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Sees Future For B. C. Mining

P. A. O'Farrell, whose authority on mining matters is considered to be that of an expert, and who is in Spokane on business, in an interview regarding the mining outlook in British Columbia appears unusually optimistic as to the future, and has this to say:

"British Columbia mines will boom as never before.

"Canada is determined to foster every branch of the metal mining industry.

"Great Britain has given the Trail smelter contracts for all the zinc, lead and copper it can produce in two years at eminently satisfactory prices.

"The Canadian Pacific railway has decided to make the Trail smelter the equal of the greatest reduction works on the American continent."

Mr. O'Farrell has just completed a tour of the Kootenay mining camps in the interest of the Canadian Pacific, whose plans for the quick development of the metal mining industry he is engaged in advancing.—Phoenix Pioneer

Northport's Boom Continues to Grow

Northport is a busy place these days. The big lead strike and the reconstruction work going on at the old Northport smelter is attracting many newcomers.

Roy Young, one of the owners of the Electric Point, near Northport, the mine where the big 40-foot ledge was discovered in July, on which work was started last month, says that the showing is looking better than ever. Seven miners are employed and they have opened the big shoot to a depth of 24 feet, incidentally taking out 300 tons of ore.

The carbonates, which constitute about half the ore extracted, run from 34 to 41 per cent in lead, and the galena around 79 per cent, it is reported. As soon as the wagon road Mr. Young is now building to the mine from the country road along Silver creek is completed, he says, he will be able to ship a large tonnage to the smelter. He has posted "Not for sale" notices at the mine to try to get rid of would-be purchasers.

Jerome Day, of Moscow, Idaho, is at Northport, directing the work of restoration at the smelter. Work is progressing with a force of about 90 men.

No more will be put on until the material and machinery odered begin to arrive.

Most of the vacant business houses in Northport are being occupied, and one grocery, one drug store, one pool hall and two restaurants and lodging houses have been added. Most of the long vacant cottages have been occuby families, attracted by either the opening of the high school or the resumption of the work at the smelter. The Broderius' block and the North port Drug company's building are being repaired and repainted, and the business section generally is assuming a prosperous air.

Divine Service will be conducted in the church on Sunday, Sept. 19th at 7.30 p.m. Subject:—Christian Science or Mental Assassination, a Physical, Intellectual, Moral and Spiritual Peril. A hearty invitation is extended to all. Preacher R. G. Stewart

Hedley People Pay Visit to Vernon Camp

Hearing that the men of the 54th, Battalion were slated to leave Vernon in the near future, some of our Hedley people decided to go up and see them, perhaps for the last time till the war is over. Two autoloads were made up. G. P. Jones taking eight people and Frank French five.

The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jones and Gomer, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones and Henry, Mrs. Knowles and Miss Miller, Frank French, Paddy Murray, Grant Knowles, Tommy Rotherham and Billy McDougall.

The trip was made in about eight hours running time, a stop being made at Peachland for lunch.

The entire party visited the camp and have some interesting news to tell us. The 54th Battalion is without doubt the finest bunch of men in Vernon and the Hedley boys are amongst the best in the Battalion.

The men are all contented and happy despite the fact that they have to sleep on blankets laid on the bare ground, mattresses or straw to make them, not having been issued to them, but as they hope soon to leave for the Old Country, they are not kicking at all at their present lot, and indeed in the warm weather, they feel it is not at all bad. All are eager for the front and the experiences that lie just before them.

Vernon is the busiest place in the interior at present. The Hedley party visited the internment camp also and saw the men at work. They are housed in wooden buildings, are well fed and have nothing whatever to complain of, in fact seem to be well contented and happy.

Among Hedleys old time fellows who were seen at Vernon are Dicky James, Tripod Harry, George Pierce, Mark Donnelly and Bobby Bartlett, the latter is the drummer in one band and bugler in another.

During the time that the party were at Vernon the men were engaged in practicing for the grand review which was held yesterday for the Governor General of Canada, His Royal Highness, The Duke of Connaught. In this review the 54th took a prominent part.

The impression given to the Gazette in conversation with members of the party, was, that they are very proud of our boys and of the Battalion and are sure that they will make a name for themselves at the front.

Ten of Penticton's finest sports passed through last night on the way to Aspen Grove for a hunting excursion. They came in two autos and had on board all kinds of amunition and shooting irons besides baggage. The party consisted of Messrs Jos. Markle, D. J. McIntyre, J. Plaskett, Dr. H. McGregor, H. M. Ramsey, Chas Burtch, Art Thompson and Mr. Nicholson.

Under the direction of the Hon. the Minister of Lands, an attractive pamphlet entitled "British Columbia Timber" has been prepared for distribution among the buyers in overseas markets. It is intended to draw the attention of importers overseas to the forest products of the province, and especially to the facilities for exporting British Cslumbia lumber. Consisting of nearly forty pages, and containing nearly thirty illustrations, the pamphlet treats of the principal exportable woods, their qualities and uses, together with information concerning their strength values, and suitability for various uses.

OUR DAILY NEWS WAR BULLETIN

Billion dollar loan for Allies in United States is said to be near completion. German-American opposition has little effect. Issue to pay 5 per cent.

Balfour says British air service and defense against aeroplane attack are being built up more rapidly and can now compete with enemies air service.

Three million men have enlisted in army and 8,000,000 are at work on munition says Asquith.

Kitchener says Germans have almost shot last bolt.

Russians rout two towns in Galacia menacing enemy flanks. Austrians hurled back with loss of 33,000.

Von Hindenburg's advance in north is blocked.

Austrians open attack on some parts of Italian line.

British aviators carry battle into air above German lines and inflict heavy losses.

An Open Letter To Women of Canada

The following letter concerning the need for fighting men, is addressed to the women of Canada, by the National Committee of Women for Patriotic Service, Toronto.

A year ago the thunderbolt of war fell upon us out of a clear sky! After the first moment of surprise and confusion, had passed, we asked, "How can we help?"

During the year that has passed that question has found many answers. The trained nurse quickly proved her value. Other women were called upon to organize and direct Red Cross and St. John Ambulance work or Patriotic Societies, while all gave time or money or personal service in preparing supplies.

To comparatively few came the need for the supreme sacrifice—the sending forth of husband, son or brother to the fight. The first appeal for volunteers was limited and did not appear very urgent. All honor to those who hear and obey the earliest call of Empire and whose women sent them forth with pride to fight in the front rank of the Canadian forces.

Today the situation has changed. We have learnt, after a year of war, that our task is harder, our danger more real, than we thought a year ago. We have "given" gladly now we are called to "give up," and service must fulfil itself in sacrifice. Most urgent of all today is the call to give up ungrudgingly our husbands, sons and brothers. We are called to create in our homes such an atmosphere of self-devotion that our men and boys may feel their resolution to offer themselves in their country's service is simply what we expect of them.

This does not mean that women should be constantly urging their men to enlist, for it is doubtful if the patriotic persistence of a wife or mother would produce anything but a reluctant and resentful recruit. The men of Canada have not shown themselves less patriotic than their women; but it is for us, the women of Canada, to ask ourselves whether our self-sacrifice is falling short of the supreme test.

Are we making it hard or easy for our men to obey their country's call to service?

Why is the call so urgent now?

The answer is simple: it is because our existence as an Empire is at stake.

We went into the war to keep our solemn pledges to our Allies; and this reason still holds good.

But there are now other reasons which did not exist a year ago. Belgium with her ravaged land and exiled people cries aloud for justice. What do Canadian women say to the appeals of her outraged women and mutilated children? They have suffered for us: what are we willing to suffer for them?

The women of France and Russia and the United Kingdom have long ago heard the appeal to give up their men, and have responded nobly. What will Canadian women do?

Beyond the keeping of our pledged word, the woes of Belgium, and the example of our Allies, there comes to us today the knowledge that we are called on to fight our own battle; not to send help to Belgium or France or even England, but to fight for our own national existence.

We are told by the men who know that we cannot win in this war without more men.

If we hold back our men we are courting defeat: and defeat means, not a vague misfortune to the Empire at large, but the very practical result of a Canada governed by Germans.

Do we want to know what that would mean? Then let us look at Belgium, and learn how the yoke of the conqueror galls the neck of a freedom-loving people. Defeat would mean for us a period of bitterest shame and discontent and then—another war. Can we risk it? We are risking it if we do not make the path of service easy for our men.

But the most compelling call for sacrifice rings out from the graves of those who on the fields of Flanders, at Langemarck, and Ypres, and Festubert, have blazed the trail to glory with their life blood.

Can we make their self-surrender of no avail by holding back the men who would take up and complete their splendid task?

There is a saving which is losing: is it worth "saving" our men from death if we lose their respect? There is a loss which is gain: even though we learn to face "Desperate tides of the whole great world's anguish, Forced through the channels of a single heart."

We are called to scale the gleaming peaks of self-sacrifice, in the company of our brave sisters of the Allied nations.

What will the women of Canada do?

R. J. McDougall, of the Penticton Herald, came over with H. A. Turner Sunday, the former took Monday's train to Princeton and returned by rail to Penticton. The latter returned Tuesday by auto.

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LOYAL IRELAND

While all parts of the British Empire are vieing with each other in the matter of sending the greatest number of troops to the defense of the sacred cause of the Allies, Ireland's showing in this connection is particularly noteworthy.

When the comparatively small population of Ireland is considered the statement that 120,741 of the young men have volunteered for the great European war must be considered a fairly good showing.

According to the census of 1911 Erin's population, which has been steadily declining for three-quarters of a century, was then 4,381,951 and it is possibly even less now. Of this total it is doubtful, because of the emigration of workers, if more 2,000,000 are males, and of this number it is safe to say that one-half are too young or too old for army service. There are then left 1,000,000 men, roundly calculating, of the proper age, and of these one in every eight has gone to the front.

If Canada had done as well, relatively as Ireland has, we would have more than a quarter of million men with the colors.—Creston Review.

A NOBLE TRIBUTE

"Recently an American woman writer published a powerful denunciation of Prussianism and the Catholic Record thus commented upon it:

And the words of this free American woman admirably typify the spirit of the whole British race towards the German menace. This is the spirit that fires the hearts of the millions of brave men and women from Land's End to John O'Groats; the spirit that animates Ireland and her dauntless sons, and Scotland from the Lowlands to the Highlands. It is the spirit of liberty and modern progress, as opposed to barbaric despotism and the customs of by gone centuries. It is the spirit of liberty that animates Canada, and that is sending her brave-hearted sons in thousands from Atlantic to Pacific to the support of the British Empire. It is the spirit that animates Australia and New Zealand, and that will carry their sons to victory in Gallipoli before many moons. It is the lasting bond of sympathy between the British people and all freedom-loving people of the United States whatever be the country of their origin. It is the spirit of liberty for which Britons will contend against tryants and enemies of progress. And it is the spirit against which the Prussian war lords must vainly struggle with waning powers till their inevitable doom."

Singular unanimity exists in the religious press of the Dominion and the United States upon the duty of the British people to wage this war until the horrors of Prussianism have been rendered impossible of repetition.—Colonist

MINING NOTES

Manager A. H. Perkins, of the Toroda Development Co. came in from Spokane Monday evening, going over to the camp that night. Mr. Perkins is doing things at old Bodie and will be ready for publicity soon.—Chesaw News.

The mining industry in this section is on the upward trend, especially so, since the purchase of the Northport smelter has been confirmed. The resumption of mining will, undoubtedly, bring about better conditions for everybody.—Marcus Messenger.

With a laudable effort to afford assistance to prospectors, the Dominion department of mines now offer to conduct ore tests free of charge. The samples, however; must be sent carriage paid and care must be taken to forward the parcels to Ottawa and not Victoria.—Phoenix Pioneer.

It is thought by quite a number of old time prospectors and others that Kaslo will some day rank among the big copper camps of British Columbia. The indications on True Blue mountain, to the south of the town, give grounds for this belief. A large iron capping cuts across the mountain and it is said to have all the earmarks of a copper vein. It is thought that this is the lead, or a piece of it from which a quantity of high grade copper ore was gloryholed out on the True Blue claim in 1898, but the main vein appears to be difficult to locate on that side. It is much more clearly defined on the south side of the hill, where the Kane claims are located. The surface rock is all iron, and the opinion is that development upon it will open up a big copper deposit. Another hill close to town showing indications of mineral possibilities, is Kaslo Mountain, just across the lake. Upon this hill is located the huge Leviathan lead, which is also iron capped, but carrying gold values near the surface. Near the summit some early day prospecting was done and another big iron lead exposed assay of some of the rock being reported as carrying good values in gold. None of these are poor men's propositions, but they might repay some investigation by capital.—Kaslo Kootenaian.

The following notes are taken from the Grand Forks Gazette:

One of the eight furnaces at Granby smelter which was down for a fortnight was blown in again on Wednesday.

Shipments of ore from the Granby mines at Phoenix to the Grand Forks smelter during August were 103,062 tons, making a total of 668,449 tons shipped during the first seven months of the year.

Four teams have started hauling ore from the Western Star mine, near Chesaw, Wash, to the railroad for shipment to the B. C. Copper Co. smelter at Greenwood. A crew are sinking on the ore on this property.

F. M. Sylvester, assistant general manager of the Granby Consolidated, and O. B. Smith, general mine superintendent, arrived from Vancouver Wednesday on short visit to their Grand Forks and Phoenix properties. It is expected they will visit the Gloucester group at Franklin camp, which the Granby recently bonded, before their return to the coast.

Granby Co. have let the work of driving the tunnel on the Gloucester group in Franklin camp to Contractor Black, who has taken his outfit in and is now preparing to push the development along. It is expected that work will start shortly on the construction of a wagon road from the main highway to the Gloucester.

A quarterly dividend of 3 per cent, and an additional dividend of two per cent has been declared on the outstanding capital stock of The Hedley Gold Mining Company, 42 Broadway, New York, payable Thursday, September 30, 1915, to stockholders of record at 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, September 18, 1915. Transfer books will not be closed.

William Stevenson, placer miner on the Similkameen river, about a mile above Princeton, was found dead in bed in his tent last Sunday Sept. 4. The body was somewhat decomposed and showed no mark of violence, the arms being folded across the breast as if in peaceful slumber, when death came. He was well known in Kaslo, Spokane and Penticton. Among his effects were found bank books showing deposits in the Bank of Montreal at Spokane and Penticton and in the Royal bank at Grand Forks the total being about $4,000, besides cash of $75 and $10 in gold dust and platinum. Constable Pritchard had charge of the body, which was given burial, Rev. Griffiths officiating. Coroner McCaffry did not hold an inquest, the deceased evidently having died from natural causes. Stevenson had been here since May mining, is said to be a native of Ulster, Ireland, and about 50 years old.

The Spokane Interstate Fair is on this week.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Hedley School," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, the 21st day of September, 1915, for the erection and completion of a one-room addition to the school-house at Hedley, in the Similkameen Electoral District, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 1st day of September, 1915, at the offices of Mr. J. R. Brown, Government Agent, Fairview; Mr. J. Mahony, Government Agent, Vancouver; Mr. L. Norris, Government Agent, Vernon; Mr. S. L. Smith, Secretary to the School Board, Hedley, B. C.; or the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C.

Intending tenderers can obtain one copy of plans and specifications of the above school by applying to the undersigned with a deposit of ten dollars ($10), which will be refunded on their return in good order.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equal to 20 per cent. of tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Deputy Minister and Public Works Engineer
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., August 26th, 1915. 34-35

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Dated 15th day of June, 1915. 25-10

NOTICE

Certificate of Improvements

OREGON, ST. BERNARD, WINCHESTER AND SAVAGE Mineral Claims, situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Sixteen Mile Creek.

TAKE NOTICE that L. W. Shatford, H. A. Turner, T. D. Pickard and F. H. French, Free Miners' Certificates No. 93,-216B, 93226B, 90777B, and 93217B, intend sixty days from 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.

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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 sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 9 6m

TOWN AND DISTRICT

O. H. Carle was a visitor to town Monday and Tuesday.

O. A. Thompson and wife left for Oroville Monday for a short visit.

Mr. Brenton, who has been here for some time tuning pianos, left Monday for Keremeos.

The editor and his wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winkler for Sunday dinner.

Roy Porritt, a miner of Salmo, came into town Monday and promptly landed a job at the mine.

W. Slattery, a miner from the Brittania mine is in town renewing old acquaintances among the miners of this camp.

Joe Goodwin passed through Hedley Tuesday with a brand new Ford machine which he was delivering to a purchaser at Greenwood.

John Cosgrove was in town Monday. John says he has quit betting on the horses, till the next time. But he'll pick a winner next time.

Grand Forks Annual Fall Fair will be held on September 28 and 29, and a very fine program of events and prize list has been prepared.

George French is confined to the house suffering from an attack of rheumatism, but under the doctor's care hopes to be around in a few days.

H. S. Votaw was a passenger to Spokane, Monday, where he expects to visit for about a week. Charlie will have charge of the office in his absence.

Frank Sophy, an old timer of this district returned Monday, and made provision for the winter by landing a job on the ranch of Mine Host Winkler, a snug berth.

Neil Heuston, a placer miner, well known in this district, is shaking hands with his numerous friends in Hedley. He says Hedley looks as good to him as any place he has seen.

Mrs. Meirhofer and nephew left Monday for a visit to her old home in St. Paul, Minn. from which she has been absent for about twelve years. She will visit her sister and numerous friends, and does not expect to return for about six weeks.

Little Marguerite Jones met with a very painful accident Saturday when she fell on a rock near the house and broke her wrist. Dr. McEwen was at once called and set the injured member, and little Margeurite is getting along well towards recovery.

Subscribers to the gun fund are requested to hand in the amount of their subscription to the secretary of the Patriotic Funds Committee, C. P. Dalton, in order that the amount may be made up and the books balanced as far as this fund is concerned.

Tommy Melville, who fell from his horse Labor Day and broke his collar bone, gamely stayed by the races to the end and won the turnstake race, was finally persuaded to go to the hospital where he was attended by Dr. McEwen and left the next day for his home at Keremeos.

The announcement is made that the recruiting offices are now accepting men of the class who cannot qualify for overseas service, for the purpose of home defence. A considerable number of men will be used for this service under present conditions and if the United States becomes involved in the war, it is more than likely Canada would need quite a few men to protect her borders from the ravages of the Germans who are now held in check across the line.

Notice was posted Tuesday that the Great Northern Railway Company would inaugurate the thrice-a-week service again for the rest of the year and until the coast connection was complete. The demand for service to take care of the fruit shipping was the excuse for putting on the daily service and the company claims to have operated it at a loss.

H. G. Freeman was a visitor to Penticton Tuesday for the purpose of meeting and bringing home Mrs. Freeman, who has been in Moosejaw for some time, getting over an attack of appendicitis. They arrived home yesterday morning. George Riddle's auto service was the mode of transportation used, a service which is becoming more popular every day.

Nat Darling an old timer, and now cigar salesman out of Vanvouver, and Al Campbell, liquor salesman from the same little hamlet, paid our big city a business call Monday, but met so many old friends in this metropolis that they were induced to stay over for Tuesday also. The old boys all like to get back to little Hedley for a visit.

J. A. Schubert, of Tulameen, passed through Monday on his way to Vernon to visit his son Bert, one of the boys who enlisted from Hedley. It was the decision of Bertie Schubert which seemed to break the ice and make it easier for some of the other boys who wanted to go, but didn't have the courage to be the first one to start, and Bertie was the starter.

Old Joe, the German, had the misfortune to fall off the sidewalk and bruise his right arm, he tried home treatment, applications of hot water, very hot, but the result was nil, so he finally went to Dr. McEwen, who now has him fixed up and well on the road to recovery. But Joe does not like the idea of going to the hospital. There is no canteen at that institution. and that his Teutonic soul sorely craves.

Last Thursday Keremeos held its annual flower show. Owing to the change of schedule on the Great Northern line our Keremeos correspondence was delayed and we are unable to announce the winners of the various prizes in the show. We are able to state, however, that the show was a greater success than ever, the attendance well up to record and the returns a very satisfactory quantity.

S. E. Hamilton returned home Monday, having spent some months in the New Manitoba gold fields, so called. The trip certainly did him good in a physical sense, as he is now 25 pounds heavier than when he went away. His report on the location up there is nothing to go wild about, although he admits that there is gold there, in places and in quantities where, to his mind, development would be difficult, if not unprofitable. There are fellows there who make bigger claims and who show some wonderful samples, but the interests who would do the development work are not taking them up very rapidly. The Pas Board of Trade is spending good money to boost the place, but what little good mineral is there would not offer very much inducement to a big company to do anything with it. There is a section of the country he would like to look over again when conditions were more favorable for prospecting work, a section which so far has been practically overlooked. So many claims are staked but not recorded that it is discouraging to a new comer.

NOTICE

Church Services are changed to the winter season hours 7.30 p.m.

Notice !

Having made arrangements to take over the Hotel Similkameen, all accounts owing by the late manager will be paid by me, and all accounts due to him will be collected by me.

(Sgd.) WILLIAM BRYANT.

THE FORUM

A Column For All the People

The Gazette will be pleased to publish letters from its readers on all questions of public interest, provided the writer gives full name and address. The letter may be published under a nom de plume if so desired. In no case will the editor be responsible for the opinions expressed and does not necessarily endorse them.

Editor, Hedley Gazette,
Hedley, B. C.,

Sir:—Still floundering in a morass of unproven statements, the Rev. R. G. Stewart renews his attack on Christian Science in last week's issue. Surely he must know that the intelligent public will demand more than his mere dictum or slanderous aspersions to convince them. His criticisms utterly fail when analyzed and in face of the fact that those people whom he characterizes as fools and being fooled by Christian Science, embrace ministers of all denominations who have accepted the teachings of this world wide religion, farmers, doctors, merchants, army officers, working men, college professors, journalists, senators, judges, nurses, lawyers, etc., have found the truth as expounded and practised by Jesus, through Christian Science. When a minister is so bumptious and bigoted as to denounce these as being fooled, there is danger of his pride taking the deserved fall.

The reverend gentleman, as with many unscientific critics, takes a few words from Science and Health, as follows: "Evil is nothing, page 330," "the unreality and nothingness of evil," and from these bases a tirade of illogical denunciation.

The Bible states that God made all and all that He made was good. He could not make evil. Anything that He did not make is not real, is nothing. What is evil or devil? Jesus said devil or evil, personalizing it for illustration, is a liar and the father of lies. Thus only truth is real. A lie can have no real existence because God made all and all He made was good. A lie has its origin in the carnal, human, mind, not in the Divine mind. God is Spirit and He made man in His own image and likeness, therefore man is spiritual. The carnal, matter mind is at enmity with God and the flesh man or dust man, in which it is active is subject to sin, sickness and death, but the believing man, made in God's image, is immortal. "It is the Spirit that quickeneth, the flesh profiteth nothing."

Reading Science and Health prayerfully and carefully is not enough, it must be read intelligently. Its spiritual interpretation of the scriptures has caused an unparalleled demand for the book, four hundred thousand copies being sold in a short time after publication in 1876. Christian Science churches are rising rapidly in this and every land and when built are filled. Its practice of primitive Christianity as Jesus taught, will end wars, bring in the true brotherhood of man and hasten the coming of everlasting joy.

Jesus proved the nothingness of matte when the stone rolled away at the grave, when he fed the multitude, when he fasted forty days in the wilderness, when his body vanished while the disciples gazed. Even some of our present day natural scientists affirm the nothingness of matter. Spiritual things cannot be discerned by a man steeped in materialism, who worships other gods and puts faith in material remedies. Jesus never used medicine and His command was to heal the sick as He did—through the power of divine mind. The historian Gibbon and contemporaneous writers of the second and third centuries record that healing was performed as Jesus did until the teachings of Hippocrates and Aesculapius gained the adherence of those who fell away from the Christ method. Every known disease has been cured through the ministrations of Christian Science practitioners. Where the Christ method of healing is faithfully applied there can be no failure. Because of unbelief Jesus could do no mighty work where it existed, and so it is today.

Concluding let me quote: I Cor. 2:14, "But the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God; for they are foolishness unto him, neither can he know them because they are spititually discerned." Those ministers pretending to teach the scriptures are thus referred to: Luke 11:52—Woe unto you, lawyers, for ye have taken away the key of knowledge; ye will not enter in yourselves and them that were entering in ye hindered."

J. M. WRIGHT.

FLOUR TALK

WITH the present increased cost of living it is really a serious question. If you can get a few more loaves each bake day, would you not be prepared to at least try the flour which guarantees this result?—OUR BEST. So why not order a sack next time? and if you don't like it—if it does not suit you—we will cheerfully refund you the full purchase price.

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What Will Happen in the Near Future

Reunion of the Kootenay Old-Timers Association at Nelson, September 23rd.

Nelson Annual Fall Fair, at Nelson, September 23 and 24.

Grand Forks Fall Fair, at Grand Forks September 28 and 29.

Patriotic Smoker in the Opera House, Hedley, probably on Saturday, September 25. Watch for surer announcement.

The convention of the Western Canada Irrigation Association will be held at Bassano, November 23 to 25.

SUNDAY DINNER
—at the—
Similkameen Hotel

Soup
Poulette a la Renie
Fish
Boiled Halibut, a la Victoria
Entrees
Boiled Sugar Cured Ham, Chouvert
Cream Salad
Strawberry Jam Tarts
Clam Chowder au Crotons
Roast
Leg of Pork, Apple Puree
Loin of Beef, au Jus
Spring Chicken with Dressing
Vegetables
Puree of Potatoe a la Palouse
Baked Navy Beans
Dessert
Apple Pie Lemon Pie
Mince Pie
Plum Pudding, Brandy Sauce
Tea Coffee Cocoa
American Cheese

Notice !

Notice is hereby given that it is forbidden to trespass with firearms on the following property: Lots 3467, 316S, 48S, 376, 267S, known as the Camp Rest ranch. This notice is final, and hereafter trespassers will be prosecuted. G. H. CAHILL.

REWARD!

A reward of one hundred dollars, ($100.00), will be paid to any person giving information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party who shot in the windows of my house on Lot 267S. Shooting was done between 6 o'clock Monday, September 6th, 1915 and Friday, September 10, 1915.

Bullet holes in table and other fixtures shows the rifle used to be of large calibre.

Signed, G. H. CAHILL,
Hedley, B. C., Sept. 11, 1915 35-36

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NOTICE

Liquor Act, 1910.
(Section 49.)

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 6th day of September next, 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 Similkameen Hotel, situated at Hedley British Columbia, from Frank Dollemore to Willaim Bryant of British Columbia.

Dated this 6th day of August 1915.

FRANK DOLLEMORE,
Holder of Licence.
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Appicant for transfer.

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KEREMEOS

Owing to the cutting off of the train service our correspondent failed to connect and we are compelled to hold over the report of the flower shom and other news items.

W. C. Ditmaas, of Vancouver, is visiting with W. H. Armstrong at his splendid residence Hacienda.

W. LaRose has opened the barber shop here and is already working up quite a business. He is going to improve the place and will be in a position to give you the very best service in tonsorial work, baths, etc.

A. Morrison is worthy of the highest commendation for the splendid example he has set in the matter of fencing and beautifying of his property. He has made all the posts of his fence of concrete to which the wire is attached and then the posts are whitewashed. Besides being most durable and in the long run cheaper, they certainly look good. The approach to his house he has built up and embanked, the face on the embankment being finished with inumerable round faced stones which give it a very beautiful effect.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From the Hedley Gazette of Sept. 14th, 1905.)

The Nicola Herald announces that Otter Flat will be a Great Northern divisional point.

The V. V. & E. have cleared off considerable right of way at Midway and are grading, but lack of men is retarding the work rather seriously.

Dr. Whillans is putting up a new house on Scott Avenue across the street and a little further east than his present residence

Miss McQuarrie is the new teacher for the Nickel Plate school. She was expected in this week.

W. J. Manery, of the lower Similkameen was in town last week. He had no insurance on his out buildings, and the loss in buildings stock and grain would amount to fully $2,000.

The Vermillion Forks Mining Co. are calling for tenders for hauling 500 tons of coal from Princeton to Hedley. The bids are to be sent to Mr. Waterman at Princeton by the 30th.

Extra labor is coming to the assistance of the contractors on the Midway end of the V. V. & E. and work is going ahead faster. Laborers are coming in at the rate of about fifty per day.

Work has been going on steadily for the past week in putting in the telephone exchange. New poles that are considerably higher have been put in, in place of the old. The exchange is expected to be in operation in about a week or ten days more.

Don't forget the hospital meeting on Saturday night in Fraser's hall. The committee will have full information to lay before the meeting and the work of organization and thus finally launching the institution will in all probability be gone through with. There should be a large attendance.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't die in the House. 15c. and 25c. at Drug and Country Stores.

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Tribute to British Columbia Timber

The following bulletin has been sent out by the Forest Branch of the Department of Lands:

The central part of the greatest forest in the world is in British Columbia. This forest, which extends from California to the Bering Sea, and from the Pacific Ocean to the Rocky Mountains, contains the largest trees known, and the quality of their wood is unsurpassed. British Columbia's chief industry is the manufacture of forest products.

The timber of Eastern Canada, while varied and valuable, is not suitable for all purposes.

It is British Columbia's place to supply the rest of Canada with any lumber that cannot be produced locally.

The Eastern Provinces each year purchase many million feet of Southern Yellow Pine and other lumber from the States, yet British Columbia Douglas Fir is better for any purpose, and Mountain Western Pine, Western Larch, and Western Hemlock are particularly suited for many purposes.

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Instead of buying imported material, buy Canadian lumber.

Instead of using imported material, specify British Columbia lumber when ordering from your dealer.

British Columbia has a wood for every use.

The Southern States are entirely on the side of the Allies in their sentiment," declared Mr. F. G. Tabb, director of the American National Bank of Richmond, Va. Mr. Tabb is one of the party of New York bankers who arrived in the city last evening by special train on their way to the convention of the American Bankers Association at Seattle. "We are more, perhaps, closely in sympathy with Great Britain and her Allies in their struggle for human liberty than other sections of the United States. Our forefathers came of the Cavaliers of England and the people have never forgotten the stock from which they sprung.—News Advertiser.

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SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF YALE

TAKE NOTICE that Haliburton Tweddle, of the town of Keremeos Centre, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands near Ashnola Creek:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles South of the South-east angle of E. A. Hargrave's pre-emption, Record No. 671S, thence West forty chains, thence South forty chains, thence East forty chains, thence North forty chains to the place of commencement, containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less.—Located August 17th, 1915.

HALLIBURTON TWEDDLE,
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Dated September 8th, 1915. 35

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