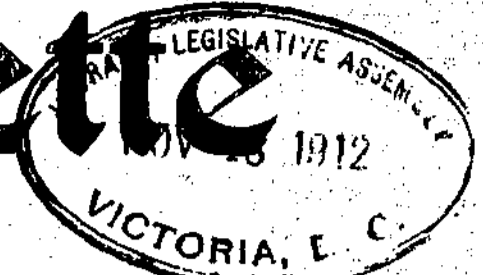


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AN INTERESTING SUMMARY

Wilby Tells of His Transcontinental Auto Trip.

(By Thomas W. Wilby, Canada's First Ocean-to-Ocean Motorist).
The Canadian highway is a fact! Out of the shade of dreams, out of the realm of visions, the Canadian highway emerges, proved feasible on the first attempt at a transcontinental journey.

The tour ended at Victoria on October 18th, on the return from the west coast of Vancouver Island, when a banquet was given to Mr. Wilby by the president of the Automobile Association, A. E. Todd, at which Mayor Beckwith, W. W. Foster, deputy minister of works, and other leading citizens were present.

The actual tour from coast to coast occupied forty-nine days elapsed time, the start having been made from Halifax about four o'clock, in dull, cold weather, and the arrival at Vancouver by a coincidence, was made at the same hour and under the same weather conditions. The actual running time was forty-one days, and the mileage was 3,900 miles, which gives an average of 95.13 miles per day.

Road conditions were bad, owing to the immense rainfall in every part of the country, especially Manitoba, where many parts were turned into swamps and quagmires, which reduced the daily average considerably.

In addition to the 3,900 miles, 700 were covered under other than the car's own power, owing to the absence of trail or road; this applies particularly to New Ontario. As far as North Bay no shipping had to be undertaken although this was the first car that had ever come through all the way from Halifax to that point.

At first it was not difficult to keep up an average of 120 miles a day, but from the prairie provinces on, this was reduced to as low as sixty miles. The highest daily run was made in Alberta—185 miles, between Maple Creek and Lethbridge; the lowest in Manitoba—14 miles, from Winnipeg to Headingly, owing to the wretched state of the gumbo roads. The car was running on an average of ten miles to the gallon, sometimes as much as fifteen miles was made to the gallon, but in some parts of British Columbia five miles to the gallon was good going. The number of broken links in the road through British Columbia necessitated running on the ties in some places; taking a steamer on Kootenay Lake on another, and running for a few miles through the United States in another place.

The cost of crossing from Halifax to Vancouver averaged about \$2.50 a day per person. The expenses of the car were about \$5.00 per day, exclusive of repairs. On two occasions the trip was delayed owing to injury to the car on bad grades, the driving shaft having been twisted.

The gumbo roads of Manitoba were in such bad condition that the drivers went on strike in Winnipeg, causing a three days' delay. Owing to the absence of roads many detours had to be made, amounting to 600 miles altogether, of which 300 were in Ontario and 300 in British Columbia.

The enthusiasm for the Canadian highway all along the road was marked. Towns and cities did their best to welcome the pathfinder, and besides presenting pennants of their town and entertaining the motorists, passed resolutions pledging unqualified cooperation in any scheme for the Canadian highway from coast to coast.

Chains were seldom used. Block and tackle were often in requisition. On one occasion a bridge had to be built to get the car over, and teams were necessary to pull the car out of bad spots.

The motorists however were always able to get shelter for the night, and never lacked food or gasoline.

Scarcely any macadam roads were found on the journey, the majority was earth and the rest gravel. The best roads were in British Columbia and Ontario, the worst in Manitoba. The earth roads of the Maritime provinces and Alberta and Saskatchewan were of about equal merit.

NEW GENERAL MANAGER

The Bank of B. N. A. Makes an Excellent Choice in H. B. MacKenzie

Mr. H. Stikeman, general manager of the Bank of British North America, is retiring from active service on December 1st, after 43 years of banking experience, eighteen of which was spent as general manager of the Bank of British North America. Mr. Stikeman's health has been far from satisfactory for several months, and it is his own request that he is laying down the responsible duties which he has carried for so many years. His retirement takes place on December 1st, when he will be succeeded by Mr. H. B. MacKenzie, the present superintendent of branches.

Mr. MacKenzie is in the prime of life and has had 28 years banking experience, 25 of which were spent with the Bank of British North America. He began his banking career as a junior with the Canadian Bank of Commerce in 1884. Three years later he changed to the Bank of British North America and has come up through all the grades to his present position. He has been connected with a large number of the bank's most important branches, and has had a long and thorough training in matters pertaining to head office work. He is succeeded as superintendent of branches by Mr. James Anderson.

The Bank has made marked progress under the management of Mr. Stikeman and the same careful conservative policy will be continued by his successor Mr. H. B. MacKenzie.

In Hedley particular interest is taken in the change as Mr. MacKenzie is known to most of the business men here since he visited the branch as inspector. He has served the bank in possibly nearly every province in the Dominion and is most intimately acquainted with local conditions which must prove a most valuable help to a man in his position. The Gazette looks for a prosperous era of expansion for the old bank of B. N. A. under its new general manager.

ELIMINATION OF TEDDY

The Fate Deserved by All Ingrates Awaits Head of Bull Moose Party

(Oroville Gazette.)

Roosevelt has succeeded in defeating President Taft, the only object he had in view, for at no time was there a shadow of a hope of Roosevelt's election. After receiving the highest honors that can be conferred upon any man by a political party Mr. Roosevelt turned traitor to that party and accomplished its overthrow. However, the defeat of the republican party is but temporary. The principles for which it stands have endured for 50 years, what it has accomplished for America and the American people is an enduring monument to progress and national prosperity. The republican party still lives and will continue to live battling for human rights, the constitution and the law. The only satisfaction is that Roosevelt is eliminated as a further menace to the country, and the progressive party will gradually disintegrate, as no one man party can long hold its organization. Republicans are not disheartened by defeat, it is an incentive to get together and work together. The party will recover speedily, become better organized and the individual members will work to the end that two years hence a stronger front will be presented to the old political opponent than ever before.

GENERAL NEWS

The end of the Vancouver Island coal miners' strike, which has lasted a little over six weeks, is said to be in sight.

Mayor Findlay of Vancouver has had all the municipal glory he wants and will not seek re-election.

On the advice of Sir Wilfrid Laurier no opposition was given by the Liberals to the return of Hon. Mr. Corderre in Hochelaga.

Vancouver is having difficulty in securing juries that will convict anybody. Socialists are blamed for getting on the juries and holding out against conviction no matter how damning the evidence may be.

MIDWAY & VERNON CLAIMS

Creditors Are Being Paid in Full Their Claims Against the Defunct Railway

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 7.—Creditors of the defunct Midway & Vernon railway, a considerable part of which undertaking was taken over at the chartering of the Kettle River Valley railway by that company, are to receive in the near future full settlement of their legitimate claims for labor, material, teaming, etc. Upon the incorporation of the Kettle River Valley line with government assistance in its financing, such aid was made conditional upon the payment of outstanding claims as against that portion of the line which they will utilize. A commission consisting of R. F. Green, M. P., L. M. Rice of Seattle and Judge Forin of Nelson was created to pass upon the claims, each of which was inquired into, certified and paid. Later on an agreement was consummated between the railway company and the government extending the compensation to other Midway & Vernon creditors, the government and company paying in equal proportions. A check for the railway company's proportion was sent in to Mr. Green not long ago by President J. J. Warren and to day the government's check for its share was transmitted. The amount involved in this latest distribution is \$14,552, leaving only about \$2,000 all told to be yet disbursed and all outstanding obligations satisfied.

WORKING AT THE FRONT

From the amount of grading material that is constantly passing to the front it is evident that the railroad contractors are assembling the necessary implements to carry out an active campaign throughout the winter. From statements made by those in a position to speak with authority it is almost a certainty that by this time next year the road will be completed and in operation to a point where connection can be made with the coast, and trains will be running over this line from Spokane to tide water. That fortunate consummation will have a very healthy effect on Okanogan county as it will open up the coast markets to the products of the farm, the orchard and the garden, and give land owners an incentive for producing to the limit of the capabilities of their holdings. It is the realization of that that those of us who have lived in this country so many years have always looked forward to longingly, and the crowning of those hopes, and the transformation in the country that the realization will bring about, will be some reward for the long wait.
—Oroville Gazette

LATEST NEWS IN BRIEF

The C. P. R. Imperial Limited west-bound was derailed near North Bay on Monday.

Eleven teachers have resigned in Nelson and charges are preferred against the principal.

Senator Bostock is proposed as Liberal leader in the Senate, to succeed the late Sir Richard Cartwright.

Licensed doctors from any of the recognized medical schools of Canada may practice now in any part of the Dominion.

The Canadian Northern have started work at the Kamloops end of their Okanogan branch.

A snap vote on a Home Rule amendment offered by a Unionist secured the defeat of the Government by 22. Asquith and his ministers refuse to resign.

Right Hon. James Bryce, British Ambassador at Washington has tendered his resignation and will return to England. President Taft was advised of it on Saturday.

The two chauffeurs who were arranged for manslaughter in Vancouver for causing the death of citizens were found guilty and the judge instead of imprisoning them allowed them their freedom but put them under bonds requiring them to contribute for several years towards the support of the widows whose husbands they had killed.

A POINT OF LAW

Outside Companies Doing Business in B. C. Should Register

Vancouver, B. C. Nov. 7th.—The Companies Act which deprives unlicensed extra provincial companies of the right to maintain action of law in the provincial courts was the deciding element in an interesting case just dismissed by the court of appeal. The suit was that of the Komanich Machinery company, a United States concern against the British Columbia Pressed Brick company. An unusual feature of the case is that the company took out a provincial license before bringing suit, but in the opinion of the majority of the judges of the appeal court, this did not suffice to give the company retroactive rights at law, section 166 of the Companies Act not then being in existence. Chief Justice Macdonald rendered a dissenting judgment on this point but his judgment stood alone.

GENERAL NEWS

Efforts are being made to end the strike of the C. P. R. freight handlers.

Premier McBride left Ottawa on Saturday for home by way of New York and California.

Woodrow Wilson only managed to poll forty-six per cent. of the total vote polled in the recent presidential election.

The Radicals are voting down all amendments to the Irish Home Rule bill. Evidently this is part of the bargain made with Redmond.

A Yukon River steamer was caught in an ice jam 27 miles south of Dawson. Among the stranded passengers was Dr. Thompson the Yukon member in the House of Commons.

Lloyds underwriters have been hard hit with the wreck of the Royal George. The loss is likely to eat up the entire premium income for the season from the St. Lawrence route.

An organization has been started in St. Paul to discourage emigration to Canada. Here is a chance for the man with the little hammer.

The Democrats have control of the United States Senate. In this way Wilson will have no excuse for not doing what he may have promised to do when he has his own party controlling the situation all along the line.

The Canadian Northern Steamship Royal George ran on a rock in the St. Lawrence river on Thursday of last week. There were 901 passengers on board all of whom were saved but were in peril for a time.

Premier McBride and Attorney-General Bowser lunched with Premier Borden at the Rideau club and were entertained at a dinner given in their honor at the Chateau Laurier by Hon. Martin Burrell.

METEOROLOGICAL

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending Nov. 9, 1912:

AT THE MINE.			
	Maximum	Minimum	
Nov 3	21	16	
4	20	15	
5	31	15	
6	27	14	
7	31	15	
8	29	21	
9	25	19	
Average maximum temperature 27.71			
Average minimum do 16.42			
Mean temperature 22.06			
Rainfall for the week .00 inches.			
Snowfall " " 6.5 "			
CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR			
Highest maximum temperature —			
Average maximum do —			
Lowest minimum do —			
Average minimum do —			
Mean do —			
AT THE MILL.			
	Maximum	Minimum	
Nov 3	43	28	
4	42	31	
5	48	28	
6	42	28	
7	46	35	
8	40	32	
9	37	31	
Average maximum temperature 42.57			
Average minimum do 30.85			
Mean do 36.71			
Rainfall for the week .29 inches			
Snowfall " " 0.00 "			
CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR			
Highest maximum temperature 56			
Average do do 49.28			
Lowest minimum do do 25			
Average do do 30.57			
Mean do do 49.02			

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A. MEGRAW, Managing Editor.

Full Moon 25	New Moon 10					
Last quarter 3	First quarter 17					
1912	NOV	1912				
Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

"AN IRISH EVOLUTION"

That is the title of a little brochure on the Home Rule question the Gazette has just read. It is written by Watson Griffin and was published by the Ontario Press Limited, but the edition is exhausted and we have not heard that any second edition is contemplated, so we are not noticing the work as an advertisement for either the author or the publisher, although we must say that it will be a disappointment to many if arrangements be not made for a second edition, for it is one of the most concise and timely articles on the subject we have read. There are only 33 pages of it and it can be read in an hour's time but it strikes oil on every one of the 33 pages.

The beauty of it, to our mind, is that it deals with a mischievous fallacy by which both the people of Ireland and of Canada are being humbugged. In Ireland they are being told that Canada has home rule and Ireland should have it as well, while in Canada T. P. O'Connor told us that all that was proposed was to give Ireland the same as Canada has. In making that statement O'Connor either did not know what the measure Asquith and Redmond were concocting was going to be like, or if he did he was telling a deliberate untruth, for the cases are in no way similar.

To Canadians the writer of this pamphlet makes the case all the plainer and more forcible by giving a short and effective resume of the life and work of Thomas D'Arcy McGee which is a name dear to the hearts of Canadian Irish who knew his work best. McGee came from Ireland with an intense hatred of Britain and made his home in the United States where he saw Irishmen become Americans. Then he came to Canada and lived among the Irish in Montreal where he saw many of them become good Canadians which is simply another way of saying that in Canada they became Britons, and he wondered why it was that Irishmen who remained at home could not be Britons in Britain. In other words he saw that the trouble lay with the Irish themselves and from that until the day he was shot down by a dirty Fenian he never ceased to urge upon his fellow Irishmen to bury the hatchet of race and religious prejudice and live peaceably together in enjoyment of the civil and

religious liberty which was theirs if they would only take it as they found it in Canada, in the United States and in Britain herself.

His knowledge of political economy, for he was a student of economic conditions, showed him that the isolation of the disinherited Canadian provinces was a handicap to them that was making them hewers of wood and drawers of water to the republic to the south of them, and he became an ardent advocate of confederation. In that movement no man did more by pen or platform to arouse Canadians to the necessity of that great step than the brilliant orator and writer, McGee. His whole being was saturated with the idea and it forever cured him of the notion of Home Rule for Ireland and the disintegration which that step implied. Disintegration was the thing he was fighting from that henceforth. That idea is taken by the writer of this pamphlet and elaborated in the light of Canada's experience in a way which is most effective and convincing. The pamphlet should be in the hands of every elector in Britain today to show them the folly of the course into which unwise rulers are trying to lead them. Ulster long ago caught the truth which McGee saw and that is why they are Britons in Ireland to-day as the Scotchmen are Britons in Scotland.

Canada took a great step forward from isolation to unity in 1867; why should Britain, and particularly Ireland, take a great step backward in 1912 by going back to where Canada was 55 years ago?

The Gazette does not contend that the system of government in Ireland to-day is ideal or is even half as good as it might be made, but it is a hundred per cent. better now than it was when Gladstone's Home Rule bill was defeated in 1894. The measure of Home Rule given by Lord Salisbury in 1898 under secretary Wyndham in the form of a fairly comprehensive municipal system, and this again supplemented by the Land Purchase Bill in 1903, places Ireland in a fairly comfortable position. But it is of no more use to them than food is to the starvin' suffragettes in English jails if their easiness will not allow them to partake of it, and there is a heap of the easiness of the starvin' suffragette in the make-up of John Redmond.

What Britain needs to-day for Ireland and for herself is a system evolved by her statesmen on very similar lines to that formulated by Conservative and Liberal statesmen alike in Canada, and embodied in the British North America Act which they (the British parliament) were asked to enact for Canada. Such a system would provide for local legislatures through Great Britain which would relieve the Imperial parliament of purely local matters. These legislatures as Watson Griffin points out, need not be of similar area or population and it would give Ulster a legislature of her own while the rest of Ireland could run their local show to their own liking in one or more legislatures as they might see fit; but Imperial matters such as the tariff should not be touched by any but the Imperial parliament.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

For genuine, unadulterated, simon pure ignorance and invincible stupidity the Regina Leader is certainly a claimant for the premier position. The Leader is a reciprocity organ and in order to make a point for its peculiar political cult it tells about the tons of fine fruit that have rotted in the orchards of the interior of British Columbia and declares that circumstance to be British Columbia's punishment for voting against reciprocity. It never occurs to the Leader that the tons upon tons of American fruit with a duty of 20 cents per box against it which flooded the prairie market that rightly belonged to the British Columbia fruit-grower was the main cause of the loss it is endeavoring to gloat

over. What would it not have been if reciprocity had passed and United States fruit had been allowed in free? And yet the Leader was once upon a time the property of Nicholas Flood Davin, its founder, who made it famed over the length and breadth of the Dominion for brilliancy and brains. It afterwards passed into the possession of Walter Scott, who is now the Premier of Saskatchewan, and that is when the deterioration in its grey matter set in until it has today reached the hopeless condition indicated by this stupid remark about British Columbia's attitude towards reciprocity.

Laurier's plan of campaign in reference to the Hochelaga bye-election would indicate that he is trying to spy out for himself another cosy corner behind the lines of Torres Vedras. The Torres Vedras style of tactics was made to work successfully for him in the case of the Remedial Bill of 1896 when the public mind was temporarily crazed with religious sectarianism, but since that time the Canadian electors have had ample opportunity to get acquainted with Sir Wilfrid's curves, and when it comes to consideration of Canada's duty as a member of the Empire in doing her share to maintain Britain's naval supremacy, it is constructive statesmanship the people will demand from government and opposition alike and sly tricky opportunism will not go down again. Once is enough to play the Torres Vedras trick. If those who professed to admire the astute opportunism displayed in 1896 and cheered him when he babbled about his position "behind the lines of Torres Vedras" on the Remedial Bill could have seen ahead nine years to the Autonomy Bill when he fooled those who put him in power, there might have been a different story to tell on that day in June 1896.

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CHARLES JOSEPH LOEWEN

by his agent
Herbert E. A. Robertson

Date, August 31st, 1912

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Frederick Howell, of Keremeos, B. C., Rancher, will apply for a licence to take and use 100 inches of water out of Sheep Creek, which flows in an easterly direction through Lot 3396 and empties into Okanagan Lake Pentlcton. The water will be diverted at about 20 chains west of S. W. corner of Lot 3396 and will be used for irrigation purposes on the land described as Fred Howell's pre-emption.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 4th day of October, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Fairview.
Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.
FRED HOWELL.

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that the Similkameen Power Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 50 cubic feet per second of water out of Ashnola River, which flows in a north-easterly direction and empties into the Similkameen river near Kenecomes. The water will be diverted at the second canyon and will be used for power purposes on the land described as Oliver's pre-emption and within a radius of 10 miles.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 11th day of October, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Fairview, B. C.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.
Similkameen Power Co. Ltd.
H. G. Sprague

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE Notice that J. John C. Eaton of Nanaimo, B. C., occupation, Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner of pre-emption 23; thence north 80 chains, thence west 30 chains, thence south 50 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres, more or less.

M. J. McKeown, Licentor

August 27th, 1912. 35-10

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that inasmuch as certain terms of the agreement for the sale of the Kingston Gold & Copper Mining Company's properties situated at Hedley, B. C., have not been carried out by the purchaser, the properties have reverted to, and are again in the ownership and possession of the undersigned Company.

Kingston Gold & Copper Mining Co., Ltd.
W. A. Marsh, President
Robert Stanley, Sec-Treas
Quebec, 29th August, 1912. 37-6

WATER NOTICE

For a Licence to Take and Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that The Daily Reduction Co., of Hedley, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 50 cubic feet per second of water out of the Similkameen river, which flows in a southerly direction through Hedley, B. C., and empties in the Okanagan river near Orville. The water will be diverted at a point on or between lot 1831 and lot 2000 and will be used for mining purposes on the land described as Lot 2000.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 13th day of November, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Commissioner at Fairview, B. C.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Commissioner, or the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.
The Daily Reduction Co., Ltd.
G. P. Jones, Agent

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Town and District.

Mrs. J. A. Brown of Keremeos spent Sunday in Hedley, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Sproule.

B. W. Knowles left last week for a trip to his home at Denver, Colorado. He expects to be gone about six weeks.

The Princeton Star has removed to larger premises in Princeton and the paper was a day later in coming out last week.

Good progress was made last week in getting the rink in shape and so far as flooding is concerned it is now ready for the cold weather.

The laying of the new sidewalk on Kingston Avenue has made a great improvement and residents of that street will now begin to economize in shoe leather.

Geo Riddle was laid up most of last week with a bad cold and there was a new driver on the bus. This week Riddle is able to be out again but is still far from being hearty.

Dr. Jackson, dentist, went up the line yesterday. He will be at Princeton and Copper Mountain for a week or two and is not sure whether he may stop off at Hedley on the way back or not but will advise later.

Nigel Ewart was in town on Tuesday exchanging greetings with old friends. He says Charlie Oliver, who was with the party up on Graham Island this summer, came down with them but went to Victoria and may be up a little later.

L. C. W. Rolls left Tuesday for the east, going direct to Detroit, where in all probability he will spend the winter. While he has now severed his business interests he still retains his property in Hedley and will be interested in seeing the town prosper.

The Hedley Camp of the Modern Woodmen of America will give their second annual ball on Friday evening, December 20th. Committees are now at work making arrangements for the event, and in the meantime everybody in town is asked to keep the date in mind.

Mr. G. P. Jones returned on Thursday last from a hurried trip to the coast. He was unfortunate in finding some of the parties absent whom he wanted to see but nevertheless was well satisfied with the trip. He went out by way of Kamloops and came back through Seattle and Spokane.

C. H. Brooks is still in Victoria, but expects to be back in Hedley in a few days. A re-organization of the company is in process of incubation and a brand new board of directors are expected soon to tackle the job of making the Golden Zone a paying mine. The men came down from the mine on Monday and only three or four are left up there now.

The American Mining Congress, which meets in Spokane on November 25 to 29, should have a good strong British Columbia representation for the mining interests of the northwest are in a great measure common to both countries. The Gazette acknowledges with thanks the invitation and complimentary press ticket to take in the "Diggins" entertainment on the 28th.

Hugh Megraw came over from Bridesville on Friday on a visit to his brother and sister here. He reports lots of snow over on Anarchist Mountain and much of the harvest buried in it. The season was so wet that grain did not ripen until late and then the weather was too uncertain to enable the crops to be saved. On Rock Creek hill there is a different tale to tell and the farmers there have harvested the bumper crop of their lives. Ed Hatton threshed 6000 bushels of grain; his neighbor McLennan a similar quantity and Sam Larsen took 7000 bushels off the old Christopherson place. All the other farmers on the mountain have had about as good yields from the acreage which they had in crop.

Peck McSwain who has been shamefully neglecting Hedley of late years came down on Tuesday evening from Princeton and looked up his old neighbors of the print shop. This is his first visit to Hedley for about three years. In former times when all his travel was on the King's highway he never missed any of the towns enroute but took them all impartially. But of late he sometimes uses the rail and forgets to drop off. Peck has a dog now he calls "gold-dust" because an admiring friend ornamented him with a "gold-dust twin" tag in lieu of the more aristocratic canine insignia prescribed by meddling corporations. The additional family responsibility which has been imposed on Peck in having another to look after is turning him a bit greyer than he used to be.

The Phoenix Pioneer warns its readers that the Granby Bay townsite advertised in numerous papers is in no way connected with the Granby Company's Anyox townsite adjoining the Hidden Creek mine and smelter and is situated two miles distant across the bay. The Gazette does not know anything about it but gives the substance of the Pioneer's warning, believing as we do that the Pioneer is in a position to obtain the facts concerning it.

A new rope has been placed on the school flagpole and the new flag is now hoisted every day. The change was made by electricians McEachern and Simpson and as the flagpole was too tall and slim to make it advisable to risk climbing they made use of a tall fir tree which stood a few feet to one side, allowing the flagpole, controlled by guy ropes, to lean over towards the tree which was safely climbed and from it the new rope was run through the pulley on the top of the pole.

The Hospital Board have made arrangements with the Cosgrove entertainment bureau for a couple of entertainments. The first is to be held on December 7, when an excellent English troupe of bell-ringers and entertainers are to be present, and on the 21st a minstrel entertainment will be held. It might be well if some change could be made in the latter date as it conflicts somewhat with the date of the Woodmen's ball. The Cosgrove bureau has provided Hedley with some of its very best entertainments in late years. Twelfth Night and Managing Mildred were entertainments that will not soon be forgotten.

Herb Freeman, store-keeper at the Nickel Plate, tendered his resignation last week. He has taken Shier's store and intends going to Vancouver about the beginning of December to lay in an entirely new stock of gents' furnishings and hopes to be opened up by December 15th with an entire new stock. He is well known to all in town and at the mine and will doubtless do a large trade for all the men have confidence in him and know they will get good service from him at reasonable rates. He has been a long time up on the hill and wants to spend the coming winter at a lower altitude.

Welby's auto has been taken off the Keremeos-Penticton run owing to the snow on the mountain which made the road very heavy for auto travel. Tweddle's machine which is of higher power continued to plow its way through and was running on all last week, but it is possible that if the snow increases much more, the public will have to be contented with horse service. Altogether it has been a most satisfactory summer and between the two machines the public have been well served. Both machines had competent heavy drivers and the season passed without casualty of any kind, which should be assurance enough to any one who is at all timid about auto travel.

Mr. L. G. MacHaffie, manager of the Bank of B. N. A. Edmonton, and wife came in last Thursday on their way to Vancouver. Mr. MacHaffie is quite enamoured of his new location at Edmonton, but is looking a trifle thin as the work of the branch is heavy. He has a staff of twelve clerks under him and the work of the bank is always increasing. All the banks in Edmonton have increased their business very much during the present year as will be shown by the bank clearings, and the Bank of B. N. A. have shown month by month almost double the volume of business in comparison with the same month of last year. Like the other lucky participants in the Windfall deal Mr. MacHaffie has no fault to find with Hedley.

The Coalmont Courier went into the journalistic boneyard last week after a short and useless existence. The last issue, we are told, was devoted principally to abuse of an old respected resident of the district, F. P. Cook, who was foolishly led to back the enterprise and who kept it alive too long for his own credit. Mr. Cook is not the first one who in pity fed the cheeky adventurer who published it and got vile abuse in return. Even a yellow dog has never been known to fail in gratitude but will lick the hand that feeds him. Unfortunately there are some of your so-called humans that fall far below that standard. The jumped Hedley board-bill still remains unpaid, and the Gazette's tweezers and bodkin will now be carried farther afield.

Now that the cold weather is expected any day and the skating rink is nearly completed, don't forget that Rolls has a fine line of skates and hockey sticks for sale. Come now and get first choice.

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THE KEREMEOS PAGE

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

Town and Lower Valley.

Geo. W. Cooper was a visitor to Hedley last Friday.

Mrs. R. C. Clark is laid up at home suffering from a severe cold.

On Thursday last B. W. Knowles of Hedley was a visitor to town.

Did it blow in Keremeos on Saturday? What! Yes, just a trifle.

Dr. McEwen was down from Hedley on Monday on a professional visit.

Harry Verral is building a fence around the block which Ezra Mills owns.

Mrs. J. A. Brown is spending a few days with Mrs. Geo. Sproule at Hedley.

R. H. Carmichael went up to Princeton on Saturday returning Monday evening.

Both the telephone and telegraph were kept pretty busy the night of Uncle Sam's election.

Fifty-two boxes of prize winning apples were brought in by special stage to be shipped to the Spokane exhibition.

Miss Florence Daly left last Friday to take in the Spokane exhibition; she was accompanied as far as Oroville by her mother.

Welby's auto stage will run no more on schedule time this winter, as Mr. Welby figures that it is too risky for safe travelling.

What's wrong with the Golden Zone? Owing to a shut down Innis' three teams were brought back to Keremeos to recuperate.

Joe Armstrong with his head herder Aeneas Marsel started to drive about two hundred head of sheep over to Pentiction last Wednesday.

When D. J. Innis drove over to Fairview last Wednesday accompanied by A. R. Lorenstein there was nine inches of snow on the summit.

Ed Wheadon, who is well known both here and at Hedley, came in last Wednesday from Okanagan Falls where he has been working all summer. Ed is on route for his old home in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Geo. E. Graham and Miss Helen left on Monday's train for their home at Vancouver. They hope to spend a few days at the Spokane exhibition enroute. Their many friends wish them a good trip and hope to see them back as jolly as ever in the spring.

Mr. Harry Blessinger and wife of Burlington, Ontario, stopped off a day in Keremeos to spend a short while with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Crooker. Mr. Blessinger is engaged in the fruit business and was just now on his way to Los Angeles on a business trip.

We are sorry to report that Judson B. Clark is very sick at Olalla. Mr. Clark at one time was teacher at both the Olalla and Similkameen schools. He was away from the district teaching at various points for a couple of years, but on account of ill health he had to give up this occupation and returned to Olalla last fall where the climate agrees best with him.

A Turkey shoot under the auspices of the L. O. L. took place on the 5th. For the first hour very poor shooting was done, with the exception of constable McGuffie who was the first to find the bulleye. The wind was blowing strong and it was with great difficulty the shooters were able to keep their rifles steady enough to even hit the paper. After that good shooting was done and many of the local sports took home turkeys.

The L. O. L. 1770 observed the 5th by having a special meeting at which about thirty members were present. Four new candidates presented themselves for initiation and were made members of the order with the usual ceremonial form. After the work at the Lodge all sat down to a fine lunch which was provided by the wives of many of the brethren. On Tuesday, December 17th will be the next regular meeting. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

Nigel Ewart and Charlie Richter who have spent the summer and fall with C. D. B. Green's survey party up to Keremeos on Friday. They report a horribly wet summer of it but cannot tell whether the superabundance of wet stuff is to be charged up against

the climate or was due to an unusually wet season. There is abundance of game on the island among which were wild cattle. Charlie was the nimrod of the party and was required to virtual the camp with the spoils of his rifle.

The town is all agog with placer excitement and the valley is believed to be on the eve of a big placer mining boom. Early in the summer mention was made of a considerable portion of the river in the vicinity of Ashnola creek being staked for placer by Mr. Corwin for Edward Mahon of Vancouver. A couple of months ago or more, an old gentleman named Wm. Willis appeared on the scene and rumor had it that he and his associate Mr. Osgood were likely to take over the Corwin locations, but instead of doing so they have gathered in a big area of placer ground for themselves by staking twenty miles of the river of which ten miles are on each side of the boundary line at Chopaca. They have a keystone drill at work and if the prospect is favorable they have gold dredges ready to be put to work. Within the past few days the river gravels have been panned by an old placer prospector named Lewis for Mahon of Vancouver and it is reported that lots of colors were obtained along the river on the R ranch. All are awaiting the result of the prospecting at Chopaca with the Keystone drill and there is a general belief that in a few days something out of the ordinary will be doing.

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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 subdivisions 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,
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NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given that on the 2th day of December 1912, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the licence for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Keremeos Hotel situated at Keremeos, British Columbia, from George Kirby to Ada Frances Kirby of Keremeos, B. C.
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