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MEMBERS RETURNS TO COAST

Conditions are Prosperous Declares Mr. Shatford and Outlook in Regard to Mining Development is Brightened by Railway Activity

Following the completion of a two week's tour, during which time he visited practically every portion of the Similkameen electoral district, Mr. L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., returned to the coast on Monday, having interests there which demand his attention. He will visit the interior again in about two weeks' time.

Mr. Shatford's tour was in connection with the mapping out of this year's road work for the Similkameen, which is provided for by the government appropriation made at the recent sessions of the legislature, and as has been his custom since his election as representative for the district, he personally inspects all the proposed improvements. He was accompanied on the tour by Mr. A. H. Turner, the road superintendent.

Tulameen, Coalmont, Granite Creek, Hedley, Princeton, Keremeos, Fairview, Okanagan Falls and Kaleden, were among the points visited by the member, and Bridesville, Rock Creek and Westbridge in the Kettle River district were also touched. Mr. Shatford had intended to visit Carmi, and made every effort to do so, but, unfortunately the high water in the Kettle River had washed away a portion of the road, and it was found impossible to get through.

Mr. Shatford states that business conditions are particulary favorable in the Similkameen at the present time, and that railway development is giving a stimulus to the operation of such industries as mining and agriculture. In the former industry in particular there was every indication of greater activity, which better transportation facilities were making possible.

BOHUNK MINERS

Writing in the Mining and Scientific Press from Junean Alaska a man signing himself "Traveller," says previous contributors have overlooked the most important feature of the discussion on "What is the matter with prospecting?" He says it is the class of labor at present employed in the mines. He continues:

"Fifteen years ago you could make a shift boss out of practically any man in the mine. Today, go into the stope of any mines in the larger districts and ask the first man you meet a question about the mine and two-thirds of the time you will be greeted with a blank expression and a shake of the head. Go up to the shaft when the shift is going to work or stop into the office of a labor agent and listen to the inquiries of 'Catch a job dis morn?' Then try to imagine these men as prospectors. To these men a steady job where they save a considerable portion of their wages, and look forward to a home in the old country as an ideal, is all sufficient. They do not even know whether they are working in a gold or a copper mine. It is the job they want, without any reference to where it is so long as it pays. There is no interest or fascination to their work. As this type of labor now represents about two-thirds of the men around the mines, it is easy to see the reason for the decrease of the number who were willing to 'stake a pal' or 'take a chance' themselves ten years ago. Whisper in any of our Alaskan towns that gold has been found on some of the creeks hitherto unknown, and every English speaking miner that can get away is off on the stampede and the 'bohunk' grabs the job that is left. The new camps are settled and work by the day may be obtained. Thus with the decrease of the easily found placers or (lodes,) the American turns his attention to other lines and the foreigner settles down to the routine."

The crucifiction of 250 Mohammedan Albanians carries one back to the advent of Christianity.

The bill introduced in the house of commons yesterday to prevent fake advertising is one that should meet with general approval.

HEDLEYITE IN AEROPLANE

Mr. E. H. Williams Was Passenger With Mr. Hamel and Vividly Describes Flight

The sensations of a blind man flying in an aeroplane at 60 miles an hour were vividly described at Hendon yesterday afternoon. Mr. Eliot Williams, an Englishman who became blind while on a voyage from British Columbia to this country recently, was a passenger with Mr. Hamel on a short flight at the London Aerodrome yesterday afternoon. Although he has been blind only some three months, Mr. Williams has never seen an aeroplane. Flying round the aerodome for about six minutes at the rate of 60 miles an hour, Mr. Williams had only disappointment to express at the brevity of the flight. "Why, it seemed scarcely more than a minute," he said afterwards, "but it was a great sensation. I could see nothing, but I felt a white mist around me all the time. I guess that is the greatest gale I have ever been in." He continued—"When I held my head up to the air I had to gasp for breath. It seemed as if I were riding on the back of a sea gull. The great bird seemed to rise and fall with a terrific heave." Mr. Williams was full of enthusiasm about his flight, but he wished that he could only have been able to see. "Ah!" he exclaimed, "what a greater sensation it would have been if I could have seen the ground moving underneath and the people looking up."—Glascow Herald.

MAY'S ROD AND GUN

Rod and Gun for May is out with, as usual, an attractive bill of fare for the sportsman. The Dogs of the North, A Hunting Trip to Pocologan, N. B., The History of the Canoe, Building a Sectional Boat, The Swamp Maiden, The Roughneck Fishing Club, Obnoxious Fishing in Lakes and Ponds, Ideal Trout Fishing in Ontario Waters are some of the articles worth special mention while the regular departments are well maintained and the whole of interests to both Canadian and American sportsmen. W. J. Taylor, Limited Publisher, Woodstock, Ont., issues this Canadian outdoor magazine.

GENERAL NEWS

That traces of radium have been found in various portions of the Peace River Block, located east of the foothills and west of Edmonton, is the effect of a report being circulated in that city. Several persons have reported its existence in the district, and it is said there is quite a movement at the present time of interested parties toward the Piece River Block.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending. May 2 1914:

AT THE MINE.

	Maximum	Minimum
Apr 26	38	28
27	35	24
28	26	25
29	53	31
30	60	34
May 1	62	36
2	50	25

Average maximum temperature 47.57
Average minimum do 29.
Mean temperature 38.28
Rainfall for the week .00 inches.
Snowfall " " 6.00 "

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature 52.
Average maximum do 38.28
Lowest minimum do 12.
Average minimum do 23.14
Mean do 30.71

AT THE MILL.

	Maximum	Minimum
Apr 26	64	39
27	45	37
28	54	34
29	72	34
30	78	43
May 1	74	51
2	71	43

Average maximum temperature 65.43
Average minimum do 40.14
Mean do 52.78
Rainfall for the week .42 inches
Snowfall " " .00 "

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature 71
Average do do 50.
Lowest minimum do 32.
Average do do 38.57
Mean do 48.78

TRAGEDY AT MERRITT

Indian Women Murdered in Drunken Debauch—Murderer Attempts to Escape but Returns

On Saturday afternoon, April 25th, there occurred a horrible tragedy at the Indian Reserve, an Indian woman named Mary Spring being foulv murdered by a well known bad Indian by name of Tullelar. This Indian has on several occasions been brought before the court for his assaulting conduct and has always been looked upon by the authorities as being a dangerous man.

The murder which took place on Saturday afternoon last was undoubtedly the outcome of a drunken debauch in which apparently the Indian woman joined, Tullelar ending the spree by cutting the woman's throat and then attempting to escape.

This attempt he evidently abandoned, returning to the scene of his debauch and endeavoring to cut his own throat, being overpowered and held by other Indians in the Reserve until the arrival of P. C. King to the scene on horseback and arresting him.

Dr. Tutill had upon the alarm being given hastily hurried to the Reserve but on arrival found the woman beyond all human aid.

Her remains were brought into the city and lay resting in Mr. N. J. Barwick's undertaking parlors until Tuesday morning last, when they were taken by her relatives and friends to Shulus cemetery and buried. The Indian was brought into the city by Police Constable King and locked up in the Provincial jail, where he remained until brought before Magistrate Morgan, with Chief Constable Burr of Ashcroft acting on behalf of the Crown as prosecutor. At this preliminary trial accused was committed to stand trial at the next assizes in Kamloops, next month.—Merritt Herald.

MINING NOTES

A large force is engaged at the Granby mines at Hidden creek, and at the concentrating and smelting plant, between 700 and 800 men being employed in the various operations. Officials of the company claim that their plant is the most up-to-date and the best equipped on the American continent.

The ore was struck last week on the lower level of the Lucky Thought mine, on Four-mile. It is of a much better grade than the shipment made from the same mine about a month ago.

The most important mining deal in the Kaslo district for a year past was closed last week when $12,000 was paid on a bond covering the Cork properties and certain timber and water rights and a quantity of mined zinc ore. W. E. Zwychey of Kaslo and W. P. Tierney of Vancouver are among those who are interested. The Cork mine is on the south fork of Kaslo creek. There is a 100 ton concentrator on the property.

A big deal was put through recently whereby a Philadelphia company takes over the big gold quartz property at Surf Inlet on Vancouver Island. The price is said to be $800,000, and the purchasers are the Tonopah-Belmont company. The property is located about 25 miles inland. It is a free milling gold proposition, and there is an immense tonnage in sight. A big revival of mining and general business is looked for on the island.

The first shipment of copper from the Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company's plant at Hidden creek was brought down from the north to Vancouver a few days ago and was sent to a large refining company in New York. There were 930 bars in the consignment, the metal weighing 122 tons, and being valued at 15c per pound. It is stated that now that the plant is in operation there will probably be two shipments sent out a month, of between 400 and 500 tons each. The bars are practically pure copper, or what is known in mining parlance as "blister" copper. The other one per cent is a mixture of gold and silver.

SHATFORD SPEAKS ON GOOD PROSPECTS

Members for Similkameen Looks For Busy Year in Interior of Province

Vancouver, B. C., May 6.—"With promise of a bumper fruit crop and with mining prospects increasingly bright I look for a busy year in the Similkameen and Okanagan districts." said L. W. Shatford, M.P.P., today.

Mr. Shatford has just reached the city after a trip through his electoral riding. The Similkameen member believes that construction work on the Kettle Valley line will be advanced to such an extent that service to the coast via the Nicola branch of the Canada Pacific railway will be provided about the end of the year. The Hope mountain cut-off on the Kettle Valley line will require nearly another year of work, however.

When this railway provides access through to the coast there will be something approaching a boom in the Boundary, Kettle Valley, Similkameen and Okanagan sections and Kootenay will feel the benefits coming from closer connection with the coast, he declares. In the Similkameen electoral district there will be additional advantages received by reason of the fact that the finishing of the work on the Kettle Valley line will allow the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern trains to get through to the coast via the Kettle Valley and the Canadian Northern lines.

HOME RULE CRISIS IN ULSTER

The political pot in Ulster seems likely to come to a boil over the excitement of some gun-running exploits which have been successfully pulled off during the past week, and the British cabinet is finding itself face to face with a serious situation.

A consignment of about forty thousand rifles and half a million rounds of ammunition from Germany is said to have been landed by a mysterious German steamer at isolated points on the coast of Ulster and distributed by means of two hundred automobiles to various headquarters of the Ulster "Volunteers". Those Ulsterman who declare themselves determined to offer armed resistance to the introduction of Home Rule mobilized and guarded the landing places and roads until the distribution of arms was completed. The police were powerless to interfere and all means of communication were temporarily interrupted by the Ulster Volunteers during the distribution.

The Irish Nationalist volunteers, a body similiar in organization to the Ulster Unionist Volunteers, made matters even with their political opponents by successfully landing a large consignment of arms. The weapons, which are said to have been brought from America, were taken ashore at a remote spot on the coast of County Donegal, in the far west of Ulster. The size of the consignment is unknown, but it is believed to have been considerable, although not equalling the 40,000 rifles and 500,000 rounds of ammunition the Unionists received.

MINING NOTES

An English syndicate is having an area on Graham Island prospected for coal, F. C. Green of Seattle being in charge of the work. The ground is being drilled.

A leading Vancouver trust company has in hand the organization of a company and the finding of capital to develop the salt deposits on the Skeena river, and if arrangements are completed works will be established there which will supply the fisheries, meat supply firms, dairies and industrial farms on the coast with what salt is required. This is likely to develop into an important industries.

The profits of the Britannia mine on Howe sound last year amounted to 44 per cent on the capital stock. The capacity of the mill was doubled during the year and a higher grade product obtained. The new mill in course of construction will have a capacity of from 1,500 to 1,800 tons a day, making the total capacity of the plant 2,500 tons a day. It is intended to have the new plant completed and in operation by the end of this year.

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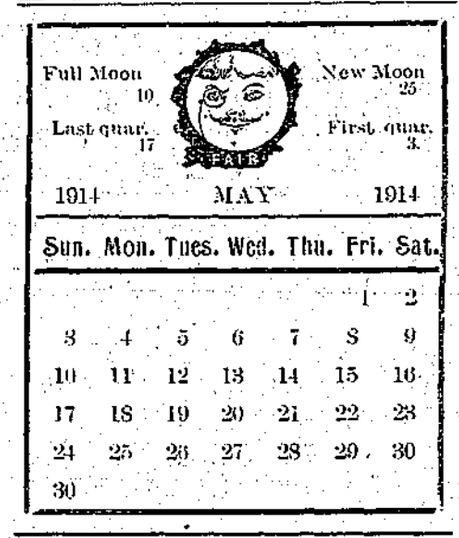

BACK TO THE LAND

The familiar cry "back to the land, is apt to become somewhat monotonous, but repetition has its uses not the least of which is to attract attention. It is easy enough however to cry "back to the land" but not so easy to accomplish that highly desirable purpose. Man can not even begin to live by manufacturing alone. Agriculture must be pursued for agriculture is the source of all industry. Men grew corn long before he manufactured steel or even copper. Woman plucked apples for consumption long before she adorned herself. Civilization in its advance seems to have reversed the process. Today man thinks of manufactures first and then of corn, while women infinitely prefers clothes to apples.

The backbone of any community is its agricultural population. It is more of a fixture. A man can not desert his agriculture holding in the same way he can desert his industrial job. He has built up with much labor something which gives him a return and in giving him that return it is of great value to the whole community. He is a regular purchaser in the local market. He wants clothes and all the other necessities of life. The more he can make out of his farming the better for the community, for he adds to its purchasing power. As a rule he does not take his money elsewhere to spends it but invests it in the things he knows and understands. The last half century has seen a tremendous draining of the youth of all highly civilized land into the towns. The great advance of manufactures has attracted them like the candle the moth. The closer packing of the community and the opportunity for meeting more people has inevitably drawn the ambitious and the restless. Country life has seemed dull. Dozens of stories have dealt with this phase of the problem—literature too has stimulated the minds of its readers and made them long for the excitements of which they read. Undoubtedly reading has been largely responsible for the discontent with country life. To day it is recognized that unless the land can be made attractive it is useless to shout in people's ears "back to the land." The first task is to find in the country the attraction which will excercise the same magnetic influence on the mind as the city.

THE NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL

It is officially announced that Prince Alexander of Teck is to succeed the Duke of Connaught as governor-general of Canada. By all Canadians this announcement will be received with gratification. The Duke of Connaught has set a precedent which His Majesty evidently feels it is wise to live up to. The brother of the late King Edward is to be followed by the brother of Queen Mary. Prince Alexander is to prove that to be royal one must also be efficient. The Duke has set an example as well as a precedent and it will be no easy task for the Prince to follow in the footsteps of such a popular governor-general. The Duke came to Canada not unknown. But the Prince is a stranger and Canada is apt to be very critical of strangers, especially if they be of royal blood. That is natural, for we expect much of our royal family and are apt to forget that being royal does not prevent one being human. The Duke of Connaught brought with him his wife and the Princess Patricia. His family undoubtedley added much to his popularity and in this respect once more Canada is extremely fortunate. In the Princess Alexander of Teck Canada will have one of the most lovable of all princesses. Her popularity in Great Britain is very great. She is the sister of the reigning duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha and first cousin of the Queen of the Netherlands. Her father was the youngest son of the late Queen Victoria and his early death cast a gloom over the people of Great Britian with whom he was extremely popular. He had great charm of manner which has been inherited by his daughter, who is said to be a very democratic and attractive personage.

Prince Alexander is a soldier and was A. D. C. to Colonel Mahon in South Africa. As such he was at the relief of Mafeking and won his D. S. O. He is just 40, tall and good-looking. He has shown considerable organizing ability in the various duties which have fallen to him since King George's accension made him brother-in-law to the King. He has been married nine years and has two children. Thus Canada gets a royal young couple as representative of the King. They will be very welcome.

His Flower Fairy

By KATE M. CLEARY

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They were not there when he had left the room.

Percival Craig, the new rector of St. Sebastian's, paused with his hand on the back of the swivel chair which he had been about to give a preparatory twirl before sitting down.

"Another evidence of personal good will," he murmured, his fair, expressive face brightening almost boyishly with gratification. "Verily, my lines seem to have fallen in pleasant places."

One would have conceded that fact knowing how cultured the minds, how generous the hearts and how high the standard of rectitude among the parishioners of St. Sebastian's. The pastor preceding the present incumbent had grown old in their service. While he had been beloved, it was pleasant to the congregation to welcome the advent of a younger man, one whose opinions, although progressive, were free from the taint of irreverence and whose family connections were all that the most fastidious among them could desire.

This morning, the first that Craig had deliberately settled down to work in his study, he had been called to the door for a few minutes. Now, on his return he found things precisely as he left them, except that on the ponderous tome open upon his desk lay a slender sheaf of hyacinths, heliotrope of hue freshly cut and fragrant.

"Mrs. Mason!" The footsteps passing through the hall ceased. "Step here please!"

His housekeeper, ruddy checked and gray haired, looked in at the door.

"Did you put these flowers here, Mrs Mason?"

"Not I, sir!"

"Maybe Ellen did," he hazarded.

"She's been washing windows upstairs this hour back, sir," returned Mrs. Mason. And, muttering something about her custards, she disappeared.

"Strange!" commented the Rev. Percival. But the pleased smile still lingered around his mouth when he had put the delicate spikes in water and was reading the solemn looking book.

Before the hyacinths had faded there was another floral surprise for the new rector. This time it was a rose that lay on the printed page—a pink, softly growing, velvety rose—that made him think of Alys Ward. He had met her a few times since coming to his new parish, and he found himself most persistently haunted from the first by her demure beauty and pretty, graceful ways.

He rang the bell.

"Has any one called to see me this morning, Mrs. Mason?"

"No one, sir." Mrs. Mason regarded him admiringly. He was a fine representative of the church militant. That straight, soldierly figure, square shoulders and proudly carried head would have looked well leading a regiment.

For several days after the finding of the rose instead of loitering in the dining room to read the morning papers Mr. Craig brought them with him directly to the study. The rose drooped. He shook the loosening petals in the big book. There was no odorous successor. But one morning he was summoned to the bedside of a hypochondriac acquaintance who was undergoing one of his periodical attacks of dissolution. Striding absentmindedly into the study on his return, he stopped short, his nostrils assailed by a perfume elusive as exquisite.

"Violets!" he exclaimed. "Violets!"

Violets there were—a blue drift of them across the open pages of the learned book.

This time, in the absence of Mrs. Mason, he interrogated Ellen—and with more success.

"Sure, 'tis a slip uv a colleen do be after bringin' them!" declared Ellen, who was fresh from the Emerald Isle and a new acquisition in the clerical household. "Her name do be Ward, they tell me. She lives in the great house beyant."

"That will do," said the Rev. Mr. Percival hastily. But he did not read in the wide volume that day. Instead he sat a long time looking dreamily at the violets and wondering—oh, the most marvelous things!

Although he had been much flattered by women, he had scant share of conceit. So at the close of his reverie he sighed. He could attribute to naught save pure neighborliness the gifts of the girl to whom his love had gone out almost at first sight. Nevertheless, when the violets were withered, on two successive mornings he left the house with much ostentation and soon thereafter noiselessly let himself into the hall. On the second morning there was a flurry of white by the study table as he abruptly entered the room, then a fall and a cry of pain. Instantly he sprang across the floor—to pick up the slim little lassie of six, who lay with a bunch of lilies of the valley clasped tightly in her tiny fingers.

"I didn't want you to—to know 'twas me!" she sobbed. "I always brought them to old Mr. Snowdon. Mrs. Mason used to let me in. And he never knew 'twas me. He used to tell me the fairies or—or maybe just one fairy—brought them to him. And I'd laugh and laugh. Ouch!" She colored hotly with the pain. "My foot got hurted!"

"I'll carry you home," Percival assured her tenderly. "You liked Mr. Snowdon (who, by the way, was the predecessor of the Rev. Mr. Craig), you liked him very much?"

"Yes. Maybe I'll like you, too, some time. Alys—she's my sister—says you are most—most—I forget. It was a long word. But it means nice. Tommy Brown says Mr. Snowdon only pretended he didn't know about me being the fairy. Isn't Tommy a horrid boy?"

"Horrid!" assented Percival Craig. "Don't be frightened, Miss Alys!" For she had come flying down the steps at sight of him and his burden.

"Fairies always get well quickly," he assured little May. "I intend coming to see you every day until you can come to see me."

"Do," begged the child from the shelter of her sister's arms. "But you won't ever think I'm a real fairy now."

Alys laid her on the sofa and went out to telephone the doctor.

"Oh, yes; I will if you help me to get my wish. Good fairies always help mortals."

"What is your wish?"

"I want you to coax dear Alys to marry me and have you for flower girl."

"That's easy. Alys will do anything for me," declared May complaisantly. "Say—I remember that word now. It was at-tractive."

"Good little fairy!" cried Craig and hastened off. In his study he gently picked up the blossoms she had insisted on leaving. He recalled the look in Alys Ward's eyes when she had taken May from him, and his pulse thrilled. "Good little sister!" he said. "Dear little fairy flower girl!"

Not a Flier.

"What bird is it," asked the school inspector, "that is found in Africa and, although it has wings, cannot fly?"

The class was unable to answer this very puzzling question. Thinking to encourage them, the inspector offered a sixpence to the little boy or girl who could tell him. After a brief hesitation a little girl of five years put up her hand.

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Town and District.

Tim Griffin left on Tuesday for Keremeos Centre.

Mrs. J. Mairhoffer left on Tuesday for a short visit to Oroville.

Mr. F. H. French and family motored over to Penticton on Tuesday.

Mr. Earl Brown is visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank French for a few days.

School Inspector Anstie was it town on Thursday visiting the school here.

Dr. and Mrs. McEwen were visitors to Princeton between trains on Tuesday.

Rev. Father Conant, Catholic priest of Kamloops, was in the valley this week.

L. H. Patten of Keremeos Centre was a visitor in town between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. H. Whiteman of Princeton is spending a few days in town as the guest of Mrs. Sproule.

Messrs. I. L. Merrill, T. Walter Beam and G. P. Jones went out to Riverside on Monday.

Jack Corrigan left town on Monday for Camp Clifton where he will put in the summer diamond drilling.

Don't forget the dance that is being given in Fraternity hall by the band boys. The band orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. John French, of Vancouver, who has been visiting her nephews, Frank and George French, for the past week, left for her home on Tuesday.

If you are intending to take a trip abroad see H. E. Hansen about your ticket. He can supply you with a ticket on any line by which you wish to travel.

The band orchestra played at the moving pictures on Thursday evening last. The orchestra is fast rounding in shape under the leadership of Prof. Warren Glaze.

The work on the dam and the grading of the right-of-way for the flume was closed down this week. It is understood that the balance of the work will be done by contract.

A couple of large boulders that had been loosened by the heavy rains came down by the overflow on Saturday and carried trees and everything in their paths down into the creek.

On Sunday morning a match game of golf was played between Mrs. Rotherham and P. Murray and Miss Jackson and W. K. Pollock. The former couple won by one hole.

John Lodge and Walter McDonald brought down the hide of the silver fox, which they were fortunate enough to trap last winter near the Nickel Plate mine, to Hedley on Saturday.

Roy Corrigan is expected in town in a few days. Wm. Corrigan had a letter from his father in Hope the other day and he said that Roy was leaving in a few days along with some other boys on the trip over the Hope trail.

Messrs. Whiteman and Mansfield are trying to get the Princetonites interested enough in golf to organize a club and lay out links. We wish them success and can say that anyone taking up this game will never regret it.

The heavy rains on Friday and Saturday started the rocks rolling on the hill sides and one went through the flume. The break was between the cabin and the head-gate and did not do much damage. A couple of hours work repaired the damage.

The Building Committee of the Church of England announce that they have purchased two lots at the corner of Webster Street and Daly Avenue. As soon as the building fund will warrant a church will be erected

On Wednesday morning an accident occurred at the Nickel Plate mine caused by a quick fuse and in which two miners were hurt. The injuries received are mostly bruises and a few cut and are not of a serious nature. The two men were Ed. Williams and Axel Olend, and they are at present in the Hedley Hospital.

On Sunday evening while enjoying a spin in his auto Homer McLean accompanied by his father and sister and Mr. F. M. Gillespie startled a big bald headed eagle that was resting on one of the fence posts near Lyon's ranch. The occupants of the car say they could have hit it with a rock.

The diamond drilling on the group of claims that are under bond to the New York Syndicate No. 2, in which a number of the Hedley Gold Mining Company's stock holders are interested, was started again this week. Mr. Beam will superintend the work again this summer.

Mr. L. L. Woods, piano tuner and builder, arrived in Hedley on Wednesday's train and is prepared to do any work in these lines. He comes here highly recommended by Prof. Warren Glaze and he guarantees satisfaction.

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Daly announces the engagement of her niece, Ellen Corrigan to Mr. Wallace Knowles. The marriage will take place in St. Andrews Church at Keremeos, B. C., at four o'clock, June 1st, 1914. All friends are cordially invited to attend the marriage ceremony and the reception at the "Willows" immediately afterward.

Dan McKinnon and Nick Pickard have staked a claim on the Sterling creek slope and have been doing development work on it. They have a small stringer of ore carrying good values but there is not enough work done to be able to tell much about it. They have had some samples of the vein assayed and these gave an average value of $34.00.

Messrs. I. L. Merrill, president of the Hedley Gold Mining Company, and T. Walter Beam came in Thursday of last week and have been busy ever since looking over the holdings of the company. On Friday Mr. Beam took Mr. Merrill over to Camp Clifton and they returned to Hedley by Twenty-Mile canyon and Mr. Merrill has felt the effects of his tramp ever since. While here Mr. Merrill enjoyed a round of the Hedley links.

GENERAL NEWS

The British government will participate in the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. This is distinctly in the interests of good fellowship.

GIVES INSTANT ACTION

F. M. Gllespie, druggist reports that A SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerince, etc., as compounded in Adler-i-ka, the German appendicitis remedy, stops constipation or gas on stomach INSTANTLY. Many Hedley people are being helped.

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that I, Alfred H. Rowberry of Fairview, B. C., occupation, farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at a post about 30 chains West and about 20 chains North of the N.W. corner of Lot 698s; thence West 20 chains, thence South 40 chains, thence East 20 chains, thence North 40 chains, and containing 80 acres.

ALFRED H. ROWBERRY

25th April, 1914.

FRIDAY SPECIALS

LADIES' SUMMER DRESSES

All New. Three nice lines at

$4.75 $6.00 $7.00

Fresh Curlew Butter

Weekly Shipments

40 cents

Men's Combination Underwear

Two Fine Lines at

$2.00 $2.75

Hedley Trading Company, Ltd.

Plumbing and Heating, Sheet Metal Work Tinsmithing

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Work guaranteed. Consult us about your work

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F. H. French, Secretary and Manager HEDLEY, B. C.

THE KEREMEOS PAGE

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

Town and Lower Valley.

Percy Quant is busy building a nice commodious dwelling on his lot.

Robert Hill of Coalmont, B. C. was a visitor to town over the last week end.

All the fruit trees here are in excellent condition. The apricots are showing up splendidly.

Messrs. McCarthy and Ross, C.B.C. auditors, were registered at the Central hotel the 7th.

Mrs. Major Moody, of Penticton is spending a vacation with Mrs. Walter Frith of this town.

The Rev. Mr. Shannon has taken up his duties as Presbyterian minister at Bridesville, B. C.

Rev. Geo. A. Wilson, superintendent of the Presbyterian Missions will be here Sunday the 16th.

We are very pleased to see Mrs. Vader is able to be around again after a long seige of sickness.

Misses Eva Campbell and Bertha Kinnon of Okanagan Falls were visitors to town on Tuesday the 12th.

Ezra Mills has the goods in the line of hardware. Keep your money at home. All kinds of garden tools on hand.

K. C. B. Frith of Greenwood autoed over to the Similkameen with James McCreath and A. S. Black of the same city.

A car load of lumber came in last week for the Similkameen fruit lands Co. and is being hauled by D. J. Innis to the property.

On Saturday two American emigrants with their families arrived in Keremeos and headed up the Ashnola river in search of land.

W. S. B. Lowe has been appointed district fire ranger. He goes to Vernon this week to report to his chief and get further instructions.

James Grainger, Canadian Bank of Commerce ledger keeper, has resumed his duties in the bank here after having spent his furlough in the country.

Mr. Hughes of Princeton, a student of the Church of England Ministry, conducted evening service in the school room last Sunday, the 10th, to a good congregation.

J. R. Brown, Indian Agent, accompanied by D. H. Watson of Summerland, recently appointed by the Royal Commission of Indian Affairs to value the different reserves in the Okanagan agency, were in town on Thursday, the 7th.

A man working for Jack O,Hara of Bridesville, B. C., was killed on Friday, the 8th, by a tree falling on him while at work taking out ties. The coroner and police officer of Bridesville came over and the unfortunate man was buried Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps and son Joe, and Miss Beatrice Jones drove over from Fairview and camped within the city limits for the night, and in the morning proceeded on their way to Princeton at which place Mr. and Mrs. Phelps intend making their future home.

A baseball game took place on Sunday afternoon between the town and country nines. Bob Hill pitched for the town and Maurice Daly for the country. The game drew out quite a number of spectators and was full of excitement. The game ended with the laurels resting with the country by a score of 5 to 4.

School Inspector, Anstie, was in town last Thursday, the 7th, on his general round of inspection of interior schools. Mr. J. A. Brown, secretary of the school board, had an interview with him in regard to establishing a superior school here, and as there are now three eligible pupils and seven more are writing this term, it is more than likely that a superior school will be granted.

There will be a Victoria Day Celebration in Keremeos, B.C., on the 25th. Everything in going well with the arrangements. The committee consists of the chairman, R.H. Carmicheal; sec-treas, H. C. N. Etches; Messrs. J. A. Brown, G. G. Keeler, D. J. Innis. The will be baseball games between Hedley and Keremeos and Penticton and Oroville, lacrosse, Keremeos and Princeton. Cow-boy turn stakes, childrens races, trap shooting etc, and a general good time to look forward too. A band will play during the day. Grand ball in the evening. Bills and further notices will be sent out later.

EXPERIMENTS WITH FORAGE PLANTS

As has been the practice ever since the work with forage plants was undertaken by the Dominion Experimental Farms, the principle varieties of the different kinds of forage plants have been grown during the past year with the object of determining their relative value. During the season of 1913 the tests conducted in duplicate by the Division of Forage Plants at the Central Experimental Farm and the Experimental Farms and Stations throughout Canada consisted of 11 different varieties of Indian Corn, 19 varieties of turnips, 13 varieties of mangels, 6 varieties of carrots and 3 varieties of sugar beets. The work with leguminous forage plants and grasses including alfalfa and clover, consisted of breeding for increased hardiness, breeding for high yielding strains of a superior quality, and experiments with timothy, orchard grass, western rye grass and some wild grasses. In order to place the more important results of the season's work before the public in a summarized form, bulletin No. 76 has been prepared by M. O. Malte, Ph. D., Dominion Agrostologist and the Superintendents of the Branch Experimental Farms and Stations. This bulletin of 34 pages is available to all who make application at the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

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

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

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

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

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

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

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.-Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 9-6m

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In buying goods you prefer to buy those that have proved their merit. You want those of a known standard—those that have stood the test of use. These are the goods that are advertised. Look at our advertising columns and see if this is not true.

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TWEDDLE'S
AUTO STAGE SERVICE
Tweddle's cars are comfortable. Tweddle's drivers are experts.
No delays. No accidents
Autos leave Penticton every morning to connect with trains to Hedley, Princeton, Coalmont, Oroville and all Boundary points.
Leave Keremeos for Penticton on arrival of Great Northern trains
FARE—SINGLE $6.00
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Baggage carried. Commercial trunks arranged for
Break the monotony of train and boat travel and take an auto trip.
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TWEDDLE'S AUTO STAGE
Cars Call at all Hotels

WE'VE GOT THE BUSINESS
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If we were to be here to-day and pack up and go tomorrow we could perhaps afford to run our business along slip-shod lines. We are here, however, to build a business. This we intend to do by stocking high-grade goods and selling at a low margin of profit. See our superior line of Goods for Spring.
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Laundry, Contracting of all kinds, Ditch digging, Wood Sawing, Clearing land, Cooking and all kinds of Chinese Labor.
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SILKS
Large Assortment of choice Silk Dress Goods, Silk handkerchiefs etc. for sale at right prices
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A PIANO manufacturer recently made a house-to-house canvass. He's one of those men with an absurd fear of the "waste-circulation" bugaboo—cannot get away from the haunting thought that only 10 out of every 100 readers of a newspaper may be possible buyers of his goods.

So he refused to advertise, and went a-canvassing—inviting people to come to his piano recitals. Then he wondered why they didn't come.

This is why:

He *wasn't* reaching the people.

His canvassers rang every door-bell in town. They talked to some one in every house.

But one in every household isn't enough—particularly if it doesn't happen to be the right person. And, as a rule, it *wasn't* the right person—it was a servant, or a child. The woman of the house was seldom seen; the man of the house, never.

Now, if the piano maker had placed an ad. in the newspaper, it would have reached thousands, where the canvassers could reach only hundreds.

And even though only 10 per cent. of the readers are actual piano buyers, this does not mean that the advertising read by the other 90 per cent. is wasted. Advertising talks, not only to the prospective buyer, but also to his wife, his grown-up sons and daughters, his mother—even his mother-in-law. Their coaxing will help to convince the head of the house—and pretty soon there'll be a piano in that home.

This and dozens of similar cases which might be cited to show that "waste circulation" is an empty bugaboo, and should deter no one.

Take the motor truck. It can be sold only to large firms Yet a motor truck manufacturer is successfully Advertising in daily papers. He realizes that he must reach, not alone the managers of the concerns that require trucks, but also their directors, their foremen, their head machinists, etc. It is found in actual practice that this Advertising radiates in a thousand directions, and again converges most astonishingly to influence the house that has made up its mind that horse-trucking is too costly and inefficient.

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