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### BRITISH COLUMBIA PLACERS.

Further Instalment of Horace F. Evans' Interesting Article in the Mining World.

In the Pend d'Oreille valley during 1858 the gravel terraces which lay above the present high water level were profitably worked for gold and as much as \$100 per man per day was realized by working sluices on ground about 25 ft. above the river.

On the Columbia river near old Fort Colville only the lowest level gravels were worked, and to reach these it was necessary to strip off the overlying deposit of celian sand.

At Hell's bar near Fort Yale high level gravels were worked. It was in this locality in the early '60s that a rude stone mortar was found. It was uncovered in one of the gravel terraces about 30 feet below the surface and about 40 ft. from the face of the slope. Opinion has been divided as to the workmanship of this mortar. Some authorities have attributed it to Indians, and others to prehistoric man.

The gold won from the Fraser was chiefly of a low fineness and about 860-1,000ths represents the assay value. The analysis showed 86 gold, 10 silver, and 4 copper and oxidizable material. The alloy was principally silver and copper. The samples from the higher parts of the Fraser valley were associated with osmiridium, platinum, rutile, magnetite, and sometimes black spinel and garnet, the last three named having been found in separate minute crystals.

The scales of gold from the more southern localities were mostly of small size, rarely exceeding 1-10 in. in diameter, and were generally very much smaller. This variety is known to miners as float gold, and was collected with much difficulty. It was the opinion of early observers that there was not direct relation between the mineral character of the rocks forming the walls of the valleys, and the greater or lesser quantity of gold in any of the localities mentioned. In the lower Fraser country where gold was found the formation is gneiss and granite of ancient date, near Vermilion forks (close to Princeton) of Tertiary and Cretaceous rocks, at Rock creek and the lower part of the Similkameen of black slate intersected by greenstones and igneous dikes, and at the mouth of the Pend d'Oreille of similar black slates and limestones and the Colville syenites and greenstones.

It was inferred by the early investigators from the smallness of the scales of gold obtained that most of the gravels were the remnants of older drifts lying farther to the north, and this is held to be confirmed because the gold fragments are known to increase in size northwardly. The gold of Cariboo in lot 53° N. was made up of coarse lumps often from 1/2 to 1 in. in diameter, and equal in size to the average nuggets found at Quesnelle river and at the head of North Thomson.

The same observers maintained that the gold of Rock creek and other localities, the former especially, was not derived from the slates or the quartz runs intersecting them, and they further maintained the gold did not result from the decomposition of the contained iron pyrites. This, it was held in those days, was not a very probable source.

It must be admitted that 45 years ago mining geology had not made the advance which characterizes it at the present day. Although placer mining in British Columbia has never ceased, even on some of the early streams it has been carried on in a desultory way, and of late years it has shown evidences of a renewal on a more enlightened and perhaps more extensive scale than it was conducted in pioneer days.

The entire subject of placer mining and its systematic renewal in British Columbia involves such questions as concentration by mechanical water action, how gold is freed from associated base metals in the outcrop of veins, how it is purified and chemically concentrated, the reason that gold placers frequently occur near times containing other metals such as silver, lead, copper, etc., effects of glacial action, theories of miners that glaciers are responsible for many placer deposits, the different kinds of stream gold placers,

### GT. NORTHERN'S NEW TIME.

Schedule of Train Service on S. F. & N. Division and V. V. & E. Extension is Changed.

A new schedule of train service on the S. F. & N. division has just been received from W. A. Ross, assistant general passenger agent, which was inaugurated Sunday, June 9, as follows:

"A through train to Oroville, without change, will leave Spokane 10:15 a. m., Marcus 2:40 p. m.; arrive at Oroville 9:30 p. m. The equipment of this train will include a buffet parlor car, which will be placed in service between Spokane and Molson. The southbound train will leave Oroville, at 6 a. m., Marcus 12:25 p. m., arriving at Spokane at 5 p. m.

"A through train to Nelson, without change, will leave Spokane 4:25 p. m., Marcus 8:45 p. m.; arrive at Nelson, 1:55 a. m. The southbound train will leave Nelson 12:30 a. m., Marcus 5:35 a. m.; arrive at Spokane at 9:45 a. m. The equipment of this train will include a buffet sleeper car."

### EXAMINING GOLDEN ZONE.

The Owners, Accompanied by T. Marks and H. Bahrs, Visit Camp.

Messrs. J. J. Marks, Paul Brodhagen and J. Murphy, owners of the Golden Zone group, made a trip to the property on Thursday last, accompanied by Mr. T. Marks and Henry Bahrs. Taking the first car up the tramway and having horses at the Nickel Plate in readiness they were able to make the Golden Zone in good time.

The Golden Zone group, at the headwaters of Twenty-mile, is about ten miles or more by trail from the Nickel Plate mine in a northerly direction, and consists of the Golden Zone, Silver Bell, B. C. and Irish Boy mineral claims, staked in 1900 by the present owners. On the properties have been shown strong veins that are apparently true fissures with gouge and slickensides.

The ore is of quartz gouge with mispickel, carrying gold and silver with some nickel and cobalt. There has been a great deal of development work done on the claims, both as assessment and as work to demonstrate the extent of the deposit, independent of assessment obligations. Much of the development is in open cuts although there is a shaft something over 50 feet in depth all in ore. The assay values will average well, with high grade ore in places.

There is a large amount of ore on the dumps which might be shipped if there were transportation facilities.

bench placers, old placers and reconcentrated placers.

The origin of placers is a very interesting subject. Rocks at the surface we know are subject to erosion and decay, and through the agency of water and gravity the coarser parts remain higher up while the finer portions are carried farther down until mud and silt result. In gold bearing localities the veins are disintegrated and the resulting detritus is sent down with the enclosing rocks.

Gold is known to occur closely associated with metallic sulphides, iron sulphides, lead sulphides, and arsenopyrites, these being contained in quartz veins. Atmospheric agencies attack the veins chemically, and under certain conditions the surface and deeper parts are differentiated. As gold is difficultly soluble, often the sulphides that contained it are dissolved and the gold remains behind in its free state. The same process occurs in the gravel.

The opinion of late years has gained ground that there is little or no foundation for the theory that gold in placers is due to glacial action, as gold placers are often found in districts where there are no evidences of glacial action.

The origin of Rock creek placers has been attributed by old-time mining men to glacial action, but late investigations associate the occurrence of gold there with mechanical and chemical action, bearing no relation whatever to the glacial period.

Continued Next Week.

### LICENSING COURTS.

List of Hotel-keepers to Whom Licences are Granted in Similkameen and S. E. Yale.

The regular semi-annual meeting of the various Boards of Licence Commissioners throughout the province were held on Saturday last, when the various applications for renewals and transfers were considered and disposed of, as well as new licences considered.

#### SIMILKAMEEN DISTRICT.

Similkameen Licensing District, formerly known as the Nicola District, includes all the settlements on the Similkameen river from a mile west of Keremeos to the headwaters of the Similkameen, and up the Tulameen and Otter to Contlee. The meeting was held at Princeton, and the members of the Board are Messrs. C. E. Thomas, F. P. Cook and A. Megraw, with R. Hewatt chief licence inspector.

There were no applications for new licences, the business being confined to renewals and one transfer.

As some of the licence-holders took out a licence for the whole of 1907, they had no occasion to apply for renewal at this meeting. The following licences were granted:

#### TRANSFER.

Hotel Similkameen, Hedley, A. McDermott to W. T. Atherton.

#### RENEWALS.

W. J. Henderson, Otter Flat hotel, Tulameen City, 6 mos.; Chas. de Burro, Granite Creek hotel, Granite Creek, 6 mos.; Geo. McCoskery, Tulameen hotel, Princeton, 6 mos.; James Wallace, Princeton hotel, Princeton, 6 mos.; Goldsborough & Worgan, Allison hotel, Allison, 6 mos.; Hugh Campbell, Ashnola hotel, Ashnola, 6 mos.; R. J. Edmond, Commercial hotel, Hedley, 6 mos.; Peterson Bros. & Lind, Great Northern hotel, Hedley, 6 mos.; John E. Gibbon, Hotel Hedley, Hedley, 6 mos.; August Jackson, New Zealand hotel, Hedley, 6 mos.; Herring & Winkler, Grand Union hotel, Hedley, 6 mos.; W. T. Atherton, Hotel Similkameen, Hedley, 6 mos.

#### SOUTH-EAST YALE.

This licensing district includes all that portion of the Similkameen Electoral district lying east of and including Keremeos. The Board are E. Bullock-Webster, R. H. Parkinson and E. M. Cadworth. The meeting was held at Fairview, and the following licences were granted:

#### RENEWALS.

D. A. Cameron, Camp McKinney hotel, Camp McKinney, 6 mos.; G. O. Guise, Westbridge hotel, Westbridge, 6 mos.; H. S. Pittendrigh, Rock Creek hotel, Rock Creek, 6 mos.; T. McAuley, Hotel Hamill, Beaverdell, 6 mos.; H. Jones, Golden Gate hotel, Fairview, 6 mos.; Evan Morris, Miners' Home, Fairview, 6 mos.; W. B. Hine, Alexandra hotel, Okanagan Falls, 6 mos.; Geo. Kirby, Hotel Keremeos, Keremeos, 6 mos.; Jas. Reid, Central hotel, Keremeos, 6 mos.; Percy Marks, Alkazar hotel, Keremeos, 6 mos.; Geo. Sherson, Ohalla hotel, Ohalla, 6 mos.; R. G. Sidley, Mountain View hotel, Sidley, 6 mos.; D. McBride, Brideville hotel, Brideville, 6 mos.

Mr. Frank A. Ross, general manager of the Daly Reduction Co. returned on Saturday from New York where he had gone on business to the head office of the Company early in May. It is his intention to prosecute development work as vigorously as circumstances and the labor market will permit, and is confident that so far as transportation is concerned, the situation will soon be improved. While east he saw officials of the Great Northern in St. Paul, and is satisfied that the railway Co. are doing all they can to advance the road as rapidly as possible, but have been up against many serious disadvantages during the past year. Of their troubles, the labor question has been one of the most serious, and the inferiority has been as noticeable and as disconcerting as the scarcity. Mr. Ross was accompanied by his son, Mr. Bradley Ross, who will spend the summer in Hedley, and obtain some practical experience in actual mine and metallurgical work before re-entering college in the fall.

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

A. MEGRAW, Managing Editor.

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### EDITORIAL COMMENTS

It is timely, with a general election well in sight, that the public should be placed in a good position to judge of the capacity of the Canadian premier. He has never had many hard situations to face until now. When in opposition he was backed by splendid fighting talent. He did no fighting himself. While in power he had a magnificent cabinet behind him and they did the work of defence for him. To-day he is stripped of his best men. He quarrelled with the strongest of them and they left them. What is left forms the weakest cabinet in Canadian history. The result is that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, left to fight battles, has shown himself far short of the power with which he has been credited by supporters and opponents alike. It cannot be said that the administration was steered through the storm of the recent session with either good judgment or tact. The dealings of the premier with parliament in relation to the Hyman matter and later in regard to the Fowler denunciations exhibited Sir Wilfrid Laurier in his weakest role before the people of Canada. For tact the people were treated to more deception, as when he promised an investigation into the Fowler case and then shuffled out of it; for statesmanlike, clean-cut action in the face of a serious ministerial ordeal, he pursued a policy of evasion and complaisance.—St. Stephen (N.B.) Courier.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier returns to Canada he must overhaul and purify his ministry. For a long time now the country has been nauseated by items in the newspapers, by discussion in parliament, by actions in the courts, still more by gossip, concerning the private lives of prominent men associated with the government. The World believes that there is foundation for much of this talk. It should have been silenced long ago by action on the part of the premier, instead of by attempts to get past it by parliamentary tactics, by "arrangement," and by threats of counter charges. Nor will it do for political associations to pass resolutions regretting that political opponents have attacked the private characters of ministers; it would be more to the public good to declare that men in high position who flaunt their vice in public are public offenders and must go, and that

a political party has neither the duty nor the need to protect the vicious. The wrongdoers, whether of the "wine and women" or "graft" order, are "holding together" as against those in the party who would force them out; and these offenders are also willing to "saw off" their sins as against the likeness of political opponents if they can get an understanding to that effect. The public mind has at last turned against all this business and demands a thorough cleansing.—Toronto World.

It was with no little surprise and scant approval that many protestants read of the action of the Methodist Conference in Montreal, in appointing a lobbyist to watch legislation in the interests of the church. If there was one principle more than another for which the great dissenting body of protestants contended it was the complete divorce of church and state and the non-interference of the church in all affairs of state. Devotion to that principle led them to condemn the recognition in this country of any papal legate, but what does all that condemnation amount to if in a moment of thoughtlessness they take a step that is a flat violation of the very principle for which they professed to stand. If we expect the public to believe in our sincerity we cannot afford to do other than endeavor to practise what we preach. The very name lobbyist carries with it deep opprobrium. The lobbyist nowadays is the foul instrument by which the public are fleeced of their rights and monopolists allowed to carry out their schemes for overriding the popular will. He is an anomaly under constitutional government and his very existence is a reproach to any liberty-loving people among whom he is to be found. It is to be hoped that the important body which made this faux pas, may think better of it before carrying the affair into effect.

The idea is becoming more prevalent every day, that a general election for the Dominion House is imminent, and will in all probability take place during the coming autumn. Calvert, the Liberal whip, sought to disabuse the public mind of that impression by stating that Laurier was pledged to another session before dissolution, but in Ontario the Liberals themselves apparently do not believe him for they are putting their candidates in the field. What is Yale-Cariboo going to do about the date of the election? Do they purpose submitting tamely to the dishonorable treatment given them three years ago, when it was deferred to a later date, and the flimsiest kind of reason given for doing so. The only excuse offered for it was that the district was large and sparsely populated and it would be impossible to get the ballot-boxes around. That excuse would apply twenty years ago but not three years ago, for in 1896 the Conservatives did not defer it, but held the election on the same date, and the constituency was then twice as large, with more limited means of travel.

### NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of mountain pasture land, described as follows: Commencing at a post placed on the north line of Lot No. 261, marked "S. E. corner of Hugh Megraw's purchase," thence 80 chains west, thence 10 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 40 chains south to point of commencement.  
Dated this 25th day of May, A. D. 1907.  
25-9  
HUGH MEGRAW,  
per E. E. Burns, Agent.

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W. A. BURL,  
per E. E. Burns, Agent.

A limited number of lots in Richter's townsite at Keremeos Centre are now on the market. Corner lots, \$160; inside lots, \$125. Terms, T. W. COLEMAN, Agent.

### NOTICE.

#### Certificate of Improvements.

"SUNRISE" Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Olalla Camp.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, R. H. Parkinson, as agent for James L. Drumheller, F. M. C. No. 11596, and W. H. Yawkey, F. M. C. No. 11597, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for a Certificate of Improvements, 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 issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.  
Dated this 3th day of April, A. D. 1907.  
16-9  
RICHARD H. PARKINSON,  
B. C. L. S.

### NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the Similkameen Division of Yale District: Commencing at the S. E. corner of Lot 672, thence East 40 chains to S. E. corner of Lot 251, thence South 40 chains to the S. W. corner of Lot 251, thence West 40 chains to the S. E. corner of Lot 672, thence North 40 chains to point of commencement.  
F. M. BATHURST,  
per M. C. KENDALL,  
Attorney  
Ponticton, B. C., May, 4th, 1907. 17-9

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situate on the east side of Okanagan Lake, B. C.: Commencing at the south east corner post of M. L. Crichton's purchase land, thence south 20 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, comprising the north half of the south-west quarter of Section 15, Township 23, and the north half of the south-east quarter of Section 16, Tp. 23.  
Dated April 12th, 1907.  
15-9  
B. E. CRICHTON.

#### Notice of Forfeiture.

To Thomas Farquhar and any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Maple Leaf and Lone Star mineral claims, situated on Dividend Mountain, in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District.  
YOU are hereby required to take notice that I have expended for assessments and for recording certificates of work done on the above claims, the sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty cents (\$345.50), being an expenditure necessary to enable me to hold said claims, and you are hereby required to contribute your share or proportion of such expenditure, together with all costs of advertising. If you fail or refuse to contribute such amount, including advertising, within 40 days from date of first publication of this notice in the Hedley Gazette, your interest will become vested in me, your co-owner, under the provisions of the "Mineral Act and Amending Acts."  
Dated this 20th day of April, 1907.  
15-13  
W. J. GARBUTT.

#### Notice of Forfeiture.

To H. W. Yates and any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Maid of the Mist and War Cloud mineral claims, situated at Camp Hedley, in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District.  
YOU are hereby required to take notice that I have expended for assessments and for recording certificates of work done on the above claims, the sum of two hundred and five dollars (\$205), being an expenditure necessary to enable me to hold said claims, and you are hereby required to contribute your share or proportion of such expenditure, together with all costs of advertising. If you fail or refuse to contribute such amount, including advertising, within ninety days from date of first publication of this notice in the Hedley Gazette, your interest will become vested in me, your co-owner, under the provisions of the "Mineral Act and Amending Acts."  
Dated this 20th day of April, 1907.  
15-13  
JAS. FRASER CAMPBELL.

#### Notice of Forfeiture

To Thomas Anderson and any person or persons to whom he or they may have transferred his interest in the Savage Mineral Claim, situated on Sixteen Mile Creek in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District.  
YOU are hereby required to take notice that I have expended for assessments and for recording certificates of work done on the above claim, the sum of three hundred and seven and a half dollars (\$307.50), being an expenditure necessary to enable me to hold said claim, and you are hereby required to contribute your share or proportion of such expenditure, together with all costs of advertising. If you fail or refuse to contribute such amount, including advertising, within ninety days from date of first publication of this notice in the Hedley Gazette, your interest will become vested in me, your co-owner, under the provisions of the Mineral Act and Amending Acts.  
Dated this 29th day of April, A. D. 1907.  
16-13  
I. L. DEARDORFF.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to alter the place of diversion of Water Record No. 120, issued to W. H. Arnold on January 26, 1904, where the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company's railway line crosses the Ashola River; also to alter the direction of the ditch line in order to run through the following lands:— Indian Reserve No. 40, Lots 3202, 2335; Indian Reserve No. 9; Crown land east of Indian Reserve No. 9, Lots 657, 636, 277; Crown land north of Lot 277, Lots 2821, 111, 719, 174, 600, 222, 323, 319, 110.  
C. A. STOEISS,  
Agent for Keremeos Land Co.  
Keremeos, B. C., June 8, 1907. 22-9



### NOTICE

#### EXAMINATIONS FOR INSPECTORS OF STEAM BOILERS & MACHINERY.

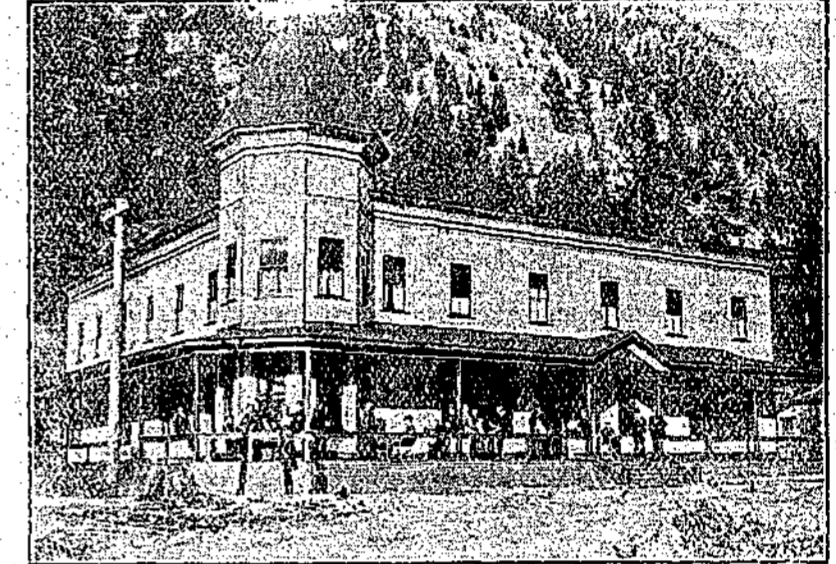
EXAMINATIONS for the position of Inspector of Steam Boilers and Machinery, under the Steam Boilers Inspection Act, 1901, will be held at the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, commencing on Monday, June 24th, 1907. Application and instruction forms can be had on application to the undersigned, to whom the forms must be returned, correctly filled in, not later than June 17th. Salaries, \$110 and \$115 per month.  
JOHN PECK,  
Chief Inspector of Machinery,  
New Westminster, B. C. 22-2

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**Town and District.**

Miss Edith Bradshaw of Fifteen-mile  
visited Hedley and Nickel Plate a few  
days ago.

Miss Chilson, of Loomis, Wash., is  
in town, the guest of her sister, Mrs.  
Logsdon.

Mr. J. F. Royer was a visitor in Hed-  
ley on Monday night, returning to  
Oroville on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. G. P. Jones of Nickel Plate was  
in town last Wednesday and Thurs-  
day, the guest of Mrs. McKinnon.

Steel laying was resumed on Tues-  
day last on the V. V. & E. track this  
side of the bridge at Armstrong's.

Emil F. Voigt was in town on Sun-  
day night on his return to Voigt's  
Camp from an extended business trip.

Things are looking blue around the  
Star office these days. They gener-  
ally begin to look blue after they look  
black. This is a joke.

Mrs. B. Garnett and little son, who  
have been visiting her mother, Mrs.  
Soukup, Sunnyside Ranch, returned  
to her home in Medford, Ore., this  
week.

Duncan Woods, who spent the winter  
in Summerland, returned to Hed-  
ley on Thursday last, and expects to  
do development on his group of claims  
in Camp Hedley.

Friends of Mr. D. MacPhail will be  
pleased to know that he is steadily im-  
proving in health since going to Otter  
Valley. He is now able to take a few  
steps without the aid of his crutches.

Bowerman brothers, who have the  
contract for the 400 foot tunnel in the  
Oregon, were in town Tuesday evening  
and report having struck ore in the  
tunnel, which is now in about 110  
feet.

Mr. L. W. Shatford, M. L. A., went  
out on Friday morning's stage for  
Fairview and Penticton. At the latter  
place he attended the annual meet-  
ing of the Southern Okanagan Land  
Company on Tuesday.

We are in receipt of a 10-lb box of  
Baldwin apples from the R ranch at  
Keremeos, for which we are very  
much indebted. The apples—what's  
left of 'em—are quite firm to the core,  
and of delicious flavor.

Royer's stage will leave Hedley on  
Wednesday July 3rd, instead of Tues-  
day July 2nd, for the benefit of those  
wishing to attend the 4th of July cele-  
bration in Oroville. There will be no  
stage leaving Hedley on Thursday,  
July 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong, who  
have been residents of Hedley for the  
past eighteen months, left on Monday  
for Penticton, where Mr. Armstrong  
will take over the management of Mr.  
Schubert's store. Their friends in  
Hedley regret their departure.

Mr. C. E. Thomas, of Princeton, was  
laid up last week by reason of a pec-  
uliar accident. When walking a little  
faster than usual, he felt something  
snap in the calf of his leg, which soon  
became so painful that he could not  
put any weight on it, and an examina-  
tion by Dr. Schon disclosed the fact  
that a ligament had broken away from  
the muscle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jones entertained  
a number of their friends at their  
home, Nickel Plate, on Saturday evening  
last. The evening was very pleas-  
antly spent in games and dancing, and  
after singing "Auld Lang Syne" and  
declaring Mr. and Mrs. Jones "jolly  
good fellows," the company dispersed,  
hoping to meet again on another such  
pleasant occasion.

Rev. Dr. Herdman, superintendent  
of Presbyterian missions, spent Sunday  
in Hedley and preached in the Metho-  
dist church on Sunday evening. He  
was delighted with the Similkameen,  
and expressed the willingness of the  
church to prosecute work in this val-  
ley with more vigor than ever before.  
Dr. Herdman's favorite pastime is  
mountain climbing, and he is an en-  
thusiastic member of the Alpine Club  
of Canada, participating in some of  
their more strenuous exploits in moun-  
tain climbing.

Twenty mile lake, in spite of the  
heavy snowfall of last winter, has ap-  
parently no intention of inundating  
any considerable portion of the sur-  
rounding lands this season, and the  
dam will have no difficulty in holding  
all the water that it will be required to  
accommodate. A little over a week ago  
it had only reached the point at which  
the water would discharge into Twen-  
ty mile creek, and as many of the  
swamps in the vicinity have not filled  
up although all the snow in the basin  
has disappeared, there is little proba-  
bility of the lake getting much higher  
than it is.

F. W. Groves came down from  
Princeton on Thursday on his way to  
Keremeos where his services are re-  
quired for a week or so.

Messes Finlay Fraser and A. Megraw  
left on Monday morning for the Coast  
to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge,  
which meets in Vancouver on the 20th  
21st and 22nd.

Henry Bahrs returned to Hedley on  
Tuesday night's stage from Olalla.  
While there he took a look over the  
Dolphin group, in company with Mr.  
Stevenson, who has charge of the work  
on these claims.

Mr. T. Marks left yesterday morn-  
ing for the east after a visit of a  
couple of weeks in Hedley with his  
brother Mr. J. J. Marks. Evidently Mr.  
Marks has great faith in the future  
prospects of the town and district, by  
the numerous reports that have been  
circulated of late.

Mr. Camsell's party of the Canadian  
Geological Survey at work in this  
camp are shortly to be re-inforced by  
Mr. Boyd, whose special department of  
work is topography. Apparently topo-  
graphical work will be attended with  
considerable difficulty in Camp Hedley  
where the mountains are very rugged.

One hundred men are wanted by the  
Keremeos Land Co. to work on their  
big irrigation ditch.

"The Heart of the Famous Wheat  
Belt" is the title of one of the hand-  
somest pamphlets we have seen. It is  
issued by the Saskatoon and West-  
ern Land Company Limited, with  
head office rooms 10 and 12, Windsor  
Hotel, Montreal. It is profusely and  
most artistically illustrated, and has  
an array of facts presented with tell-  
ing effect. With such literature (and  
there is no reason to doubt any of its  
statements) in circulation it is not  
much wonder that Canada's wheat  
fields are attracting such a stream of  
immigration.

The Keremeos Land Co. are looking  
for men to work on their big irriga-  
tion ditch, and will employ 100 if they  
can get them.

**MARRIED.**  
BIRD-HEIMILLER.—At Keremeos, B. C., on  
Tuesday, June 18th, by the Rev. A. H.  
Cameron, W. M. Bird, of Oroville, Wash., to  
Miss Claudia Heimiller, of Hedley.

**BORN**  
HOWARD.—At Hedley, B. C., on June 18th, to  
Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Howard, a son.


**METEOROLOGICAL.**

The following are the readings show-  
ing temperature, etc., for the week  
ending June 18th:

| AT THE MINE.                    |         |          |  |
|---------------------------------|---------|----------|--|
|                                 | Maximum | Minimum  |  |
| Jun 9                           | 49      | 36       |  |
| 10                              | 56      | 28       |  |
| 11                              | 50      | 31       |  |
| 12                              | 48      | 33       |  |
| 13                              | 46      | 34       |  |
| 14                              | 45      | 29       |  |
| 15                              | 46      | 30       |  |
| Average maximum temperature     | 48.57   |          |  |
| Average minimum                 | do      | 31.43    |  |
| Mean temperature                | do      | 50.      |  |
| Snowfall for week               | 8 ins., | rain .30 |  |
| CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR |         |          |  |
| Highest maximum temperature     | 62      |          |  |
| Average maximum                 | do      | 53.85    |  |
| Lowest minimum                  | do      | 26.      |  |
| Average minimum                 | do      | 33.14    |  |
| Mean                            | do      | 43.50    |  |

| AT THE MILL.                    |         |         |  |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|--|
|                                 | Maximum | Minimum |  |
| Jun 9                           | 70      | —       |  |
| 10                              | 82      | —       |  |
| 11                              | 66      | —       |  |
| 12                              | 60      | —       |  |
| 13                              | 61      | —       |  |
| 14                              | 63      | —       |  |
| 15                              | 61      | —       |  |
| Average maximum temperature     | 66.34   |         |  |
| Average minimum                 | do      | —       |  |
| Mean                            | do      | —       |  |
| Rainfall for the week           | .45     | inches  |  |
| CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR |         |         |  |
| Highest maximum temperature     | 76.     |         |  |
| Average                         | do      | 65.71   |  |
| Lowest minimum                  | do      | 40.     |  |
| Average                         | do      | 43.14   |  |
| Mean                            | do      | 54.42   |  |

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KEREMEOS NOTES.

F. W. Groves, P. L. S., of Princeton, is engaged in engineering work in this place.

The walls of the grotto are up. Messrs. Irwin and Day are the builders.

Strangers register every day at the hotels. They are looking for land.

The difficulty in obtaining labor is delaying the Keremeos Land Co.'s new water ditch from Ashuola creek.

The office and warehouse of the Keremeos Land Co. will soon be completed. Work is being pushed ahead on the half dozen buildings now under construction.

The people of Keremeos are expecting the track to reach here in two weeks. The steel crossed the bridge on Monday night, and will push on as rapidly as possible.

Mr. Jelly's strawberry patch is immense. Three berries weighed three ounces, and one perfect, well-formed berry measured 5 1/2 inches in circumference. The crop is an object lesson. It is a good yield, the berries large and well formed and the flavor delicious.

The curing and saving of the alfalfa crop is proceeding briskly. Mr. Richter's haying force is certainly doing fast work. The equipment of mowers, tedders, gatherers and stackers are the most up-to-date that could be procured, and being handled with skill, are bound to make splendid progress. The crop is a heavy one.

TIME TO CHANGE.

It is not advisable to keep on singing seed-time songs when going into the harvest field. The period when the crop is growing should be sufficient time in which to learn a new one. The people of Hedley have unfortunately got into the bad habit of answering "it's very quiet," until now it would seem that they might be run over by the procession, and insist on saying when they get up again to rub off the dust, that "it's very quiet." With a good pay-roll, abundance of work for every man in sight and the town commencing to fill up, it is about time to change the song.

Let me send you free, for Catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. It is a snow white, creamy, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as Oil Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to Catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address, Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars, 50 cents. Sold by JOHN LOVE, Hedley.

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C. A. STOESE.

Keremeos, B. C., May 3, 1907. 17-9

**NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of third class land being the north half of Section 31, Tp. 55, in the Similkameen Land District. Required for range.

Dated at Fairview this 30th day of April, 1907.

HIRAM INGLEE,  
per R. H. Parkinson, agent.

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**NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase forty acres of third class land, being the south-west quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 32, Tp. 33, in the Similkameen Land District. Required for range.

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