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AND SIMILKAMEEN ADVERTISER.

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Bar and Table the Best. Rates Moderate
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Rates—$1.50 a Day and Up
First-Class Accommodation.
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All kinds of fresh and cured meats always on hand. Fresh Fish on sale every Thursday.
R. J. EDMOND, Prop.

Balance Sheet Pasriotic Fund

Following is the receipts and disbursements for the month of March:

RECEIPTS

Amount subscribed for months January and February, as per previous balance sheet		$1372 25
March subscriptions: Employees H. G. M. Co. and D. R. Co., Ltd, deducted from pay rolls:		
Mine pay roll	$202 00	
Mill pay roll	192 25	
Subscriptions paid direct to the secretary treasurer by residents of the town and employees of H.G.M. and D. R. Co	158 50	
Hedley Gold M. Co's monthly sub	200 00	752 75
		$2125 00

DISBURSEMENTS

Remittek to Provincial Treasurer, Victoria, as shown on previous balance sheet	597 00	
Remitted in April	772 00	
		1369 00
Refund		3 25
Balance in Bank B. N. A., May 1, 1916 (since remitted		752 75
		$2125 00

C. P. DALTON, Sec.-Treas.

We have examined the books of the secretary-treasurer, and find the above statement to be correct.

H. D. BARNES
F. M. GILLESPIE } Auditors

Hedley, B. C., May 10, 1916.

Patriotic Fund

The following letter was received by Mr. C. P. Dalton this week from the hon. treasurer provincial branch Canadian patriotic aid fund:

VICTORIA, B. C., May 11, 1916.

C. P. Dalton, Esq., Hon. Secretary-Treasurer Canadian Patriotic Fund, Hedley:

Dear Sir: I have your letter of May 5, enclosing cheque for $752.75, being amount collected for the Canadian patriotic fund by your local branch during the month of March, for which please accept my sincere thanks.

I note with pleasure the good results which are being obtained by your committee, and trust that your offorts will continue to meet with every success, as the calls on the fund are increasing rapidly and every cent will be needed. Yours truly,

W. J. GOEPEL,
Hon. Treasurer Provincial Branch Canadian Patriotic Aid Fund.

Bert Schubert Writes From Bramshott

The following letter was received this week by Mrs. W. McLean from Bert Schubert, son of J. Schubert of Tulameen City:

No. 443,850, 54th Battalion, C. E. F., Machine Gun Section, Bramshott Camp, Hants, England.

My Dear Mrs. McLean: A great many times I have thonght of writing to you, and on one occasion started, but always something seemed to turn up to upset my plans. Justa year ago since Homer and I used to have great times together, and as it seems all good times are over for the present I often think of those we used to have.

Things are always very much the same around here just now, but I have had a great many experiences since I last saw you.

The machine gun section, which I am now in is very interesting, and as I always took a great interest in the mechanism of guns am getting along very well so far and will probably stay in that section, although they are always switching us around.

A week ago Sunday, Tom Leduc, a cousin of mine from Armstrong, now with the second C. M. R. iu France, paid me a visit and I obtained a pass for twenty-four hours, and we went to London, and I enjoyed it very much.

Tom is captain now, and the English officers looked rather hard at us traveling together, as it is against the rules in their army for an officer to go around with a private, but he said he would rather be with me than most English officers he had ever met. He has some great stories to tell of the fight and he has seen quite a good deal of it too.

I have heard of quite a number of boys that I used to know who are in France now, and quite a few that I used to go to school with have lost their lives there.

I do not know just when we are going over, but we are all anxious to get there now. There is no doubt lots of time because it isn't going to end in a hurry. My opinion is based on the verdict of hundreds of wounded boys in one of the biggest hospitals in England. I was in there for seven weeks, and every day I used to go down into the wards where they were and talk to them, especially the Canadian boys, and not one of them had the idea that the war would end in any early period.

We have not heard from Frank Dollamore since he went over there some time ago, but I suppose the Hedley people have heard of them. Blair Mills and Yorkie were with them.

The Hedley boys have had rather hard luck since coming over here, so far as sickness was concerned; but we are all on the board again and at present all right. The last I saw of Vans he showed me a very bad hand and shortly afterwards was sent to the hospital. The doctors did not seem to know what was the matter. I think it was a form of tubercular trouble.

It would surprise you what a number of the boys have contracted since coming to the wet climate.

The air raids are the principle form of excitement in Englsnd just now.

It is pretty in London to see the big search lights searching for Germans in the clouds. When I was at Aldershot they came pretty close one night and dropped several bombs a short distance from the camp, but did not manage to get there as it is protected pretty well. It is one of the largest camps in England and a regular barracks in times of peace. The nurses were sure very nice to me at that hospital. I was the only Canadian in the ward that I was in.

When you write to Myrtle I wish to be remembered to her. And I would like if you ever write to me you will give me Homer's address. Will write to Mr. McLean some day when I have something interesting to tell him. Very often I think of the good times I used to have in your house and I hope some time I will come in again and maybe have a game of rum. Kindest regards to yourself and Mr. McLean. Always your friend,

BERT SCHUBERT.

COOKIES - FREE

Practical Demonstration

MAY 25th, 1916

An Expert direct from the Factory Will Demonstrate the uses of the

New Perfection Oil Cook Stove

THE STOVE FOR YOUR KITCHEN.

The "New Perfection" cures common stove troubles. It is always ready for instant use; it cooks either fast or slow, and everything in a most satisfactory manner; it makes no dust or dirt and its principle of concentrated heat keeps the kitchen so uniformly cool that you might easily sit beside the stove in perfect comfort while the kettle boils.

A TIME-SAVING STOVE.

The "New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook Stove," thirty seconds after the touch of the match, will deliver at the stove top a strong, clean heat of great working power, More than that you may run it for hours continuously and for the whole time and never be conscious of undue heat because of the stove. The stove is no experiment and has proven to be the most economical oil stove ever placed on the market, costing absolutely nothing for repairs and giving no trouble in any way.

Call in during this demonstration and learn something about the most successful Cook Stove ever made, whether you buy now or not. Refreshments will be served.

HEDLEY TRADING CO.

AGENTS, HEDLEY, B. C.

Provincial Forestry

Advices to the minister of lands from the southern interior of the province mark the beginning of the fire season, small fires being reported from the Cranbrook, Nelson and Vernon forest districts. In the first named district the late spring is retarding the growth of vegetation so essential as a check upon fires running along the ground and burning the carpet of pine needles, twigs, dry leaves, etc. A hot and dry wind from the south is drying up the vegetation in the Okanagan and Similkameen districts, while hot weather prevails throughout the Vernon district generally. Farmers and settlers are reminded that permits are required for all fires set from the beginning of May, for which application should be made to the local fire wardens. Campers, sportsmen and travelers are urged to exercise every care in extinguishing camp fires, and the co-operation of all sections of the community is desired, in order that damage to property may be avoided. It is worthy of mention that in 1915, 305 fires out of a total of 1031 outbreaks, were traced to campers and travelers, while 267 were caused by land clearing operations. Damage by fires to the timber in 1915 amounted to $109,000, and other property, viz., logging equipment, farm houses and buildings, etc., $58,000. The ma?ority of all fires in 1915 were, as usual, due to human agency, and were, therefore, preventable. Particularly this season, when the empire is engaged in a vast and wealth destroying war on a scale hitherto unthought of; it is the duty of every citizen to assist in preserving our resources from avoidable destruction.

Auto Accident.

Sunday afternoon, about four miles from Princeton, an auto accident occurred which fortunateld did not result in serious injury to any of the occupants of the car. The party comprised Max and Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Houston, Miss Blake and P. Y. Smith, with the latter at the wheel. On the hill they met Homer Wells with a party coming towards Hedley. In passing Smith's car got too near the edge of the embankment and went over several times, landing right side up in the Similkameen river with the driver aitting on the back of the seat. The other occupants of the car were bruised and badly shaken up. The Wells car went into the bank on the upper side. One of the occupants was slightly injured.

It is about time the baseball boys were rounding up the nine for the season. L. Oty, the new G. N. R. agent, is an enthusiastic fan.

The Hedley Gazette

and

Similkameen Advertiser.

Subscriptions in Advance

Per Year.....$2.00
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Advertising Rates

Measurement, 12 lines to the inch.

Transient Advertisements—not exceeding one inch, $1.00 for one insertion, 25 cents for each subsequent insertion. Over one inch, 10 cents per line for first insertion and 5 cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Transients payable in advance.

Contract Advertisements—One inch per month $1.25; over 1 inch and up to 4 inches, $1.00 per inch per month. To constant advertisers taking larger space than four inches, on application, rates will be given of reduced charges, based on size of space and length of time.

Certificate of Improvements.....$10.00
(Where more than one claim appears in notice, $2.50 for each additional claim.)

JAS. W. GRIER, Publisher.

The undersigned is pleased to announce to subscribers of The Hedley Gazette that with this issue the paper passes into the hands of Mr. James W. Grier, who is now sole proprietor and will manage and edit it. Mr. Grier scarcely needs any introduction to the subscribers of any paper in the interior of British Columbia, and, particularly, those where mining is in progress, for he has been identified with mining in the interior of the province for the past twenty-five years.

His connection with The Gazette, coming as it does when there is every evidence of a revival in mining, is propitious. He has always stood for what is legitimate and proper in the conduct of publicity connected with the mining industry, and the promoter of fake schemes had little to hope from him and much to fear. It is therefore with special pleasure that we introduce him as the new proprietor and publisher of The Hedley Gazette, and as a citizen he will bear his share.

To make a town or a mining camp prosperous it is necessary that every one should do his or her part. The prosperity of a community is dependent upon the efforts of all, and the local publisher requires the cooperation of citizens and particularly those in business. In those days when the mail order houses are cutting in upon the business of the local dealers it is all the more necessary that the people of every community stand together and endeavor to do their part.

From a news item which appeared in last issue it might be inferred that the undersigned is still connected with the ownership of The Hedley Gazette, but such is not the case and a wrong impression was given of an unimportant circumstance connected with the transfer from the late publisher to the present owner. The writer bespeaks for Mr. Grier the hearty cooperation and support of the people of Hedley and district, knowing as he does that it will be fully deserved.

A. MEGRAW.

THE publisher of the Gazette does not believe that he can live up to the many virtues which Major Megraw attributes to him, so it would be advisable to wait and judge for yourselves. A newspaper is the same as any other cold-blooded business proposition in which success is the natural result of a man being just to himself. We have no illusions about "uplifts," "purity in politics," etc. We are not here to give anything away, but to sell our wares at a profit and buy your wares, paying one hundred cents on the dollar, and the one hundred cents promptly paid is the driving force behind all business energy. In politics, the paper will be independent. We are not under any obligations to the politicians, neither are the politicians under any obligations to us. If an aspirant for political honors wishes to advertise his wares he can purchase space in the columns of The Hedley Gazette at the regular advertising rate of 10 cents per line, if he writes the dope. We have been writing political dope for a quarter of a century, for nothing, and have "sworn off.

Had I known the world as I know it now
In my boyhood, I half believe that I
Would have sworn me a stern, fierce, terrible vow
Down unto my death to live a lie:
To promise, yet never perform: to pose
As a friend, while betraying all friendships here:
To prate religion, while under the rose
I struck thru its quivering breast a spear.
For I often think had I lived this lie.
And lived it like many a man I see,
That wealth or power or honor high
As it came to them would have come to me:
Nor would I have felt as I feel today,
When I find how fickle is friendship here;
For ah! had I been but as false as they,
I could answer a-back with a sneer for sneer.
Fool, fool that I was! In my trustful youth
I thought this world was a world sublime
That was struggling ever in search of Truth,
And where truth would triumph in time—in time.
But far between, and tho few they be,
Are good, grand souls in this world of shame,
And the love and the lillies they send to me
Are more than fortune and more than fame.
And when I remember these royal men
I rise renewed in my sense and soul,
And take up the trials of life again,
And again press on to a golden goal,
—Kernan.

The author of the foregoing lines was a newspaper writer and died in a poorhouse.

IT appears to be generally accepted that a publisher to make both ends meet must become a pest by continuously soliciting job printing, advertising and subscriptions. You don't expect your hardware, dry goods, or grocery merchant to camp on your trail, nor is the publisher going to do so. The Gazette has an up-to-the-minute job printing plant, has advertising space for sale, and is anxious to add to the names on the subscription list, but we do not propose to call every day and tell you how to run your business. If you favor us with your patronage we will do our utmost to give you value for the money invested. We would be pleased to have news items until we become accustomed to the scenery and those decorating it. It is the intention to move the plant this week into the Lyons block, when a telephone will be hitched on and grievances can be fired in without the trouble and inconvenience of a personal mix-up. Until the paper is settled in new quarters don't expect too much then there will be less danger of disappointment. Don't shoot, the performer is doing his best.

REAL advertising pays, but the advertiser must, to make a success of it, give as much attention to bringing his goods to the notice of possible purchasers as he would to the selection of the goods. Too many adverrisers consider the firm name the most important part of the advertisement. People go to a store to buy goods, not names. An advertiser should aim to provide some particular attraction that would induce people to come to his place of business, after that the salesman should be able to sell the line advertized and other goods as well. Specialize on particular lines, display and advertise them. It will pay. Any one can sell people what they know they want, but the live advertiser sells people goods they didn't know they wanted. Particularize in advertising; generalities are convenient modes of expression for gossips and politicians.

JUDGING from the annual report of the Hedley Gold Mining company, published last issue, this should be a good camp in which to develop a newspaper claim.

IT is said that there was "plugging" at the by-elections in Vancouver and Victoria. It is hardly possible that the people of Victoria wauld indulge in so violent a mental exercise as thinking out a ballot-plugging scheme. Vancouver—well, Vancouver is different.

A feature of the war that is disquieting to many people in Canada, and the operation of which can be perceived in Hope as well as elsewhere, is that as young and middle aged Canadians, both from the Mother Country and native born, join the colors, their positions in commerce and industry are taken by aliens, often by the subjects of enemy powers.

It might have been well if, at the beginning of the war, the Dominion government had taken stock of the whole manhood of the country, decided how many were needed to continue the commercial and industrial life of the country and sent, by ballot or otherwise, all the rest to go to the front or into training. But that would have involved a degree of paternalism of which British people have always been most impatient. They are quicker than any others to volunteer but more stubborn also in resisting compulsion.

Great preparation are being made in every province for finding employment for the soldiers when they return. These must include the discharge of aliens, especially enemy aliens, from employment to make room for our own. This also will involve paternalism in the form of interference with the freedom of employees. But during and after the war we must learn to accept restrictions of individual freedom when resulting benefit to all is clearly established. Autocratically governed countries have a great advantage over democracies in war because they can order the whole life of the people to conform to a system adopted for war. The free peoples must offset that advantage by conferring more authority on our rulers, remembering that they do not claim authority from the Almighty but are our rulers and representatives by our own choice.—West Yale Review.

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For Stomach and Bowel Trouble

Hedley Drug & Book Store
Hedley, B. C.

HEDLEY METHODIST CHURCH
FRANK STANTON, B. A.
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Services will be held the First and Third Sundays of the month at 7.30 p. m.

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Services every alternate Sunday at 7.30 p.m.
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Hedley Gazette

$2 per annum

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WHEN you have a substantial Savings Account, you do not have to ask favors or court refusals when you require ready cash. A Savings Account in the Bank of British North America makes you independent of promises. The money is yours—ready when you need it—protected against loss—safe from fire and theft—and earning interest at highest current rates.

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Single Comb Rhode Island Reds (selected stock)
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Only First Class Work
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READ==
Then Think!

Now that you have commenced to read this article, just keep right on to the end, and then you will have absorbed meat of the cocoanut.

What has this town ever done for you; It has fed you, and clothed you, and housed you, and given you employment and kept the wolf from your door for these many years.

It has done more. It has furnished you recreation, and enjoyment, and has guided you safely over many of the stones that beset the pathway of life.

It has praised your good deeds and has thrown the mantle of charity over your questionable ones.

It has been, and is, YOUR HOME. But what have YOU done for the TOWN?

You are making you money here but where are you spending it?

Are your buying goods from the local dealer, who pays and otherwise contributes liberally to the upkeep of the community and your home, or are you sending your money away to some catalogue house that wonldn't lend you a five cent piece to save your soul from purgatory?

And now you have reached the point where we want you to stop and think, and think hard, and to a sane, sensible and patriotic purpose.

NOTICE

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements

Midnight Fractional Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Similkameen District.

Where located:—Camp Hedley.

TAKE NOTICE that I, William Waugh, Free Miner's Certificate No. 75192-B, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder 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 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.

Dated this 11th day of April, A.D. 1916.

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This shop it equipped with Baths and all the latest Electrical Appliances.
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Laundry, Contracting of all kinds, Ditch digging, Wood Sawing, Clearing land, Cooking and all kinds of Chinese Labor.
KEREMEOS, B.C.

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

Big New Stock
—OF—
Boots and Shoes
Specially Reduced
For Cash
James Stewart
Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables

TOWN AND DISTRICT

The Palace livery garage is completed.

Free miners' certificates expire on the 31st of the month.

Enthusiasts say that the Hedley golf links are the best in Canada.

The high water in the Similkameen river has backed fish yarns over the dump.

The Empire day celebration at Keremeos this year promises to be the best ever held.

P. G. Hobbs of Colville, Wash., was talking bee, and as side issue taking orders for honey in Hedley last Saturday.

Bert Allison and Terebasket passed through Hedley yesterday in charge of a drove of about 300 head of cattle. They were being driven to the ranges around Princeton.

John Simpson of Greenwood, chief of provincial police for this district, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday on official business, and shaking hands with his many friends here.

Rev. J. Knox Wright will deliver a lecture in town on the 29th inst. The subject will be "A Trip Through Japan, Siberia and Manchuria," illustrated by lantern slides. Particulars later on.

The dance Tuesday night was fairly well attended, and the music furnished by Rainbow's music the best. After expenses were paid the balance of $3 was turned over to the postoffice tobacco fund.

Silver is quoted at 77¾.

Mrs. L. Oty of Chopaka spent a few days in town this week.

The G. N. decorators are painting the railway station this week,

The Slocan mines alone this year may secure $3,000,000 more for silver.

Assessment work in backyards would add to the appearance of several places in town.

H. A. Turner, road superintendent, was in Hedley yesterday on official business.

There will be more placer activity around Tulameen and Granite this season than ever before.

Robert Strachan, inspector of mines, Merritt, is in town on a tour of inspection of the mines of the district.

Any one holding tickets for the Freeman piano can have money refunded by calling on C. P. Dalton.

Rev. Mr. Stewart left Tuesday for Swift Current, Sask. While in this section Mr. Stewart made many friends.

The ladies of the L. O. B. A. and the L. O. L. will give a farewell reception to Mrs. Bowerman Monday evening in the Orange hall.

Mrs. John Jackson returned home Tuesday from a month's visit with friends and relations at Northport and Othello, Wash.

Nine four-horse teams are hauling freight to Copper Mountain from Princeton. Eighty-five men are on the payroll at the mine.

D. J. Innis of Keremeos was a visitor to town the early part of the week. He has added an auto service to his livery at the fruit metropolis.

Major Megraw, inspector of Indian agencies, was in town for a few days on business connected with the reserve here, leaving for Vernon Monday.

J. Kirkpatrick, K. B. White, D. J. Morgan, O. E. Burch, Gordon Harris, W. Clayton, E. W. Mutch, R. S, Conklin, Penticton, and F. W. Andrew, K. S. Hogg, H, Dunston, S. M. Young, O. Atkins, Summerland, arrived in town by auto Friday, returning Satvrday.

There was a slight smash-up on the Kettle Valley line last week, between McCulloch and Penticton, delaying the west-bound passenger train about eight hours. A boxcar left the track and went into the bank. The baggage and passenger cars stopped suddenly, some of the passengers going over the back of the seats.

C. A. and Mrs. Carman of Vancouver, were visitors in town Tuesday.

W. Hambly, Mrs. Hambiy and Miss Katie Hambly were down from the mine Tuesday.

G. T. Norcross, superintendent of the B. C. Copper company, Greenwood, passed through town Friday on his way to Copper mountain.

Bonnycastle Dale contributes the opening article to the May issue of Rod and Gun Magazine, published at Woodstock, Ont., by W. J. Taylor, Limited "Tales of the Trappers and Hunters of 1914-1915," is the title of the article by this well-known writer who can always be depended upon to know what he is talking about when he writes of the creatures of the wild. Frank Yeigh, another well-known Canadian writer, contributes "One-Eye, Bunny and the Tenderfoot: The Tail of a Trail," a story that depicts some of the idiosyncracies of the sturdy little pack ponies of the Mount Robson region. There are a dozen or so other articles of interest before the regular departments, which are up-to-date and full of interest to the lover of out-of-door sports, whose equipment includes rod, gun, dog or trap.

Real Companionship.

The appeal from the trenches is insistant: "Smokes! Smokes! Send us Smokes!" is the the cry that is always to be heard in every letter that reaches the Overseas Club from the front, Tobacco is one of the few things that gives men happiness during the weary days, weeks and months of waiting. It is a source of real companionship. By sending tobacco to the troops through Canada's Tobacco Fund, instead of in your own way, you derive remarkable advantages. For every quarter you subscribe a lad at the front will receive 50 good Canadian Cigarettes, one fifth of a pound of Can manufactured Tobacco, a packet of matches and a postcard on which he may thank the donor. This parcel, if brought in a shop and posted in the ordinary way would cost nearly a dollar. So you obtain four times the value of your quarter by sending it to Canada's Tobacco Fund.

Do not delay. Send a contribution to any Post Office or any branch of one of the leading Banks. The Editor of this paper will also be pleased to receive your money on behalf of Canada's Tobacco Fund and will acknowledge the amount through these columns.

Nothing for the Murphys

A freckle-faced girl stopped at the postoffice and yelled out:

"Anything for the Murphys?"

"No, there is not."

"Anything for Jane Murphy?"

"Nothing."

"Anything for Ann Murphy!"

"No."

"Anything for Tom Murphy?"

"No."

"Anything for John Murphy?"

"No, not a bit."

"Anything for Terry Murphp?"

"No, nor for Pat Murphy, nor Dennis Murphy, nor Peter Murphy, nor Paul Murphy, nor for any Murphy, dead, living, unborn, native or foreign civilized or uncivilized, savage or barbarous, male or female, black or white, naturalized or otherwise, soldier or citizen. No, there is positively nothing for any of the Murphys, either individually, jointly, severally, now and for ever, one and inseparable."

The girl looked at the postmaster in astonishment. "Please," she said "will you see if there is anything for Bridget Murphy?"

How Much Work Did You Do?

A street foreman on the coast, when asked by a young man for a raise, told him he didn't deserve a raise because he had not done any work at all during the year. He proved his assertion like this: Each year has 365 days. You sleep eight hours each day, which equals 122 days. This leaves 243 days. You rest eight hours each day, which equals 122 days. This leaves 121 days. There are 52 Sundays that you do not work, or 52 days. This leaves you 69 days. You have one half day off each Saturday, or 26 days. This leaves 43 days. You have one-and-a-half hours each day for lunch, or 28 days. This leaves 15 days. You get two weeks' vacation each year, or 14 days. This leaves one day, and this being the 24th of May, we close on that day, so you've done no work at all.

A young society woman in Victoria is so modest she will not pronounce "legislature" out loud until the first syllable is spelled differently.

A number of boys from the hill attended the dance Tuesday night.

Hedley's Contingent

Following is the list of the men who have gone to the front from Hedley. The Gazette publishes them in the hope that our readers will not fail to remember these brave fellows who are fighting our battles for us. Write them a letter occasionally to let them know you are keeping "The Home Fires Burning." Addresses gladly furnished on request.

Pte. Sid Edwards (Killed in Action)
L. C., Blair Mills (Killed in Action)
Pte. W. Fullmer
" J. Stapleton
" J. Frame
" Tom Corrigan
" Ebenzer Vans, (Died in Hospital)
" Roy Corrigan
" T. C. Knowles
" N. B. Ewart
" Bobby Robertson
" Jack Howe
" M. J. Meher, (Yorkie)
" Dan Devane
" Dan Dollemore
" J. T. N. Hepper
" Arthur Coles
" Bert Schubert
Corp. Frank Dollemore
Pte. Rod McDougall
" R. James
" M. H. L. Jacombs
" E. J. Rotherham
" Arthur Freeman
" C. Christiana
" J. Corrigan
Gunner Chas. Saunders
Pte. A. P. Martin
Sergeant A. W. Jack
Pte. T. Calvert
" W. Liddicott
" George Boxall
" W. Tucker
" Fred Beck
2nd Lieut. A. E. Denman
Pte. J. McClintock
" A. B. S. Stanley

Keremeos
May 24

Where Are Your Interests

¶ Are they in this community?

¶ Are they among the people with whom you associate?

¶ Are they with the neighbors and friends with whom you do busi-business?

If so, you want to know what is happening in this community. You want to know the goings and comings of the people with whom you associate, the little news items of your neighbors and friends—now, don't you?

That is what this paper gives you in every issue. It is printed for that purpose. It represents your interests and the interests of this town. Is your name on our subscription lists? If not you owe it to yourself to see that it is put there. To do so

Will be to Your Interest

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Make Your Labour Efficient In war-time do not waste time and energy on unimportant and unprofitable work. Economize labour. Put off unproductive work till after the war, and, if possible, help in producing something needed now. Let us not waste labour. Canada needs it all. If possible help to feed the Allies. Make your backyard a productive garden. Cultivate it with a will. Make your labour count for as much as possible.

Do Not Waste Materials There should be no waste in war-time. Canada could pay the annual interest on her war expenditure out of what we waste on our farms, in our factories, in our homes. Every pound of food saved from waste is as good as a pound of increased production. The way for a nation to save is for every individual to save. France is strong to-day because of thrift in time of peace. The men and women of Great Britain are not only "doing" but are learning to "do without."

Spend Your Money Wisely Practise economy in the home by eliminating luxuries. Wasting our dollars here weakens our strength at the Front. Your savings will help Canada to finance the war. Save your money for the next Dominion War issue. There can be no better investment.

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D. J. Innis has added a Ford car to his livery.

Mrs. McCallum entertained on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. D. Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howse of Princeton motored through town on Thursday.

Mr. Parrot of Penticton was in town on Thursday with a motor load of commercial travelers.

Dr. and Mrs. McEwen, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lyall, motored from Hedley on Sunday.

Miss Sewell of the Similkameen school spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Love, of Olalla.

Dr. White and family of Penticton were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cawston over the week end.

Mrs. Knowles of Hedley, after spending a delightful week visiting at the Willows, returned home on Saturday.

Rev. F. Stanton left on Tuesday for Penticton, where he will attend the district meeting of the Methodist church.

In spite of the backward spring Keremeos people are enjoying fresh vegetables, such as spinnach, radishes, lettuce and onions,

A. Munn, inspector of customs for British Columbia, and Mr. Lennie, assistant, were in Keremeos last week on their annual trip of inspection.

The picnic that was to be given by the Similkameen Women's Institute, was postponed until the third of June owing to the sudden changes in the weather.

J. M. Reid, Dominion immigration inspector for British Columbia, and M. B. Ewart, inspector at Penticton, made an official visit to Keremeos on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fargo left on Tuesday's train for Spokane. Mrs. Fargo will stay for some time in that place, while it is Mr. Eargo's intentions to spend the summer in the Cariboo.

Mr. Norcross, superintendent of the B. C. Copper Co. at Copper mountain, was in town on Thursday looking over some copper properties, and returned to Princeton on Friday evening.

Mrs. J. Innis had a letter from her son, Hill, somewhere in France, saying he had spent the evening with a number of the Keremeos boys a short time ago and all were in the best of health.

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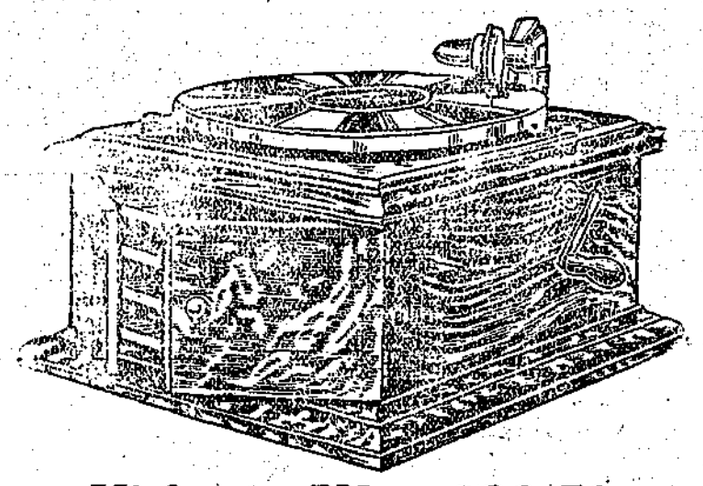

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F. B. Gibson was a visitor to Penticton on Tuesday.

Hiram Inglee of White Lake was in town on Monday.

Charles Wilson of Kamloops was in Keremeos on a business trip for the P. Burns Co.

Mrs. J. Innis is spending the week with Mrs. L. A. Clarke of Green Mountain.

Miss Annie Innis is spending a few days the guest of Mrs. Bromley at the Richter estate lower ranch.

The party from Winnipeg, who has been spending the past week looking over land at South Keremeos, left on Sunday for their homes.

A farewell dance was given in the town hall on Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fargo, who left on Thursday's train for Spokane. A jolly good time was reported by all. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fargo regret very much of their departure from the valley.

Another party of land seekers from Moose Jaw, Sask., arrived on Tuesday's train and are looking over land of the Similkameen Land Co's.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Ashland, Oregon, who have been spending a few weeks at Olalla looking after mining interests, were visiting the latter's brother, Mr. Pittman, at Loomis, last week.

The G. N. R. station and section houses have received a new coat of paint, both inside and out, which adds greatly to their appearance. Also new hardwood floors in the station waiting room and office.

Mr. Ames was called to Oroville on Fridty afternoon by the sudden news that his sister-in-law had taken a sudden change and was dying. Miss Torgeson has spent the last year with her sister, Mrs. Ames. The sincere sympathy of the whole community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Ames in their recent sad bereavement.

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Rev. Mr. Stewart arrived from the coast on Thursday after being absent for a week.

Mr. Condit was in town on Tuesday morning, leaving on the afternoon train for the coast. He was met by his wife and daughter at Nighthawk. Mrs. Condit will spend two or three months at the coast visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Condit expects to be absent only a few days.

On Thursday, the 11th, the Women's Institute met at the Institute room with an attendance of sixty. The meeting was called a Patriotic Tea. A collection of $16.30 was taken up, which will be used for buying wool for socks and material for Red Cross garments. The Women's Institute are trying to live up to their motto, "For Home and Country."

The first congregational meeting of the Keremeos Methodist church was held on Wednesday evening, May 10, R. B. Shendan in the chair. The purpose of the gathering was to acquaint the members and friends with the activities of all the departments and organizations of the church during the past year. Mrs. D. J. Innis reported the work accomplished by the Ladies' Aid Society. During the year they had financed the building of the parsonage kitchen. Mrs. F. B. Gibson gave the report of the Women's Missionary Society. With only eleven members they had raised over $70 for missions. The society had held most interesting meetings from month to month and had also arranged for missionary instructions in the Sunday school. The report of the Sunday school was presented by Albert Mattice. Good progress has been made and finances are in a healthy condition. He spoke in some detail of the very excellent Christmas entertainment put on last December, the proceeds of which had been sent to the Salvation Army at Vancouver. The financial statement of the church was read by Percy Quant, the recording steward. In spite of the many difficulties the church ended the year without liabilities. At the conclusion of the reports the Rev. Frank Stanton reviewed briefly the work done and spoke of the progress made. During the evening Mrs. T. Daly and Miss Florence Daly very kindly contributed to the musical part of the program, while Mr. Quant favored the audience with a reading. The large number present showed keen interest in the various reports. and all did ample justice to the refreshments provided by the Ladies Aid Society.

Hand a dollar over to the Tobacco Fund.