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CAN IT BE POSSIBLE

Another Report That Great Northern Are About to Resume Building

The Oroville Gazette has reliable information that the Great Northern are at last to make a move for resuming operations in construction of their line to the coast. The Gazette says:

"Our information was to the effect that contractors were and had been for several days passed, putting in bids on this work with the expectation of starting actual work immediately if they chanced to be the lucky bidders.

"There is about 70 miles of heavy mountain work between Coalmont and Hope, to be completed and of this strip the part through the Coquihalla pass is to be joint construction for both roads. Large survey parties for both companies have been in the field all summer and everything is now in readiness to rush construction in record breaking time. The C. P. R. has practically let contracts for all of the work on their road from Midway through Penticton to the point where joint construction is to begin and has had as large a force of men in the grading camps all summer as it was possible to secure. These camps are still crying for more men, but owing to the laborers preferring to work in the orchards and harvest fields it has been simply impossible to rush this work as had been expected.

"The following railroad contractors composed the party that stayed over night here Tuesday: R. B. Porter, Spokane; C. W. Wenerhoff, Minneapolis; M. Woldson, Spokane, G. A. Carlson, Spokane, W. L. Dean, Missoula, J. H. Ellison, Minneapolis, A. W. Sagel, Spokane. This is a very representative crowd of railroad contractors and their presence has put confidence in the hearts of our citizens that there is surely something doing this time.

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GENERAL NEWS

A couple of Rossland miners were overcome by gas in the Bluebird mine and were unconscious for a long spell. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is reported to be contemplating a tour of the west shortly.

The Duke of Connaught will lay the cornerstone of a new building to accommodate the library of the legislature.

WHERE OH WHERE

Is a Man Who Is Afflicted With a Wad in Oroville to Look for Safety?

The fame of Hedley camp as a wealth producer has extended so widely that Hedleyites are in danger of being sandbugged whenever they venture abroad. Last week a miner named Paul Nelson from the Nickel Plate went out with a roll of Bank of B.N.A. bills to the amount of \$175.00 which he was taking along as a little pocket money. But he only got as far as Oroville when his little nest egg began to excite the cupidity of the impecunious. Report says that he began to imbibe too freely, but at all events he must have taken some liberty with the constitution of the U. S. or done something which gave excuse to lay hands on him for the local policeman landed him in the lock-up.

But the funny part of the episode is that even prison doors cannot withstand the business enterprise of Uncle Sam's rustlers down around Oroville for when the morning dawned it was found that the jail had been broken into during the night and the prisoner's roll of bills had disappeared. The luckless victim of the rolling claimed to have seen the man who robbed him and made some attempt at describing him.

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WILL CELEBRATE ROYALLY

Kamloops Sparring No Expense in Fittingly Marking Its Hundredth Birthday

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HINTS TO CAMPERS

The season has come to that stage when forest fires may be looked for, and when the greatest care should be exercised by campers and all others in the bush in the lighting and extinguishing of fires. At this season of the year forest fires spread with startling rapidity and the amount of damage which can be caused by a few sparks left from the noon-day camp fire, is almost inconceivable. A few rules for the guidance of campers in handling their camp fires are not out of place at this season of the year.

Never kindle your fire in the vicinity of a rotten log, as the sparks will live in the punk for days and will travel many yards before breaking into flame.

Never build your fire in the vicinity of heavy undergrowth. The dried bracken and ferns will catch the fire and spread in the least wind.

Always see that your fire is extinguished at least fifteen minutes before you leave it. Do not be content with its apparently being out, but scrape away the ashes and assure yourself that there are no live coals.

Remember that a fire, once started may cost thousands of dollars and many valuable lives before extinguished. Cigarette ends should be watched when in the woods, as a single spark will often cause a conflagration.

The Provincial government have ordered an inquiry into the habits of the Doukhobours in this province with a view to determining whether they are likely to make desirable citizens.

WILL AID SETTLEMENT

Great Northern Officials Will Visit Province Preparatory to Immigration Campaign

An attempt is to be made presently by the Great Northern to assist in the settlement of the territory through which the road passed in British Columbia. This is the information given to the publicity commissioner who has returned from Seattle and other Sound cities where he was in conference with the railway officials.

Those interviewed were Mr. M. J. Costello, general traffic manager; Mr. W. A. Ross, assistant general passenger agent; and F. W. Graham, the western immigration agent. These officials promised to make a trip through this territory in a short time where they will familiarize themselves with the conditions in this vicinity.

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GROUNDLESS FEARS

Strands of Empire All Right—Weakness Only in Brain of This Imperial Jeremiah

OTTAWA, Aug. 10.—"I hope not." This was the reply of Hon. R. H. Emmerson, M. P., a former member of the Laurier cabinet, when asked if he thought Rt. Hon. Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, would come to Canada to confer with the government with reference to a naval policy.

"This country is in a position now," continued Hon. Mr. Emmerson, who is visiting in the city, "to formulate its own policy with regard to naval affairs and a demonstration such as would necessarily be occasioned by the visit of a British cabinet minister might do incalculable harm.

"I am speaking imperially in saying this and not politically. The strands of empire are so intangible that the least strain might break them."

GENERAL NEWS

The earthquake managed to kill more Turks than the dagoes have done in the war up to date.

Harvesters are pointing in from eastern Canada to help save the crop on the prairies.

Minister of Public Works, F. D. Monk, will visit the Pacific coast in September.

Statutes of D'Arcy McGee and Geo. Brown are to be erected on Parliament Hill, Ottawa.

Col. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia is apt to come in for a wiggling from his leader and colleagues in the cabinet for indiscreet remarks in the discussion of international affairs.

A shortage of binder twine is likely to interfere with harvesting operations around Moosejaw.

Nelson has hospital trouble that appears to have put the whole town by the ears. It originated in a scrap between the acting matron and one of the pupil nurses over the wiping up of some milk that had been spilled. The pupil exhibited a little displeasure at the manner in which the matron called her down about the mishap and was suspended for insubordination. Eleven other pupil nurses asked for her reinstatement when the matron who had meanwhile returned recommended the board of directors to suspend all of them and this they were foolish enough to do.

ABLE TO HANDLE CROP

Railroads Say Arrangements Are Being Made to Move Grain

Montreal, Aug. 17.—The Canadian Pacific and the Grand Trunk Pacific are already arranging for the sending west of all available empty cars to be in readiness for the moving of the immense grain crop which is expected this year. In fact, the movement of cars to the west has already begun and by far the biggest collection of rolling stock the west has ever seen will be in readiness as soon as threshing starts.

Officials of both roads expressed the conviction that the crop would this year be handled with the minimum of inconvenience, while the Canadian Northern announces that it is in a position to handle the same proportion of the crop which it handled last year, namely one-third.

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THE LATE MRS. FRENCH

F. H. French received word by wire on Sunday morning of the death of his mother which occurred at the family home in Vernon that evening. The event was not unexpected as she had been sinking gradually for a couple of weeks after the seizure of an apoplectic nature which resulted in paralysis. Mr. French left on Sunday morning to drive through to Penticton and take the boat there for Vernon. Deceased had been for over twenty years a resident in Vernon where she was highly esteemed by all who knew her. Previous to coming to Vernon she had resided near Winnipeg which was her first home in Canada. She was born in England and married there and came out to rejoin her husband who had settled in Manitoba before that province was joined by rail with eastern Canada; and when she made the journey from England, bringing with her the elder members of the family who were then quite small she had to go by steamer to Duluth and take rail westward until the Red River was reached and then westward by rail as far as Winnipeg. Her high ideals of home life were early observed when she first came to Vernon and has resulted in the rearing and training of a large family of whom every member does credit both to himself and herself and to the home in which they were reared. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband, an unbroken family of eight children most of whom are married and have families of their own. The writer who has known deceased for twenty years extends sympathy to the bereaved family and takes this opportunity of bearing tribute to the social and moral worth of the departed.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending August 17, 1912:

| AT THE MINE. | | |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| | Maximum | Minimum |
| Aug 11 | 53 | 38 |
| 12 | 61 | 31 |
| 13 | 68 | 35 |
| 14 | 70 | 41 |
| 15 | 48 | 39 |
| 16 | 45 | 32 |
| 17 | 42 | 30 |
| Average maximum temperature 55.28 | | |
| Average minimum do 36. | | |
| Mean temperature 45.64 | | |
| Rainfall for the week 1.56 inches. | | |
| Snowfall " " 0.0 " | | |
| CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR | | |
| | Maximum | Minimum |
| Aug 11 | 71 | 47 |
| 12 | 78 | 48 |
| 13 | 81 | 52 |
| 14 | 88 | 58 |
| 15 | 65 | 48 |
| 16 | 64 | 45 |
| 17 | 66 | 49 |
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A. MEGRAW, Managing Editor.

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| Full Moon 27 | New Moon 12 | | | | | |
| Last quart 5 | First quart 19 | | | | | |
| 1912 | AUG | 1912 | | | | |
| 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 | 31 |

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

From comment of newspapers on the action of the United States Senate in reference to the Panama bill there is very good evidence that the press of the United States are morally in advance of the legislatures and are actuated by a higher sense of national honor. While there may be a considerable number of publications that regard the matter lightly many of the greater journals and magazines of continental reputation have come out very plainly and denounced the action as dishonorable and calculated to place the nation in a bad light before the rest of the civilized world. Even the legislatures might not have acted so basely but for the fact that a presidential election is on and the average politician cannot rise above the plane of ward politics.

The most telling shots dealt out to the Asquith government on their Irish Home Rule policy were landed by Bonar Law and Sir Edward Carson at the Blenheim meeting. Bonar Law twitted Mr. Asquith with the magnitude of the reception he had just received from the corporation of the City of Dublin, which body had point blankly refused to extend any reception whatever to the present and late Kings on the occasion of their last visits to that city. Sir Edward Carson furnished a little additional detail concerning receptions of that corporation by recalling the grudging courtesy they had extended to the late Queen Victoria on the occasion of Her epoch-making visit to Ireland, and he quoted from the speeches of prominent nationalist members, at that time who condemned the City of Dublin for giving any reception at all to British royalty, and one of them, Dillon, had said that Dublin had disgraced herself by giving a reception to Britain's Queen in the name of the corporation.

It may not seem a nice thing to question the loyalty of either an individual or a party without some good reason for doing so, but what are we to make of the maunderings of R. H. Emmerson M. P., a former cabinet minister and colleague of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, reported in another column? If Mr. Emmerson be a fair sample of Canadian Liberal and his views are shared by any considerable number of his party it would be interesting to have some of them attempt to elucidate their position and give, if they

can, some sane or valid reason for fearing that the presence in this country of a British cabinet minister of the same political faith as themselves could in any way effect injuriously the cause of empire in Canada. The speeches of Winston Churchill and Mr. Asquith in the British parliament when referring to the visit of Mr. Borden and his colleagues and to the mission on which they had gone, read very strangely alongside of these views expressed by Mr. Emmerson. And yet they are all of them known politically by the name of Liberal. Wherein then lies the difference between a British Liberal and a follower of Sir Wilfrid Laurier if both of them are to be considered loyal subjects of the same sovereign and members of the same political party?

The Asquith government will take about the speediest form of political suicide open to them if they attempt to put into effect their silly bluff of prosecuting Bonar Law, Sir Edward Carson and F. E. Smith on a charge of inciting rebellion. The recent speech by Winston Churchill attacking Bonar Law when taken together with an apparently inspired article in a Scotch paper controlled by a member of the government to the effect that the Attorney General was preparing an indictment with the imprisonment of Parnell as a precedent, is a plain threat from the government. There is absolutely no parallel between the two cases. Parnell was locked up for inciting Fenian land leaguers in Ireland to rebel against the British government and British laws; Bonar Law and Sir Edward Carson have merely commended the loyal people of Ulster for expressing their determination to remain loyal to the Empire and oppose separation and everything which would tend to lead thereto. If Winston Churchill thinks Bonar Law should be imprisoned for anything he may have said in his Blenheim speech he practically says that his own father, Lord Randolph Churchill, should have been jailed when he said "Ulster will fight and Ulster will be right." Should their folly lead them to the extent of putting into effect the threatened indictment the life of the Asquith government would be only a matter of a few hours.

KAMLOOPS CENTENARY CELEBRATION

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This notice was posted on the ground on the 17th day of August, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Fairview.
Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.
R-1 J. ROBERT BROWN, Indian agent



Sealed Tenders address to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for the Construction of a Breakwater in Victoria Harbour, B. C." will be received at this office until 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 5th, 1912, for the construction of a Breakwater at Victoria Harbour, Victoria, B. C.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of W. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C.; C. C. Worsfold, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster, B. C.; J. G. Sing, Esq., District Engineer, Toronto, Ont.; J. L. Michaud, Esq., District Engineer, Montreal, Que.; and on application to the Postmaster at Vancouver, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made 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 per cent) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines 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.

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By Order
R. C. DESROCHERS,
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Commencing at a post planted at the North-west corner of Lot 337; thence northerly along the East shore of Dog Lake eighty chains more or less to the South-western corner post of Lot 337; thence East 743 links more or less to the west boundary of the Columbia and Western Railway right of way, being the East boundary of Lot 270, Group 1; thence Southerly eighty chains, more or less, along the West boundary of Lot 270 to the north boundary of Lot 337; thence west three chains more or less to the point of commencement and containing 25 acres more or less.

CHARLES JOSEPH LOEWEN by his agent

Herbert E. A. Robertson

Date, May 23rd, 1912

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT DISTRICT OF VALE

TAKE notice that I, Hiram Ingles of White Lake, occupation Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Lot 1068; thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement containing 80 acres, more or less.

HIRAM INGLES

July 20th, 1912

Town and District.

Mrs. J. T. Naff left this week on a visit to Puyallup, Wash.

Game warden Schissler was in town the end of the week and posted up notices giving information re the game laws.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Whiteman of Princeton were in town for a couple of days, this week and are the guests Mr. and Mrs. Sproule.

District road supervisor Turner was in town yesterday, on his way up the valley. With that auto of his he slips around swiftly and silently and keeps all hours from cockerow until midnight.

A couple of strolling musicians, man and woman, held forth in Fraternity hall on Friday night to a very small audience. The public have learned from experience to fight shy of performances that give too short notice.

C. H. Brookes and wife came in on Saturday from New York and are staying at the Similkameen for a few days. It is Mr. Brookes' intention to begin active development of the Golden Zone as soon as supplies can be got on the ground.

Mr. C. F. Wilson, principal of the Hudson school in Vancouver, was in town on Saturday between trains. Mr. Wilson is spending part of his holidays at Keremeos, and during his brief visit here on Saturday he had a run through the mill.

Some of T. C. Brooke's white leghorn pullets hatched out in March and brought to Hedley began laying before the month of July was out. The white leghorns maintain their reputation as laying machines, and are at it early and often. A layer at 4 1/2 months is some class.

Billy Lonsdale is hunting for diamonds in South Africa. In the particular camp where he is there are three hundred whites and 1500 Kaffirs. A temperature of 118 degrees with frequent sand storms are some of the climatic conditions that help to make the experience interesting.

An auto party from Kamloops consisting of F. T. Cornwall and wife, Mrs. Meighen, F. V. Cornwall and J. Grindrod as chauffeur were in town on Monday on their way back to Kamloops by way of Merritt. They had been to Spokane and were having a pleasant trip.

The heavy rain of Friday had the usual ill effect of taking out part of the flume and as a result the steam boilers had to be put in commission to handle the works until after the repairs could be made. The breach this time occurred up near the dam where some four sections of the flume went out.

The two diamond drills are busy at work proving the ground between the Nickel Plate and the Windfall group, which the Hedley Gold Mining Co. have under bond. One of the diamond drills at work is the company's own drill and the other is owned in Rossland and working on contract. The exceedingly hardness of the ground has made busy work for the diamond setters, but that is something that must always be counted on in this camp.

The Great Northern are said to be planning schemes for settling the country through which their lines pass. Why, bless their hearts, that's easy. If they had built their road through to the coast at the time they were expected to have done so, the country would all be settled up now and they wouldn't have to bother their heads with anything of that kind.

The directors of the Spokane Interstate fair are making special effort to obtain a representative display of ores of the Pacific Northwest which they intend to keep on permanent exhibit in a mineralogical museum. They invite the co-operation of Boards of Trade or citizens' committees through adjoining states and British Columbia and they agree to pay the freight on all samples sent them that the senders will agree to leave with them for the museum.

After what the Salmonbellies did to Con Jones' hired help in Vancouver on Saturday and the way the Vancouver baseball team in the Northwest league are careering down a greased slide it begins to look as if that silver wear cabinet we heard so much about from Vancouver papers last fall is going to present a mighty hungry looking appearance next Christmas. When the Minto Cup goes back to Westminster this fall as it appears very likely to do, there will be very little regret throughout the province for there is a general feeling in British Columbia outside of Vancouver that it will be where it belongs.

The Gazette had a pleasant visit on Saturday from Mr. Leonard P. Lawson, cartoonist of the Winnipeg Free Press, and from Mr. R. L. Cawston of Keremeos with whom he is staying. Unfortunately the visit was provokingly short, for they could only stay between trains, and as ill-luck would have it, the train that day was very late in getting in from the south. Mr. Lawson is preparing illustrations for a new prospectus, which the owners of the old R ranch are bringing out shortly and as they are Winnipeg men they succeeded in getting the services of Mr. Lawson for a while to look after the artistic end of the work for them. The Gazette was looking forward to the pleasure of taking him up the gravity tramway and showing him some of the finest views to be seen anywhere in Canada—views that would be sure to appeal most strongly to an artist.

An action was heard last week in Princeton which will interest residents of this valley and serve to disabuse the minds of many of a wrong impression they had formed in reference to the game laws. Game warden Schissler had two prospectors, Billy Knight and Charlie Day up on a charge of having deer meat in their possession in the close season. It has always been thought by prospectors and miners that a prospector had the right to kill deer out of season for his own sustenance while actively engaged in prospecting. The Mineral Act a few years ago gave the impression that a prospector was exempt but there is now a clause making it subject to the Game Act and the Game Act makes no exception. The meat in question was killed last fall during the open season and cured and the game laws gave no such privilege. It being the first action under the new arrangement the defendants were let off with a fine of one dollar and costs each.

The matter of a superior school for the Similkameen has been finally settled and on Monday S. L. Smith, secretary of the school board received a wire from L. W. Shafford, M. P. P. advising him of the fact that the department had agreed to sanction a superior school for the valley to be located at Hedley and that the official notice of same would follow in due course by mail. The board will now have their hands full to get everything in readiness to start after the holidays. Seating must be procured for the extra room and two teachers employed. The principal will take the junior fourth grade in addition to the higher class of those who have passed the entrance, and the assistant teacher will take all the classes below that. The opportunity of having this advanced work taken up in the valley and obviating the necessity of undergoing the serious cost of sending pupils out to attend school elsewhere is something which we are sure will be fully appreciated by those who have children to be educated.



County Court of Yale

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held in Fraternity Hall, Hedley, on Tuesday, October 23rd, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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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.

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THE KEREMEOS PAGE

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

Town and Lower Valley.

Mrs. W. J. Forbes of Hedley is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. J. Innis.

Frank Hargreaves returned from Edmonton Wednesday of last week.

W. R. Hope left Monday to relieve the Customs officer at Midway for a week.

Alfred Gahan, of Kay & Gahan, Penticton, was a visitor to town last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gibson and three children are paying a visit to friends in Vancouver.

Mrs. Wirth of Hedley came down to spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. Daly at the "Willows."

Richard Dayey, leading livery man of Salmon Arm, was in town Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Dignam and Bassett, of Penticton, brought in a moving picture outfit on Monday to be consigned to Princeton.

Mrs. J. W. Cameron and Miss Cameron left for Calgary Friday last, after having spent a pleasant vacation in the district.

Mrs. Lowe returned from Victoria Wednesday of last week and at present is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Max Ewart.

Mrs. Meausette and family returned this week from Princeton where they had been staying a month with Mr. Meausette.

O. J. Berghout, C. E. and Joe Mason spent a few days at the Centre last week after surveying all creeks tributary to the Similkameen.

Miss Dolly Lindsay who has been spending her holidays at the "Willows" returned to her home in Spokane last Saturday.

Mrs. B. Wilcox of Princeton came down to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dunc. Campbell but unfortunately her baby was taken sick so she had to return to Princeton the following day.

A number of contractors went up line last Wednesday to look over the G. N. right-of-way before putting in estimates for the construction of a little more of the G. N. railway. We would like to see a little more grade built before the snow flies.

A very enjoyable evening was spent by a number of the young people in the district as the guests of Mrs. Richter at the hall. Dancing was greatly enjoyed by all. Mrs. Sproule and W. Daly gave much satisfaction with the music they provided.

L. P. Lawson left again for Winnipeg on Tuesday to resume his duties as cartoonist on the staff of the Winnipeg Free Press. He was very much pleased with the Similkameen valley and regretted that he had no time to remain after completion of his work here.

Fred Wilson, cousin of Vincent Wilson, of Horn Lake, spent the week end in Keremeos and district. Mr. Wilson is now principal of one of the Vancouver schools. It is now nearly four years since he was in the valley and he says it is wonderful the difference that has taken place during that time.

Miss Bessie and Freida Richter left Tuesday for St. Ann's Convent, Victoria, where they will spend nearly a year more in studies. The district will feel the loss of these popular young ladies. All join with us in wishing them success in their studies and hope that it will not be as long as a year before they return.

The ice cream, peaches and cream social of the Ladies Aid was held in the town hall last Friday and was well attended. Thirty-two dollars were the gross receipts, fifty per cent. of which was clear profit so not only making a splendid little social evening which everyone enjoyed it left a nice little margin for the Aid. The Ladies Aid through this column wishes to thank the many young gentlemen who helped so generously to make everything a success.

Joe Armstrong accompanied by Eneas Maresel brought down the mountain two hundred and thirty-five head of yearling sheep which he will drive over to Penticton instead of driving up the Similkameen as he did in the past. Joe kept coming north from his range and keeping above timber line brought the sheep out at Sheep creek opposite town, by doing this it only necessitated about three-quarters of a days trailing. They were detained in the mountains a couple of

days by a heavy snow storm in which they claimed it snowed eight inches.

On Friday last when McCurdy's road gang was tearing up the gravel they ran across two skeletons, presumably Indians, one of which was in a pretty fair state of preservation, all bones from the funny bone to the last bone in the little toe were there; lessons in physiology can now be had free of charge by going to the museum in the P. O. One jaw, which was rather ghastly to behold, measured five inches across and still held a beautiful row of teeth. Apparently the one time owner of this jaw must have been a regular grinding mill for the rest of the tribe. A peculiar thing in one of the skeletons was that it was covered with a copper green stain; where the copper came from is beyond us to find out so many theories being advanced. Alongside of the departed a battle axe or club was found. This was made out of some kind of slate and is shaped somewhat like a paddle on a small scale and on it some rude engravings were made on the flat of the blade, and towards the point were eleven notches on one edge and twelve on the other, whether these notches denoted victims is another question we are unable to answer. Also a fine flint spear head was found and strange to note there was jet black hair lying the whole length of one skeleton. Anyone who wishes to do any tall thinking can stop around and interview the bones. They will be at home all week.

SIMILKAMEEN NOTES

The usual Methodist church service did not take place at Similkameen on Sunday owing to sacramental services at Keremeos.

The farmers find it slow work finishing haying on account of wet weather.

Frank McLean came down on Friday last and is doing some work building woodshed etc on Similkameen school house.

Paul Shurson, wife and child are visiting at Dan McCurdy's for a week or two. Paul intends going up on the Shurson ranches on Trout creek before returning to Carni.

W. J. Manery lost a valuable mare on Saturday last. She got snagged or staked a few days ago.

Some people down at Similkameen are wondering if the editor of the Gazette really wrote that article in the issue of August 1st entitled "Some Blue Laws". The majority are charitable enough to come to the conclusion that the "devil" had put that article through while the Major was out. [The charity is wasted this time for the editor takes full responsibility--Ed]

J. J. Currie, W. H. Armstrong's engineer, intends leaving Similkameen in a few days for Vancouver and other coast points.

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