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First Class Accommodation. Bar Stocked with  
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Hot and Cold Baths in Connection  
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REGULAR monthly meetings of  
Hedley Lodge No. 14, A. F. & A. M.,  
are held on the second Friday in  
each month in Fraternity Hall, Hedley. Visiting  
brethren are cordially invited to attend.  
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Secretary

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Regular monthly meetings of  
Hedley Lodge 174 are held on  
the third Monday in every  
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brethren are cordially invited to attend.  
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**JOHN JACKSON, Proprietor**  
Everything New and First-Class  
Bar supplied with the Choicest  
Liquors and Cigars, and Special  
Attention paid to the Table.

**PALACE**  
Livery, Feed & Sale tables  
HEDLEY B. C.

A good stock of Horses and Rigs on  
Hand. Orders for Feeding  
promptly attended to.

Office of Dominion Express Company.  
**WOOD FOR SALE!**  
Phon 14. **INNIS BROS.**, Proprietors.

Try  
**Victoria Cross**

**CEYLON TEA.**  
Pure and Invigorating.

Stocks Mines  
**Herbert B. Brown**  
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MEMBER VANCOUVER  
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443 Pender St. W. Vancouver.  
Write me about your claims

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BARRISTER, SOLICITOR,  
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## Chrysanthemums

Order Your Flowers for Christ-  
mas now.

We are the largest growers of  
choice Chrysanthemums and Carn-  
ations in the Interior of B. C.  
Dealers write us about lettuce,  
radishes and parsley, your cus-  
tomers will want these for  
Christmas.

**FRACHE BROS.**  
Flourist, Columbia, B. C.

**E. E. Burr**  
General Blacksmith  
Hedley, B. C.

Horse-shoeing and all  
Blacksmith Work  
Promptly attended to.  
Pipe-fitting done.

**NOTICE**  
Certificate of Improvements.

DOLPHIN and SPAR FRACTIONAL Mineral  
Claims in the Cheyenne Mining Division of  
Yale District. Where located: on the east side  
of Laramie Creek on Mannel Barrels ranch.  
Take Notice that I, C. A. Stoess of Kelowna,  
B. C. acting as agent for Chas. W. Jordan, of  
Oshana, B. C. free miner's certificate No B2890,  
intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to  
the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Im-  
provements, for the purpose of obtaining a  
Crown Grant of the above claim.  
And further take notice that action under  
section 37 must be commenced before the issue  
of such Certificate of Improvement.  
C. A. STOEISS  
December 29th, 1910 50-10

## A BIG EXPENDITURE

Premier McBride Prophesies the Spend-  
ing of Over \$100,000,000 in B. C.  
in Next Four Years

That the next four years will wit-  
ness a greater development of British  
Columbia's population and a larger  
expenditure in railroad construction  
and major industrial works than any  
previous period in the history of the  
province, is the opinion of the premier  
Hon. R. McBride, based upon assured  
railway construction and large de-  
velopment enterprises now in sight.  
Railway construction alone in the en-  
suing four years should provide for a  
distribution of over fifty million dol-  
lars in the province, while in the mat-  
ter of reproductive public works the  
government contemplates an invest-  
ment at the very least of five millions.  
In each year or twenty millions in the  
whole of the period in question. Then  
it is a safe and conservative estimate  
that in the systematic exploitation  
of the timber areas, the coal fields  
and the fisheries at least thirty mil-  
lion dollars will be invested, so that  
leaving out of account altogether the  
metalliferous mining, which is sup-  
posed to be the backbone of British  
Columbia's business life, and leaving  
out also the general commercial de-  
velopment which may surely be ex-  
pected, there will be fully a hundred  
million dollars to be expended within  
the province as a substantial guaran-  
tee of its growth and expansion.

## RAILWAY TO HUDSON BAY

Sir W. Mackenzie and Sir D. Mann  
Confer With Minister of Railways  
Regarding Scheme.

Ottawa Jan 8.—It was learned to-  
day at the railways and canal depart-  
ment that Sir William Mackenzie and  
Sir Donald Mann and other officials in  
the C. N. R. held a lengthy conference  
with Hon. G. P. Graham, minister of  
railways, over the construction of the  
Hudson Bay railway. The agreement  
reached, it is understood, was that a  
plan in the form of a contract would  
be submitted to the cabinet by the  
C. N. R. asking for the road construc-  
tion on a rental basis.

There is much speculation as to  
whether the government will accept  
such a contract on account of the in-  
sistent demands of the Western  
farmers recently so vociferously ex-  
pressed for actual government construction  
and operation of the Hudson Bay rail-  
way. In authoritative circles there is  
a belief that the government will  
undertake the building of the road it-  
self.

## POLICE OFFICER SHOT

Spokane Over-run with Thugs—Police  
Captain Sullivan Shot Through  
Window of His Home

After many threatening letters that  
were treated by them as a joke John  
T. Sullivan, for many years a captain  
in the police force at Spokane, was  
shot by some unknown party who  
fired through the window of his home.  
The outrage is believed to have been  
caused by some one in sympathy with  
the dive element in that city that  
Sullivan took an active part in sup-  
pressing.

Spokane like Vancouver is one of  
the worst policed cities in the west.  
Visitors have often noted the scarcity  
of police it being a rare thing to see  
one anywhere on the street.

## A BIG CONCERN

Canadian Northern System Assuming  
Enormous Proportions

(Columbian)  
The Canadian Northern Railway is  
becoming a big transportation enter-  
prise. The earnings this year were  
eighteen million and the wage paid  
out total a million a month. There  
are forty-eight thousand employees  
in the railway and kindred industries.  
The system extends over 7,135 miles.  
Such a large and growing railway  
system must become a very important  
factor in British Columbia develop-  
ment when the Pacific extension is  
completed.

## COMPLETE THE LINK

Government Telephone Line Makes  
Circuit of 378 Miles from Kam-  
loops Via Okanagan, Si-  
milkaheen and Nicola

The completion of a stretch of gov-  
ernment telephone from Kamloops to  
Vernon via Grand Prairie was the last  
link in a circuit 378 miles long on  
which the six main offices for relay  
purposes are Kamloops, Vernon, Kel-  
owna, Penticton, Hedley and Nicola.  
Most of the line uses an iron wire  
but from Vernon to Kelowna they  
have a copper wire as well which is  
used for telephone purposes altogether  
and the iron wire used for telegraph.  
Also for a portion of the distance be-  
tween Kamloops and Nicola copper is  
used. The reason why the system is  
not all copper is partly on account of  
the greater cost of the copper and also  
because the iron is not so easily bro-  
ken when a tree falls across it enroute.  
Hedley office is the connecting point  
for two sections of the circuit, viz.  
Hedley to Nicola and Hedley to Pen-  
ticton.

A good deal of the line has lately  
been re-poled and the intention is to  
go over a considerable section of it  
next summer and renew the poles.

## GONE WHEAT MAD

Vice-President Whyte of C. P. R. Gives  
Timely Advice to Prairie Farmers

In a statement issued Mr. William  
Whyte, second vice-president of the  
Canadian Pacific Railway, said: "The  
experience of this season shows the  
trouble is our farmers are 'wheat  
mad'. They have made money rais-  
ing wheat and have done so without  
the labor entailed in mixed farming.  
They go away in the winter and leave  
the hired man to look after the horses.  
The loss which follows the exclusive  
raising of wheat is universally recog-  
nized. The agriculturist is engaged  
not in selling the products of the land,  
but the land itself. He is not so much  
engaged in tilling the soil as exploit-  
ing it. He is taking all out and put-  
ting nothing back. This year the  
company in the West built 600 miles  
of railway, 50 miles being double track  
Next year a similar amount of con-  
struction work will be carried out.  
This year Winnipeg imported twelve  
million eggs and the C. P. R. is impor-  
ing for its diners chickens from Chi-  
cago and cream from St Paul. This  
shows that diversified farming, is a  
necessity."

## B. C.'S EARLY HISTORY

Provincial Librarian Visits California  
With View of Securing Valuable  
Old Manuscripts

Victoria, Jan. 5.—Mr. E. O. S. Schole-  
field, Provincial Librarian, has re-  
turned from a flying visit to San  
Francisco, whither he went for the  
purpose of conferring with Mr. F. J.  
Taggart, curator of the Academy of  
Pacific Coast History of the Univer-  
sity of California, in connection with  
the securing of certain old manuscripts  
dealing with the earlier history of this  
Pacific province obtained by Bancroft  
in the days of the preparation of his  
well-known history. Mr. Scholefield  
was everywhere received with very  
special attention and courtesy and re-  
turns well satisfied with the outcome  
of his official mission.

## HEROISM IN MINE

B. C. Government Grants Gratuity to  
Widow of Late F. D. Alderson, Who  
Lost His Life at Bellevue

Victoria, Jan. 5.—The conspicuous  
heroism displayed by the late F. D.  
Alderson of Hosmer in connection  
with the recent lamentable disaster at  
the Bellevue mines in the neighboring  
Province of Alberta, has been recog-  
nized by the Provincial Government  
in the passage of an order-in-council  
granting to the widow of the deceased  
a gratuity of \$500, supplementing the  
amount of the public subscriptions in  
her behalf which have recently been  
made by the people of the Kootenay.  
These subscriptions when completed  
will, it is expected, amount to between  
\$1000 and \$1500.

## WILL FORCE TRIAL

Indicted Wireless Officers Claim They  
Cannot Get Trial and Threaten To  
Compel Same Through  
Congress

A column article in the Seattle Post  
Intelligencer states that Congdon,  
solicitor for the United Wireless Tele-  
graph Co., is in Washington in behalf  
of his clients and has given out in in-  
terview that the Post Office Depart-  
ment is trying to screen the actions of  
its inspectors who acted too hastily  
and without due examination into the  
merits of the case. Other Wireless  
concerns, without any assets or any  
income from commercial business have  
been allowed to sell their stock to the  
public both before and since the offi-  
cial attack on United Wireless in June  
last, and are unmolested.

Congdon claims that he is getting  
at the bottom of a deliberate conspir-  
acy to wreck United Wireless and  
that he has given the Post Office De-  
partment to understand that if they  
do not at once bring on the cases to  
trial he will get some member or mem-  
bers of congress to take the matter up  
in the House and will produce evidence  
that they cannot but take cognizance  
of. Whether this is bluffing on his  
part or not remains to be seen; the  
P. O.'s statement is given for what it  
is worth. Meanwhile the operating  
department claims to have been equip-  
ping boats steadily all year with their  
system.

## PENTICTON BY-LAWS PASS

Four By-Laws For Public Improvements  
Pass With Large Majorities

The four by-laws which were voted  
upon on Tuesday last all carried by  
large majorities, the balloting on three  
out of the four being practically un-  
animous. Everyone who is in favor  
of the water system would also seem  
to be in favor of the installation of  
electric lighting according to the re-  
turns which show an even balloting  
on both the electric light and water  
works bylaws.

There were 118 votes cast for these  
bylaws and five against while in each  
case there were two spoiled ballots.

## AN EXCELLENT PLAN

The Canadian Government Annu-  
ties system which was approved by  
unanimous vote of Parliament in 1906,  
and is available to everyone, presents  
exceptional advantages to the young  
or middle-aged who are able to save  
over a considerable period to secure  
for their declining years an income  
free from all possible danger of loss or  
diminution, and at the lowest possible  
cost. If the person has a lump sum  
saved up which he or she could apply  
on account of the purchase, the cost  
for the remaining years would be re-  
duced to a greater or smaller extent,  
according to the amount which was  
paid in the lump sum. For example,  
a man of 35 wishing to purchase an  
Annuity of \$300 at 60 and having \$500  
in the savings bank which he could  
apply on account of the purchase in a  
lump sum could then complete his  
contract for an annual payment of  
\$38.82, while if the \$500 had not been  
paid he would have had to make an  
annual payment of \$71.04. In the  
event of his death before 60, his heirs  
would of course receive back the \$500  
as well as the annual payments with  
3% compound interest; and if he be-  
came an invalid or disabled so that he  
could not earn a livelihood, and the  
amount that he had paid in would  
yield him an income of \$50 or more,  
he could draw his Annuity at his then  
age though he were under 55 or 60.  
This points out the advantage to a  
man or woman who has been saving  
up for the years when they are unable  
longer to work of immediately trans-  
ferring any amount which they can  
spare to their account for the purchase  
of an Annuity. The amount if left in  
the Savings Bank at 3% would yield  
an income far short of the amount  
which might be required for their  
maintenance.

Information may be had at the Post  
Office, or of the Superintendent of  
Annuities, Ottawa, of the plan you  
may adopt to make this provision.

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Per Year.....\$2.00  
(United States).....2.50

### Advertising Rates

Measurement, 12 lines to the inch.

Land Notices.—Certificates of improvement, etc., \$7.00 for 60-day notices, and \$5.00 for 30-day notices.

Changes for contract advertisements should be in the office by noon on Tuesday to secure attention for that week's issue.

Advertisements will be changed once every month if advertiser desires, without any extra charge. For changes oftener than once a month the price of composition will be charged at regular rates.

A. MEGRAW, Managing Editor.

Full Moon	11	New Moon	30			
Last quarter	22	First quarter	8			
1911 JAN 1911						
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				

### VIVE FLETCHERISM

Knowing the profound impression which the researches of Professor Chittenden, of Yale, have made upon both the professional and lay mind by his study of the subject of nutrition, and knowing also the able co-operation which has been lent him by some of the most eminent men of the medical profession of Europe and America, a medico bearing the somewhat aristocratic cognomen of Sir James Crichton-Browne has sought to attract a little notice to himself by writing a book in opposition thereto; and while gaining thereby a little cheap notoriety he may also have had an eye to the main chance and shrewdly calculated that the name and fame of Chittenden and Horace Fletcher would help to sell his book and thus enable him to rope in a little profit to himself. It was Sir Walter Scott who said that a man could not ride through the public street at a pace more rapid than ordinary without being followed by a lot of barking curs in full cry which yelp their dissent at his heels, and old Sir Walter made his simile cover the case of literary dissenters and critics. If ever a man brought an open mind to a subject it was Prof. Chittenden when he began his study of nutrition, and while he scarcely does more than mention Fletcher or his theories in either of the two notably exhaustive books he has published on the subject the conclusions he arrives at, after producing absolute proof, are wonderfully in accord with the teachings of Fletcher. Chittenden and Fletcher would have man a clean, capable, rational being but men of Crichton-Browne's dietary ideals would keep him an inert, ill-smelling swill-tub who could always be counted on to furnish a periodical fee for the doctors because of constant violations of nature's laws, and incidentally also to furnish a fee to the lawyer for violation of other laws. It will only be a few more years until parents and teachers awake to their responsibility to the rising generation and saner dietary methods along the lines advocated by Chittenden and Fletcher will be taught in the public schools and practiced in the homes.

### NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE NOTICE that I, Lorne Stanley Coleman, of Keremeos, occupation engineer intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains east of the south east corner of Lot No. 29, thence 63 chains south to a point 60 feet north of the international boundary line, thence west 20 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement.

LORNE STANLEY COLEMAN

Dec. 5th, 1910



Save Your Money  
+ Commence Now!

We want everyone to know  
that we are paying

4% Interest,  
per annum credited monthly

on savings deposits (\$1<sup>00</sup>  
& upward) subject to withdrawal

by cheque & 5% Interest  
on time deposits of

Six months & over. We invest money for clients  
in first mortgages & in a  
general financial business.

We want your savings account  
& if you are not saving

systematically, Commence Now With Us.  
Deposits by mail

casily handled. You can send by Draft,  
Post Office Express

Order or Registered Letter & withdrawals  
can be made

any way you wish. We are Responsible  
Refer to

Duns, Bradstreets, or to anyone in  
VANGOUVER.

Write us about it to-day  
Do it now!!!!

DOW, FRASER & CO. LTD.  
321 GAMBIE STREET,  
Vancouver B.C.

or other erections or works which may be  
required in connection with the improvement  
and use of the said water and water  
power, or by altering, renewing, extending,  
improving, repairing or maintaining  
any such works, or any part thereof, and  
to construct, carry on, and transfer water  
to all persons or corporations for irrigation,  
manufacturing, or industrial, mechanical,  
mining, milling, domestic or stock-raising  
purposes; and also to build and construct  
storage reservoirs for the collection and  
storage of water for the purposes above  
mentioned, with full power and authority  
to make contracts and agreements for the  
sale of permanent water works and carrying  
water for the purposes aforesaid.

Beaver swamps on height of land  
near headwaters of Hydraulic Creek.

1 Dams.  
u Depth in feet. Area in acres.

1.. 0.0	11.. 154.7	21.. 544.0
2.. 4.0	12.. 189.0	22.. 569.2
3.. 6.0	13.. 257.0	23.. 595.1
4.. 8.0	14.. 287.2	24.. 614.4
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8.. 84.5	18.. 407.6	28.. 696.9
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10.. 117.3	20.. 518.1	30.. 737.4

v Lease and purchase  
w 8670 acre feet.  
x 3 Earth dams with puddle cores.

Signature  
THE SOUTH KELOWNA LAND CO., LTD.  
Per F. W. Groves.  
P. O. Address—Kelowna, B. C.  
10th Nov., 1910.

### Water Notice

Notice is hereby given that an application  
will be made under Part V., Sec. 23,  
of the "Water Act", 1909, to obtain a licence  
in the Similkameen Division of Yale  
District.

a The name of Company in full, South  
Kelowna Land Co., Ltd.  
The head office—Kelowna, B. C.

b The capital, how divided, showing  
amount paid up, \$250,000.00, all paid up.

c The name of the lake, stream or  
source (if unnamed the description is)  
Hydraulic Creek and meanders

d The point of diversion, thirty chains  
north of the sixteen mile post on the east  
line of lot 2719.

e The quantity of water applied for  
(in cubic feet per second), 70, or 1661 acre  
feet.

f The character of the proposed works  
—dams, ditch and flume

g The premises on which the water is  
to be used (describe same)

h If for irrigation describe the land  
intended to be irrigated, giving acreage.

i This notice was posted on the 17th  
day of November, 1910, and application  
will be made to the Commissioner on the  
24th day of December, 1910.

1 Give the names and addresses of any  
riparian proprietors or licensees, who or  
whose lands are likely to be affected by  
the proposed works, either above or below  
the outlet, none.

2 The objects for which the Company  
is established are  
d To develop, acquire, own and hold  
record of unrecorded water, and to purchase  
water records and water privileges, and  
to construct, erect, maintain and operate  
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reservoirs, dams, wells, lakes, buildings

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source (if unnamed the description is)  
Stirling Creek.

d The point of diversion, a point about  
six miles below its source.

e The quantity of water applied for (in  
cubic feet per second), 50.

f The character of the proposed works,  
dams, ditch and flume.

g The premises on which the water is  
to be used (describe same)

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which may be required in connection with the  
improvements and use of the said water  
and water-power, or by altering, renewing,  
extending, improving, repairing or maintaining  
any such works, or any part thereof, and  
to conduct, carry on, and transfer water  
to all persons or corporations for irrigation,  
manufacturing or industrial, mechanical,  
mining, milling, domestic or stock-raising  
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# 1836 THE BANK OF 1910 British North America

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The money is safer in the bank than in your house or pocket.  
A Checking Account provides a safe and convenient way of paying your bills, as each check issued returns to you as a receipt.  
A Savings Account keeps growing all the time, with interest compounded at highest current rates.

Hedley Branch, H. A. Hincks, Acting Manager

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Dr. Jackson, dentist, will be in Hedley, to-morrow (Friday) and may be consulted by all requiring work in his line.

"As the days lengthen the cold strengthens" is an old adage, but it hits the nail right on the head this week.

Don't forget the hospital ball on Jan. 20th. Committees are now at work arranging for music, supper and other features.

The B. C. Legislature opens to-day in Victoria. L. W. Shatford, M. P. P. left last week for the coast to be present at the opening.

An old man named Pearse from Granite Creek was in town over Sunday on his way to Spokane for treatment by an eye specialist.

W. Knowles returned on Tuesday from a three weeks' visit to his home in Denver, Col. where he went to spend the Christmas holidays.

The heating system in the mill, put in by Ross four years ago, is very defective and in a cold snap like the present is liable to go out of commission altogether.

The best time to harvest the ice crop is when there is ice to cut. On that principle it will be in order to begin any time after the present cold snap moderates a bit.

Harry Rose and his gang are certainly no "summer coons." They were working out on the gravel cut all through the storm of Tuesday with the temperature below zero.

S. E. Hamilton went to Sandpoint, Idaho, on Friday last, taking with him his daughter Frances for a visit of a month or two with her grandparents at Sandpoint. He returned on Tuesday.

H. C. Shaw, formerly lawyer Hallett's partner in Greenwood is the new Police Magistrate chosen to succeed A. E. Bull in Vancouver. Mr. Hallett also held the position in Vancouver's earlier days.

The Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary have assumed the responsibility of providing the supper for the hospital ball on the 20th. A committee has been appointed among the men to assist in the serving of it.

It is stated that sufficient steel for twenty miles of track has been landed at Midway for the Kettle Valley railway. The company are expecting to start work on this work on Tuesday of next week.—Grand Forks Gazette.

The fish and game clubs of New Brunswick are asking the Legislature of that province to put a bounty on owls because of their destruction of partridge and rabbits. B. C. put on the bounty two years ago and at intervals since then the Gazette's big sink-tight Queen stove has served as an improvised incinerator for the cremation of many a big-eyed marauder, feathers and all.

A genuine taste of winter came along on Monday when the temperature began to dip and about evening it had touched the zero mark with a vicious wind to rub it in. Snow flurries also accompanied the boreal visitation and when there is moisture enough in the atmosphere to cause precipitation zero temperature gets to be a trifle inconvenient.

The dance in Fraternity Hall on Friday night last is reported one of the most successful that has been given for some time. The attendance was good and everything passed off well, although the committee were not very well satisfied with the music supplied by a couple of itinerant musicians whose performance was not up to their own recommendation of their musical powers.

A feasible explanation for the origin of the yarn that the coming hospital ball was to be a full dress affair may be found in the assumption that the tale was started by some one who wanted an excuse to save the price and finding no reasonable or plausible excuse in sight had to manufacture one. There was never a full dress ball in Hedley and there was never any intention of making this anything different in that respect. Swains are at liberty to come in shaps if they want to and the women with shawls over their heads if they are partial to that style of millinery. Don't help the fable along by repeating it if you don't want the credit of being the originator.

The Lyceum Players will be the next attraction of the C. P. Walker series to be put on in Hedley for the Auxiliary. The date is not fixed yet but it will be early in February. A leading attraction with them will be a famous harpist who was declared by music lovers of Winnipeg and other large centres to be fully as good as the noted harpist who accompanied Mella and played her accompaniments.

The general annual meeting of the hospital takes place this month, due notice to be given later. All residents should bear this fact in mind and allow nothing to keep them away from the meeting for it is most important that the collective wisdom of the town and the mine should get down to genuine stock-taking of the situation as it is right now. If there is any doubt as to how the money has been spent, that is the place and time for doubters to find out. The Board have had many features during the past year to try their patience and they either want others to relieve them of the work or share the responsibility by coming out and saying what they want done.

**THE MERRY MUSICIANS**

The third combination of C. P. Walker's series of entertainments to show in Hedley was that of the "Merry Musicians" which held the boards in Fraternity hall on Wednesday night last, under the auspices of the Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary. Two of the artists in the troupe had been heard in Hedley before. These were G. C. Eckhardt and Mrs. George and both of them made a sufficiently favorable impression when here with the Musical Eckhardts in August to warrant a second visit. G. C. Eckhardt was the Comedian par excellence of the "Musical Eckhardts" and he was also of the "Merry Musicians" although he was not hailed as such by the printed matter advertising the attraction. That honor was given by the literature to Matt Greig but it could scarcely be said with candor that he sustained the reputation with which he was heralded. Miss George sang sweetly as before and gave some very acceptable renditions, but the audience appeared singularly unresponsive for some reason or other although it is doubtful whether they really meant to be. The other lady, Miss Leone Repine, also contributed materially to the enjoyment of the evening in the part she took both in song and in her accompaniments for the songs of other members of the company. Her song selections were good and so also were those of Miss George and Eckhardt but the same could scarcely be said of Greig who appeared to err in his idea of what constituted humor. The recitation "Kissing Cup" was the best number he gave during the entire evening. Whether as musician or comedian Eckhardt is a clever artist. Whoever wishes an evening's enjoyment will never make a mistake in going to any entertainment where he is among the artists.

**METEOROLOGICAL.**

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending Jan. 7, 1910:

AT THE MINE.			
	Maximum	Minimum	
Jan 1	12	-1	
2	20	6	
3	22	10	
4	25	10	
5	23	15	
6	27	20	
7	26	10	
Average maximum temperature	22.85		
Average minimum	do	9.57	
Mean temperature		16.21	
Rainfall for the week	0.00 inches		
Snowfall	7.0		

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR			
	Maximum	Minimum	
Highest maximum temperature	24		
Average maximum	do	12.28	
Lowest minimum	do	-10	
Average minimum	do	-1.57	
Mean	do	5.92	

AT THE MILL.			
	Maximum	Minimum	
Jan 1	12	6	
2	19	10	
3	26	17	
4	42	17	
5	43	32	
6	45	33	
7	41	34	
Average maximum temperature	32.57		
Average minimum	do	21.28	
Mean	do	26.92	
Rainfall for the week	0.4 inches		
Snowfall	1.7		

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR			
	Maximum	Minimum	
Highest maximum temperature	26		
Average	do	23.14	
Lowest minimum	do	-1	
Average	do	9	
Mean	do	16.07	

**NOTICE**

NOTICE is hereby given on the 13th day of January next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, for the grant of a license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Rossland Hotel situate at the bridge at West-bridge, upon the lands described as the Mc-Mynn Townsite.

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December 12th, 1910 50-1

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SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OF YALE

Take notice that Robert Kerr, of Medicine Hat, Alta., occupation Pullman Car Conductor, Canadian Pacific Railway, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 9143, thence north 30 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 30 chains, thence west 30 chains, containing 600 acres, more or less.

ROBERT KERR  
M. J. McKeown, locator,  
48-10  
Oct. 28th, 1910

**NOTICE**

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OF YALE

Take notice that I. Robert Carew Armstrong of Keremeos, B. C., occupation Rancher intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of Lot 9143, thence west 40 chains, thence north 5 chains, more or less, to the Similkameen River; thence following the meanderings of the river easterly to point of commencement, and containing 20 acres, more or less.

ROBERT CAREW ARMSTRONG,  
J. P. Thomas, Agent,  
Dec. 10th, 1910 49-10

**NOTICE**

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that William Stewart, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation Hotel manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 9158, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, containing 640 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM STEWART  
M. J. McKeown, locator,  
48-10  
Oct. 28th, 1910

**NOTICE**

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that William V. Coons, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles north and east from Bromley Station on the Great Northern Railway; thence south 40 chains, thence west eighty chains; thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of beginning containing 320 acres more or less.

WILLIAM V. COONS  
Hicks A. Lee, agent  
46-10  
October 18th, 1910

**NOTICE**

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT  
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that Matilda M. McClelland of Vancouver, B. C., occupation widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one and one-half miles north and east of Bromley station on the Great Northern Railway; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of beginning containing 640 acres more or less.

MATILDA M. MCCLELLAND  
Hicks A. Lee, Agent  
46-10  
October 18th, 1910



**NOTICE**

KETTLE RIVER ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision and Appeal under the provision of the Assessment Act 1903, and Amending Acts for the Kettle River Assessment District will be held at the following places at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon:

Rock Creek, January 10th, 1911  
Bridgesville, January 11th, 1911  
Fairview, January 13th, 1911  
Keremeos, January 17th, 1911

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Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal  
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