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READY FOR CEMENT

Good Progress Is Being Made in the Installation of Power Plant

The Gazette paid a visit a couple of evenings ago to the site of the new dam where foreman W. A. McLean had about forty husky men employed, and the amount of work they have accomplished in the past week proved considerable of a surprise. The dam which is being constructed about 200 feet below the mouth of Twenty Mile and cutting diagonally across a strong rapid in the stream, is going to be a most substantial structure. Its length will be 400 feet and the base will be 14 feet or more in width. Like the human tooth it will consist of a root, a body and a crown; and as both the root and the body are to be firmly lodged down among the boulders beneath the river bottom to a depth of about 12 feet or more, of which about five feet will be of solid re-inforced concrete the full width of the dam and from this body two huge prongs front and rear extend downward like the roots of an obstinate molar, and all of the strongest kind of re-inforced concrete. In clearing off the ground for the dam a lot of timber and brush was piled up, and in burning this off they were taking advantage of the fire to burn the grease off the old inch wire cable which has been cut up for use in the cement.

Some difficulty was experienced in finding suitable sand and gravel in quantity in the immediate vicinity, but this was finally found just across the river on the opposite bank and a strong temporary bridge has been thrown across the stream to permit it being teamed over. Fortunately in the present low stage of water the stream is confined to a narrow deep channel against the opposite bank and that has left fully three fourths of the river bed dry. This portion has been all excavated and is ready for the cement, and as soon as this portion of the foundation has been completed the river will be turned over it to permit foundation to the completed in the present channel in which the stream is now running.

A carload of cement is expected today and although the cement-mixer which has been on order for some time is not yet to hand they will go on hand mixing until the machine comes. The weather for the past week has been of the finest and is still good, and every minute is being utilized to its fullest extent. The engineer in Victoria has been a bit slow in furnishing all of the working plans and they have been using the wires pretty freely to keep him prodded up.

WEDNESDAY NOON.

The men have again been laid off on the dam. The only reason that has been given is a telegram from G. P. Jones, to "discontinue work for the present." The message came from Los Angeles, and all here are at a loss to know the cause of the delay.

ENTERPRISING YOUNGSTERS

Alberta School Children Conducting Scientific Dairy Tests.

One of the most interesting letters recently received by the Dairy Commissioner, Ottawa, is from a school teacher in Alberta who asks for milk record forms and literature on the subject of Cow Testing, because—now listen: Some of the boys in the school are starting a contest in recording the production of individual cows to last one year.

This opens up a most promising field for every school teacher and for thousands of boys in our country schools. In this we would be following somewhat slowly in the wake of schools in the United States and New Zealand where the use of the Babcock milk tester has been taught for some time. In a dairy country like this, we should be out blazing trails for other teachers and boys to follow.

No better work could be taken up by such lads, for any record work of that kind must infallibly lead to better, vastly better, conditions on dairy farms. Probably these Alberta lads will soon be excellent dairymen obtaining \$75 or \$100 per cow.

Needless to say the Dairy Division will only be too ready to supply blank forms and instructions in all such cases.

MAKING THE JOB LAST

A Laurier Commission Appointed in 1910 Not Yet Reported

The Ottawa "Evening Journal" says: "Hon. T. W. Crothers has stopped the salaries of Dr. J. W. Robertson, chairman of the Technical Education Commission, and Mr. J. G. Bengough, the secretary."

"The Minister of Labor, under whose control is this commission, holds the view that the report of work done should have been completed and placed in his hands long ago."

"He has made repeated efforts to get this and so far has failed. The commission was appointed in January, 1910, under the late Liberal administration, nearly four years ago. They were to gather information regarding technical education in Canada, United States and Europe."

"The work of gathering the information was completed in 1911, nearly three years ago. All that remained to be done was to frame the report for the Minister of Labor. Nearly three years have gone by and the report is not yet completed. Finding that his efforts to get it are unavailing, Mr. Crothers has adopted the drastic policy of cutting off the salaries, which have been running on all this time."

SIMILKAMEEN FRUIT

Mr. J. J. Armstrong of Keremeos, resident manager of the Keremeos Land Co., was in town on Friday last between trains. Mr. Armstrong likes to get about the district as often as possible to see the merchants who are handling Keremeos fruit and garden produce, and to know from them how everything is turning out.

He believes, and rightly too, that the Similkameen should use Similkameen produce exclusively—and why shouldn't they when there is no better to be had anywhere? This claim for Similkameen fruit is amply borne out by the success which has always attended it when exhibited alongside the best at outside exhibitions. Since the recent exhibit of Similkameen fruit at Winnipeg which was shipped a few weeks ago from orchards at Keremeos and in the lower valley, they have been in receipt of congratulatory letters from influential men in Winnipeg who were pleasantly surprised at the character of the fruit, sent there from this valley; and with the congratulations was the pleasing assurance that henceforth these men knew where to obtain their fruit samples.

Mr. Armstrong strikes the correct note too, when he says that the whole valley should get into the habit of talking Similkameen and quit talking Keremeos, Hedley and Princeton. The Okanagan would not be so well known on the outside today as it is if the people living in it had kept on talking the names of the various places in it, and this fact in itself should teach us all the necessity of concentrating our efforts in advertising to reach some common goal. To familiarize the outside public with the name Similkameen we should make them hear of Similkameen cattle, Similkameen fruit, Similkameen gold and Similkameen coal and cement. We must all admit that there has been far too much sectional boasting in the past, and the papers must be honest enough to take their fair share of the blame for it.

The past has been a very successful season with the fruit-growers at Keremeos and down through the lower valley. The output has been better marketed but there is still much to be desired along that line, and the real relief will not come until direct connection with the coast has been established by the putting through of the V. V. & E. and Kettle Valley roads. For Mr. Armstrong's company it has indeed been a long weary wait for through connection with the coast. Not only have they had their own disappointment in that matter but they have the added disappointment of seeing others suffer loss of time and cash through the failure of the railway company to keep its promises.

Morris-Thompson & Co. of Phoenix have booked orders for 37 cars to be delivered between now and the first of April next. They handle the Overland which is a very popular car in the Boundary.

THE NAMES SHOULD BE PUBLISHED

Astonishing Number of Applicants Claim Money Grant for Fenian Raid.

Fenian Raid veterans seem to be multiplying as the years roll on. Forty-five years have passed since the invaders were repelled, and it has been estimated that no more than ten thousand men took up arms in defence of Canada. Now over four thousand veterans have been paid the sum of one hundred dollars by the Government under the Bounty Act of a couple of sessions ago. There are 10,000 applications for the bounty still to be passed upon. The bulk of these will likely be rejected.

The greatest number of applications in proportion to population comes from Nova Scotia, where special commissioners have been appointed to look into the numerous claims.

An effective way to stop that sort of thievery would be for the Militia department to publish the names of applicants in the local newspapers in all regimental and company headquarters. Those who are entitled to the bounty would have no reason to consider such a course a reflection upon them, but the contrary. And those who are brazenly trying to lie the thing through will be exposed to the contempt they justly merit, for then the public will be in a position to judge every man's claim on its merits and there will be survivors enough to know whether unworthy claimants served with them or not.

It is to the asinine vandalism of General Herbert who in his tenure of office destroyed the Fenian Raid records of the Militia Department that the country owes its present inability to settle the validity of each claim independent of any outside testimony.

"JARNDYCE VS. JARNDYCE"

Chief Justice Hunter Describes Litigation in Hatzic Prairie Case Scandal

"This litigation over the Hatzic Prairie Company is getting to be a scandal in the administration of justice in this province. I have seen statements in the press about it, and one of my brother judges has already commented on it. Something has got to be done to put a stop to it and find out what is at the bottom of it all."

Thus commented Chief Justice Hunter, when an application came before him in a suit brought by Harold Kenworthy against the Hatzic Prairie Company, (in liquidation) to remove the present liquidators and appoint new liquidators.

Mr. Hamilton Read for the plaintiff and Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K.C., for the defendant company, both assured his lordship that it was the other side that was to blame and that each was desirous of seeing an end to the litigation that has been in and out of the courts of the province for the past three years. His lordship ordered that Messrs. Butter & Chiene, liquidators, furnish necessary affidavits and submit to cross-examination, as asked by the plaintiff, but declined to make an order as to costs.

"I propose, as a judge, to do all I can to put an end to any needless litigation in this case. It is a scandal, and counsel have got to keep their clients down to the real issues in dispute. Let counsel take care, too, to see that the bitterness of the litigants does not creep into their dealings with each other," admonished the judge at the close of the case.

MINING NOTES

Granby has declared another dividend for the past quarter when \$225,000 will be distributed.

The Hidden Creek properties are expected to be producing in January next.

The B. C. Copper Company has resumed operations in Wellington Camp, in the Boundary.

The B. C. Copper Co. have installed a concentrator at Boundary Falls to reduce the ore of the Lone Star property before smelting. The Lone Star is just across the international boundary south of Greenwood and the Boundary Falls concentrator is just three miles distant from the company's smelter at Greenwood.

MR. ASQUITH IS WAITING

Rumors of Split in British Cabinet on Home Rule Issue.

London, Nov. 25th. — Premier Asquith's compromise offer to the opposition leaders on the Home Rule Bill is being delayed, according to the Daily Mail, by serious dissension within the cabinet regarding what solution of the question shall be offered.

Mr. Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty; Mr. David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer; Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs; and Viscount Haldane, lord high chancellor, the Daily Mail says, favor the exclusion of Ulster from the bill, while Mr. Augustus Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland; Mr. Reginald McKenna, home secretary, and Mr. Walter Runciman, president of the board of agriculture, belong to what may be called the fighting party, which will resist the exclusion of Ulster, is willing to offer small concessions and is ready to impose Home Rule on Ulster by force of arms.

"It need only be said," adds the Daily Mail, "that the Ulster volunteer force now numbers 90,000 men, zealous to fanaticism, who are armed with 30,000 rifles, and are obtaining more daily. Meanwhile Premier Asquith is waiting for developments."

NEW PUBLICATIONS

The Port Moody and Yale, and Donald sheets of the series of four maps covering the Dominion Railway Belt in the province of British Columbia are now available for distribution from the Railway Lands Branch of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa. This set of maps, the Kamloops and Lytton and Sicamous sheets of which were issued a short time ago, shows in a graphic way the land situation at a very recent date and the standing of each quarter-section according to the records of the Department at that date.

ON LARGE SCALE

The sheets have been published on a large scale, namely three miles to the inch, and this, combined with the comparatively simple system of coloring which has been adhered to in the preparation of the map, makes it a very interesting publication.

SHOWS OTHER VALUABLE INFORMATION
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BACK ABOUT DECEMBER 1st

Word received from Mr. G. P. Jones, who went to attend the meeting of the Hedley Gold Mining Company's directors, was to the effect that he was coming back by way of Los Angeles, presumably accompanying Mr. I. L. Merrill, the president, whose home is in Los Angeles and who would doubtless be returning there after the meeting. Mr. Jones expected to come back by way of Victoria and the date upon which he expected to be there would make it impossible for him to be back here before the first of December, and it will in all probability be a few days later than that. Not to delay the work here he wired instructions to close contract for material, and everything is going forward as rapidly as circumstances will permit.

The Ledge says that everything points to a great mining revival in Greenwood.

The new owners of the Sally mine on the West Fork of Kettle River at Beavordell are shipping a ton of low grade ore to Denver, Colorado, to determine the best method of concentrating treatment which should be followed. It is believed that a saving of \$11 a ton may be made by concentrating before shipping.

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A. MEGRAW, Managing Editor.

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A Madder Parliament

Britain has been called the "mother of parliaments" and although we Canadians, in common with the people of the United States, are in the habit of pointing to Magna Charta and the "Mise of Lewes" as the dawn of government by the people, we must not forget that even long before the Norman conquest, Saxon England had its Witenagemot. But old as is the principle in Britain of calling in the people to share in the responsibilities of government, it seems to the self-governing possessions of the British crown in other climes that the mother herself has been the slowest to learn. This conclusion is forced upon all who attempt to follow the public questions that agitate the electors in the British Isles, and particularly so when effort is made to get a reasonably clear understanding of the measures put forward by the Lloyd-Georges and the Asquiths to remedy the ills that are declared to exist. Even those in this country who are of the same political leanings as the governing party in Britain are in despair at the obtuseness of the men who allowed Redmond to get them into the jack-pot which he appears to have done in connection with the measure for Home Rule in Ireland. That measure they caused to be railroaded through the British House of Commons by means of the closure without giving the opposition a reasonable opportunity to discuss the worst features of the Bill or bring forward amendments that would have mitigated to some degree the evils which must inevitably follow the folly of so heinous an outrage against the principle of federalism as that of giving to Ireland the control of her own customs.

Where can we find two more dyed-in-the-wool Liberals than Earl Grey or W. S. Fielding, although the former was remarkably successful in disguising it during the entire course of his vice-regal tenure of office in this country when he showed that he could rise above party? Nevertheless both these men, schooled in both the theory and practice of sane responsible self-government along federal lines, are aghast at some of the provisions of the Asquith-Redmond measure. The former comes right out now and shows where the bill is wrong, but the latter is enveloped in too hard a shell of old-fashioned Canadian Grittism and cannot bring himself to the point of declaring himself in the unequivocal manner

which Earl Grey has done. Nevertheless he is restive when he sees the calamity impending and he cannot keep quiet; but instead of denouncing the Home Rule Bill of the Liberals as wrong, he is writing to the London papers and giving the people over there the benefit of his ripe experience in elaborating for them a scheme for federal government which will give Ireland two local parliaments, each distinct from the other and administering the affairs of a territory of its own; Scotland two; Wales one, and England as many as she may require. The customs, the post office, the army and navy, the judiciary and other matters of imperial import he would vest in the federal parliament as we do in Canada; and education, local taxation, local improvements and other like matters that are of themselves subordinated to the imperial idea would be handled by the local parliaments, for the different provinces, instead of having the Imperial parliament as at present wasting its time and substance upon trivial affairs that are not even provincial but parochial.

That would appear to be really the solution of the Home Rule difficulty at present threatening the very integrity of the Empire itself; and it is strange indeed that ministers of the British Imperial parliament with the precedent before them of Canada's constitution which has been tried out for a period of almost half a century under circumstances the most diverse and found adequate to meet the needs of an expansion almost unparalleled in the world's history, should have failed so miserably to grasp the plain meaning of the object lesson. It is disappointing to say the least.

The first parliament after the "Mise of Lewes" which was the outcome of Simon de Montfort's agitation for popular government, has been known in history as "The Mad Parliament", although one historian, after viewing its acts, has been forced to admit that "It would have been well for England if all parliaments had been equally sane." And certainly it would be well for Britain to-day if the present government had paid a little more attention to the acts of the "Mad Parliament" and also those of other parliaments in more distant parts of the empire before they framed the Irish Home Rule Bill which is forcing Ulster into armed resistance and thereby making rebels of the most loyal people in the whole empire. A madder act than that of handing over to the Fenian nationalists the control of the customs could not well be imagined from "The Mad Parliament" or any other. Mr. Fielding will do well to keep up his propaganda but he has rather hopeless material to work on, with men like Asquith, McKenna, Birrell and Redmond to convert.

John Oliver who announced a few years ago that he was out of politics after his crushing defeat at the polls, has been showing some signs of coming to life again. Know-it-all John has just written an open letter to Hon. Price Ellison telling him how he should manage the matter of dealing with tuberculosis in cattle. John had been reading up the Dominion regulations in that matter, but unfortunately he is a superficial reader and this time "a little learning was a dangerous thing" for him. The editor of the News-Advertiser has taken him to task and shown him that in his open letter he didn't know what he was talking about. Auto-intoxication was an old lady, with John and again he had become intoxicated with the exuberance of his own verbosity.

E. E. Burr
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MINING NOTES

The Granby began prospecting last week by diamond drill in Copper Camp. They control or own 13 claims in that camp and the Ledger says that if the prospecting meets expectations the Granby will build a smelter at Greenwood.

Names of mineral claims often turn out misnomers. The Lucky Jim zinc mine over in the Slocan may be lucky but is apparently not happy. Of its affairs the Slocan Record says: "We are in receipt of news from Victoria that at the extraordinary general meeting of the Lucky Jim Zinc Mines, held on the 17th inst., the proposition to assess the shares was not passed, owing to the necessary two-thirds of the shares not being represented at the meeting. One of two courses must follow the apathy of the shareholders: Either the creditors will take over the property or Mr. G. Weaver-Loper will be given a free hand in his bond issue scheme to raise \$150,000. In either case there is not a very promising outlook for the Lucky Jim and the holder of shares in it. In case the bond issue should be successful, fully a million dollars worth of ore would have to be mined to keep up development and pay off the bonded indebtedness, possibly two or three million dollars worth. The Lucky Jim shareholders appear to be "between the devil and the deep sea", and they would probably be money in pocket were they to abandon the property and give some mining man a chance."

A week ago to-day Sir Wilfrid Laurier celebrated his seventy-second birthday.

Premier Borden has been greatly benefitted by his stay at the hot springs in Virginia.

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- 1 The name of the applicant is E. A. Hargreaves
- 2 The address of the applicant is Keremeos B. C.
- 3 The name of the stream is Crater Creek. The stream has its source on Crater Mountain, flows in a southerly direction, and empties into Ashnola creek about eight miles from mouth of Ashnola Creek.
- 4 The water is to be diverted from the stream on both sides, about eighty rods from its mouth.
- 5 The purpose for which the water will be used is irrigation.
- 6 The land on which the water is to be used is described as follows:—Pre-emption of Edward Asquith Hargreaves, No. 6718
- 7 The quantity of water applied for is as follows: One hundred inches
- 8 This notice was posted on the ground on the 20th day of October, 1913.
- 9 A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the requirements of the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of Water Recorder at Fairview.
- 10 Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

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Town and District.

F. M. Gillespie went to Princeton on Monday.

Don't forget the Woodmen's ball on the evening of December 10th.

J. A. Schubert went up to Tulameen on Friday last and returned Monday.

Born -- On Wednesday, November 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Winkler, a daughter.

Just four more weeks to Christmas. Now is the time to think of the Christmas shopping.

Mrs. Waddle and children of Princeton are visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lyall.

Cattle have been going down the river during the past week to the winter feeding grounds in the lower valley.

W. A. McLean is making improvements in his residence to secure better light and more convenience. Mr. Brass is doing the work.

B. W. Knowles went over to Penticton with the Hedley Gold Mining Company's car on company business on Monday and returned on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. G. P. Jones received a telegram from her husband to meet him in Victoria on the 27th and she left on Tuesday accompanied by her son Gomer.

The premises of the Bank of British North America have been getting a touch up during the past week when the paper-hangers have been busy renovating and making the interior several shades brighter.

E. H. Williams, assayer for the Hedley Gold Mining Co., expects to leave for England about the beginning of the week. He has been having trouble with his eyes and will seek the aid of a specialist before he returns.

Dr. McEwen has placed an order for a Ford auto which he wants to have delivered right away. It would come very handy for him in connection with the quarantine work he has on hand from the Dominion government.

There is a very fair prospect that all of the lumber for the flume may not have to be shipped in from the outside, but that we may see the manufacture of lumber again carried on close by. More regarding this will be known a little later.

Scarcity of lumber has delayed the finishing of the rink. Meanwhile the attention is centered on what the weather is going to do about providing a sheet of ice. So far it has been too mild to freeze the ground hard enough to hold water.

Men have been coming in steadily during the past week to work on the dam and there have been considerable more than can be accommodated with work at this stage of the operations. Later on they may have a night shift working as well and then a bigger force can be employed.

The arc lamp at the bank corner was out of commission on Sunday night last and those who were wise and did not feel disposed to take any chances chose the road for it rather than take the risk of going headlong off the sidewalk. A cracked glass which demolished the carbons in short order was the cause.

The moving pictures in the Star theatre continue to draw good houses. The best reel in last week's performance was the first entitled "The Woman Behind the Man". There was in it a good object lesson in domestic economy that was calculated to have a wholesome influence for all young couples starting out in life.

Always deal with those who think enough of your trade to ask for it, and the surest way to get the worth of your money is to read carefully the announcement of those who invite your trade in their advertisements. The day is past when merchants advertise what they are not prepared to carry out.

It was a year ago last Thursday the New Zealand in Hedley was burned down. Since then it doesn't take much of a run over the regular trade to make hotel accommodation in Hedley a bit congested. There is every prospect, however, that the spring will see important additions to some of the existing hotels.

Jimmy Riordan came up from Keremeos on Tuesday and will lend his assistance in damming the Similkameen River. Although farther on in years than most of them on the job he is capable of holding his own and keeping up his end. To wrestle with boulders in the bed of a stream merely puts Jimmy in mind of his old placer days and will help to make him feel at home.

The mail clerks on the Spokane-Oroville run are still at their work of bungling the despatch of Canadian coast mail over the Great Northern. If said mail clerks are new appointees of the Democratic administration, and are to be considered a fair sample of Woodrow Wilson brand of civil servant the country has not benefited much by the change. On Saturday some of the Vancouver dailies failed to show up and on Monday the Nelson News turned up missing.

During the past fortnight there have been a fair percentage of the days that could qualify for Indian summer of the genuine article. This is most convenient for operations in putting in the new dam on the Similkameen. Tuesday, however, appeared to get a bit too mild and the river rose about two feet that day. Some snow up on the head waters of the Similkameen and Tulameen and the exceedingly mild weather was doubtless the cause. The Similkameen is a dangerous stream in that respect about this time of the year or earlier. Few who were here seven years ago will forget the sudden rise in the stream which wrought havoc with the effects of the Hedley Lumber Co.

Horses were sent over from Hedley to Penticton on Monday to meet J. R. Edmond who was expected to reach there with a drove of cattle which he had purchased in Alberta. He has there at this time about 175 head and has been experiencing some difficulty in getting them through. Owing to a few herds in Alberta being affected with a skin disease, the Department of Agriculture in British Columbia with an old cattle man like the Hon. Price Ellison at its head, requires that all cattle entering the province from Alberta be dipped within ten days previous to their entry. The Edmond cattle although clear of the disease were dipped, and as the ten days had elapsed before they were got over into British Columbia they had to be dipped a second time which permits every hoof of them to qualify as a hard shell baptist. Shipping of beef cattle into the Similkameen valley to feed the miners in Hedley is indeed a new order of things.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending Nov. 22, 1913:

AT THE MINE		
	Maximum	Minimum
Nov 16	34	20
17	30	14
18	36	16
19	30	17
20	29	7
21	20	10
22	34	14
Average maximum temperature 27.10		
Average minimum do 14.		
Mean temperature 20.55		
Rainfall for the week .00 inches.		
Snowfall " " .00		

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR		
	Maximum	Minimum
Nov 16	46	32
17	40	32
18	40	31
19	44	23
20	36	23
21	34	26
22	36	22
Average maximum temperature 20.86		
Average minimum do 27.46		
Mean do 24.16		
Rainfall for the week .00 inches		
Snowfall " " .00		

AT THE MILL		
	Maximum	Minimum
Nov 16	46	32
17	40	32
18	40	31
19	44	23
20	36	23
21	34	26
22	36	22
Average maximum temperature 20.86		
Average minimum do 27.46		
Mean do 24.16		
Rainfall for the week .00 inches		
Snowfall " " .00		

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To My Patrons in Hedley
I will be in Hedley during the month of December to tune pianos requiring attention. Leave orders with S. L. Smith.

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Seasonable Suggestions

Now is the time to procure your Christmas Fruits while the selection is complete and the goods fresh. Below are a few of the lines we have just received:

- Seeded Raisins
 - Peels
 - Shelled Nuts
 - Sultanas
 - Dates
 - Molasses
 - Currants
 - Figs
 - Fresh Fruit
- Biscuits and Confectionery

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Kettle River Assessment District

A Court of Revision and Appeal, in accordance with the provisions of the Taxation Act respecting the assessment roll for the year 1914 for the Kettle River Assessment District, will be held as follows:
At the Deputy Mining Recorder's Office, Root Creek, on Tuesday, December 16th, 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
At the Court House, Keremeos, on Thursday, December 18th, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the morning.
At the Court House, Penticton, on Friday, December 19th, 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
At the Government Office, Fairview, on Monday, December 22nd, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the morning.
HENRY NICHOLSON
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.

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