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MINING IN SIMILKAMEEN
Item of Interest Taken From The Report of The President of the British Columbia Copper Company

Under date March, 10th, 1914, Mr. Newman Erb, president of the British Columbia Copper Co., Ltd., made his annual report to the shareholders in the company. The following information, bearing upon the company's activities and interests in the Similkameen is of special interest to residents in the district.

"The large expenditure made for Property Account and exploratory work has thus far proven highly satisfactory and to the date of issuance of this report, the company's engineers report more than 5,000,000 tons of ore reasonably assured, which is an increase of more than 1,000,000 tons since their estimate of February 1st, last, with the probability of a large increase as the work of exploration, now in progress, is continued.

"The ores disclosed can be concentrated and the resulting concentrates shipped to our smelter, where they would be most desirable in reducing through smelting a large supply of low-grade ores, high in lime, which by themselves could not be treated profitably. These concentrates will contain so high a percentage of sulphur as to materially reduce the expensive sulphur flux now needed to smelt other Boundary ores.

"To provide funds for the payment for properties now under option, their development, and the installation of a proper concentrating plant, it is estimated that a total of \$1,000,000, approximately, will be necessary.

"In view of the prevailing financial condition which have existed for the past year, your Board has found it difficult to provide the money required and a plan was devised, indicated in circular letters of February 9th and 24th, which were mailed to all shareholders, under which the necessary money could be obtained.

"The quantity of ore disclosed, with its higher metal contents, will assure a greater stability of the company than at any time heretofore."

FATAL ACCIDENT

At the Jewel mine on Tuesday afternoon, Alex Jordan was blasting three holes at the end of a drift. At the time Tom Edwards was 100 feet away getting ready to go out of the mine. Edwards heard only one shot go off and in company with another miner he returned to see what was the matter. Then a second shot went off and blew out their candles. Relighting their candles they continued their search for Jordan when the third hole exploded, killing Edwards instantly. The other miner escaped uninjured. It was evidently a premature explosion of the first hole, for Jordan was found near it so badly injured that he died in three hours. Jordan leaves a wife and four children, while Edwards has a sister in England. Both men had mined in the Boundary for more than a dozen years. An inquest is being held.—Greenwood Ledger.

CANADA'S POST OFFICE BUSINESS

There was an increase of 319 post offices in Canada during the past fiscal year, while the estimated number of letters and postcards sent during the fiscal year is estimated at 73,252,000, or nearly 12 per cent, more than in 1912. The expenditure during 1912-13 was \$1,710,789 larger than in the preceding year, but the surplus amounted to \$1,177,671.

Rural mail delivery increased in extent and volume more rapidly during 1912-13 than in any previous year. Six hundred new routes were established, with a total of 22,250 boxes. During the first seven months of the present fiscal year there were added still another 600 routes with a total of 23,000 boxes.

At Baltimore a successful operation has been performed in grafting the cornea of a pig's eye to a child's eyeball. The cornea of a pig's eye was used because it is said it more closely resembles the human cornea than that of any other animal.

PREDICTS RECORD FRUIT CROP
Hon. Price Ellison Looks for Tremendous Crop—Says Ranchers Should Surround Themselves With Livestock

Victoria, B. C., April 3.—"Everything points to a tremendous fruit crop in the interior this year, the greatest in the history of the province," says Hon. Price Ellison, minister of Agriculture, who has just returned from a visit to the Okanagan.

"The expectation," he says, "depends upon a variety of reasons. Climatic conditions have been all that could be desired, more acreage is being utilized and young orchards are constantly coming to the bearing stage. This year the producers will be in a better position to reap the reward that is justly theirs."

The principle object of Mr. Ellison's trip was to stimulate the co-operative movement among the fruit growers' associations. He says that in this direction the outlook is more encouraging. As indicating the success of the co-operative system he says that last year the agency got 60 per cent of the produce of the Okanagan valley.

He points out that a great incentive to co-operation in British Columbia lies in the fact that the growers in Oregon, Washington and California are highly organized and that through this means they are in a position to compete with the growers in the province despite the duty which Canada maintains against imported fruit.

He believes that the growers of British Columbia will never succeed in large measure until they surround themselves with stock, which he regards as the basis of successful agriculture.

GENERAL NEWS

There are 80,000 miles of railway in Canada. Last year Canada equalled the United States in railway construction. According to its population Canada leads the world in railways.

The Governor-General signed the papers last Thursday for the release of twenty-two mine strikers of Nanaimo, who were sentenced several months ago. Mr. F. P. Sheppard of Nanaimo and other British Columbia members, as well as the British Columbia Government, have been interesting themselves in the matter, and have been urging the matter upon the federal authorities. Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, went fully into the subject and recommended to the Governor-General the release of the men, which will occur as soon as the papers reach New Westminster. The fines of the strikers of \$100 each will be remitted.

The Grand Trunk railway authorities announced today that this summer 8,000 acres of land would be opened up by the road in British Columbia for settlers.

An Indiana man who recently came into a fortune of \$7,000,000 advertised for five friends to help him spend it. The names of those who are willing to assist a fool in separating himself from his money are legion and thousands have already volunteered to furnish first aid to the cheerful spender.

ROD AND GUN FOR APRIL

Rod and Gun for April is out with a bill of fare designed primarily for the fisherman. The cover cut, which this month is specially attractive, depicts a fisherman holding up to view a 17 lb. prize salmon trout secured last year in Algonquin Park. Bonycastle Dale contributes the leading article "Halibut Fishing in the Northern Pacific"; H. Mortimer Batten a well illustrated article on "Trout Farming"; and other stories and articles follow that describe fishing experiences etc. in various parts of the Dominion from Atlantic to Pacific. Prof. Edward Prince, Dominion Commission of Fisheries and an authority on both fish and game, writes of "The Prong Horned Antelope of the West", which is said to be in danger of extinction unless immediate protective measures are adopted for its preservation. The regular departments are all well maintained.

BALANCE OF SEVEN MILLIONS
Figures for Dominion Fiscal Year Show a Balance on the Right Side of Ledger Despite Financial Stringency

Ottawa, April 4.—The financial statement for the Dominion fiscal year ending March 31st, 1914, was issued today by the finance department. The total revenue for the year was \$160,488,538, as compared with \$165,528,137 for last year, a decrease of about five million dollars.

The total expenditure on consolidated fund was \$102,221,133, as compared with \$95,625,019 last year an increase of six and a half millions.

The expenditure on capital account was \$51,238,184 as compared with \$28,758,456. The increase in capital expenditure on public works was about nine millions, but railway subsidies jumped from a little under five millions in 1912-13 to nineteen millions in 1913-14.

Despite the financial stringency and business depression the showing for the year is regarded as exceedingly creditable.

The total expenditure on consolidated and capital account was some one hundred and fifty-three millions, leaving a balance on the right side of the ledger of seven million dollars.

The decrease in the revenue is entirely due to falling off in customs duties, which dropped from \$112,533,528 in 1912-13 to \$103,858,432 for the year which has just closed.

Excise revenue showed a slight increase. The postal revenue increased nearly a million dollars, while there was also increase in the railways and canals and public works departments of half a million dollars. Miscellaneous revenue showed an increase of two million dollars.

The nation debt on March 31st stood at \$314,010,288 as compared with \$297,488,065 on March 31st, 1913. The increase is seventeen and a half millions.

This is twenty-five million dollars less than when the Borden government took office in 1911, when the net debt stood at \$340,000,000.

MINING NOTES

Under the heading of "Prospecting Operations on Properties Under Bond" the General Manager of the British Columbia Copper Co., Ltd., in his annual report (for the year 1913) made the following reference to mining property situated in the Similkameen district: "COPPER MOUNTAIN: No work was done in Voigt's Camp, but operations were concentrated at Princess Camp, nearer the summit of Copper Mountain. Mention of these claims was made in last year's report. Aggressive prospecting by diamond-drilling, trenching pits and shafts, and driving tunnels, was carried on during the entire year. Our engineers report extensive areas of mineralized ground. The tonnage of reasonably assured and probable ore is given as 4,000,000 tons for one group of claims, with an average of 1.57 per cent. copper and value in gold and silver ranging from 25 to 50 cents a ton. On another group the tonnage thus far outlined is 550,000 tons with an average assay of 1.35 per cent. copper and 35 cents a ton in gold and silver. Diamond-drilling operations indicate the presence of other ore bodies. These are being prospected at present. The plan is to concentrate these ores on the ground, and ship the resulting product to the smelter at Greenwood. Tests have indicated that a successful extraction may be made with one of the several flotation processes that have recently been perfected."

Charles Connell of Rosland has bonded a number of claims in Summit camp to Colonel Stevenson of Chilliwack, who has grouped them with several other properties, and in turn has bonded to a syndicate for a million dollars. There are 13 claims included under option, and they are well developed. The chief drawback so far has been the lack of railway facilities. Railways, however, are now in sight as the Kettle Valley Co. is now completing its Hope mountain section to Otter Summit, the lines running close to these mines.

THE CLEMENT CASE
Judgement Handed Down at Ottawa Reverses Decision of Exchequer Court

Judgment was handed down last week by the supreme court of Canada at Ottawa in the appeal brought by Mr. Justice Clement from the decision of Mr. Justice Cassels rendered in the suit of the King vs. Clement, whereby the defendant was ordered that certain sums of money received by him for per diem allowances under the judges' act should be refunded. The trial judge also found fraud on the part of the defendant. From this judgment Mr. Justice Clement appealed to the supreme court of Canada, who unanimously reversed the finding of Mr. Justice Cassels on the question of fraud.

Mr. Justice Duff, Anglin and Brodeur expressively and emphatically find that there was no fraud on the part of Mr. Justice Clement in the interpretation which he placed on the judges' act in reference to per diem allowances to judges under the act. Mr. Justice Brodeur agrees with Mr. Justice Clement both on the question of absence of fraud and his right to the allowances claimed. Mr. Justice Idington held that the pronouncement of Judge Cassels on the question of fraud was merely an expression of opinion not necessary to the decision of the case. Mr. Justice Anglin was of the opinion that the charge of fraud having failed, that Judge Clement should be relieved of costs in the court below as well as in the supreme court, the practice being in an action where fraud has been charged and not proven, as in this case, that costs are not awarded.

The result of this finding is that the good faith and bona fide of Mr. Justice Clement is fully vindicated, and the finding of fraud reversed without dissent. The majority of the court agree with the view of Mr. Justice Cassels on the interpretation placed by him on the judges act, although Mr. Justice Brodeur dissents in this particular, holding that Mr. Justice Clement's view of the law was the correct one.

In the result the appeal is dismissed without costs.

Mr. Justice Clement, who since the judgement of Mr. Justice Cassels has taken no part in judicial work, will resume his duties at once.

An upraise in the Jewel mine at Greenwood has located a vein of very rich ore. Specimens of ore are common that are rich enough to make handsome charms for a watchfob.

In the superior court in Spokane it was decided recently that a broken neck entitles a man to \$10,000, while a man's life is only worth \$7,000.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending, Mar 14, 1914:

AT THE MINE.		
	Maximum	Minimum
Mar 29	40	19
30	32	19
31	35	11
Apr 1	35	27
2	45	30
3	45	34
4	47	32
Average maximum temperature 39.86		
Average minimum do 27.51		
Mean temperature 32.21		
Rainfall for the week .00 inches.		
Snowfall " 1.00 "		

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature	38.
Average maximum do	27.85
Lowest minimum do	-10.
Average minimum do	5.55
Mean do	16.83

AT THE MILL.		
	Maximum	Minimum
Mar 29	53	30
30	49	31
31	47	25
Apr 1	53	30
2	49	39
3	60	34
4	61	44
Average maximum temperature 53.14		
Average minimum do 35.28		
Mean do 44.21		
Rainfall for the week .00 inches		
Snowfall " .02 "		

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature	53
Average do do	41.14
Lowest minimum do	7.
Average do do	20.42
Mean do do	30.78

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W. C. MARTIN, Managing Editor.

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Last quar.	17	First quar.	3			
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Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	1	2	3	4		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

THE CORDILLERAN BELT

At the annual gathering in Vancouver of the western branch of the Canadian Mining Institute, a very important address was that of the chairman, W. J. Sutton, who spoke very comprehensively and in an optimistic vein on mining in British Columbia and its future prospects. He said:

"As is well known, British Columbia possesses large and varied mineral resources. The minerals mined in the province on a commercial scale are gold, silver, copper, zinc, coal and building stone and other structural materials. Some of these minerals occur in immense quantities, so that the latent possibilities of the mining industry of the province are very great.

"British Columbia's favorable position as part of the great Cordilleran belt, in regard to its mineral resources is given prominence in Geology and Economic Miners of Canada, published by the geological survey branch of the Canadian department of mines. The Cordilleran belt in South America, in Mexico and in the Western United States is recognized as one of the greatest mining regions in the world, noted principally for its wealth in gold, copper and lead. The Cordilleran stand unparalleled in the world for continuity, extent and variety of their mineral resources. In Canada and Alaska this belt maintains its reputation although for the greater part unprospected. In Canada it has a length of 1,300 and a width of 400 miles. It is pre-eminently a great mining region.

"Not only is the Cordilleran belt rich in metal but it has enormous resources of coal of excellent quality, varying from lignites to anthracite, which is conveniently distributed. The prospective resources of this belt in Canada may, therefore, be considered enormous. Though mostly unprospected, it has been proved to possess the greatest coal fields, one of the greatest copper mines, one of the greatest silver-lead mines, and two of the greatest placer-gold camps in Western America, which is a region noted for its extraordinary mineral wealth. In Canada the region includes all of British Columbia, part of Western Alberta, the whole of the Yukon territory and a large tract of the adjacent Western portion of the Northwestern territories—an area, in all, of approximately 600,000 square miles."—Greenwood Ledge.

STRAYED

TO the premises of John S. Shaver, Lot No. 2513, at Rock Creek, one brown saddle pony, about eight years old, weight about 700 lbs, with indistinct brand on left shoulder. If not claimed within sixty days will be sold to pay expense of advertising.
JOHN S. SHAVER.

CANADA'S TRADE WITH WEST INDIES

Mr. Watson Griffin, special Canadian trade commissioner, at present investigating conditions in the West Indies, submits the following summary of an interview with a prominent Barbados merchant: "There has been much discussion recently as to whether the United States system of carrying on business through export commission houses in New York or the Canadian system of direct business relations is the best method. I know that a number of the largest United States flour manufacturers that have sold in the West Indies through New York commission houses for many years have recently changed their method of selling and now have established agencies in the West Indies, selling direct to West India merchants on commission. I believe that this change of method is due largely to the fact that Canadian manufacturers, who deal directly with the West India merchants through local representatives, were rapidly taking the business away from New York commission merchants.

SALES OF FLOUR

The increased Canadian sales of flour are chiefly due to the preferential tariff, but even before the preference was arranged the Canadian millers dealing direct through West India agencies had made considerable headway. I know that in one case an agent who has been pushing direct sales of Canadian flour in the West Indies was offered a guarantee of seven thousand dollars per year by a United States flour company if he would abandon his Canadian business and devote his whole attention to selling United States flour. He declined the offer, believing that under the preferential tariff Canadian business would greatly expand in the near future."

HINTS FOR CANADIAN EXPORTERS

A leading commission merchant of Trinidad, referring to Canadian business, said: "It has been the custom, unless otherwise instructed, for English and United States shippers to insure shipments, charging the rate, usually 1½%, in the invoice against the purchaser, and if contrary instructions are not given it would be advisable for the Canadian shipper to follow this plan, for, as the West Indian merchant is used to this being done, he might not have his goods protected, and if loss occurred friction might arise as to who was responsible for the loss.

"It would facilitate business if the Canadian manufacturer would make his quotations either c.i.f. Trinidad, that is at prices which would cover cost, insurance and freight on goods delivered at the purchaser's port, or at f.o.b. price, that is free on board steamer at point of ocean shipment. I have known instances where Canadian manufacturers in quoting f.o.b. claimed that they meant their quotation to be f.o.b. cars. They have probably acted in good faith, but the result has been misleading to the parties at this end, as we are always accustomed by the term f.o.b. to understand that it means f.o.b. steamer at point of shipment. Of course, it should be understood that f.o.b. also means that there is no charge for the packages unless it has been specially agreed upon, except in the case of molasses and such other goods as would require special packages."

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Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,

Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

WATER NOTICE

Notice of Application for the Approval of Works.

TAKE NOTICE that The Daly Reduction Co., Ltd. of Hedley, B.C., will apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for the approval of the plans of the works to be constructed for the utilization of the water from the Similkameen river, which the applicant is, by Permit No. 215 authorized to take, store and use for power purposes.

The plans and particulars required by subsection (b) of section 70 of the "Water Act" as amended have been filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights at Victoria and with the Water Recorder at Princeton, B. C.

Objections to the application may be filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Dated at Hedley, B.C., this 12th day of March, 1914.

GOMER P. JONES

Agent of the Applicant.



County Court of Yale

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held at the Court House, Princeton, Wednesday, 26th day of April, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. By command.

HUGH HUNTER

Register County Court.

HEDLEY DRUGGIST DESERVES PRAISE

F. M. Gillespie, druggist, deserves praise from Hedley people for introducing here the simple buckthorn bark and glycerine mixture, known as Adler-i-ka. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE removes sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

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QUALITY

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Town and District.

Miss Winnie Manery went to Oroville on Monday.
 Bertie Allison of Princeton was a visitor to town over the week end.
 Mrs. Jack Grievic of the Nickel Plate was a visitor to Hedley on Friday.
 Robert Keffer is now engineer for the Stewart mine, at Kellogg, Idaho.
 Mrs. F. Logsdon of Princeton was in town visiting friends over the week end.

Messrs. Ray and Roy Hilliard were business visitors to Princeton on Monday.

It is reported that some nice strings of fish have been caught during the past week.

Mr. E. J. Burr went to Princeton on Tuesday on business. He returned on Thursday.

Mrs. G. P. Jones, accompanied by her son, Gomer, left for the coast on Sunday last.

Prof. Warren Glaze arrived in town on Saturday to take up his duties as instructor of the band.

The Rev. John Knox Wright, superintendent of the B. C. Bible Society, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. McKenzie of Keremeos accompanied her husband, Rev. G. T. McKenzie, to Hedley on Saturday.

A dance will be given in Fraternity Hall on Friday, April 17th, by the band boys. Everybody welcome.

The pictures given in the Star theatre this week are under the auspices of the Hedley Baseball Club.

Anyone wishing to secure tickets to Europe should see H. E. Hansen before making any other arrangements.

Mr. Owen Stevens, blacksmith at the Nickel Plate mine, left on Wednesday to visit his home in England.

Geo. O. Taylor, representing the mercantile agency of R. G. Dun & Co., was in town between trains on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. French left on Friday for a trip to Vancouver. They are expected back about the middle of the month.

Messrs. W. C. Johns and Bert Williamson, two miners from the Nickel Plate, are leaving this week for a trip to their homes in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sampson and family returned home from Salt Lake City on Wednesday. Mr. Sampson is very much improved in health.

Special Easter exercises will be given in the Church by the Sunday school on Sunday afternoon at the usual hour, 2:30. Everybody welcome.

If it's dressmaking or cleaning and pressing of ladies' and gentleman's clothing, see McClures. North of Similkameen Hotel in Mr. Gilbert's old residence.

Major Megraw and Mr. L. Norris of Vernon were visitors to Hedley on Sunday last. While here they enjoyed a round of the golf links and also a trip to the mine.

Peck McSwain has again been traced up. He is at present working on the Merritt Herald, but his feet are getting itchy and he is expecting to again take to the road soon.

Messrs. W. J. Forbes and H. H. Messenger returned home on Saturday from up the North Fork of the Kettle River, where they have been engaged in putting a bridge over that river.

Messrs. William and Maurice Daly, Beach Cawston and George Allison were in town on Tuesday evening. They are taking their cattle to their summer feeding grounds above Princeton.

The lumber for the remodelling of the Great Northern hotel arrived last week and the carpenters started on Wednesday to put up the new addition. Boeing and Brass have the contract.

A general meeting of the members of the Hedley Brass Band was held in the Hotel Similkameen on Tuesday night last. The instruments have been ordered and are expected to arrive in about a week.

The dance given by the basket ball girls of Hedley in Fraternity hall on Friday evening last was a decided success. While there was not as large a crowd present as on some former occasions those that did turnout report that they had a good time.

The matrons of the hospital wishes to thank the following people for their donations to the institution. Mrs. A. Clare for two sofa pillows and cretonne for couch cover, Mrs. Maichofer for a dozen fresh eggs and a bag of feathers, Rev. Mr. Cameron for oranges and lemons, and Messrs. Boeing and Brass for a medicine chest.

Lost—On the Hedley-Princeton road, between the Great Northern Hotel and John Cosgrove's, a watch fob with the initials "L.G." and "L.O. O.M." Finder please return to the Gazette office.

The interior of the hospital has been kalsomined and the wood work and floors varnished and also the operating room done in white enamel. The work is bring forth much praise and reflects credit on Mr. T. Berrett, who did the work.

Mr. Hunter Adie returned to Hedley on Thursday last after being away for about four years. While away he visited many towns in Alberta and British Columbia and met many old Hedleyites who were inquiring about their many friends in Hedley.

Hugh Gibbons came in from Riverside, Wash., on Tuesday, to take up a position as blacksmith at the Nickel Plate mine. Mr. Gibbons lived in Riverside for a number of years, and contributed largely in the building up of that town in the early stages of its career.

There is a rumor around town that the work of construction of the Kettle Valley line east of Princeton has been started and that camps are being established all along the route between that town and where it joins with the old route near Summerland. It is said that the head camp on this end is near the cement works where there are now seven steam shovels at work.

A petition is being circulated in the town to have the layover at Oroville cut out and thus give the valley a direct connection with the Boundary country and Spokane. The petition was got up by the joint Boards of Trades of the towns along this section of the line and is being circulated around Princeton and Keremeos as well.

The work on the dam received a set back on Monday when part of the coffer-dam gave way owing to the great pressure of water thrown on it due to a rise of the water in the river. Work was immediately got under way to repair the broken section and on Tuesday morning the big rotary pump was started to pump out the water and the work of putting in the forms for the piers on the west section was resumed on Wednesday. The work of putting in the cement on the aprons and in the foundations of the dam was all completed last week and the forms for the piers were started on Sunday but the break in the coffer dam has set back the work for a couple of days.

Two unidentified men were thrown from their perch on the brake-beams of a C.P.R. train four miles east of Hope, when the emergency brakes were applied and were crushed to death underneath the wheels. The emergency brake had been set by the breaking of a hose pipe. When trainmen went to examine why the train had been stopped they discovered the badly-mangled remains. An inquest was held at Yale.

WATER ACT 1914

Notice of Application for Approval of Undertaking

TAKE NOTICE that the Daily Reduction Co., Limited, has filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights a Petition for the approval of the undertaking of the Company, and that the said Petition will be heard in the office of the Board on a day to be fixed by the Comptroller and further take notice that any interested person may file an objection thereto in the office of the Comptroller of Water Rights, Government Buildings, Victoria, or in the office of the Water Recorder of the District at Hazelton.

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THE KEREMEOS PAGE

KEREMEOS, the Centre of Lower Similkameen---Famed for Fruit Growing

Town and Lower Valley.

There is an outbreak of hog cholera at Bridesville.

The pool tournament was won by C. H. Armstrong.

Seven autos were in town Monday morning all at one time.

Madore, the blacksmith, has made a harrow and says he is going to paint it red like Baptiste's buggy.

Miss Bertha Miquery of Similkameen spent the week end at "Ober Villa", the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clarke.

Don't forget the lecture, Jean Valjean, to be given in the Town hall on Friday evening by the Rev. G. T. McKenzie.

News is at a standstill this week and the the only thing which seems to contain anything is the river. This chokes the fish.

Four passengers landed in Penticton the other day enroute for the Similkameen. Seven autos called for them. Some business.

A. B. Kennedy arrived from Spokane last week and took a run up to his Spring Brook ranch. He left for Spokane on Monday evening's train.

Messrs. Moscrop Bros. and their families, of Penticton, came over in their steam car on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gibson.

J. F. Getzoy, after spending the winter in the southern states has returned and is once more back again as conductor on the Oroville-Princeton "Flyer".

The Rev. Stewart Hewitt, of Vancouver, B. C., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ben Barlow. On Sunday last he took the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church at the morning service.

Homer McLean of Hedley and Joe Goodwin of Penticton passed through town each driving a new Ford car. The Similkameen will soon be pretty well represented in the line of automobiles.

Seymour Hadwen, D.V.S., of Agassiz B.C., Dominion Pathologist for the Province of B. C., has been in the district for the past few days looking into sheep paralysis cases in the Lower Similkameen.

Mr. G. P. Jones, of Hedley accompanied by Mrs. Jones and son, Gomer, and Messrs. Lonsdale and Knowles, automobilized through town Sunday enroute to Penticton at which point Mrs. Jones and Gomer took the boat enroute for the coast.

On Friday evening the 17th a Social Tea will be given at the home of Mrs. D. McCullum from 4. to 6. in the afternoon and from 8. to 10. in the evening. Everybody welcome. A collection will be taken in aid of the Church debt.

Easter services will be conducted in the Church next Sunday by the Rev. G. T. McKenzie. Morning subject, "The Resurrection as a fact in History", Evening subject, "The Resurrection as a fact in Christain experience." The choir will furnish special Easter music both morning and evening. All are invited.

SELLING GOOD COWS CHEAP

The following is a sample of what is discovered by the simple weighing of milk and testing of samples. A four year old cow gave in one month 920 pounds of milk containing 35 pounds of fat. In the same herd a five year old gave only 330 pounds of milk and 19 pounds of fat. Thus the first cow gave more than double the quantity of the latter.

This further fact is interesting; this particular cow was sold by a man absolutely ignorant of her value or dairy capacity. The present owner, through keeping individual records, knows her better and would not sell her for less than thirty dollars more than he paid for her.

Another fact is worth careful attention; the total of the herd yield for a day or a month will never reveal these good individuals. What the owner needs to know for certain is obtained only from a record of each cow he keeps. You can save labour and good feed by bestowing them on cows that you know are worth keeping; you will then be in a position to keep your best cows, and will not lose money by selling good cows cheap.

Two Points Of View

By GRANT OWEN

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He was big, broad shouldered and good to look upon. His clothes were faultless in cut and texture. His collars and shoes were always indisputably correct. He seemed broad, genial, prosperity incarnate. The smile on his large, rather homely features was particularly winning. He was always smiling. He smiled now as he stood before the girl, even though he was vaguely aware of some impending calamity.

"How could you?" Miss Train was saying in injured protest. "Oh, how could you?"

"How could I what, Amy?" Jarvis asked.

"How could you sleep as you did last evening when I was trembling—simply trembling—under the spell of that voice?"

"Did I?" he said doubtfully. "Oh, come now, Amy, that was impossible."

"Nevertheless you did," she answered. "It was sacrilege."

"Look here," he said, "I'm sure you must be mistaken. I'll admit I might doze intermittently at 'Aida' or 'Traviata' or 'Faust', but at 'Tannhauser' never. I'm wide awake when Wagner is on the boards."

She glanced up hopefully. Had he really some canons of art, after all? There was undoubted sincerity in his tones. Perhaps this harsh judgment of him which she was aware had been formulating itself in her mind the past year was unjust to him. Perhaps, hidden behind that noncommittal smile, was a reverence for things artistic which his outward appearance successfully masked. But these thoughts were rudely quashed by his next remark.

"Sleep during 'Tannhauser'?" he laughed. "Absurd, Amy! Who on earth could sleep in such a tin shop racket as that?"

The girl winced. "Arthur!" she said in shocked remonstrance.

He moved in his chair uneasily.

"There I go again!" he said. "Forgive me. Really, I didn't mean to shock you, but I'm so brutally practical, you know."

"That's just it," said the girl, "so brutally practical. I wanted to see you

She watched him down the street until he turned a corner. But before that corner was reached she had already felt a queer tightening at her throat, and the houses across the street were blurred to her vision.

Three weeks passed, and she looked at the matter much more calmly. It was best thus. She had been quite right in her judgment, she decided. Then came the disturbing note from him:

My Dear Amy—I have decided to take a little run abroad. Any communication addressed care of the Colonial Club, London, will reach me. I sail Thursday morning at 10. As ever, yours,

ARTHUR E. JARVIS.

She was angry with herself for feeling disturbed at the contents of the note. She tried to believe a tear that plashed on to the paper did not alter her attitude toward Jarvis, but she was distinctly dismal all the afternoon.

And the worst of it was I couldn't catch even the suspicion of a laugh in her voice. She was serious as a judge pronouncing a death sentence, and, by Jove, that's just about how it sounded to me.

"Why," I gasped, "did you hear what he said? He called us spoons—you two spoons, mind you!"

"Well," suffled Phyllis, "he's only repeating what every one else at the hotel has been saying for the last week. All the difference is that he's not afraid to say it to our faces."

Phyllis looked straight ahead of her and held her chin very high—the dearest, straightest, squarest little chin. There's no nonsense about Phyllis' chin. It's the most honest chin on earth, I think.

"But, dear," I protested, "I don't want people to say that."

The second word slipped out without either of us noticing it. But Phyllis did not seem to be satisfied. She turned her head the other way. Hang it all, anyway; handling a boat handicaps a fellow.

"I don't care about myself, you know, Phyllis, but I don't want them to say that about you. You see, a man's different. You're a girl, and it cuts more odds."

Phyllis turned her head ever so slightly.

"And besides," I went on, "we never did, anyway."

"Merely a lack of proper encouragement, doubtless," said Phyllis icily.

"Not altogether," I objected. "Sometimes a fellow—"

"Doesn't want to," she finished for me. "I see."

There was no help for it. I simply had to. I turned the bow up into the wind and let the sail flap whichever way it wanted. Sitting behind her, I reached around and took her hands.

"Phyllis," I whispered soberly, "it isn't that. You know as well as I do it isn't that."

Phyllis didn't answer. I thought I detected a sob, but I couldn't see her face. She kept it the other way. When I got her head back on my shoulder her eyelashes were a bit wet.

"The hair had the nerve," said I.

"The hair was not bred a gentleman."

"Breeding has its disadvantages," I returned gloomily.

"Encouragement is intended to offset them."

"Yes," said I, "but I have had none."

Phyllis' lips, luscious as the ripest cherry, hung temptingly near. I hesitated and lost. Phyllis buried her face on my coat, and somehow her arm half crept across my shoulder. I thought I heard her whisper something.

"What is it?" I interrupted, bending over to catch the answer.

And then she repeated it.

"I said there were different kinds, Jack," murmured the little rogue.



"YOU! DIDN'T YOU SAIL TODAY?"

this afternoon to talk about that very thing. I—I don't know just how to make you understand it, but I'm afraid we won't be at all happy together. We're so very different—so very far apart."

The smile left his face momentarily.

"You don't mean"—he began.

"Yes," she said very low. "I don't think we are suited to each other, Arthur."

It took him some time to grasp the full import of her words. Then the smile came back, but it was a very artificial smile.

"Perhaps you are right," he said, with a businessness in his big voice. "Perhaps you wouldn't be happy with a commonplace sort of chap like me. And your happiness, Amy, is the first and only thing that is worthy of my thoughts. You might see how a month without me might work anyway. And if it isn't all you expect, why, call me back, dear. I shall always be ready to come."

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