusion, of progress.

It is a vital refuge to the overwrought mind, made taut by too much tension, to just sit and stare. But to-day for those that are in the swim there is no time for mellow meditation; and to those who are out of it, the canvas is bleak and barren of comfort.

But I am not so sure that those from whom the lap of memory has

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The Duty Of Kindness

PUBLIC INDIGNATION has flared and a protest is in preparation over the leniency of a County Court judge in sentencing Gordon McKenzie, confessed burglar and assailant of a pioneer local merchant to three years on a charge of robbery with violence.

McKenzie, according to the evidence, picked the lock and when surprised at the safe by the elderly merchant, brutally beat him with a hammer almost to the point of death and then took $60 from his pockets. Arrested in a local beer parlor after an excellent bit of detection in which both police and public co-operated, McKenzie was identified with a long criminal record, which included two local jobs. His wife is currently under suspicion of murder in connection with the death of her infant child.

Perusal of the facts uncomprisingly convinces that McKenzie is more than a dog with a bad name; he is a bad dog. The victim of his latest brutality is, moreover, an unusually loveable character for whom such a fate is ill-deserved, and the public's reaction is easily understood. Indeed, in a more exitable community McKenzie's fate might not have been left to the slow and steady wheels of the law.

The practice, none the less, of direct interference, even on constitutional lines, with the processes of the state is, however irked, a dangerous one, and the futility of petitions is well known. But certainly an intelligent expression of passive opinion appears to be in the public interest.

In the first place, sentiment runs strong, and sentiment in the administration of justice, however excusable — even valuable — is always dangerous. It fixes too much responsibility on point of view, and jars the gates of prejudice. It was in all probability sentiment of one kind that motivated the Judge; and it is sentiment of another hue that colors this resentment.

The frowsy doctrine of an eye for an eye is as futile as it is barbarous; and yet the laudable virtue of turning the cheek has too often discovered its weakness. The doctrine of Christian kindness alone can save society from its baser self; and to be kind is sometimes to be severe.

So it is in this case. McKenzie is no broken reed, and yet no man. Humanity must ultimately be good, and no right thinking man could be guilty of McKenzie's atrocity. The Judge rightly takes the view that McKenzie must be salvaged for himself and society; but he goes the wrong way about it. The technique of crime makes sauce of the well-intended appeal to decency, and McKenzie is a hardened criminal. It is the hardening that justice must knock off, to let the light of feeling in, to let the essence of man out, to make McKenzie a self-responsible man; and the way to do it is not with sugar-coated pills of kindness, but with the biting rigor of the lash, the only medicine the hardened criminal knows, who has deliberately shut the sunshine from his soul.

The prospect of the lash, against the gray grimness of solitary walls would start the wheels of McKenzie's consciousness moving where no amount of kindly oil would stir them, and once the wheels are free the time is ripe for the oil. The wrong prescription has been given McKenzie, and without benefit of petitions it is to be hoped the Attorney-General, in whom responsibilty lies deep, will realize it.

Mussolini and Chamberlain

THE conference between Mussolini and Chamberlain has broken down as intelligent observers knew it must, and the European tension, falsely softened by the Munich desertion has increased to the point where the facts must soon be faced.

The conversations between Chamberlain and Hitler on the one hand and the English peacemaker and Mussolini on the other are hardly comparable. One was emergency, the other eventuality. Peace-loving Chamberlain realizes that eventually the dictators will have to be faced, and, with no immediate threat of war involved, he is facing them. At Munich it was not so. War was imminent.

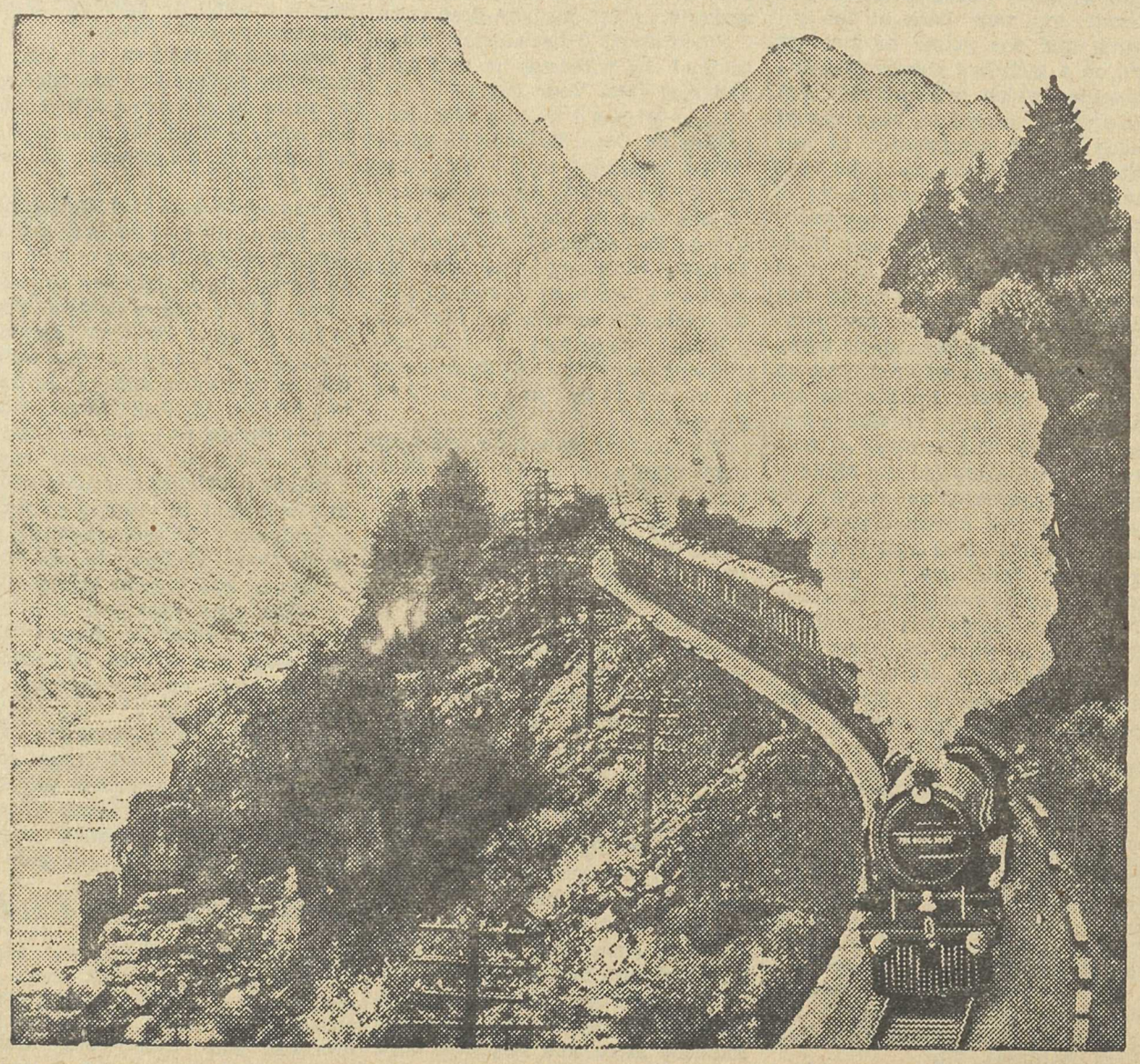
Eventually the dictactors will have to be faced. Chamberlain hopes to meet them with passive rather than active force; and time is his best ally.

Hitler plans to dominate central Europe; Mussolini the Mediterranean. Both ambitions impend danger not only to Britain but also to world peace; for a war involving the great powers is to-day a world war. Especially is the Mediterranean vital to the Empire. Chamberlain cannot throw away any cards here.

The balance of world peace—democracy itself—lies in the unsuspecting hands of the new world nations, especially the United States. The Monroe Doctrine is outworn. It was never worthy of a nation of the world and its small usefulness vanished with the advent of modern instruments of war.

Futile though its efforts—and they only go to show the barbarism and hypocrisy of our age—the League of Nations, in concept, was the one real guarantee of peace, and all hope for this effort to outlaw war died with the Ethiopian sanctions debacle To our eternal shame let it be remembered that Canada led the inglorious desertion in its denial of a delegate who did his duty.

Science Storms the Fortress of the Fraser



WHERE once the Engineers carved a ribbon of rocky road through the stern Fraser Canyon, and canvas-hooded caravans carried the traffic of the gold-seekers, now giant trains and high-powered motors skim through the gorgeous setting of rugged peaks and surging water.

SPELL

Cold hooded silence lingered light
Upon the folded wings of night,
A star its silver sonnet trilled
And all the wheels of care were stilled.

The goblet slipped from weary lips
Like drooping sails of dim marged ships;
The senses drooled, the waking train
Distilled like gentle April rain.

It was a slumber soft but deep,
The ecstasy of shadow-sleep,
That slow dissolved the lore of men
And bubbled in a mistier ken.

Upon the purple flood that brimmed
Within the goblet, golden rimmed
It floated in a dim delight,
With new perception, airy light.

The hooded vapors rose and fell
On starry isles of asphodel
Soft smokes from aromatic fires
Ensconced the lilt of lazy lyres.

E'en such a soft and stilly dew
The lotus eaters never knew;
E'en such a magic mist could bend
The stern Ulysses from his end.

The lavish laugh, the truant tear,
The poignant pains of care and fear
The beating bosom, furrowed face,
All these were foreign to its grace.

It was the mood where senses blend
And feeling still, ne'er comprehend;
Ambition winnows on the wind,
And languor is with love entwined.

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A waking wind of wonder stirred;
Anon the starry vision blurred;
The phantom crashed in milky spray
Upon the brightening rim of day.

Correspondence

CORRECTION

Editor, The Star:

In the story about myself in the "Similkameen Silhouette" series, a minor inaccuracy occurred, which for the sake of record should be put right. In the chase of the cowboy who shot Newlands it was Bill Scorover who arrested the culprit, not the man who shot him. His friends might not like the assertion for he was a fine man.

Your history section is very interesting, and you must have gone to a lot of trouble to ge the necessary data.

Yours truly,
W. H. HOLMES,
Coalmont, B.C.

Truly, it is a funny world. You work quietly week after week, pouring searching thought and studied language into your own little sheet, and nobody sees you. Then, because you're in a hurry and short of news so you scramble your column in the city daily that doesn't approach the standard of your own sheet, in silly doggerel, and presto! you are stormed with attention.

Back On The Job Again

You remember the fable about the man and the donkey; how he first let the boy ride, because he was young, and then rode himself, because he was old, all because people criticized, and finally ended up by carrying the donkey and letting it drop over the bridge. You can't please everybody. Even the Printer's Devil can't do that with all his brains. Indeed, there's just one thing that will please everybody and that's the famous

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★ Mr. George Freeman is down with an attack of lumbago.

★ Mr. E. E. Burr and Mr. Gerald Burr left Tuesday by auto to spend a few weeks in California.

★ Mrs. S. Steele has returned from a short stay at the Coast where she visited relatives.

★ Mrs. Cook is visiting in Coalmont, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cook.

★ Mr. Tom Rabbitt of Tulameen was a visitor to Princeton on Saturday afternoon.

★ Dr. H. T. Hogan of Blakeburn was a patient in Princeton hospital suffering from a stomach disorder.

★ A number of fans accompanied the hockey team to Copper Mtn. on Monday night's special bus.

★ Skating sessions are now held regularly as part of the school's physical education programme.

★ Mrs. J. Hietala had the misfortune to slip Saturday while skating and suffered a dislocated shoulder.

★ Mr. J. L. Ratz of the bank staff has returned from a three weeks' visit at the Coast.

★ Mr. John Lochead, formerly well known in Coalmont and Tulameen, was a visitor here from Vancouver this week.

★ Broomball is proving a mirth-provoking diversion at the local rink and some of our more sedate citizens are hitting rock-bottom.

★ Mrs. Rudychuck of Coalmont Saturday and is a patient in the suffered a broken leg while skating Princeton hospital .

★ From Mr. Roscoe Wheeler, for many years at Hedley, and now in residence in Berkeley, Cal., comes a cheery greeting. He wishes to be remembered to all his friends.

★ Audrey Hayes of Coalmont suffered a broken leg while skating Saturday and was treated in the Princeton hospital. She has been an unfortunate young lady with a broken arm, a borken collar bone, and now a broken leg.

★ Podunk ought to be well enough now to stand this one. It was some years ago, and they were agreeing —as old timers always agree—about the January thaw. Podunk said it wasn't. Other party insisted it was. They "agreed" for quite a spell, then Punk clinched the debate with "Hell, I ought to know; I've seen hundreds of 'em."

★ Const. Hal. Cartmel came to town Monday, and brought his new dog, which looks intelligent enough to be a policeman (and far too smart to be a printer.) Incidentally he (Mr. Cartmel) told a good one. A man came to his door the other day and asked casually, "Does your dog bite?" "Why, no," said the proud owner. "Well," the other replied, with some melancholy, "he just bit me!"

★ A real mystery concerning the old tabby cat is cleared up with the return of Perley Russell to the corner store. The old lady is just about as much a fixture as Perley and has been doing business at the old stand for about a dozen years. She is a prolific producer and almost everyone in the district has a kitten or a kitten's kitten. Perley is a meticulous old gent and the boys were wagering he would have a record of all the offspring in the little black book. But Perley admits with some regret that he slipped up on that one.

★ Mr. F. M. Barnes went into the hospital Monday for a check-up.

★ Mr. G. Pratt of Penticton is a Princeton visitor on railway work.

★ Mr. Russ Howard was a visitor from Penticton on Thursday.

★ A number of Princeton Elks went over to Oliver to assist in their initiation ceremony.

★ Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hewitt have taken up residence opposite the post office.

★ According to reports the road at Copper Creek is gradually crumbling away through water.

★ Mines Inspector J. G. Biggs visited Copper Mtn. and Nickel Plate camps last week.

★ Mr. Robert Brooker has joined the Princeton detachment Provincial police as probationer. Mr. Brooker's home is in Victoria.

★ St. Peter's Catholic community is considering ways and means of building a new church to accommodate its growing needs.

★ Angus Nicholson has returned to his country home at Copper creek after spending the holidays at his town mansion here.

★ Mr. Gordon Currie is temporarily out of action with a strained back and missed Saturday's basketball game at Summerland.

★ Miss Jessie Stenvold has returned to her teaching duties at Fruitvale after spending the holidays at her home here.

★ Arthur Shuttleworth again took heavy toll in his annual cougar hunt, bringing down eight of the arch-enemies of the deer—and the huntsmen.

★ Corp. Robt. Halliday of the B. C. police detachment left this week to take a special course for non-commissioned officers at divisional headquarters in Nelson.

★ Dr. Lee Smith has an excellent practice in Vancouver, and is popular with the sport fraternity. Gordon, who shows real ability with mashie and niblick, is a clerk with a shipping firm.

★ They didn't exactly kill the fatted calf for Albert White when he returned to boarding school in Vancouver, but they dug out a spare turkey and had Christmas for the boys who had "missed it" by going home. Some people have all the luck.

★ Al. Johnstone is now navigating quite comfortably with his broken arm, received in a fall on a slippery path. He did not let the injury interfere with his work. Herman Nelson, who suffered nasty head injuries the same night in the same manner, is now almost completely recovered.

★ It's good to see Perley Russell back at the old stand, and he's perking right up, meeting all the old faces and generally renewing his old interests. He did not relish hospital idleness in spite of excellent treatment, but now he is back among his old haunts he is picking up some of that lost poundage and coming right along. What a terrific beating he took is plainly visible, but Perley will pull round and soon. He stayed with the Avery's for a day or two but is back in his own bachelor digs. He is not working yet of course, Ted Cook still being on the job, and that Perley is completely satisfied is a pretty good recommendation for Ted.

★ Bill Cassidy has returned to Merritt after relieving at the local depot.

★ Stages to Vancouver and Merritt have been discontinued until better weather.

★ The airport had a nice freeze-up but the electrical thawing device soon had the water on again.

★ Mr. H. T. Ross returned on Wednesday after spending the Yuletide with his daughter in the City.

★ Miss Helen Jacobson has returned to her teaching duties at Lillooet after spending the Yuletide holidays at her home here.

★ Johnny Dalton was down with his Blakeburn hockey boys on Friday night, and right proud of them Jack is kind of big brother to the athletes at the mine.

★ Mr. Fred Foster is expected in shortly in connection with the Red Buck difficulties. Mr. and Mrs. Foster have been wintering in old Arizona. Most of the Red Buck crew is still remaining about town.

★ Just on the stroke of midnight the ice in the local rivers went out with the old year. Of course it has formed again, but a December (or was it January?) break-up is most unusual for these parts.

★ Hans Freding was remarking the other day that he and Jim Beatty are the only two left of the crew that worked on the original Hope-Princeton road building. He wonders if he'll see it finished.

★ A Coast visitor ran across George Sing on the Nanaimo boat. George, who used to live here and in Merritt, is now working at Chemainus, V. I. He will be remembered as a promising athlete. Says he is doing nothing along that line now. Was enquiring about Princeton.

★ Mrs. T. M. Wilson returned on Tuesday from a visit to the Coast. she accompanied Mina down, Mina enrolling for a business course in Vancouver. Mrs. Wilson took advantage of the opportunity to spend a few days at her old home in Extension, V. I.

★ Miss Nancy Lockhart returned Wednesday after spending several months in Vancouver where she has been taking a course in beauty culture. She recently passed her final examinations. She stayed with her sister, Mrs. Bill Brown. Both Mr. and Ms. Brown are well known here. They have a spanking little son now.

Lead Wanted

Best prices paid for Clean Battery Lead

The STAR

★ A new lot of books has arrived at the lending library.

★ Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McGillivray have arrived here from Greenwood to take up residence.

★ Miss Clara Foster has entered the service of the Vancouver General Hospital as a nurse in training

★ Costume prizes at the Firemen's masquerade were won by Mr. Bob Aderley and Miss E. Dickie

★ Miss G. Davis of Vancouver has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Ewart.

★ Mr. C. A. Howse of Vancouver was a business visitor to Princeton last week.

★ Mr. Roy Curran has returned from Vancouver where he was called by the death of his father.

★ Mr. Andy Wilson has arrived from Vancouver to take the mine run for the Grayhound people.

★ Mr. Cam Smith has returned to town after spending the holidays at his home in Vancouver.

★ Archie Lew suffered a badly cut finger while experimenting with some Christmas toys.

★ Liquor Vendor J. B. Forsythe reports Yuletide sales the best in several years

★ Road Foreman Johnston has hit upon the right idea in sprinkling sand on the sidewalks rather than chipping off the ice.

★ The Misses Betty and Mildred Muir of Vancouver Island were guests of Mrs. Charles Ekhoff of Copper Mtn. over the holidays.

★ Miss Agnes Ewart has returned to her studies in Vancouver after spending the holidays at her home here.

★ Mr. A. S. Black was able to leave the hospital this week and is making good progress at home. His brother, Mr. A. H. Black, has returned to Vancouver.

★ Some fifty well-wishers of St. Cuthbert's parish gathered last Friday to tender a reception to Rev. P. R. and Mrs. Ellis, married at the Coast during the holidays.

★ Repeating a pleasant experience of last year; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ewart and Mr. Sam Ewart left on Tuesday to spend a few weeks in Honolulu.

★ Harry Cunliffe is receiving congratulations on his recent success in gaining his third class papers as a coal mines official. He must be one of the youngest men in the province to hold this award.

★ Some of our radio amateurs are reporting real distance these days—Pennsylvania, Texas and the like. Some of the neighbors remark if they don't cut down on the howl they're likely to get hell. (Don't take it seriously, boys.)

★ Returning from Grand Forks after the holidays, the Boundary party operating the Wagenstein claims had difficulty in making arrangements to have the road cleared and finally had to put up $50 for the expenses of the government tractor.

★ After spending the holidays at his home here, Mr. Fred Pope has resumed studies at the Montana School of Mines at Butte. Fred is scheduled to graduate this year as a mining engineer. Miss Patsy Pope returns to Pullman, Wash., in February to resume her course in business administration.

★ Const. F. Lines was up from Hedley on business Friday.

★ Miss Dolly Waterman has returned to Naramata after spending the holidays with her parents here.

★ Miss Peggy Dolan of Vancouve was a guest at the Gellatly home during the holidays.

★ Stock-taking has been in progress at most local business places during the past week.

★ Mr. and Mrs. Miller and son Tommy spent New Year's with Mr. Miller's parents in Summerland.

★ Mr. Ted Burr went to Vancouver this week and returned with a new truck.

★ Mrs. K. McGillivray has returned to her home afer a spell in the Princeton hospital.

★ Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith have returned to Copper Creek after spending the holidays in town. Mr. Alex Broomfield drove them up.

★ Mr. and Mrs. R. Thomas, Mrs. W. Woods and Mr. K. Ahlstrom have returned from a motor trip to Calgary.

★ Mr. Al. Oelrich has returned from a spell at the hot springs and reports his rheumatism much improved by the treatment.

★ Mr. P. W. Gregory has been catching up on underground surveys at the Princeton Tulameen Colliery this week.

★ Fred Waterman, who has been engaged in survey work in the Kootenays for some months, has gone to Seattle to take a short course in engineering.

★ Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ritchie and son spent the Christmas vacation with Mrs. Ritchie's parents at Revelstoke, also visiting Mr. Ritchie's family at Summerland.

★ Folks up here just don't realize how fortunate they are in the matter of weather. Soggy is just the word that describes the Coast and while a little anamolous, solid the word that describes the rain.

★ The many friends she made in Princeton during her short stay here were interested in the nuptials of Miss Charlotte McConnell which were solemnized in Trail on Christmas Eve. The groom, Mr. Hans Fogh-Dohm Smidt, is, like his talented bride, prominent in musical circles.

★ Now the last decoration is down the last crumb of turkey has disappeared after its fifth offering in different guise, the last necktie has been exchanged, and Poppa has broken all Junior's toys and cut himself thoroughly on the new razor; so there is nothing left to do but pay the bills and wait for another Christmas.

★ You know, one is almost tempted to say it just ain't right the way these old timers bounce back. But then they've had more of that rarified Similkameen air than the rest of us. Perley is making rapid progress after an experience that would have stymied many a younger man. Mr. A. S. Black rallied commendably and Podunk Davis is putting on color. Al. White is getting around a lot more, and up to his old devilment. Old Peter Bennett is still in hospital with a stubborn leg fracture and is not likely to be out before the end of the winter. George Freeman, Belgie and Jim Boothe bear up well, and the rest of the youngsters are so fit they don't even rate comment

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slipped are to be pitied. There are many of us who would give a lot to forget.

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Development at depth in the new Canty mine reveals bright prospects. The new drift is in 80 feet and the ore is regular and continuous, an improvement over the higher level. The arrangements for the mill are not yet completed.

The skating rink is proving a big attraction for young and old. The hockey games, too, are being well patronized.

Community hall is in use almost every night of the week, with badminton, tennis, and the show.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Lowe at the Princeton hospital, 17th January.

Nickel Plate road is treacherous with ice and snow, and the streets are none too safe in places. The plow was down from Princeton and made an improvement.

Mr. A. F. Ferguson has donated a handsome cup for the valley hockey league championship

Const. F. Lines was a visitor to Princeton on Friday.

Mr. H. G. McDonald of Princeton was a business visitor Saturday.

Mrs. J. Cartwright has opened a beauty parlor in Dave Taylor's new building, the only addition to the business section in some months.

Hockey boys are arranging an amateur night after the Major Bowes pattern in aid of club funds.

Gordon McGillivray suffered a crushed hand in an accident at the Nickel Plate mine.

Hedley badminton exponents entertained Keremeos on Sunday and had a slight edge.

Mrs. S. Meldrum has had as her guest her sister, Miss Mildred McCord of Hedley

Tulameen District

Vancouver interests are investigating the Rabbit claims on Grasshopper Mtn.

Blakeburn has completed plans for the big annual Burns celebration.

Coalmont-Princeton road is a mass of glare ice.

F. Christenson bagged three cougars in Otter Valley the other day.

A number of minor accidents on ice and slippery walks are reported

Mrs. Rudychuck is a patient in the Princeton hospital.

Lower Valley

Mrs. D. J. Innis is now well on the way to recovery after her nasty accident when the car in which she and Mr. Innis were driving went over the bank near Lytton. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. D. Clarke of Penticton is with her meantime

Mr and Mrs. J. L. Bush are enjoying a holiday in the United States

Keremeos' business section made big gains during the year just closed. Mr. J. R. Campbell remodelled the old post-office building next his store, and the two are now perhaps the most attractive in town.

Miss Mildred McCord has returned after a visit with her sister, Mrs. S. Meldrum of Hedley.

Keremeos badminton players invaded Hedley on Sunday and enjoyed a fine social and athletic visit, dividing the the honors.

Mr. George Hodgson is having his Keremeos Garage quarters enlarged.

Keremeos hockeyists won twice from Penticton but lost to Hedley.

Mrs. McGuffie was re-elected president of the W. I Mrs. E. C. Armstrong continues as secretary.

Keremeos Fruits, Ltd., pack of apples for 1938 was 60,000 boxes, as against 40,000 for 1935.

Cawston again has its school but no word yet of irrigation for the bench lands.

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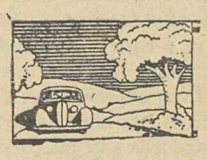

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VIOLENT ROBBERY

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logger's boots, also pair of breeches the latter no the floor beside the bed.

At 2:30 p.m. 29th McKenzie took witness to rear of the Tulameen Hotel where he recovered two bits of celluloid. Accompanied by Corp. Halliday, they next went to the Tulameen river near the auto cabins, where McKenzie indicated he had thrown a hammer. It could not be located. The river had recently frozen.

Const. Nelson blushed when his superior, prosecuting, suggested that he had expert knowledge of breaking and entering. Witness said the picking of this lock was a skilful job. It could be done with the strips of celluloid.

On 30th November witness recovered from McKenzie's home a flashlight which McKenzie told him he had used.

Corp. R. Halliday confirmed evidence of Const. Nelson and Sergt. Halcrow and told of arresting Mc Kenzie in the Princeton Hotel Beer Parlor about 10 p.m. 24th November. McKenzie was sitting at a table with his wife and one McKay, a jewellery salesman, and was examining wrist watches. McKenzie was well dressed.

Blood Compared

Utan Patrick Byrne, pathologist at Essondale, described an examination of a black Mackinaw, on the left sleeve of which were three blood stains. These were of human blood.

Privately, Dr. Byrne explained to The Star that a blood test only afforded generalizations. It was impossible to say that this was Mr. Russell's blood. It was ,however, in the same blood group.

Harry Russell Priest said he saw McKenzie in the vicinity of the Cook store about the time of he robbery. A pool room attendant, he had seen McKenzie frequently during the preceding few weeks.

On the 24th, McKenzie came in about 5 p.m., wearing clothes similar to those found in his home by the police. At 5:50 Priest went out for supper, and saw McKenzie near the Cook store. A few minutes later he was still there. He saw McKenzie again at 7:50. This time he was dressed.

David Lloyd Smallbone (Lloyd Cooper) said he knew McKenzie "slightly" and had been at his house. Early in November McKenzie was chopping wood and his wrist watch fell off. Cooper picked it up. He identified it as the one on exhibit. It bore the initials "G. A.M." McKenzie had remarked that he would have to get the clasp fixed.

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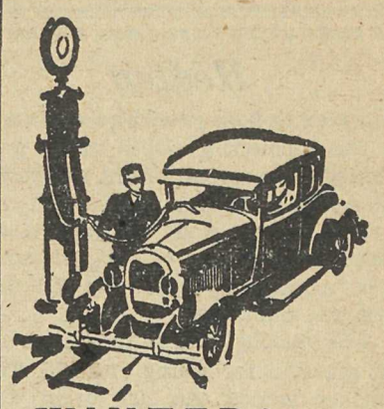
Combine flaked fish, bread crumbs, seasonings, green pepper and lemon juice. Beat eggs, combine with milk and mix with fish. Press into greased custard cups and bake in oven (350° F.) for ½ hour. Serves 6 to 8. Serve unmoulded with egg-onion sauce. Garnish with parsley.



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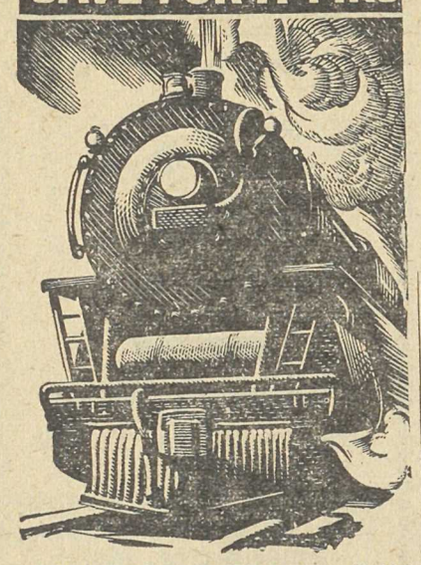

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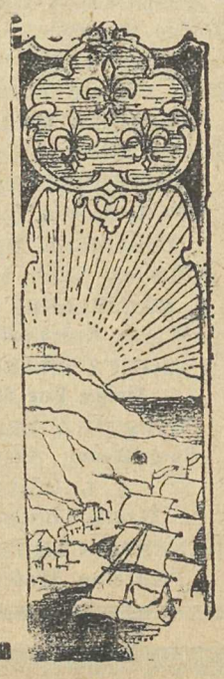

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SPORTS

D.T.'s

★ Let's hope for a thaw! Hard on hockey mebbe, but it's the consensus of reasoned opinion around the Travelers that it's the only thing that will keep Nicolay da Bushopolis out of Essondale. He's got to the point where he's serving ketchup with buckwheats.

★ And this from baby-faced Tom Lindsay, image of modesty: "Copper Mtn plays Merritt and I play Allenby."

★ That's the trouble with being a big time writer (?) and an athlete (???). They had me making a come back with Royals the other week. Of course they meant Dave Turner. Of course we were comtemporary and there is a similarity, only Turner was never in my class—quite!

★ Skipper Lucas can pay that bet any day. I knew he couldn't quit. But condition or no condition, I'll make another bet that I'll still be warming the bench when he really is through.

★ A little orchid for Hedley's enterprise in bringing in Helen Stephen's winsome wonders. If I were n't off women ad. inf. could go for playing in that one mineself.

★ Big Chief Eddie Anderson is out to bring the Dominion Championships here next year. The skiers have had a quiet shake-up and will follow different tactics from this point.

★ Mark this in your litt'e black book. A record Similkameen entry in intermediate puck playdowns with five valley teams concerned.

★ Probabilities are that some of Merritt's—and even local— games will have to be taken to Copper Mtn. for ice.

★ Then there was the Pythias who let Damon go through for the winning goal because he didn't like to body-check an old pal.

★ What! No Vaydo?

Copper Mtn. Leads Valley Hockey Race

	W	L	D	F-A	Pts.
Copper Mtn.	2	0	1	5-2	5
Princeton	2	1	0	8-7	4
Blakeburn	1	2	1	11-12	3
Hedley	1	2	0	10-11	2
Allenby	0	1	2	7-9	2

IT was like old times in the valley, with league hockey in swing and Copper Mtn. on top of the pile.

The race became an open affair Monday as Princeton came a cropper up the hill and the copper miners moved ahead with a 3-1 last period victory. Mild weather is interfering with the schedule but the teams are managing to keep fairly well abreast. Right now it looks like Copper Mtn. or Princeton for the Ferguson cup but on results to date anything can happen—and probably will.

Three of the eight games have gone into overtime and the result of one still hangs with the committee room. Allenby claims a 1-0 victory over Copper Mtn.

Even some of the old faces are on view, as Cy Drake and Pete Pesut who played in the last hook-up here ten years ago.

Hamilton Beats Gray To Take Inter - Rink

	W	L	Pct.
Hamilton	7	0	1.000
Wallace	5	2	.714
Gould	5	2	.714
Gray	5	2	.714
Sorenson	4	4	.500
Avery	4	4	.500
Lyall	2	5	.286
Hooper	1	6	.143
Ewart	0	8	.000

CURLERS "conceded" Hamilton inter-rink honors when the ex-prairie rink nosed out Gray to record its seventh straight win Tuesday night, 9-7. With new rinks they move into the Brewery event Sunday.

It was a thrilling finish as Gray lost a chance to create a four-way tie, or at least a saw-off between himself and the unbeaten Hamilton Hamilton was one up as he and Gray picked up the last four rocks He also had one inside, but Gray had the next two positions, with the house fairly clear. Hamilton tried for a second with his first rock but went too far, and Gray pushed it off. Hamilton next tried to guard the match rock but was a little wide. Gray went for the opening, trying to take out the No.1 rock which would have left him one up. The shot looked like a winner but was a little heavy and just flicked the guard, to float harmlessly to the side.

Rinks

GRAY (skip), Bonvin (3), Miss M. Avery (2) and A. N. Other.

AVERY, Wilson (L. Q.) Rotherham, Hill.

LYALL, Samuel, Taylor (J.) and Smith (C.)

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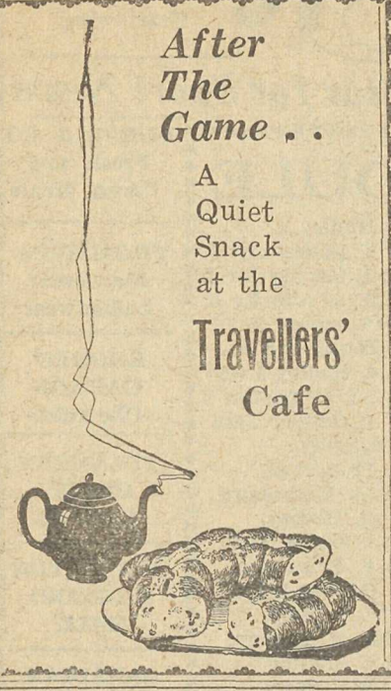

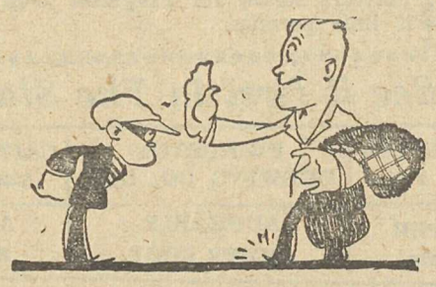

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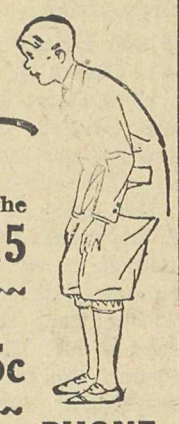

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Princeton Boys Hold Merritt To Two Goals

PRINCETON Juveniles put up a brave show against Merritt's provincial champions here Saturday night, but had to concede the honors to the strong-going visitors 4-2. It was an exhilirating contest. Merritt led 2-1 at the end of the first period and 3-2 in the second. Kovich and Fraser scored for the homesters.

Princeton Bids For Canadian Title Meet

THEY'RE talking about a new deal for Princeton Ski Club, with an invitation tourney in the deck this year and the Dominion championships next year as the ace in the hole. Carl Stenvold has taken over secretarial duties but the shake-up has ended there.

Though foregoing major honors this year, as a breather, the boys have their eyes set on next year's all-Canada event. "And you can let the world know that," chirped genial Prexy Eddie Anderson, the club's little robin-red-breast.

Success in last year's Western Canada, which sold Princeton to the world as ideal ski-terrain, is expected to win a modicum of outside support and Princeton can be counted on to back the bid to a man

Advancing the dates if the Revelstoke meet complicates the matter of a meet this year, but there will be something. Both Princeton and Copper Mtn. plan jumps on Sunday.

but it is only too true, Mr. Charters Historical and literary sections win special praise. Classified ads weak.

SPORTS

Sport Streamlined

Intermediate Hockey
See schedule
Keremeos 7, Penticton 4.

Junior Hockey
Princeton 3, Blakeburn 2.
Blakeburn 3, Princeton 2.

Midget Hockey
Princeton 1, Blakeburn 2.
Blakeburn 6, Princeton 2.
Princeton 6, Copper Mtn. 0.

Broomball
Brewery 2, Burr Motors 1.
Brewery 1, Grayhounds 2.

Badminton
Hedley 16, Keremeos 14.

Basketball
Summerland 42, Princeton 26.
Princeton 23, Summerland 32.
Summerland 31, Penticton 27.

Curling
Hamilton wins Inter-Rink.
Princeton 0, Merritt 2.

Swimming
Deferred to July.

MERRITT CURLERS WIN

MERRITT curlers took both contests from Princeton in the first inter-city curling here Wednesday.

With Parker skipping the Nicola men beat Hamilton (Avery, Lyall and Smith) 12-7 and with Martin calling them nosed out Gould (Nelson, Hilton and Samuel) 12-11 on the last rock.

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NEWS BRIEFS

KIWANIS BACKS ROAD.
★ Vancouver Kiwanis Club has adopted a policy to push for completion of the Hope-Princeton road and has requested Secretary Dave Taylor of the Hope-Princeton Road Association to address the membership shortly.

ATTENTION, TUXANS!
★ Junior Service League Boys will please meet at the Star office on Sunday at 1 p.m.

FOSTER COMING
★ Manager Fred Foster is expected here early in the week to prepare for the re-opening of the Red Buck mine and the new mill, where operations have been suspended.

SUMMERLAND REPEATS WIN OVER PRINCETON

Princeton 23, Summerland 32
Summerland 42, Princeton 26

SUMMERLAND, leaders in the international league and admittedly the team to beat for Interior senior honors, made it two in a row over Princeton basketballers Friday night. winning on the local floor 32-23. Half time score was 15-11 for the visitors. Bennest was Summerland's ace with fifteen and big Al. Dodd led the local marksmen with 11. each man getting almost half his team's total. In the preliminary Hedley ladies took Princeton 18-16.

At Summerland Saturday a late rally pulled the homesters far ahead, 42-26. Princeton was only four points down going into the fourth quarter but wilted when the home boys, in pink of condition, turned on the pressure. Mitchell was high for Princeton with eight and Jack Beach topped the home team with eleven.

ZONE PLAYOFFS FOR INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY

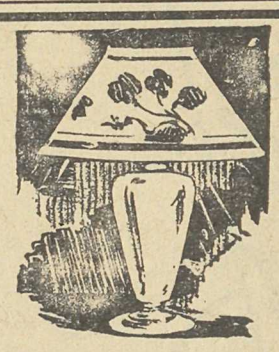
ZONE PLAYOFFS in the Coy cup intermediate hockey series made here last night on the visit of vice president Martin of Merritt:

Merritt vs. Copper Mtn.
Princeton vs. Allenby.
Blakeburn vs. Hedley.

Home and home, total goals, first game on ice of first named team.

Playoffs have not yet been set for Junior, Juvenile and Midget divisions.

HONORS FOR STAR
★ Secretary E. V. Charters of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Assn. sends unsolicited a flattering compliment on The Star's recent 104-page Progress Number. Can't believe it possible as one mans's effort,



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SCHEDULE

Jan. 6—Allenby 4, Hedley 3.
6—Princeton 4, Blakeburn 3.
8—Blakeburn 1, Copper Mt. 2
11—Copper Mtn. 0, Allenby 0.
12—Hedley 1, Princeton 3.
13—Allenby 3, Blakeburn 3.
15—Blakeburn 4, Hedley 3 (ot)
16—Copper Mt. 3, Princeton 1
18—Princeton v. Copper Mtn.
18—Hedley v. Allenby.
20—Allenby v. Princeton.
22—Copper Mt. v. Blakeburn.
25—Princeton vs. Hedley.
25—Allenby vs. Copper Mtn.
27—Blakeburn v. Princeton.
28—Hedley vs. Copper Mtn.
30—Princeton v. Allenby.
Feb. 1—Copper Mtn. v. Hedley.
2—Blakeburn v. Allenby.
4—Hedley v. Blakeburn.

First named team is home team. Playoffs follow for Ferguson Cup if time permits.

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NOTICE

The annual fee of ONE DOLLAR for Membership in the Association is due and payable not later than 31st JANUARY. 1939.

The said fee must be paid by that date to enable members to qualify to vote at the General Meeting to be held in February next.

A. G. MATTHEWS,
Secretary.