The Hedley Gazette

AND SIMILKAMEEN ADVERTISER.

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Sunday School at 3 o'clock.
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Cannot be Beaten
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THE PREMIER'S VISIT

To Address A Meeting in Hedley on Tuesday, Nov. 14

HON. R. F. GREEN ACCOMPANIES HIM

Also at Keremeos and Princeton on Nov. 13th and 15th—A Banquet Will be Tendered Him At Hedley

The Hon. Richard McBride, Minister of Mines and Premier of British Columbia, will honor the Similkameen with a visit next week. He will be accompanied by Hon. R. F. Green, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and by L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., the representative of the district. The Premier and Mr. Green will leave Midway on Sunday next, and on Monday, Nov. 13th, will address a meeting at Keremeos, proceeding to Hedley next morning. Here he will address a meeting in Fraser's Hall on the evening of Tuesday, the 14th, and after the meeting he will be tendered a banquet at the Hotel Similkameen, to which all are invited, for it will be in no sense a political function. No invitations are being sent out, but all are invited to attend and do honor to worthy visitors.

It is hoped that there will be time for the Premier and his party to get about while here. As Minister of Mines, and thereby head of that department, he will see many things to interest him, and among them the banner mine of British Columbia.

Everyone should come out and hear him on Tuesday night. A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies.

A HEARTY SEND-OFF.

The Citizens of Hedley Do Honor to A. H. Brown.

The citizens of Hedley did themselves credit at the banquet held in the Commercial hotel on Saturday night in honor of A. H. Brown, superintendent of the Daly Reduction Company's mill and cyanide plant. It was an altogether impromptu affair, for it was not very generally known until the day before, that he was going out on Monday morning's stage, but the banquet in his honor was none the less hearty for the shortness of time in getting it up, and chef Gibbons, who presides over the cuisine of the Commercial for host Yates, demonstrated his skill in that line by the excellent spread which he provided at less than thirty hours' notice. A general outline of what was needed was given him in about a minute's conversation, and the hour was set for nine o'clock. All details were left to himself, and at nine o'clock, to the minute, he had everything ready. There was no committee to look after anything and no invitations extended to anyone, the whole thing being entirely spontaneous—one party telling another of the place and the hour, with the instruction to pass it on. Thus it may be said that there was nobody running the affair, for no one lost five minutes time in getting it up. The caterer was first instructed to prepare for twenty-five and later on he was told to allow for ten or a dozen extra covers. Forty accordingly were laid and every place was filled so that those who came ten minutes late were crowded out, and there were several instances of this.

The spread was an excellent one and was thoroughly appreciated by all the guests. The chair was occupied by Finlay Fraser, who discharged the duties with tact and kept the company in good humor. There were few in town who knew Mr. Brown better, and the tribute which he paid the guest of the evening, in his opening remarks, was indorsed by the whole company. The usual patriotic toasts of "The King" and "Canada" were proposed, the company singing in response to the former the national anthem, and to the latter "The Maple Leaf Forever," led by Mr. W. J. Twiss, who, in fine voice, sang the verse, the company joining with spirit in the chorus. "The Army and Navy" was responded to by A. Megraw, after which Mr. Twiss sang "The Midshipmite" to the delight of the company. When coming to the toast, "Our Guest," the chairman announced that the employees of the mill had something to say, and Mr. Clare presented Mr. Brown with a handsome toilet set with the following address:

A. H. BROWN,
Superintendent Daly Reduction Co.'s Mill,—

Dear Sir: The mill crew of the Daly Reduction Co. have learned with regret your intention of leaving Hedley, and cannot allow the opportunity to pass without tendering to you an expression of their warm regard.

Your treatment of us at all times has been such as to command our respect, for while you have always in the interests of your and our employers, insisted upon efficient service and a fair day's work for a fair day's wage, you never treated anyone unjustly, and we felt that in you we had both a friend and a supervisor who thoroughly knew his work, and under whose direction we had an opportunity of improving ourselves.

We beg of you to accept this little souvenir as a token of of our regard. We regret that it was impossible to obtain in Hedley at so short notice, anything better, but we know that, in this instance, you will take the will for the deed.

We wish you success wherever your lot may be cast, and trust that you will retain a pleasant recollection of your connection with the mill in Hedley.

The toast "Our Guest" was then drunk, that Mr. Brown's reply could serve for both. In his reply he spoke of the pleasant relations that had always subsisted between himself and the men, attributing it to the superior class of workmen that he had met in Hedley, for he had never at any time asked a man to do anything that was not done promptly and agreeably, and done as he wanted it done. He spoke of his love of the science of chemistry, which made his work a pleasure to him; of his intention to learn as much as he could of the practice in older and more extensive plants, and assured the men that if at any future time he could be of service to them he would be glad to do what he could.

"The Mining Industry" was responded to by W. P. Rodgers, assisted by Messrs. Oliver and Studd. Mr. Rodgers, as a mining man, had abounding faith in the future of this camp, where he considered the geological conditions were right for great mines, and he believed that the camp was on the verge of great mining activity. F. Bailey's recitation, "The Prospector's Lament,"

Concluded on Page Four.

WORK ON V.V.&E. TO BEGIN

Building Operations Will Be Under Way in the Similkameen by Dec. 1st

CAMP TO BE FORMED IN TEN DAYS

The Section Between Keremeos and the Boundary Line Will Be the First.—Pat Welch's Men Will Do the Trick.—Kellet, His Walking Boss, Expected Along Any Day.

The doubting Thomases of the Similkameen will soon have to strike their colors. "I won't believe it till I see them shovelling" has been a favorite expression of the inconsolables, who, with hearts sick from hopes long deferred, had quit believing any and all promises of relief. Well, we're now to "see them shovelling," or at all events those at Keremeos and below will see dirt fly with the beginning of December, and before another issue of the Gazette will have reached them they will see the advance guard of those who are to make the dirt fly.

Contractor Pat Welch's men, under Walking Boss Kellet, will cover the ground, and the latter gentleman in company with Chief Engineer Kennedy will be on the ground in the course of a few days.

The grading is all done between Oroville and the boundary line, the only thing remaining being the long tunnel which has been under way since early in June.

Penticton freight handlers will experience a little of what Midway has been getting, as a considerable portion of the supplies for the work will come in that way.

MIXED ON THEIR FACTS.

Coast Papers at Sea on Railway Geography of Southern B. C.

Coast papers last week gave considerable attention to a collision between construction gangs of the V. V. & E. and the C. P. R. at Myerhoff's ranch, a short distance west of Midway. In this they appear to be very much out on their facts, for the V. V. & E. does not go through Myerhoff's ranch at all. They evidently mean the Midway and Vernon, which in leaving Midway is on the same side of the river as the C. P. R. The Midway & Vernon were credited with having purchased Myerhoff's ranch, and if so, they should be able to hold their own in any dispute with the C.P.R. for construction rights on their own property.

The report credits the Great Northern with having started in at Rock Creek to build eastward towards Midway, and that in their progress eastward they encountered the C.P.R. men who were building westward from Midway. As a matter of fact the Great Northern men building the V.V. & E. would not be at Rock Creek at all, but over on Myers creek, a considerable distance south of the point referred to as Rock Creek; and on their way eastward to Midway they would not come out on to the Kettle River until they had made a point farther east than where the C. P. R. crosses the river to the south bank. The Midway & Vernon, it is understood, keeps the north bank of the Kettle river all the way between Midway and Rock Creek, as the V. V. & E. keeps the south bank, and it is only the C. P. R. that crosses and recrosses in its quest for trouble with each of the other two. In fact the V.V. & E. only use about four miles of the entire Kettle River valley between Midway and Rock Creek, for at the mouth of Myer's creek they leave the Kettle River valley altogether, for the other two to squabble over.

The C.P.R. hold-up of the V.V. & E., which was adjudicated upon in Vancouver last Saturday, was over a piece of ground that the the C.P.R. claimed belonged to them under their Columbia & Western land grant. It wasn't a matter of conflict in the tracks at all for the C. P. R. doesn't run near the point where they were endeavoring to prevent the V.V. & E. from building.

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and

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

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

A. MEGRAW,
Managing Editor.

First quar. 6th. Last quar. 20th.
Full Moon 13th. New Moon 27th.

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The question of a wagon road to connect Hedley with Nickel Plate Mountain and the camps adjoining, is one which Hedley should always keep in view. To have no means of communication by wagon road between the town and camps within a radius of from 5 to 15 miles, except by a difficult pack trail or by a private tramway, which may or may not be available, accordingly as it may be convenient or otherwise to the owners, is a condition of affairs well nigh intolerable. The direct loss to the town which it entails would be very difficult to estimate. Just last week we had a very forcible illustration of it when Mr. Keffer and his superintendent, M. D. Hall, of the Apex group, were in town. Mr. Keffer had decided to take up the bond on the Apex and extensive development work for the winter was being laid out. Among the preparations being made was the purchase of a large quantity of supplies. The list for same was made out in Hedley, but could not be bought here, because there was no wagon road between Hedley and the Apex mine without going over forty miles around, and the direct distance between the two will scarcely amount to more than eight miles. What other place, as favorably situated to benefit by the development of its surroundings, is so badly handicapped? It is true that the claims of Similkameen riding have been diligently pressed in the legislature by its representative, and that the appropriations secured by him have been as good, if not better than those to other ridings, but nevertheless, here is the state of affairs existing in Hedley in reference to a wagon road to the camps on Nickel Plate Mountain—a state of affairs disastrous alike for the town and for the camps. Surely it is a matter of sufficient seriousness to call for greater effort and concern on the part of our townspeople who are thus situated.

John Wanamaker's Opinion.

About advertising, John Wanamaker, the millionaire merchant, gives the following sound advice: "I do the heaviest advertising in dull times. Then is when people look more keenly for bargains, anxious to know how much things cost and where they can save money. I advertise particular things, give prices, and take as much pains with my announcements as I do with stock. I never permit my announcements to lag and never miss an issue in my chosen publications. Advertising has made my store—it will make others grow to enormous proportions. My advice to merchants, no matter how small, is to advertise, and keep everlastingly at it—success is sure."

THE FLYER TO RESUME.

Will First Run From Midway to Keremeos.

The people of Hedley, and the travelling public generally, will be pleased to learn that travel with the Boundary by the Flyer is shortly to be resumed, but with some alterations, both as to time and route. J. F. Royer is now arranging his plans to run it as far as Keremeos to connect there with Welby's Penticton-Hedley line. This is all that could reasonably be asked of him under present conditions, and it will serve nicely. When business warrants it the old service will be fully restored.

How to Help a Town.

Help to improve it.

Talk about the town.

Patronize its merchants.

Advertise in its newspapers.

Speak well of its public-spirited enterprising citizens.

If you think of no good word to say, don't say anything bad about it.

If you are rich, invest in something, employ somebody, be a "hustler."

Be courteous to strangers that come among you; they may go away with a good impression.

Remember that every dollar you invest in a permanent improvement is that much on interest.

Always cheer on the men who go in for improvements; your portion of the cost will be only what is just.

Don't kick at any proposed improvement because it is not at your own door, for fear that your taxes will be raised a few cents.—Cranbrook Herald.

Shouted up the Stairway.

Shortly before going to press, a voice called up the stairway, "Hello there, Gazette, where's Dave Louie? Better get Dave around and get that catapult fixed up." Yes; come to think of it, where is Dave? There's no flies on the catapult idea, either.

NOTICE

A MEETING of the Board of Licence Commissioners for S. E. Yale will be held at the Government Office, Fairview, November 21th, 1905, to consider the following application for a Liquor Licence:

C. O. Thomas, McMynn's ranch, Rock Mountain. Six months. New.

R. B. VENNER,
Chief Licence Inspector.
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DRESSMAKING.

MRS. T. M. FARRELL announces to the Ladies of Hedley that she is prepared to do Dressmaking in the latest styles. Orders may be left with Mrs. G. B. Lyon, until further arrangements are made. 42-5

NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

"GOOD VIEW" Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Camp Hedley.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. Fraser Campbell, Free Miner's Certificate No. 5804, agent for myself and Chas. E. Oliver, Free Miner's Certificate No. B79072, 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 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 28th day of October, A. D. 1905.

42-9 J. FRASER CAMPBELL.

A. MEGRAW

Notary Public

Conveyancer, Real Estate, Mines, Insurance, Crown Grants applied for under Land Act and Mineral Act.

Agent for:
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Hedley, = = B. C.

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Pure and Invigorating.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days from date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 40 acres, more or less, of land, situate in the Similkameen Division of Yale District, and described as follows: Commencing at a post planted on the northerly limit of the Columbia & Western right-of-way, marked S. E. Corner, Lot 2704, thence running north 5 chains, more or less, to the south boundary of Lot 513; thence east 38 chains, more or less, along said south boundary of Lot 513 to the angle post of said Lot 513; thence south 12 chains, more or less, along westerly boundary of Lot 513 to the northerly limit of the Columbia & Western railway right-of-way; thence westerly, following the said northerly limit of the right-of-way, 40 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated at Midway, B.C., October 12th, 1905.

40-9 W. B. NORRIS, Applicant.

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS from the date hereof I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, beginning at a post at the S. E. corner of Lot 466, Similkameen Division of Yale District, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east along the south boundary of Lot 466 to point of beginning.

Dated the 16th day of October, 1905.

C. E. LEIR,
40-9 HUGH LEIR, Agent.

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS from the date hereof I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, beginning at a post on the west bank of the Okanagan river at the south end of Vaseaux lake, thence northerly along the waterfront 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of beginning.

Dated the 28th day of September, 1905.

E. W. LEIR,
40-9 HUGH LEIR, Agent.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 120 acres of land, as follows, in the Similkameen Land Division: Commencing at the S. W. corner of Lot 1985, Group 1, thence west 60 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 20 chains.

Required for reservoir site.

THE PARK RANCHING CO., LTD.
Fairview, Sept. 8th, 1905. 35-9

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of mountain land situated in the Similkameen Division of Yale District:—Commencing at C. C. Clay's N.W. corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres.

Dated this 2nd day of Sept., 1905.

36-9 FRANK D. RICE.

NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

"COPPER PLATE" Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Camp Hedley.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Ainsley Megraw, F. M.C. No. B79221, agent for Sydney M. Johnson, F.M.C. No. B91408, intend, sixty days from the 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 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 25th day of October, A.D. 1905.

41-9 AINSLEY MEGRAW.

NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

"TWO BROTHERS," "VICTORIA" and "ORLANDO MARGUERITE" Mineral Claims, situate in the Similkameen Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Sixteen-Mile Creek.

TAKE NOTICE that I, F. W. Groves, acting as agent for A. Scrapelli, free miner's certificate No. B86157, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this 26th day of Sept., 1905.

37-9 F. W. GROVES.

NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

"POWELL" Mineral Claim, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Camp Hedley, east of 20-Mile Creek and adjoining the Indian Reserve.

TAKE NOTICE that I, F. A. Devereux, part owner and agent for R. H. Parkinson and H. A. Whillans, free miner's certificate No. B89655, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, 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 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 18th day of Sept., A.D. 1905.

37-9 F. A. DEVEREUX.

NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

FLORENCE, CREAM OF THE CAMP, ROADSIDE, SILENT FRIEND, LIZZIE D. and GREAT EASTERN Mineral Claims, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Ohalla Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Richard H. Parkinson, F.M.C. B79035, agent for L.W. Shatford, F.M.C. B79013, Dan Courtney, F.M.C. B78805, and Steve Mangott, F.M.C. No. B79065, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 8th day of Sept., A.D. 1905.

RICHARD H. PARKINSON,
35-9 P. C. L. S.

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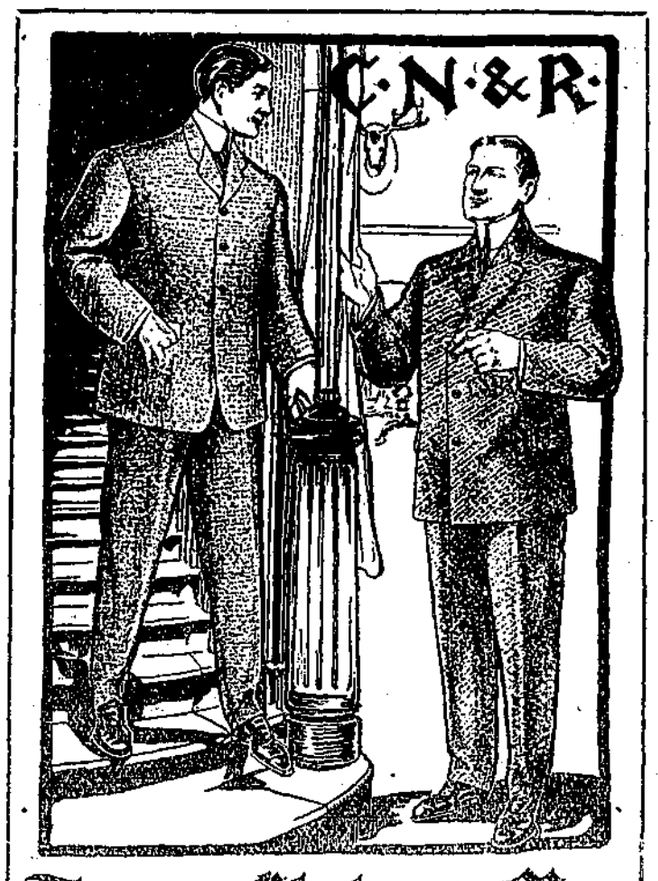
J. M. CHRISTIE - - - Manager



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Heavy Tweed Lined Rooters

CLOTHES RENOVATED

CAMPBELL & SHIER.

Town and District.

King's birthday ! ! !

M. K. Rodgers went out on Friday morning list.

KING EDWARD is sixty-four years old to-day.

Mountain sheep were seen last week a few miles from the Nickel Plate.

Mrs. J. D. Brass left for the east on Sunday of last week, and expects to be gone about a month or so.

J. A. Jackson, of the Hotel Jackson, Princeton, was in town Saturday, but made a brief stay.

Good progress is being made on the crib-work in the creek near the old brewery site.

Some senseless Halloween pranks caused several of the boys to be suspended from school last week.

F. N. Lagerson and O. Hull, of Knob, California, came in on Tuesday's stage to work for the Daly Reduction Co.

H. H. Morris, Inspector of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was in town on Saturday. He came in by way of Nicola and went out to Penticton.

Emil F. Voigt and wife, of Voigt's Camp, returned on Saturday last from a trip to the Portland Fair. They were accompanied by Mr. D. Goodsell, banker, of Portland.

Dr. Mathison spent a couple of days at Bradshaw's this week, professionally. As Mr. Bradshaw put it, he "was having a — well, a certain kind of a time; and, incidentally, so were some of the rest of us."

The telephone extension between Penticton and Kelowna is making good progress. Last week Summerland was connected with Penticton, and the gang were half-way between Summerland and Peachland.

Henry Main, who has for something over a year, conducted the drug and bookstore for John Love, at Fairview, is going into business for himself. He got tired working for love and is now going to work for money.

G. Lawrence and C. Onthett, of Kamloops, are in town this week organizing a lodge or court of the Ancient Order of Foresters. Lawrence worked with telephone gang which put in the exchange here, and while engaged in that obtained sufficient signers to proceed.

Rev. E. P. Flewelling went out on Friday morning's stage for Vancouver to attend the meeting of the Anglican Synod, being summoned thither by the Archdeacon of the Diocese. His service at Princeton on Sunday last was therefore cancelled, and in all probability the service in Hedley for Sunday next, will also be cancelled.

Price Ellison, M. P. P., and C. B. Schmidt, who represents the underwriters of the M. & V., drove up from Vernon on Monday. Mr. Schmidt was much impressed with the beauties and possibilities of this district, and remarked that he had written his firm not to wait for his report—which would be ultra-favorable—but to "go ahead." —Vernon News.

The Hedley Rifle Association will meet in Fraser's hall on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The association has suffered a severe loss in the removal of two of its most active and experienced members, but it will not do to allow the interest to lag. Two offices will therefore have to be filled, and arrangements made to carry on the monthly matches.

Dr. Mathison came down from Princeton on Sunday and will be found at the Hotel Similkameen for several days. Those who have any suspicious characters among their molars, would do well to have them closely quarantined during the remainder of his stay. To have a tooth become unruly after he goes away, and be subject to that "hell o' a' diseases" for the space that must intervene until another visit, would be to come in for rather hard luck.

W. J. Twiss, manager for the mainland of the Mutual Life of Canada, was in town last week and left on Tuesday, being delayed a few days longer in getting away than he counted on. Mr. Twiss stated that while the investigations in New York have created a certain amount of unrest in the public mind, he believes that it will redound in the end to the benefit of genuine life insurance. He is in favor of a thorough investigation into the affairs of Canadian companies as well, so that if any plague spots be discovered, the knife may be used. "The Mutual Life of Canada," he says, being wholly in the hands of its policyholders and with no bucketshop in the shape of a trust company at its backdoor, has nothing to fear but everything to gain, by the closest scrutiny of its affairs."

The ladies of St. Cuthbert's Guild, Princeton, will give an entertainment and a dance on Thursday, November 23rd. Admission to entertainment, 50 cents; supper and dance, 25 cents.

The Ehrlich projected company to start a brewery in Princeton fell through, and it is said that Gosnell & Malone, of Nelson, are likely to take it in hand.

Dillier & Scherbauer are getting along with their brewery at Similkameen City, and will be turning out hi-yu schnapps before any others can get started.

Thos. Bradshaw is preparing for a winter campaign on his claims in Twenty-mile canyon. A pack train went up on Tuesday with supplies, and a plentiful supply of firewood is being laid in.

Fred Wilson representing McLennan McFeely & Co. hardware, was in town over Sunday. He is looking forward with pleasure to the near future when he can make the trip in here on the train.

J. J. Malone, one of Nelson's aldermen, came in on Friday night by special from the Boundary. He was accompanied by Wm. Gosnell, also of Nelson. They represent hotel and brewing interests respectively, and are having a look over the Similkameen.

Jas. E. Jacobs who has sold his ranch at the mouth of Wolf creek, to the Great Northern, has bought 150 acres from Antony Nissen. His daughter, Mrs. A. H. Soukup, with her husband and daughter, have come out from Kansas to live with him.

Stockmen in the lower Similkameen are bringing down their herds from the ranges above Princeton to winter on the ranches below, where a good store of fodder has been provided. When active railway building will be in operation during the winter months, these bullocks will prove good stock for their owners. The herds of Lowe and Richter were largely represented.

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Messrs. Innis and Dignan delivered the first of the two big boilers at the Daly Reduction Co's works on Friday last. The boiler is a large tubular, weighing 13,000 lbs stripped, or a little over 25,000 lbs when set up. They had a hard time getting it in, owing to the state of the roads. About three days were spent by them road-building to get through. They started back to Penticton on Saturday, after the other.

Mr. A. H. Brown, late superintendent of the mill and cyanide plant of the Daly Reduction Co., left on Monday morning's stage. He is bound for his old home in London, Ont., but intended first going to the coast and thence down to San Francisco, taking in on his way east, the largest cyanide plants in California, Utah and Colorado. Mr. Brown is a thorough chemist, and his experience in cyaniding brought him in contact with more difficult metallurgical problems than generally fall to the lot of the general run of cyanide men, for the heavy mispickel ores of Deloro, Ontario, in a silicious gangue, and the Nickel Plate mispickel in a gangue of more or less altered andesites and sedimentaries, were each posers; but in both instances he was fully equal to the task and obtained excellent results. In Hedley, difficult and all as was the task in hand, he scored a decided success, effecting a saving of from 89 to 91 per cent. of the value of the pulp given to him, and with the improvements in the plant, which he had laid out, he fully expected to add to that about 5 per cent. more. With the change of management it became evident to him that the unwritten, although none the less inexorable law of change of departmental heads with that of change of general managers, would obtain here, and he tendered his resignation. It is seldom that a manager of a department can get from the men under him the loyal support which he obtained here, and this was largely due to the fact that he treated all his men in a spirit of fairness and consideration. By doing so, he accomplished more for his employers and won the confidence and support of the men. If there were more overseers of labor who, like him, could combine thoroughness and efficiency in themselves with justice and consideration for the men, there would be fewer conflicts between capital and labor. Apart from his connection and work with the Daly Reduction Co., Mr. Brown was a good citizen, and was always prepared to lend a hand in any movement to advance the interests of the town. The people of Hedley are very loth to see such men leave the place.

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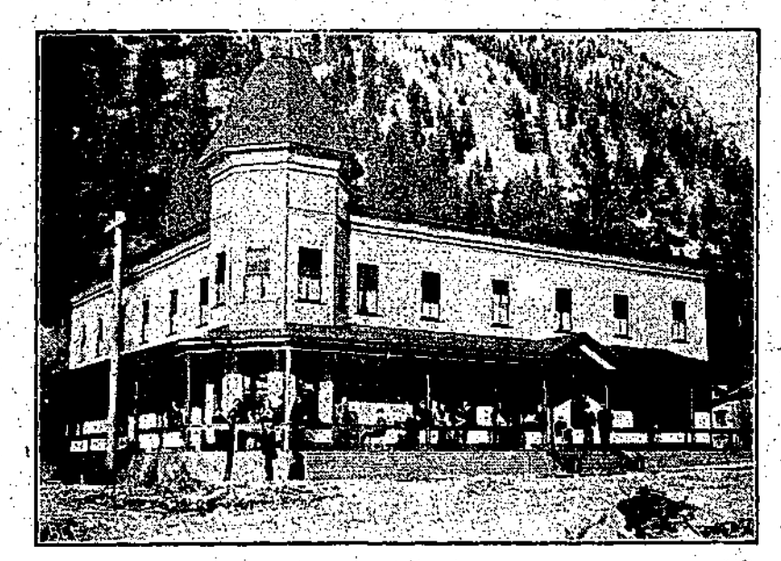

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was a very good thing, well given. "The Lumbering Industry" fell to the lot of Angus Stewart; "Mercantile Interests" to Messrs. French, Shier and Rolls; "Sister Towns" to F. Bailey, Similkameen City, and A. D. Worgan, Centrounino, but the latter gentleman was not present. Mr. Bailey contributed a poem by Chas. E. Oliver, part of which Mr. Oliver contended was spurious. Messrs. E. G. White and L. G. MacHaffie answered for the genuineness of "The Ladies;" Dr. Whillans, "The Medical Profession," and A. Megraw "The Press." "Banking" brought up Mr. Irwin, and "Monetary Institutions" Mr. Twiss, who refused to talk shop even with the great extent to which life insurance occupies public attention at present, but gave instead a Transvaal battle song to the tune of "A Hot Time in the Old Town." Mr. Brass gave some reminiscences of pioneering, showing the steady advance of settlement westward from Winnipeg in the earliest 80's, comparing primitive conditions with latter day fulfilment, and drew therefrom lessons of hope for greater things to come in the Similkameen. The chairman's inexhaustible store of stories, grave and gay, were a constant source of merriment. Before closing the toast list he gave an opportunity to others to propose "toasts," and like "sons of the native-born" they "drank to the whole creation," with the result that while none were put under the table, the drag net was so thorough that almost every man without exception was brought to his feet, and in each case a tribute of regard was paid to the guest of the evening. The health of M.K. Rodgers was drunk with great heartiness and brought responses from W. P. Rodgers and Mr. Brown. Mr. Yates did the honors of "Mine Host" and a very pleasant function was brought to an end by singing "Auld Lang Syne."

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