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THE WEEK'S GOLF

The hour for holding the foursomes on Saturday afternoon appears to be a bit early for some and as a result the sets do not fill as well as they formerly did. On Saturday last there was only enough for one set and the balance who were on hand at the drawing and who came along later made the round in groups of threes. In the set which filled, Hincks and Miss Jackson played Whiteman and Mrs. Jones and the former couple won the round, score 55 to 65 and with handicaps deducted 55 to 62.

The club handicaps have been revised and with perhaps one or two exceptions where individual preferences have governed to some extent, are about as fair now as could well be desired and will be found sufficiently close to make every contest interesting.

A handicap competition is now on in which 16 members of the club have entered and it will take about a week to play off all the matches.

During the week the secretary received notice from the Oak Bay club in Victoria extending an invitation to members here to enter in the contest for the Bostock cup which is a competition open to the members of any golf club in B. C.

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BIG IRON ORE FIND

Five Large Dykes of Hematite Located on Alexis or Old Tom Creek below Ashnola Station

IRON EXPERT MAKES EXAMINATION

May Mean Smelter and Rolling Mills For This End of the Valley—Deposit Was Known Ten Years Ago.

Last week an iron expert named Smoot made a visit to a new group of claims on Alexis or Old Tom Creek which empties into the Similkameen River about a mile below Coldwater Creek near Ashnola station which lies about halfway between Hedley and Keremeos.

The locations were made by Messrs. Todd and Betterton and Mike Costello on a discovery made by Costello about ten years ago, but all Mike saw of it then was the capping and since then they have broken through the capping and come into a fine body of hematite.

The new locations consist of eleven claims known as the Waterside group, numbering from near the mouth of the Creek as Waterside No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 and Hillside No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Ten years ago Mike showed samples of the capping to M. K. Rodgers who had a test made of it and is said to have obtained 45% iron, but the railway was then a thing scarcely thought of, let alone being within any measurable distance of completion, and there was no encouragement to take hold of propositions of that kind. In all probability Mr. Rodgers has forgotten all about it since then and as the result of the little lapse in memory may have let a good thing slip through his fingers.

From reports to hand there appears to be no limit to the extent of the find as no less than five dykes have been discovered of which the smallest is 90 feet wide and the widest 220 feet while it is claimed by the locators that they can trace them for a distance of three miles,

The sample or ore from one of the dikes certainly has the earmarks of genuine hematite and the only evidence of the presence of troublesome compounds is a little splashing of mispickel noticeable here and there on the sample. Arsenic, however, is not the bugbear in metallurgical processes that it once was and the amount of sulphur which the little bit of mispickel observable in the specimen would introduce into the product is not likely to make it "hot-short."

Smoot the expert who made the examination is said to have been rather astonished at what he saw and cannot understand how it has lain to long when the existence of the deposit was known so long ago.

Two other experts from New York are expected shortly to make a more thorough and extended examination and meanwhile a couple of men are now at work doing a little stripping and getting trails in shape.

If the data furnished as above can be substantiated in all particulars the one remaining requisite to make it the biggest kind of a go will be the quality of the ore. Should a thorough analysis of this show the necessary percentage of iron, and there be no serious refractory associations, nothing can very well prevent it being a winner: if not, "nuff sed."

FRANCE JOINS IN

Another Important Advance Towards Securing World's Peace

Washington, May 19.—The principle of arbitration of practically all disputes between nations, including questions of vital interest and national honor, assumed vitality when Secretary Knox submitted to the British and French ambassadors at Washington the draft of a convention to serve as a basis of negotiations.

The fact that this movement would be inaugurated with France as well as with Great Britain came as a surprise, as it was generally understood that only the United States and Great Britain were concerned.

FIGURING OUT THE BIDS

Canadian Northern Tenders Sent to Head Office Before Contracts Let

A very large number of tenders for the Canadian Northern construction work between Hope and Kamloops was received at the executive office of the company in this city. Several belated bids from out of town came in by mail on Saturday and several others are understood to be on the way. For this reason T. G. Holt executive agent declined to give out any statement respecting the bids until all had been received.

There will be a good deal of clerical work involved in the tabulation of the various bids, as various schedules will have to be extended. It is understood that the figures, and probably the tenders, too, will be forwarded to the head office of the company, as no official information of the intention of Sir Donald Mann, vice-president, to visit the coast at an early date has been received. Sir Wm. Mackenzie, the president, is in England.

HE HAD TO CHOOSE

Sir Wilfrid's Petulance in Reference to Attendance at the Coronation Forced to a Showdown

The vast supplementary estimates recently brought down indicate beyond peradventure that the government is getting ready for an election. The fact is staring them in the face that they cannot force through reciprocity without first obtaining a mandate from the people. Even Sir Wilfrids Laurier's threat to absent himself from the Imperial Conference and the Coronation did not stampede the Opposition. Through Mr. Borden they suggested three courses which he might take, any one of which might enable him to perform his plain duty to the Empire. He affected at the time to make light of these suggestions, and more than intimated that he would follow his own course without any regard to the wishes of the Canadian people. Indeed he went so far as to say that he considered the Reciprocity agreement as of more importance than the great problems to be considsred by the Imperial Conference. He retained his top-loftical position for a few days and then suddenly wilted. Even his own supporters refused to stand by him in his petulent demeanor. Without any attempt at explanation he came down from his perch more quickly than he had ascended to it and started for England at the time arranged. Whether he had always intended to do this and was merely making a cheap bluff when he talked to the contrary or whether he became frightened at public opinion is not material. The fact remains that he was forced to go to the Conference and that he was only too glad to accept one of the propositions tendered to him by Mr. Borden.

THE MAY ROD AND GUN

"In the land of the Moose Bird," the story of a trip eleven hundred miles by canoe and portage from the north shore of Lake Superior to Hudson's Bay, via the Albany river, forms the attractive feature of the May issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ontario. The narrator is Mr. W. J. Malone, one of the many visitors from the States who finds in the wilds of Canada advantages, from a holiday point of view, impossible to obtain elsewhere. M. Malone's writing is full of life and vigor and his narration is brightened by accounts of incidents by no means usual even in exploration trips taken so far afield. The route taken was one few white men, apart from Hudson's Bay employees, have followed and the story is the more interesting on that account. With such a good apening the reader is led on to the other articles and stories and in particular should attention be directed to the papers on Big Game Problems and the Destructiveness of Wolves. Accounts of western hunts are also good and should interest hunters in eastern and central Canada.

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MAP TELLS THE STORY

The Absolute Certainty of Ill-Effect of Reciprocity on Interprovincial and British Trade

The following paragraph from the Canadian National League's first pamphlet furnishes food for thought:

It is idle to say that reciprocial north and south trade will not lessen our interprovincial trade, and our trade with Great Britain. Those who support this agreement do not pretend that the north and south trade will not increase. Of course it will increase, and will, to a large extent, take the place of the other. Look at a map of Canada and see what reciprocity would mean. Our country would be tapped all along the southern boundary. British Columbia would trade with Washington, Oregon and California; Alberta and Saskatchewan with Montana, the Dakotas and states to the south; Manitoba with North Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin and adjoining states; Ontario with Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York; Quebec and the Maritime Province with New York and the New England States.

Again we ask: "Why take the risk."

THE COKE SITUATION

With the supply now on hand, and the 8,000 tons that are in transit from the east, the Greenwood Smelter will have enough of coke to run all its furnaces until August. After that, if necessary, the B. C. Copper Co. will get more eastern coke, as the company has no intention of closing down, even if its freight bill on coke is more than $2.000 a day. The Trail smelter is bringing 7,000 tons of coke from the east, and, as that smelter only uses 180 tons a day, that amount will last 40 days.

SIMPLE, IF TRUE

This may be of service to readers who have small gardens. In April or early in May plant forty potatoes; in twenty put a bean in a each, and in the other twenty a pea. You will have a good crop of peas and beans, and the potatoes will be free from disease, with an average of thirty tubers.

CHILDHOOD'S OPPORTUNITY

No greater encouragement to thrift has ever been presented by any country than is offered to the people of Canada under the provisions of the Canadian Government Annuities Act, which was unanimously passed by both Houses of Parliament in 1908. While any resident of Canada may purchase, the Act was devised chiefly to enable wage-earners and others with limited incomes to make absolutely safe provision for the closing years of life in a way that would be impossible to make under any other conditions available. For example, a mechanic, whose weekly wage is but a little larger than his weekly expenditure, is, by paying $1.00 a week, purchasing Annuities for his two boys aged five and seven, the Annuities to become payable at 60. From that time as long as they live a yearly income of $547.76 and $497.78 respectively will be paid them by the Government. If they die before they are 60, the money paid in will be refunded to their heirs together with three per cent compound interest. So that for a tatal of $2,808 to be paid in an income combined of $1,045.54, or greater than the income to be derived from an investment of $20.000 at five per cent, would be received. The one thing is feasible for a man even with a limited wage, while the other would be quite impossible for him. Taking advantage of the low rate to be obtained when the children are young is what parents should aim at—the children would carry the payments themselves as soon as they are able.

The property and effects of A. J. Saunders, one time barber at Keremeos are being seized by the sheriff on an order from Judge Brown under a suit brought by Wilson Bros. Pasteboard proclivities played a prominent part in the financial undoing of Mr Tonsorial Saunders.

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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.

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Last quar. 21. — First quar. 5.

1911 MAY 1911

Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
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28	29	30				

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

One of the most convincing documents on the reciprocity movement from a Canadian standpoint is the first of a series of pamphlets to be issued by the Canadian National League. This is a non-partisan organization made up for the most part of leading Liberals in the city of Toronto who although opposed to reciprocity are not prepared to transfer their allegiance to any other political party on any question except the one vital issue of maintaining Canada's fiscal independence and her integrity as the most important of Britain's dominions beyond the seas. The ends for which the league has been formed are announced to be those of Canadian Nationality, British Connection and Fiscal Independence. The foreword of this first pamphlet of the series which they purpose issuing is a manifesto and appeal to the Canadian people by Z. A. Lash who has always been regarded as a bulwark of Liberalism in Toronto, the queen city of Ontario. The thoroughness with which the subject is treated in the pamphlet makes it a most valuable document for all students of Canadian affairs to have, and if the remaining pamphlets to appear later on can maintain the standard of excellence represented in this first number, the complete series will take rank as a contribution of no mean order to the commercial history of the country. By all means get the pamphlets and read them carefully if you want to obtain a clear, intelligent and truthful knowledge of this most important question.

The spoliation intent of Lloyd-George is seen in his latest proposal to pay all members of the British House of Commons a sessional indemnity amounting to $2000 per session for each member. This move on his part is about what the electors might expect and shows that his so-called efforts in behalf of the masses have been very much of the grandstand order and far from exhibiting that disinterestedness which is supposed to actuate simon-pure patriots. While the sessional indemnity is advisable and only right and fair in the case of a country like Canada or the United States and cuts no figure with our best public men, there is nevertheless no denying the fact that it is responsible for the creation of a class which we all know as professional politicians, for the sessional indemnity has attracted a lot of cheeky blatherskites who have foisted themselves on the public and are shown to be a standing public nuisance at every session of Parliament where they are seen to be not only nuisances but a distinct loss to the country in the valuable time which they waste. In England where the best men of the land have served the people in both houses of parliafor centuries without remuneration, the present seems rather an inopportune time to bring forward the proposal, but men of the chancellor's type become bold from long impunity.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending May 20, 1911:

AT THE MINE.

	Maximum	Minimum
May 14	33	23
15	30	22
16	30	20
17	34	20
18	33	23
19	37	20
20	33	26

Average maximum temperature 33.71
Average minimum do 22.
Mean temperature 27.85
Rainfall for the week 0.00 inches.
Snowfall " " 48.0 "

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature 62.
Average maximum do 49.42
Lowest minimum do 20.
Average minimum do 26.28
Mean do 37.85

AT THE MILL.

	Maximum	Minimum
May 14	75	49
15	55	40
16	59	39
17	58	42
18	59	31
19	66	37
20	71	41

Average maximum temperature 63.28
Average minimum do 40.28
Mean do 51.78
Rainfall for the week 0.45 inches
Snowfall " " 0. "

CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR

Highest maximum temperature 83
Average do do 70.85
Lowest minimum do 39
Average do do 42.42
Mean do 56.63

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TAKE Notice that I, Charles Nelson, of Sterling Creek, occupation, rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about a mile west of Charles Nelson's pre-emption on Sterling Creek, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement and containing forty acres, more or less.

CHARLES NELSON

March 8th, 1911 11-10

LAND NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that W. B. Haynes, of Fairview B. C, occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land.

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 3108, thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 20 chains to the point of commencement and containing 80 acres, more or less.

W. B. HAYNES

March 3rd, 11 10-10

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that E. Guy Warner, of Victoria, B. C., occupation real estate agent intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of lot 259, on Schwartz creek thence north 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 80 chains, containing 160 acres.

E. GUY WARNER

February 27th, 1811. 9-10

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE NOTICE that E. M. Daly, of Keremeos, occupation, Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands

Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Ashnola river about 2 miles from mouth and adjoining Indian Reserve on south thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains east thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains west to point of commencement and containing 40 acres, more or less.

E. M. DALY

Keremeos, March 3rd, 1911

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H. H. Messenger has bought from Mrs. John Lind the residence occupied by him on Daly Avenue."

Don't forget your mining licence. A forget of that kind costs money to fix up sometimes. All licences run out on May 31st.

Ore shipments from Republic to the Granby smelter are being made. A number of Republic properties are being represented in the shipments.

Rev. James Williams, Church of England pastor at Princeton, will hold divine service in Fraternity Hall, Hedley, on Thursday, May 25th (Ascension Day) at 8 p m.

L. W. Shatford was finishing up his tour of the east end of the riding last week. The Ledge said he was in Greenwood with his automobile on Monday 15. The benzine buggy makes quicker work of it.

Forty-nine inches of snow at the Nickel Plate mine for the week ending Saturday, May 20; what do you know about that? This makes 7 feet 1 inch for the month thus far, and eleven more days to go on.

G. H. Whitemen, teller in the local branch of the Bankof B. N. A. received word on Saturday that he was to be removed to Victoria and his place here taken by Mr. Marchand. Mr. Whiteman leaves for the coast in a day or two.

Mike Costello was in on Monday with samples of the iron ore from the big hematite discovery down the valley on Alexis Creek a little below Ashnola station. The ore has every appearance of being the genuine stuff and in all probability an analysis of it will show pay iron.

Mr. A. Creelman's friends in Hedley have been looking for his return at any time during the past week. Nothing definite is stated but there is an apparently well-founded hope that with his return operations on the Kingston may be resumed.

Rev. G. R. B. Kinney has not been given any charge by the Methodist conference. He is making a specialty of mountain-climbing instead and taken service with the Alpine Club as photographer with an expedition sent out to make a survey of the country in the vicinity of Mount Robson.

Mr. I. L. Merrill, president of the Hedley Gold Mining Co. completed his visit of inspection of the Nickel Plate mine and works and went out about the middle of the week. He intends going to Maine for a few months fishing and holidaying generally on the Atlantic coast, with of course a little golf mixed in to keep his hand in and his eye on the ball.

Mrs. J. A. Brown proposes giving in Princeton in aid of the hospital there, the concert which was so well enjoyed here in Hedley a few weeks ago. The date set for it is said to be June 9th and if the various numbers are given in as good form on the occasion as they were in Hedley when it was given here the people of Princeton have a treat in store.

There are two institutions in Grand Forks which have made themselves pretty solid with the people of the Similkameen. They are the Riverside Nursery and Fraehe Bros. florists. Grand Forks nursery stock has never disappointed fruit-growers in this valley. The care taken with the stock in shipping and the excellent character of the stock itself is giving results on all hands that is accounting for the reputation they have succeeded in building up.

Rev. A. H. Cameron intended spending most of the present week in Hedley but was called back to Keremeos. He reported that Mr. J. A. Brown is putting up a nice residence on his fruit lots. The building is mounted on a cement foundation, is attractive in appearance and conveniently laid out. Frank McLean, contractor, is doing the work. The improvements made on the lots has also given him handsome grounds. This is one of the improvements in the fruit town which our correspondent held back.

Mr. Schubert sent from Tulameen last week for his cows which were still in Hedley and there are not a few in town who were sorry to see them driven off. The Jersey which several years ago was brought in a young animal has since grown from frisky heiferdom to sedate cowhood and had become a familiar figure, dear to the hearts of those who had babies to rear while many an invalid was helped by the Jersey to convalescence when the tin cow would have been an ill sub stitute.

PICTURE FRAMING—The undersigned has laid in a stock of the latest designs of mouldings for picture frames in oak, gilt and other styles any length or size of picture accommodated. Those who have pictures to frame should see samples. Furniture repairing promptly attended to. Shop in rear of New Zealand—John R. Ash.

G. P. Jones, general superintendent, went out to the lake on Monday and found a good deal of snow. The weather was cold and the snow did not appear to have melted very much. The amount of pumping done last winter was not much more than half what had been done in former years and with that surplus to the good and the extra supply of snow this year the outlook is good for building up a considerable reserve supply of water. If a little additional reserve can be built up each year for two or three years it will enable them to cut out an important item of cost each year by dispensing with pumping altogether.

Several bunches of range cattle belonging to ranchers in the lower valley went up the beginning of this week to their summer ranges above Princeton. These migratory quadrupeds or four-footed birds that thus visit as in large numbers twice a year are watched during their passage with no little concern by certain sections of the community that breathe easier when they have passed. Particularly is this so in connection with the members of the golf club who are very averse to having a bunch of cattle desecrating the greens and making deep hoof marks in the fairway into which the "wee white ba'" is too apt to roll and get half buried up.

Mr. G. L. Fraser, general manager of the works of the Columbia Coal & Coke Co., at Coalmont came down to Hedley on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Fraser and remained over Sunday, returning home by Monday's train, Mr. Fraser voices the general impatience at the delay of completion of the railway. When asked as to the time he expects to be sending coal down to Hedley Mr. Fraser jocularly speculates on the transportation possibilities by airship, which shows that they are experiencing the same wearisome wait for tracklaying which we had in Hedley where the dumps on the grades were bearing a luxuriant crop of grass and weeds before the rails were laid down.

P. N. Stanford, inspector for the Hudson Bay Insurance Co. was in town on Thursday inspecting the risks of the company carried in Hedley. The Hudson Bay Insurance Co. although not an old concern is one of the strongest non-board companies in Canada and in Hedley it enjoys the distinction of being the only company which has ever carried insurance in the town (whether they be board or non-board Canadian, British or American) which has ever been called on to put up a dollar of fire loss. For several years it did business under provincial charter and provincial licences but last year a Dominion charter was procured and some other companies with provincial charters absorbed and as a result the company now takes rank among the strong companies of Canada.

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This regulation further provided that the prices fixed therein should apply to all lands with respect to which the applications to purchase were given favorable consideration after the date of said regulation, namely April 3rd, 1911.

Further notice is now given that by virtue of a regulation approved by the Lieut-Governor in Council on the 10th of May, 1911, that the regulation dated 3rd April, 1911, be held not to apply to applications to purchase vacant Crown lands which were received by the Assistant Commissioners of Lands on or before the said April 3rd, 1911, and with respect to which the required deposit of fifty cents per acre had been received by said Commissioners on or before the said April 3rd, 1911.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., 16th May, 1911. 20-4

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This regulation further provides that the prices fixed therein shall apply to all lands with respect to which the application to purchase is given favorable consideration after this date, notwithstanding the date of such application or any delay that may have occurred in the consideration of the same.

Further notice is hereby given that all persons who have pending applications to purchase lands under the provisions of sections 31 or 36 of the "Land Act" and who are not willing to complete such purchases under the prices fixed by the aforesaid regulation shall be at liberty to withdraw such applications and receive refund of the moneys deposited on account of such applications.

WILLIAM R. ROSS,
Minister of Lands

14-10

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., April 3rd, 1911

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE Notice that Cecil C. Allen, of Fairview occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land

Commencing at a post planted 20 chains north easterly from the north west corner of lot 3197 thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 20 chains south to point of commencement, containing about 200 acres.

CECIL C ALLEN

April 28th, 1911 18-10

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

Town and Lower Valley.

Ripe strawberries were picked in Keremeos on the 21st, notwithstanding the late backward nature of the season.

Carl Keeler and Hattie Innis will be candidates from Keremeos writing on the Entrance examination at Hedley next Tuesday.

Jack Young, foreman of the road gang at work across the river, is nursing a badly lacerated thumb, sustained while moving a fence that encroached on the road.

A. J. King of Hedley returned home on Saturday after spending a week in Keremeos. We understand that O.H. Carle will shortly open in business in Hedley and that Mr. King will be in charge.

F. Sauve has added to his stock of general merchandise a line of millinery Ladies are cordially invited to call and inspect the same; gentlemen to pay the bills and look as pleasant as possible.

Fred Gibson and family arrived from Vancouver on Sunday coming in via Penticton. As soon as they get their household effects over from Penticton they will take up their residence in G. Milburn's house.

Dan Rogers was in town on Monday on his way to Princeton. It is nearly three years since Dan left off driving the stage here. During that time he has been living at Republic across the line but has decided to return and make his home in Canada. Mrs. Rogers is visiting friends at her old home at Fairview and will shortly join him in Princeton.

F. H. Lamb, of Vancouver, who already owned a thrifty ten acre fruit lot, planted in five year old trees, has recently increased his holding by purchasing the ten acre lot adjoining, number 58. Mr. Lamb is one of the many Vancouverites who are simply awaiting the pleasure of J. J. Hill and the completion of this line to come into Keremeos and erect comfortable homes.

Walter Seibert, of Didsbury, Alta., spent the week end in Keremeos. He left for home by the Crows Nest route on Monday after having purchased through Jimmy Innis lots 26 to 30 in block 80 held by John Cameron, now a resident in Vancouver, formerly a miner in Hedley. The lots referred to lie just opposite the section house, east of where Royer's livery barn used to stand.

Louis Hill and other officials of the Great Northern passed up the valley on Friday evening in a special train, returning the next morning at seven o'clock. We are not advised as to the nature or object of the jaunt but it is the first event of any kind that might serve to revive the hope that the Similkameen and the V. V. & E. are not entirely dismifsed from the minds of the offi cials at the head of the Great Northern.

Rev. Mr. Kinney returned to Keremeos on Friday after attending the general conference at Vancouver, and occupied the pulpit of the church here on Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Cameron driving to Hedley in order to give them service there. Mr. Kinney has asked to be relieved from the ministry for a year, which he will spend with a geological survey party in the mountains. A Rev. Mr. Mawhinney will occupy this field next year.

Mr. Holman, of Kelowna, who gave a lecture here last March on tobacco growing, was in the district again the begnning of this week in a still further endeavor to interest the people here in the culture of the nicotine plant. He has arranged to supply Mr. J. J. Armstrong with 6000 plants free, to be distributed among the ranchers of this district, who are invited to take a few plants and make an experiment in their culture. He will be around again in July to give any information and instructions needed. The plants will be sent over here from Kelowna early in June. Mr. Holman offers to supervise the curing of the tobacco in the fall and to pay a good fair price for all grown. We would impress upon our ranchers the importance of the opportunity afforded them and urge them to take advantage of it. If it is found that tobacco of good quality can be successfully grown here, and we have reason to believe it can, it will furnish an industry that will mean much to the wealth and prosperity of the lower valley.

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Tommy Daly left on Monday for Penticton to join the base ball team of that town in a game against Summerland on the 24th. Tommy is some pitcher and his ability is getting noised abroad. He recently pitched four games for the town of Okanagan, across the line, against different teams in that neighborhood, winning them all handily. He has promised to play again with Okanagan in the Fourth of July games.

J. O. Goldthwaite, of Hood River, was in town on Friday for a few hours and had a look around. Mr. Goldthwaite is an experienced fruitgrower in the famous fruit valley to the south and has been looking over fruit lands in the Okanagan and other points in B. C. He stated that this valley appealed more to him than anything he had seen and regretted that he was unable to spend longer on his present trip but will return shortly prepared to look the district over throught and most probably invest.

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NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

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Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of H. Garrison's Pre-emption, Lot 3108, thence north 80 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

VAL C. HAYNES.
Wm. B. Haynes, agent.

Feb 17th, 1911.

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE NOTICE that I, William Richter, of Keremeos, B. C. occupation Farmer intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— viz an island in Osoyoos Lake, near the Osoyoos lake bridge.

Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of said island and about 100 yards south-west of Osoyoos Lake Bridge thence along the shore of said island to point of commencement, containing about one statute acre more or less.

WILLIAM RICHTER

March 8th, 1911 11-10

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DISTRICT OF YALE.

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Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Kettle River opposite the n. e. corner of lot 3132 and marked "E. L. Steves n. w. corner post" thence east 20 chains: thence south 60 chains; thence west 31 chains, more or less, to river boundary; containing 120 acres more or less.

EVAN L. STEVES
Henry Nicholson, agent

April 7th, 1911. 14-10

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that Vivien Oonah de B. Green, of Osoyoos, occupation none, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 20 chains south of the N. W. corner of lot 665s, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, cutting out Lot 3199, 480 acres.

VIVIEN OONAH DE BLOIS GBEEN

February 27th 1911 9-10

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NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that R. Irwin of Victoria, occupation Real Estate Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—

Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 5 Tp. 51, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres.

R. IRWIN

February, 27th, 1911

Public Service Act

THE qualifying examinations for Third-class Clerks, Junior Clerks, and Stenographers will be held at the following places, commencing on Monday the 3rd July next:—Armstrong, Chilliwack, Kaslo, Kelowna, Ladysmith, Nanaimo, Nelson, New Westminster, North Vancouver, Peachland, Revelstoke, Rossland, Salmon Arm, Summerland, Vancouver, Vernon, and Victoria.

Candidates must be British subjects between the ages of 21 and 30, if for Third class Clerks and between 16 and 21, if for Junior Clerks or Stenographers.

Applications will not be accepted if received later than the 15th June next.

Further information, together with application forms, may be obtained from the undersigned.

P. WALKER,
Registrar, Public Service

Victoria, B. C., 27th April, 1911 17-7

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NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Stanger, of Wakefield, England, occupation, doctor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted at the centre of Sec 18, Tp. 51, thence west 80 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 60 chains to point of commencement and containing 480 acres more or less.

HENRY STANGER
10-10 Chas de B. Green, agent.

Dated March 8th, 1911

NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE notice that Charles Jones, of Fairview occupation, hotel-man, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 301 thence south 20 chains thence west 80 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

CHARLES JONES
W. B. Haynes, agent.

March 3rd, 1910 10-10

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b—The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) a spring about one hundred yards north-west of the north-east corner of pre-emption No. 724s

c The point of diversion at the spring.

d—The quantity of water applied for in cubic feet per second: one

The character of the proposed works a ditch flume or pipe.

f—The premises on which the water is to be used, P. R. No. 724s

g—The purposes for which the water is to be used Domestic.

j—Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works about 1-10 of an acre

K. This notice was posted on the 26th day of April 1911, and application will be made to the commissioner on the 26th day of May, 1911.

GEORGE MCKAY
Olialla, B. C.