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GETTING READY FOR WORK

Supplies Arriving for Work on K. V. R. Construction Camps being Established

In the vicinity of the B.C. Portland Cement Works at East Princeton a busy scene is presented by the unloading and transport of dinky engines, steam shovels, tools, equipment and general supplies. The chief contractors, Guthrie, McDougall & Co., have a forwarding and constructing camp at the cement works from which the subcontractors are moving on to their several miles of grading. There is a total of 37 miles to be built, although this distance may vary with revisions and alterations in the line by engineers.

The engineer work is in charge of G. G. McCarth and his staff are engaged in cross-sectioning and locating. An engineer's camp is located near the pithead of the United Empire's coal mine and at the end of the railway track from the cement works.

The K. V. line parallels the cement spur track, if it does not actually cover it for a little distance, then it skirts the hill westerly from the East Princeton townsite company's office and turns due east forming a loop to get down to the Similkameen river crossing it just below its junction with the Tulameen. From present indications it seems quite probable that the Kettle Valley and V. V. & E. will have a union station in Princeton.

No definite information is obtainable as to the route to Copper mountain. Both the K. V. and V. V. & E. have lines run to Copper mountain and Voigt's camp but the routes are still matter for conjecture.

LAST SPIKE DRIVEN ON G.T.P.

Expects That the Whole Line Will Be Turned Over to the Operating Company by End of Year

Twenty-eight and a half years after the last spike was driven in the first Canadian transcontinental railway a similar event took place on the second ocean to ocean line. Of course a railway is not completed when the rails are laid. In both cases mentioned temporary trestles took the place of some important steel bridges. Many millions were expended on Canadian Pacific construction after the rails were connected, many must be paid for work on the Grand Trunk before through traffic begins. But the rails are laid on the main track all the way from Moncton to Prince Rupert. The portion from Quebec to Moncton, 400 miles, has been taken over from the contractors as fully complete. Regular trains are run over a portion of the distance. The 1,314 miles of line between Quebec and Winnipeg requires some bridges, ballasting and stations, but will be ready for traffic during the summer, and in the ordinary course of events the whole Transcontinental should be transferred to the operating company before the year expires. The prairie division of the western section has been completed and in operation for a year and some longer. The mountain portion is now linked up, and trains are running on the western portion. Within a few months it should be possible to operate through trains from Prince Rupert to Quebec, and with a car ferry, from there to Moncton. There is also a completed branch line, belonging to the company, connecting the Transcontinental with Lake Superior at Fort William. This line is in operation.

LOOKS LIKE MCBRIDE FOR LONDON POST

The effect of recent reports is that the position of Canada's High Commissioner to Great Britain, lately filled by Lord Strathcona, may go to Sir R. McBride. The Sunday papers at the coast printed the following—Sir Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, has been offered the position of high commissioner for Canada in London, made vacant by the death of Lord Strathcona, and will accept. The appointment will be made in May. Sir Richard is now in the east.

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KRAFCHENKO TO HANG

Chief Justice Mathers Passes Death Sentence on Man Accused of Killing H. M. Arnold

Morden, Man., April 9th. — Three months from today on July 9th, Jack Krafczenko is to be hanged at Winnipeg for the murder on December 3rd of last year of Mr. H. M. Arnold, manager of the Bank of Montreal at Plum Coulee, Man. The close of a long and sensational trial came at four o'clock this afternoon when the court met after a two-hour intermission which followed the jury's verdict of guilty.

When the court resumed, Krafczenko made a statement to the court in which he said he did not deny that he had been concerned in the hold-up of the bank, but said that he was not the man who killed Arnold. Then Chief Justice Mathers imposed sentence. From the moment of the reading of the indictment to the last scene of all, the prisoner preserved the same steady attitude, and he showed little or no emotion even when the death penalty was pronounced. The prisoner spoke as follows:

"Your Lordship and Gentlemen of the Jury,—I thank you for the consideration you took with my case and under the circumstances of my conviction, and also the evidence given against me, I cannot see any other way but that the verdict you brought in is justified. Although I have committed a good many crimes in my career, played hide-and-seek with the police for many years, and done lots of things I know were all wrong, this crime brought before you by the Crown, called murder, and one of the dirtiest crimes a man can commit, it was never in my nature to commit.

"I am sorry that Mr. Arnold got shot; although I was accused of it, I will not deny that I was there on December 3rd, because that would be lying. The Crown got me here as the only man there, although it is not right. The evidence shows only one man seen. I am positive that there were three different men committed that crime, and, gentlemen of the jury, I was not the man who shot Arnold. Because the chief of police of the city of Winnipeg, Chief McPherson, might tell you a little story if he liked—if he were not so afraid of losing his position.

"I worked under him two or three different times. He wanted me to be a stool pigeon, and I would not stand for it. But when a man's life is at stake I did not think a man like the chief of police would have acted as he has done. I think, your lordship, that in that quarter there is a need for a little investigation. That is all, your lordship."

This is the end of one of the longest and most sensational trials ever held in western Canada. The trial started on March 18th and ended on April 9th.

MANY SETTLERS FOR B. C.

Mr. Morley Donaldson, Head of G. T. P., Says Trails Are Lined With Settlers

Mr. Morley Donaldson, general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, who arrived in Prince Rupert on Thursday after viewing the driving of the last spike in the new transcontinental expressed the opinion that the great cattle supply of the near future would come from Central British Columbia.

He added: "In the Nechaco and other valleys in the central part of the province hay, grasses and nearly every kind of vegetation grows in wild profusion. Water is plentiful everywhere and shade trees abound. There is also vast quantities of merchantable timber and one mill is being put in at Willow River, the new G.T.P. town about 20 miles northeast of Prince George, which will cut about 100,000 feet a day, a market for all of which is expected to be found in the tributary territory." He said the trek to the Last Great West was now on in earnest. The trails were lined with settlers, their families and effects.

In one week recently the Grand Trunk Pacific alone shipped in over 7,000 tons of settlers' effects to one district.

Midway is to Celebrate Empire Day.

WORK ON DAM

West Section Nearing Completion—High Water Takes Out Part of Coffers Dam But Does Not Stop Work

The progress made on the dam last week is very noticeable and the work has been rushed so as to get all the work done before the high water came. All the forms for the piers on the west section are now in and the tracks for running the cement over to the piers are laid, these are also connected up with the west bank.

The breaking of the wing dam last week held the work back for a couple of days but the break was soon fixed up and the work rushed along with even greater activity. Mr. McLean having the men working for ten and eleven hours in order to get this work done.

The water in the river, which has been steadily rising for the past couple of weeks, carried out a portion of the coffer dam again on Tuesday morning but the work was far enough advanced so as this would cause no great inconvenience and the work can go on just the same although if the dam had held for a few hours longer they would have been better prepared for it as there was a little more work that could have been done more handily. As it was the forms for the piers were all in and enough cement in each to hold them firm.

It is thought that by the end of next week this section of the dam will be all completed and ready for the stop-logs and then all that will have to be done to put the bridge over the dam and install the machinery for the rising and lowering of the stop-logs.

The work on the right-of-way for the flume is going along nicely and by the time that the work on the dam is all finished the clearing and grading of the right-of-way will be far enough advanced to enable the work of putting in the flume to be got under way.

NEW HAZELTON ROBBERY

Details Received by Provincial Chief of Money Secured by Bandits—One Man Still Free

Vancouver, B. C. April 11th—Superintendent Campbell, head of the Provincial Police department, received a telegraphic message yesterday morning from Constable Gammon, at New Hazelton, stating that the exact amount of money secured by the robbers, who on Tuesday, robbed the branch of the Union Bank at that point, was \$1,300. It was made up of \$500 in five-dollar bills of the Union Bank, \$400 in new two-dollar bills, and \$150 in gold. Chief Constable Owens, of Prince Rupert is at New Hazelton in charge of the case, and Inspector Wynn and Detective Green of the Vancouver office, have left for the north to work up the case against the three wounded men, who are believed to have been members of the party of hold-up men. Two of the robbers were shot to death, three are wounded and in custody, another man is held as a suspect, and the seventh is still at liberty. The man still at liberty is believed to be in possession of the stolen money.

MINING NOTES

Considerable activity is still going on at Copper Mountain where the British Columbia Copper Company is developing a large group of claims it has besides its underground work, four diamond drills proving up the large copper deposits at depth and is now preparing for power-works most of which will be generated by gas power for which the Princeton coals are famous, some of the power, however, will be obtained from the Whipsaw creek which flows into the Similkameen river at the foot of Kennedy mountain, about nine miles south of Princeton.

Several of the placer leases and holdings up the Tulameen and on Granite creek are being worked for their rich gold and platinum contents. The Snodon brothers are getting some good looking gold, and Mr. Lambert will have his 350 foot tunnel for hydraulic purposes completed in a few days.

SIMILKAMEEN HAS BRIGHT OUTLOOK

Activity in Similkameen Promises to Be Great During Coming Summer—Big Showings

For the last few days several car-loads of supplies and horses have been shipped into Princeton from outside points for the contractors Guthrie, McDougall & Co., who have a contract covering 87 miles on the Kettle Valley railway. Now that the people of the Similkameen Valley have won their contest for the main line of the Kettle Valley railway to build to Princeton, instead of taking the Aspen Grove route, by the efforts of the member, L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., from strong opposition backed by the Duke of Portland, Aspen Grove and Nicola Valley people, railway construction from the end of the line at Osprey Lake to Princeton will be rushed to completion by this fall. Jacobs & Werdenhoff are reported to have the contract for the first five from Princeton east.

The end of the Kettle Valley rails to the west are at the summit, near the headwaters of the Coldwater river.

From this point both the Great Northern railway and the Kettle Valley lines are interested in pushing on the construction down the Coquahalla river to Hope. Both abutments are now completed on the large Kettle Valley bridge over the Fraser river at Hope; work on the western shore was completed last Wednesday. The Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern railway (G. N. R.) has its grading about completed up the Otter valley from Tulameen and is expected to lay steel on the completed sections shortly.

GIVEN MINES TRANSPORTATION

J. L. Logie of Summerland, right-of-way agent for the Kettle Valley Railway company came in to Princeton last Tuesday and the right of way has been decided on from the end of its line at Osprey lake to the British Columbia Portland Cement company's plant at East Princeton. Contrary to the expectation and announcements the route does not follow Five Mile creek to its mouth and then up on the north side of the Similkameen river as expected, but cuts the divide between Five Mile and One Mile creeks about five miles north of the Similkameen river, cutting across Gibson Bros' farm and others, also giving direct transportation to the United Empire coal and copper mines. It is supposed to join with the spur connecting with the V. V. & E. railway on the south side of the Similkameen river, but no one knows at the present date which way the Kettle Valley railway will come into Princeton.

Mr. Logie the right-of-way agent, merely asked for the consent of the owners of land on the route to permit grading and clearing to begin as soon as the contractors are ready. No money has yet been paid, the permission of owners being necessary to allow construction to go on without hindrance or delay.

FEWER IMMIGRANTS THIS YEAR

Superintendent of Immigration Says Only 250,000 Immigrants Will Come to Canada This Year

Ottawa, April 11th.—That but 250,000 immigrants will come to Canada this year, as against a total of 390,000 for the fiscal year just closed, is the estimate made by the superintendent of immigration, Mr. W. B. Scott.

Furthermore, it is predicted that the number of artisans coming to this country will be very much reduced, although it is not thought there will be a dearth of farm laborers and domestics. Mr. Scott stated that this latter class was the only one sought by the department as new citizens for Canada. There has always been protests from the labor element against the immigration of artisans but this year it appears that they will not have much ground for objection in this regard.

Times are prosperous in Britain according to Mr. Scott and at the same time it has been made known that the Dominion is not in need of labor at present, so that immigration will be restricted for the most part to domestics and farm workers.

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W. C. MARTIN, Managing Editor.



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A BRIGHT FUTURE

The upward trend of business and the general feeling of optimism regarding the Similkameen district have resulted from railroad construction and mining activities. The early completion of the V. V. & E. and the Kettle Valley railways will give all the towns in the district that necessary connection with the big centres of trade and capital which will promote progress and the development of our abundant resources. The completion of the two roads will give a wider market for the fruit and coal of this valley. The Pioneer Coal Company of this district, the Princeton Coal & Land Co., is certain of a very large demand for its fuel. The United Empire, the Princeton Collieries Co. and the Godmont Collieries own extensive coal areas and they too will be producing in a short time. The fruitgrowers of the district will also be given a better and wider market for their fruit and the quality of the fruit grown here is sure to get the market and hold it. The better railway facilities will also stimulate mining operations in the district in lessening the cost of shipping in machinery and supplies. Mining on a large scale by the B. C. Copper Co. is an assured fact. The extent and quality of the mineral propositions owned by and under bond to this company assure extensive operations and the permanency of the camp. Other large mining companies are already looking this way for ore, and there is no place in B. C. where better prospects for the making of big paying mines are to be found than here, and with the acquisition of properties, industries and the payroll will follow. In placer mining only the fringe of a vast field of operation has been touched. Among experienced placer miners the assertion is made that the possibilities for gold and platinum mining are practically unlimited in this section. Actual placer mining on Granite creek by the Golden Gate Syndicate will begin in a few weeks and at Roany camp the ground is known to contain big values, requiring only the necessary water for hydraulic mining on a large scale. Such in brief is a mere skeleton of some of the proven resources of this district and which must be wealth producing with the magic touch of capital and the necessary enterprise to direct it.

CONDITIONS POINT TO IMPROVED FINANCIAL SITUATION

"Bankers and business men unite in the opinion that while it is a time for prudence and caution it is also time for confidence and courage. The strength of Canada lies in her vast

natural resources. Any depression, generally speaking, can be but temporary in character until such time as normal money conditions, joined with business confidence, again restores the wonted activity of the nation."

So declared Hon. T. W. White, Dominion minister of finance, in his budget speech delivered at Ottawa on April 6th. Again, he said, with the experience of the past in view.

"So far as the financial stringency is concerned we may consider that the worst is over."

Canada's record trade during the fiscal year just closed, when the total again exceeded one billion dollars, the heavy increases in the trade of the United Kingdom, referred to in recent press despatches, easier money rates and opinions of financial and business authorities in Europe, the United States and Canada are alike in support of the view of the minister of finance that the temporary period of financial depression through which the world has been passing is giving place to normal conditions.

Business conditions move in cycles. Financial depressions are as inevitable as the rising and setting of the sun, although they do not occur with the same regularity. During the past half century the world has passed through a period of rapid development which is not paralleled in history and such times of stringency as have occurred have served but to maintain a business equilibrium, they have acted but as a brake upon the business machine at times when it has shown a tendency to get beyond control. Fortunately the period of a trade cycle given over to depression has always been small compared with the remainder of the cycle, that during which prosperity has reigned.

The terrible tragedy at Vancouver a few days ago, in which a Chinese servant murdered the lady by whom he was employed, should serve as an object lesson to other women. There are scores of girls in Vancouver who would have been glad to have had the position held by this Chinese boy, and surely the companionship of a white girl would have been preferable for the woman to that of a Chinik.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Drill Hall, Kamloops, B. C." will be received at this office until 4.00 p. m. on Thursday, May 7th, 1914, for the construction of the aforesaid building.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of Wm. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., and on application to the Caretaker of Public Building, Kamloops, B. C., and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made out on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10%) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, April 8th, 1914.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

WATER NOTICE

Notice of Application for the Approval of Works.

TAKE NOTICE that The Daily 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 (f) 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.

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 if 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 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 Princeton.

Dated at Hedley, B. C., this 1st day of April, 1914.

GOMER P. JONES,
Agent of the Applicant.

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FOR centuries the principle of "Let the Buyer Beware" —"Caveat Emptor"—ruled the world of business. In fact, it was not a principle—but rather a lack of principle—yet it held sway everywhere until a decade or two ago.

When a merchant quoted a price, he made it high enough to stand almost unlimited whittling, and yet be profitable—to him. When he spoke of quality, his fingers were crossed, and you were not expected to believe him—unless you wanted to very badly.

Buying was a haggle—unless you were a hardened haggler you came out second best in every deal. "Caveat Emptor"—it was up to you. There was no confidence between buyer and seller.

Business—once an aggregation of deals—has become the living embodiment of ideals.

Advertising has helped, because Advertising creates confidence in the buyer and proves the seller's confidence in his wares. Confidence has eliminated the haggle.

You see business confidence is a good deal like capital, in that it accumulates like savings. The grocery-consumer's confidence in a town will

be on deposit chiefly with a few capable square grocers; and dry-goods confidence, jewelry confidence, and so forth, are massed in the same way.

The retail merchant doesn't lock this confidence in his safe. He deposits it in turn with the wholesaler, who passes it on to the manufacturer. And the manufacturer, to make the circle complete, must give confidence to the consumer.

The manufacturer with goods to sell must draw upon all these reserves of confidence. He must demonstrate his own fairness in dealing, his integrity in maintaining quality, his willingness to put principle before profit.

Advertising is the means through which the manufacturer makes this demonstration to you.

Advertising has given personality to commodities, so that you now recognize your "friends" among soap, tea, or collars, as readily as you recognize your human acquaintances.

Advertising fathered the "money back" principle, and has made buying a pleasure instead of a duel of wits.

Advertising has spread the one-price policy—erased "Caveat Emptor" from the language of business, and made buying safe to entrust to a child.

Advice regarding your advertising problems is available through any recognized Canadian advertising agency, or through the Secretary of the Canadian Press Association, Room 503 Lumsden Bldg., Toronto. Enquiry involves no obligation on your part—write if interested.

Town and District.

H. D. Barnes was a visitor to Oroville over the week end.
 Mr. E. E. Burr, accompanied by his son, Elmer, went to Princeton on Friday last.

James Cody is expected to return to Hedley in a few days. He left Salt Lake City on the 14th.

Mr. Miller of Kelowna, accompanied by some friends, motored over from that town on Monday.

Mrs. E. E. Burr went to Princeton on Monday to visit friends for the day. She returned on Tuesday.

Mr. G. McEachern is having his residence on Daly avenue painted. C. A. Sullivan is doing the job.

Mr. and Mrs. F.H. French returned home on Tuesday from a trip to the coast where they have been visiting for a couple of weeks.

The water in Twenty Mile Creek has been rising rapidly for the past few days and is affording cheaper power for the Daly Reduction company here.

The fine weather of the past fortnight has been excellent weather for golf and the links are being made good use of and some good scores are being made.

The work of remodelling the Great Northern hotel is going along nicely and when finished it will be one of the finest hotels in this part of the district.

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.

Messrs. G. P. Jones, C. P. Dalton, R. Collin and J. Clarke were business visitors to Keremeos on Tuesday evening. They made the trip in the Company's big Cadillac car.

There will be Church of England services on Sunday next and special music will be rendered at both services. Holy Communion at 8 a.m., Morning Prayer at 11 a.m. and Even Song at 7.30 p.m.

O. Lachmund, general mgr. of the B. C. Copper Co., while in Princeton recently stated that the company had plans under way calling for an electric power plant, telephone line, etc., in that district.

A mistake was made in last week's issue when we said that Mr. Hugh Gibbons had come here to take up a position as blacksmith at the Nickel Plate. Mr. Gibbons is at the present time doing odd jobs around the mine.

The Keremeos lacrosse team passed through town on Monday in the big steam car enroute for Princeton where they were to play a game with the boys of that town. They returned late that night tired but happy as they had won a hard fought game by the score of 4 to 3.

The dance that was to be given on April 17th by the band boys has been postponed for a couple of weeks as they received word yesterday that the music they had ordered was not procurable and they had to order from another house. It will be announced later when it will take place.

On Friday evening Harry Tweddle made a record run from Keremeos and back in his big Cadillac auto. His little girl was taken seriously ill and he had to make the trip here for the doctor. Latest reports are that his daughter has taken a turn for the better and is now getting along nicely.

What might have been a serious accident occurred on White street, between Scott and Daly avenues, on Thursday evening of last week when Mr. Smith's horses became frightened of an automobile, which was coming out of the garage. The horses bolted into the ditch at the side of the road and a piece of piping that was lying there got caught in the wheel and was wound around the axle three times before the horses could be stopped. Fortunately the rig did not upset and no one was injured.

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MINING NOTES

The Rambler-Cariboo has opened up again after a few weeks' shutdown on account of lack of water.

What is said to be one of the first large bodies of radium-bearing ore ever found in the Northwest is reported as having been discovered in Beaverhead County, Mont., by three Butte mining men. The find is reported in a group of claims thirty-four miles from Armstead and ten miles from Brenner.

Patrick Clark, a pioneer mining man of Spokane and heavily interested in the Standard mine at Silverton, has just returned from New York, where he says eastern capitalists are looking for legitimate mining investments, and there is more money ready to be invested in safe and sane mining ventures than ever before. British Columbia mining propositions are well thought of in the east.

The British Columbia Copper company which has expended some \$650,000 developing its gold-copper properties on Copper Mountain, near Princeton, has changed its name to that of Canada Copper Corporation, Limited. It is now in a position to produce 2,000 tons of ore a day when shipping facilities would warrant such activity, having proved up over 8,000,000 tons of high grade ores by the workings and bore-holes on Copper Mountain, so in the near future the Similkameen country will come into its own, with two transcontinental railways, and the development and showings proving up the rich mineral wealth throughout the district.

A slight earthquake was felt at Trail on April 7th. No damage was done but buildings and their contents were shaken quite noticeably.

METEOROLOGICAL.

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

AT THE MINE.		
	Maximum	Minimum
Apr. 5	51	26
9	53	28
7	52	28
8	49	28
9	55	27
10	52	31
11	46	24

Average maximum temperature 51.14
 Average minimum do 27.43
 Mean temperature 39.28
 Rainfall for the week .00 inches.
 Snowfall 1.00 "

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature	40.
Average maximum do	37.75
Lowest minimum do	14.85
Average minimum do	17.85
Mean do	33.85

AT THE MILL.

	MAXIMUM	Minimum
Apr. 5	66	39
6	69	39
7	67	35
8	64	36
9	69	34
10	70	39
11	65	36

Average maximum temperature 67.14
 Average minimum do 38.86
 Mean do 52.
 Rainfall for the week .00 inches
 Snowfall .02 "

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature	55
Average do	52.
Lowest minimum do	24.
Average do	29.
Mean do	40.50

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THE KEREMEOS PAGE

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Donald McCallum is having his house painted.

Don't forget the "At Home" at Mrs. McCallum on Friday 17th.

Miss Bromley has been assisting in G. G. Keeler's store during the past few days.

W. R. Hope relieved Dr. Jermyn, customs officer at Osoyoos, for a couple of days during last week.

Mrs. L. A. Clarke of Green Mountain spent Easter Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Innis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Keeler paid their brother at Republic, Wash., a visit during the Easter holidays.

Mr. R. H. Carmichael, manager of the Bank of Commerce here spent the Easter week end in Grand Forks.

Most of the Keremeos cattle have been driven out and are now grazing peacefully on their respective ranges.

Mrs. R. H. Carmichael spent the Easter holidays as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Major Moody in Penticton.

The daughters of Japan will hold an entertainment and vice supper in the grounds of Mr. F. B. Gibson on May 1st. Further announcements later.

Rev. G. T. McKenzie preached in the Church, both morning and evening to large congregations. The morning service was a record for attendance.

The lumber for the erection of a cottage on Alex. Morrison's lot arrived last week and is being drawn over to the lot and the building is now under construction.

Provincial Constable McGuffie, after being in charge of this district for a year and a half, received an appointment as senior constable for the Fort George district. Constable McGuffie while in this district proved himself an efficient member of the Provincial police force. He left for the north on Tuesday evening. Good luck Mac.

Mrs. M. Bailey and daughter, Miss Helen, Mrs. J. A. Brown, Miss Daly and Miss Corrigan went up to Princeton on Monday morning's train where they helped to cheer the boys on to victory in their lacrosse game. They also took in the ball in the evening and returned to Keremeos on Tuesday afternoon after spending a most enjoyable time.

William Lowe and Charles Richter returned Sunday from Osoyoos lake with all the traps and accessories. They have put in a very successful trapping season. In their catch they got a silver grey muskrat, the pelt of which is causing no little comment as no one, so far as we can find, has ever seen or caught a muskrat of that color.

Spraying is all over and the orchards are out in blossom. There is nothing prettier than to take a drive through and by the different orchard lots at this time of the year. To watch and appreciate the beautiful bloom as they come forth; first the fine white blossom of the apricot and then the pink bloom of the peach. Plums and cherries come next with their beautiful tinted white blossoms, these are followed by the apples which blossom forth in all their splendour in their wonderful tints on the white background, which represent clearly to what variety they belong.

The lecture on "Jean Valjean" given by Rev. G. T. McKenzie in the Town Hall on Good Friday evening was very well attended. The lecture itself was extremely interesting. Victor Hugo draws a little on his imagination as is shown by the almost superhuman things Jean Valjean overcomes during his lifetime. Dr. and Mrs. Schilstra's little girl and boy sang a sweet duet for which they received a hearty ovation. Mr. Cris Tickell sang "Love Me and The World is Mine" as a solo. Mr. Tickell has a very fine voice and his singing was very much appreciated by the audience.

A petition signed by several property owners of Penticton was recently forwarded to Judge Swanson, the chairman of the Arbitration Board, asking for his resignation on the grounds that he had been biased in his decision on matters at variance between the property owners and the railway company. This was answered by his Honour in a short address, last week, in which he defined to accede to the request made, stating that the accusation was unjust.

FIRST GAME OF SEASON

The steam car pulled into Keremeos a little before noon on Easter Monday and after the driver, Mr. Moscrop, had lunch, nine of the lacrosse club players with their mascot, George Kirby, started for Princeton at 1.10 p.m. At Hedley they picked up Harold Townsend of that town to join the team. After about 15 minutes in Hedley the car steamed out and arrived at Princeton at 3.50 p.m. J. D. Grainger one of the players, having gone up on the morning train was all ready to join the team on arrival and it was only a few minutes before the team was on the race track grounds ready to play. The game commenced at 5 p.m. The ball travelled from end to end quickly right after the face off and it was not until five minutes had passed that the first goal was scored. This came from some good combination work amongst the Keremeos attacks, resulting in Hunter taking a good pass and beating the Princeton custodian. Princeton pressed very hard in an attempt to equalize but the good work of the Keremeos defence held them and before the whistle had blown Etches had added another goal for the Peacheaters, with Princeton scoring immediately after. Quarter time Keremeos 2, Princeton 1. The next quarter started out at a lively clip with Princeton looking as if they would draw level. After a deal of scuffling at the Princeton end of the field Grainger took a pass and put Keremeos two goals in the lead. Keremeos worked hard to add to their score in this quarter, shot after shot was rained in on Russell, the Princeton goal keeper, but he was playing a magnificent game stopping shots that looked like sure goals in rapid succession. Princeton after this bucked up again and added another goal before half time. In the third quarter neither side managed to score. The fourth and last saw both teams working hard and it seemed as if it was a case of who could stand the most. Armstrong in goal was playing in fine shape for Keremeos and with Brown in front of him it made a pretty stiff wall to penetrate. Hunter for Keremeos added another and with only three minutes to play, Princeton got one though this caused great excitement as Princeton was only one goal behind but although they worked hard they did not get the desired point before the final whistle blew, leaving Keremeos victorious by 4 goals to 3. R. H. Carmichael, referee. The lineups were as follows:

Princeton—Russell, Brown, McLeod, McLean, McCurdy, Hertell, Lyall, Peacock, Broomfield, Avery, Wardell.
Keremeos—Armstrong, Hope, W. Daly, Brown, M. Daly, Petrie, Hunter, Townsend, Grainger, Etches, Keeler.

GENERAL NEWS

Thomas W. Henshaw, the author, is dead. He wrote under the nom de plume of Bertha M. Clay, and gave the world some 200 novels.

The zinc smelter which was built at Frank, Alberta, several years ago by a French company, collapsed the other day and sank into an old mine, which has not been worked for ten years. The smelter never treated a pound of ore after it was built.

The C. P. R. are spending \$18,000,000 this year in double-tracking some sections of their line.

Eight passengers in an auto had a miraculous escape while returning to Greenwood from Midway last Saturday. The car went over an embankment near Boundary Falls, the occupants were thrown out and the auto turned turtle. None of the occupants were hurt and the car was not damaged in any way.

The recently-issued order by the Post Office Department that all letters containing coin which were transmitted through the mails were to be sent to the dead letter office unless registered, has been suspended. The new regulation caused much adverse criticism throughout the country, and a day or two ago the deputy minister stated that amounts up to one dollar would be accepted unregistered. An order has now been given out that letters containing coin are to be forwarded in the regular mails. At the post offices a large number of letters which infringed the rule were sent to the dead letter office and eventually returned to their senders. The amended regulation will be in force indefinitely.

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