

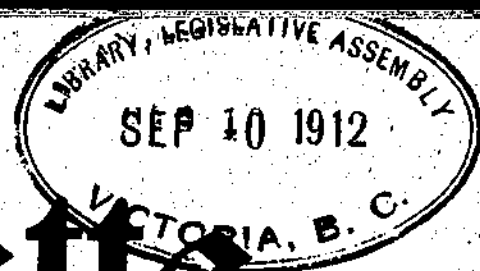
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Regular monthly meetings of Hedley Lodge 1744 are held on the third Monday in every month in Fraternity Hall. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.  
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## LABOR DAY SPORTS

Brought the Customary Labor Day Weather to Dampen Them

### RAIN SPOILS FIRST DAY'S SPORT

Programme Carried Out as Closely as Weather and Entries Would Permit—Good Crowd from Outside Points.

Jupiter Pluvius arrears to disapprove of the day which Labor has set upon for its annual holiday. On various years since Hedley has taken up the day there have been some very rainy celebrations and the manner in which the doses of moisture were administered on this occasion made it figure as one of the worst dampeners there have been in the series.

The first event on the programme was the

#### ROCK DRILLING

and if it had been brought off on time the most of it would have been over before the rain set in, but one of the teams did not make their appearance on the ground until an hour after the time set for the contest and by this time the rain had set in hard and the day had grown cold, which did not improve matters for the other teams that had been waiting on the spot in the rain. Three teams entered and when drawing had taken place for the order of drilling the first team to drill was S. E. Hamilton and G. B. Lyon who had had luck with their steel, no less than five of the bits breaking in the hole almost in succession, filling the hole with broken steel which was a handicap that would more than equal 12 or 14 inches in the depth drilled and this put them practically out of the running as they only got 22 inches and did well to get that under the circumstance. The next team to drill was Duffy and Burke from the Nickel Plate mine who got 29 1-16 inches with no broken steel, although they were somewhat handicapped also by their steel being on the soft side for the hardness of the rock. Their steel like the first team was the full seven-eighth in diameter and unswaged. The last team to drill was McEachern brothers who got 30 5-8 inches depth but the hole they drilled would scarcely go three-quarters of an inch in diameter as they used swaged steel with the corners of the bits drawn out about 1-16 and as these fine corners were sure to go off with the first blow and were so small too cause the slightest amount of trouble in the hole they had an advantage which would have required them to get much more depth than they did. Nevertheless those who advertised the contest failed to specify that full seven-eighth steel must be used and that no swaging would be allowed and under the circumstance the McEachern brothers who got the prize were scarcely to be blamed for taking advantage of the oversight as they were in no position to know whether other teams would not do the same as themselves. If all teams were required to use the same brand of steel and all sharpened and tempered the same the contest would then be won on its merits so far as skill, muscle and endurance of the drillers is concerned.

#### HORSE RACES

In the afternoon the races were not long in progress until the rain began again and developed into a downpour with a fierce driving wind in which was mixed a chilly November tang and as it continued to rain steadily for the balance of the afternoon it was impossible to carry out any more of the programme in such weather. Next morning, however, was fine and the horse racing was resumed. The following were winners in the various horse-racing events:

Free for All—1st Charlie Allison's horse, 2nd Alexis.  
Pony race—1st Garrison's "Gray Dick", 2nd Charlie Loudon's "Black Beauty".  
Colt Race—1st J. Dinnis' "Nelly", 2nd D. J. Innis' "Fleetfoot".  
Ladies' Saddle-horse—1st Miss Daly, 2nd Miss Innis.

Concluded on Page Four.

## LIGHT-FINGERED GENTRY

A Case of Pocket Picking That Preceded the Labor Day Sports

In the past Labor Day in Hedley and the celebration that goes with it, has been invariably the occasion for more or less lawlessness of one kind or another. The event seems to attract these loose fish with looser morals and they flock around like flies around a pot of treacle. If it is not debauching the Indians with booze it is apt to take some other form of law breaking. This time some of the offenders could not wait until the celebration was on but sought to take time by the forelock.

On Friday morning last Walter Waddel who has been working all summer in Washington state and had some of his savings in the form of a roll of United States ten dollar bills gave them to a companion William J. Orr to keep for him while he went out on the range to look for some horses. Orr counted the money and found it to amount to about \$167, being in two rolls—one of \$140 in U. S. ten dollar bills and the other smaller one of \$27. He put both rolls in the pocket of his overalls and went to the bar-room of the Grand Union where he began to imbibe more than was good for him and to make the acquaintance of some strangers who would have been better to have remained strangers to him. About noon he discovered that only the small roll of \$27 remained with him and the larger had disappeared. By this time Waddel had returned and he informed him of the loss and gave him back the remaining \$27. At this juncture constable Sproule had been phoned for and his suspicions fell on a young fellow named Blair who had drifted in for the celebration. He noticed Blair coming in from the rear of the building and concluded that he had gone to avoid him when he knew he was coming. He remained there some time with the crowd that had gathered on the news of the robbery, and was paying special attention to the actions of Blair and his companion McGillivray and the remarks they were making. He went out to the back to have a look around for some likely place where the money might be hidden as he expected that the guilty party would take care not to have the money on his person, and a likely place to him seemed the ice house among the sawdust. Here he began digging when L. C. Rolls saw him and came over to him, and from Rolls he learned that Blair had been there some time before and he showed him the particular part of the ice-house where Blair had been. He dug there and a roll of bills amounting to \$60 in United States ten dollar bills soon came to view. He went back to the bar-room where he left the suspects and gave them to understand that he had been unable to find anything and was going home, but instead of going he went to Rolls' store and took up his station at the back window from which Rolls had seen Blair go into the icehouse. After remaining at the window for some time he saw McGillivray come to the ice house and begin digging in the same dust, but not in the right place. He was afterwards joined by Blair who started in to help to look in the sawdust, but Blair went at once to the spot where the roll had been found. After watching them for a while and seeing them make an effort to close the door of the icehouse so that no one might see them within, he went over to them and began questioning them and finally took them both into custody. He searched both of them and found some small change on Blair and a ten dollar United States bill on McGillivray. He afterwards turned McGillivray loose and went back with him to the Grand Union when McGillivray bought a drink giving the ten dollar bill in payment and from the till this bill was afterwards obtained to serve as an exhibit.

Blair's case came up for hearing on Saturday afternoon before A. Megraw and while the evidence adduced might not be considered sufficiently direct or complete to warrant conviction if the case were being tried summarily, it was nevertheless too strong for the bench to take the responsibility of turning him loose by dismissing

## THAT WELCOME POTLATCH

Hedley Gold Mining Co. again to the Fore With the Quarterly Dividend

### FIVE PER CENT. FOR QUARTER

Expenditure Above the Average But no Lessening of the Rate.—Much Development Goes Forward—The Development Under Windfall Bond Increases Outlay Considerably.

The ever welcome news of the usual quarterly dividend paid by the Hedley Gold Mining Company to its stock holders is to hand this week from the head office of the company in New York. The dividend is the established quarterly three per cent with the additional two per cent bonus add is payable September 30th to stock holders of record on the 16th.

Owing to the wetness of the summer which caused frequent delays of a few hours duration each time through washing out of parts of the flume, and also that the company has been under heavier expense during the past three months because of the additional outlay in prospecting under the bond which they hold on the Windfall group now being tested, there were some who were wondering whether the usual rate could be maintained, but all such doubts are set at rest. On the Windfall development all the company's own diamond drills are fully manned and contracts were let to a diamond drill contracting company who brought in drills of their own to put down additional holes.

The development work on the Nickel Plate itself which has gone on steadily is still showing up the most gratifying extent of the ore reserves and the maintenance of their values and while it may be too much to expect that in the face of all this additional outlay they may be able to repeat the princely dividend performance of last December it is reassuring that it has not lessened the rate of the dividends up to the present point.

Following is the official notice of the dividend:

**HEDLEY GOLD MINING COMPANY**  
42 Broadway  
New York, August 26, 1912

A quarterly dividend of three per cent (3%) and an additional dividend of two per cent (2%) has this day been declared on the outstanding capital stock of this Company, payable Monday, September 30, 1912, to stockholders of record at 3:00 o'clock p.m., Monday, September 16th, 1912.

Transfer books will be closed on Monday, September 16, 1912 at 3:00 o'clock p.m. and reopen on Tuesday, October 1, 1912, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

Hedley Gold Mining Company  
John D. Clarke, secretary.

## GENERAL NEWS

A fish hatchery is being established by the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Gerrard where the Lardau river leaves Trout Lake.

General Booth died last week and his son Bramwell Booth succeeds him as head of the salvation army.

A Toronto bank clerk stole \$26,000 from the Bank of Toronto to bet on the horse races.

The captains and mates on ocean passenger steamers threaten to go on strike if their wages are not increased.

Grading on the Canadian Northern is almost completed between Hope and Yale, and the road will soon be ready for traffic from Port Mann to Hope as much of the tracklaying has already been done. The track is expected to reach the west end of the Yale tunnel early in October.

The case, and so he was committed for trial at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

In view of the evidence adduced and the way McGillivray behaved during the hearing, it was deemed advisable to issue a warrant for his arrest as accessory after the fact.

## SUDDEN DEATH

The citizens of Hedley were very much surprised on Tuesday morning when the word got around that Thos. Sirois Duplessis better known around town as Tommy Sirois had been found dead in the Grand Union Hotel at an early hour that morning. He was found by Dave Henderson who was helping to tend bar Monday night. He had been seen to reel and stagger in the bar the evening before and he was placed in a chair when he seemed to curl up in it in what was thought to be a drunken sleep and no one paid any further attention to him. At an early hour next morning, however, when he was noticed to be in the same place an effort was made to arouse him when he was found to be cold. No inquest was thought to be necessary and the cause of his death is variously stated to have been heart failure and paralysis. It is reported that he was expecting a sister to arrive shortly to keep house for him, but very little appears to be known of him or his friends. The funeral will take place today.

## THE LATE MRS. COLLIN

After a long and trying illness, Barbara Collin, wife of Mr. R. S. Collin, died at the Hedley General Hospital on Monday evening. On a visit to her birthplace in England some four years ago she was stricken with paralysis of one side and her life was then despaired of for some time, but she afterwards regained strength enough to attempt the trip back to Canada and her husband went over to England to bring her back. Since then she never fully recovered the use of her limbs that were paralyzed although at times she seemed to make recovery that led to the hope that the clot of blood which causes the trouble in all such cases might in time become absorbed and the ill effects pass, but the hope was doomed to disappointment. A month ago or more other trouble developed which necessitated the amputation of the leg above the knee on the side that was not paralyzed to prolong her life. The clot which was the prime cause of the paralysis again militated against recovery from the amputation as it interfered with the circulation of the blood and free circulation is an essential when there is any serious wound to be healed.

During her long trying illness she received at all times the devoted care of her husband who was ever unremitting in his efforts to minister to her comfort and spared no effort nor expense to benefit her. The funeral on Tuesday was largely attended and many floral offerings testified the esteem in which she was held. Warmest sympathy is extended to the bereaved husband and to the niece, Miss Newhouse, who came out from England a few months ago and assisted in caring for her until she was removed to the hospital.

## GENERAL NEWS

Wm. Blakemore of Victoria is the commissioner appointed to investigate the habits of the Doukhobours in British Columbia.

Britain is taking no steps to boycott the Panama exposition, because they believe that by the time the exposition is opened an amicable settlement will have been arrived at and treaty rights of other nations respected by the United States.

King George came near figuring in an automobile collision recently. Prompt action on the part of the driver of the other car who ditched his own car to avoid the smash was all that saved a bad accident. Fortunately the occupants of the ditched car were uninjured by their spill.

Soft drinks doped with wood alcohol was responsible for several deaths in Montreal. Now they are looking for the man who mixed the dope.

Dr. Elliott S. Rowe, secretary of publicity committee Vancouver, is lecturing through the interior of the province, and preaching the doctrine of a common interest between the coast and the interior. It would be well for him to try to get the coast cities to observe the truth of that contention.



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A. MEGRAW, Managing Editor.

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**Last quarter** 4 **First quarter** 18  
1912 SEP 1912  
**Sun. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat.**  
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**EDITORIAL COMMENTS**

If anything were wanting to disillusionize the people of Great Britain and show them the erratic character of the orbit of that great luminary Sir Wilfrid Laurier across their skies a few years ago it was furnished last week by Sir Wilfrid himself when he addressed the guests at that banquet in Ottawa at which he in common with two visiting Britons, Mr. Arthur Graffell and Sir Arthur Lawley were guests. Sir Wilfrid took upon himself in the presence of these visitors to assume a lofty air of superiority and also of reproof to the people of Great Britain for spending so much money in "arms and armaments." "You in England" he said "think all the time of armaments and spend half your revenue upon them, we think of railways and canals." If it were only the exceeding bad taste he displayed in uttering such sentiments on such an occasion, that in itself would be sufficient humiliation to Canada which must bear a certain amount of the stigma, but that is only a small part of the shame attaching the utterance of these sentiments at such a time. Not for a hundred years has Britain faced the crisis which she is doing to-day and France under the first Napoleon was no more a menace to the peace and well-being of the world than Germany is at the present time. Had the British parliament been led in those trying times of the beginning of the last century by a man who could utter such ignoble sentiments instead of by a statesman like the younger Pitt, or had she been unduly influenced by the academic rot of Foxe, where would she have been to-day? The whole British Empire and many of the other countries of Europe are depending wholly upon the protection of Britain's navy, and outside of Britain herself no part of the world should be more concerned than Canada that Britain's supremacy on the sea be maintained. Laurier who has boxed the compass politically on nearly every question of public policy in this country used to boast that some objected to him because he was too British. He has certainly taken good care now that no one will ever have occasion to find like fault with him again. The News-Advertiser very aptly remarks that Canada has little cause for boasting that she is thinking only of railways and canals, for if Britain had been thinking only

of railways and canals it would have been necessary for Canada to have been thinking of "Arms and Armaments."

## METEOROLOGICAL.

The following are the readings showing temperature, etc., for the week ending August 31, 1912:

**AT THE MINE.**

Aug 25	Maximum	Minimum
25	58	41
26	57	35
27	45	34
28	43	27
29	44	31
30	43	20
31	40	30

Average maximum temperature 47.14  
Average minimum do 32.85  
Mean temperature 39.90  
Rainfall for the week 0.25 inches.  
Snowfall " " 00.15 "

**CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR**  
Highest maximum temperature 70.  
Average maximum do 53.71  
Lowest minimum do 33.  
Average minimum do 35.  
Mean do 49.35

**AT THE MILL.**

Aug 25	Maximum	Minimum
25	75	48
26	77	49
27	64	41
28	65	42
29	60	42
30	57	45
31	55	46

Average maximum temperature 64.71  
Average minimum do 44.71  
Mean do 54.71  
Rainfall for the week .25 inches  
Snowfall " " 0.00 "

**CORRESPONDING WEEK OF LAST YEAR**  
Highest maximum temperature 87  
Average do do 82.42  
Lowest minimum do 46.  
Average do do 53.85  
Mean do 68.13

## EXTENSION OF TIME

NOTICE is hereby given that the time for the reception of tenders for the construction of the Victoria Harbour, B. C., Breakwater, is extended to Wednesday, September 18th, 1912.

By Order  
R. C. DESROCHERS,  
Secretary  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, August 25, 1912.

**County Court of Yale**

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be held in Fraternity Hall, Hedley, on Tuesday, October 8th, at 2 o'clock p. m.

By Command  
HUGH HUNTER  
Registrar County Court.

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Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., 334 J. ROBERT BROWN, Indian agent



Sealed Tenders address to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for the Construction of a Breakwater in Victoria Harbour, B. C." will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Thursday, September 5th, 1912, for the construction of a Breakwater at Victoria Harbour, Victoria, B. C.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of W. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C.; C. C. Worfold, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster, B. C.; J. C. Sing, Esq., District Engineer, Toronto, Ont.; J. L. Michaud, Esq., District Engineer, Montreal, Que.; and on application to the Postmaster at Vancouver, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order  
R. C. DESROCHERS,  
Secretary  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, August 8, 1912

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TAKE Notice that I, Charles Joseph Loewen of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, Broker intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the North-west corner of Lot 357; thence northerly along the East shore of Dog Lake eighty chains more or less to the South-western corner post of Lot 461; thence East 73 links more or less to the West boundary of the Columbia and Western Railway right of way, being the East boundary of Lot 2710, Group 1; thence Southerly eighty chains, more or less, along the West boundary of Lot 2710 to the north boundary of Lot 357; thence West three chains more or less to the point of commencement and containing 25 acres more or less.

CHARLES JOSEPH LOEWEN by his agent Herbert E. A. Robertson  
Date, May 27th, 1912

## NOTICE

SIMILKAMEEN LAND DISTRICT DISTRICT OF VALE

TAKE notice that I, Hiram Inglee of White Lake, occupation Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Lot 10th, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement containing 80 acres, more or less.

HIRAM INGLEE  
July 29th, 1912 31-10

**Town and District.**

**BORN**—In Hedley on September 2nd to Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDevitt, a son.

V. Huus, inspector for the Bank of B. N. A. came in Tuesday and is inspecting the local branch this week. Mr. Huus was here two years ago.

A. A. Davidson who was in charge of Roll's store some four years ago is now in Edmonton in the employ of the government of Alberta as one of the clerks in the department of Agriculture.

Charles Cansell is geologizing this week over in the vicinity of the Apex. He is due in Victoria on the sixteenth and has to make an examination of the coal basin at White Lake before that date.

Miss Eastman, the second teacher, was taken ill at Keremeos the beginning of the week and was unable to take her work yesterday morning. It is expected, however, that she will be on hand Monday morning.

A round seven dozen and five eggs in the month of August, was the record of one pen of 12 white leghorn pullets in Hedley purchased from T.C. Brooke of Princeton three months ago. This pen of pullets was hatched on March 12th.

Harold Townsend played lacross for Keremeos in Coalmont on Monday and got a clip with a lacross stick which is apparently a necessary and honorable accompaniment of the game, but next day he was none the worse for the mishap.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jones went out on Tuesday's train accompanied by Miss Avonia and Gomer. Mr. Jones was only going as far as Princeton, but Mrs. Jones was going through to Victoria with Avonia who is going to attend St. Margaret's school for girls.

McGillivray did not figure as a competitor in the foot races this year as he happened to have another engagement by which he was unavoidably detained. Neither did his pal, Blair, figure as a principal in the sparring bout which was to have come off for he two had to cancel the appointment.

Paul Nelson came back to Hedley last week and from all reports he is not going to be any the worse off for being robbed in the Oroville coop, as it is claimed that he has a good strong case against the authorities and is going to make them come through for more than the amount taken off him.

The adjacent mountain tops crowned with snow on Labor Day was a foretaste of the chilly weeks ahead. Tuesday morning found the board walks covered with hoar frost and the mercury showed two degrees of frost which did more or less harm to gardens that were not protected by artificial means.

H. H. Messenger and Ed Burr opened the deer hunting season by going out early on Monday morning and bringing in a two point buck which fell to Messenger's rifle. There were five deer in the bunch but as only one of the hunters was in range and the others had a good chance to make a get-away they succeeded in doing so.

Robert Stevenson, latterly dubbed Colonel, but more familiarly known as the father of the Similkameen was among the visitors to Hedley on Labor Day. He always patronizes the Labor Day sports in Hedley, not even being deterred therefrom by the accident which occurred when he was thrown out of a rig about five years ago. He is a great admirer of a good horse and a horse race recalls for him many incidents of that sport in the earlier days of the valley.

School started yesterday after the summer holidays with the new teacher in charge. Mr. A. P. Hill, principal arrived on Saturday, having come from Winnipeg via Revelstoke, the Arrow Lakes and the Boundary. The second teacher is Miss Easton, formerly of Morden, Man., but latterly of Keremeos. In a few days they will doubtless have the work of the term well begun and all are looking forward to good work being done as both are experienced teachers and with proper support from parents and the pupils themselves good progress may be expected.

W. S. Rothwell, representing the Mainland Underwriters' Association, was in Hedley last week checking up fire risks in the town and seeing how they correspond with the latest edition of Goad's sheet. The local fire company were expecting him to sound an alarm and turn out the hose team, but he was so busy checking up the map sheet that he was pinched for time. Nevertheless he went thoroughly into details concerning the nature of the fire protection which the town and the Hedley Gold Mining Company

have provided, and seemed very much pleased with what has been accomplished in that line. Whether it is going to result in his recommendation of a special rate for Hedley with the Underwriters remains to be seen; but one thing is very sure and that is that any danger of them declining risks because of helplessness of the town to combat fire is now pretty well past.

G. H. Whiteman returned on Friday last from a very successful trip for the Princeton Coal & Land Co. in which he disposed of several carloads in most every place he covered on the trip. In some places he finds a prejudice against the coal existing as a result of the mistake made by the company a couple of years ago in marketing so much of the output before they were in a position to do proper cleaning, classifying and grading. Now, however, it is different and they are fully equipped to turn out the black diamonds, knowing that all who buy can be assured that they will get coal that will be fully as good as represented. Mr. Holden the superintendent in charge of the collieries thoroughly understands his work and has the operations so thoroughly systematized that salesmen are sure that their customers will get exactly what has been ordered. Mr. Whiteman remained over in Hedley for the Labor Day celebration and returned to Princeton on Tuesday accompanied by Mrs. Whiteman, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sproule while he was gone.

**DIED.**

At the General Hospital, Hedley, on Monday September 2nd, Barbara, beloved wife of R. S. Collin, aged 31 years.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The undersigned on behalf of himself and Miss Newhouse, begs to thank the people of Hedley for the kindness extended to them during their bereavement:

R. S. COLLIN.

**SOME NOTES FOR THE FARMER**

Don't forget the Dry Farming congress to take place at Lethbridge, October 19-26. The farmer who can conveniently finance the trip should receive sufficient benefit to repay him the outlay.

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Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

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Any claims which have not already been so filed and verified by statutory declaration or otherwise, should be filed with the undersigned without delay.

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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.  
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# THE KEREMEOS PAGE

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

## Town and Lower Valley.

William Richter was over from Fairview this week.

Harry Phelps of Okanagan Falls was in town on Tuesday.

In Keremeos on Sept. 2nd, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Ewart, a daughter.

In Keremeos on Sept. 1st, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cooper, a daughter.

Miss Brett, the Similkameen school teacher spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Crocker.

Mr. Hargreaves was called to Edmonton this week owing to the serious illness of his son.

Miss McKenzie of Vaseaux Lake and her cousin, Miss McKenzie of Tacoma, were in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jones of Hedley accompanied by Miss Jones were in town on Tuesday evening.

Andy Jensen blew in the other day and met a number of his old friends who were all pleased to see him back.

Dr. Tolmie, veterinary inspector, was in town this week bound for Oroville from which point he was going to Osoyoos.

W. M. Frith will take a few days off with some friends and part of his holiday may embrace a little hunting expedition.

C. H. F. Harman, Ottawa, Miss Camusa and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Soline of Victoria were guests at the Hotel Keremeos this week.

Dr. Thomson, veterinary surgeon, has been ill for some time but has improved somewhat. He has heart trouble and the present attack appears to have been more severe than usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Findlay of Kaleden and Miss Simpson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brown over the week end and accompanied Mrs. Brown to Hedley on Monday.

Baptiste Surprise who has been ailing with tuberculosis for some kind and whose death has been expected died on Tuesday of last week and was buried on Thursday.

Constable McGuffie who has come from the Greenwood office to take Max Ewart's place as local peace officer at Keremeos has entered on his duties and we all hope will prove a terror to evil-doers.

V. Dynes, was in Keremeos this week in the interest of the Riverside Nurseries at Grand Forks, which supplies most of the fruit trees planted here. Their nursery stock has done so well that the trees they send out seem to please the fruitgrowers.

Joe Beebe left for Calgary to join his tilleruns at the stampede. Joe was formerly of that country and was with Colonel Steel. He was one time interpreter for the Blackfeet, Piegan, Cree and Blood Indians, and in a function such as they intend to pull off at Calgary this week Joe will be fit.

Keremeos lacrosse players left by auto for Tulameen on Sunday where they played a match with Princeton and won by a score of 4 goals to three. In this game J. A. Brown was in goal and did very effective work and it is claimed to have been a mistake to take him out of that position in the Hedley game next day.

Charles Gansell, of the Canadian Geological Survey, was in town on Tuesday and was particularly interested in the find of Indian relics made a short time ago. He wanted to get the war club and some other ikas to send to the archaeological exhibit in Ottawa where they are always anxious to get anything of that time. Some of the finders did not care to part with them but in all probability they will conclude that it will be better to let them go where they will be taken good care of.

## GENERAL NEWS

Suez canal tolls are to be reduced by way of retaliation against the United States because of their Panama canal policy.

Much of the wheat crop on the Canadian prairies has already been cut and men and binder twine are both of them much in demand.

Hon. F. L. Carter-Cotton has been chosen Chancellor for the new provincial university.

William Johnstone, recently from Liverpool, was found drowned in the surf at Plumper's Pass. Foul play is suspected.

## LABOR DAY SPORTS

Continued from Page one.  
LACROSSE MATCH

In view of the fact that the baseball competition did not fill with the class of ball for which the purse was intended the amount was split and some of it given for lacrosse. On Tuesday morning a couple of teams entered for lacrosse. These were Princeton with a couple of assistants from Pentiction and a team composed of Keremeos and Hedley. The former won on a score of 7 goals to 1. Neither team was in proper condition but the Princeton claps appeared to be in better shape to hold up the pace and the combination of their two Pentiction men was the most effective playing on their side. For the Hedley Keremeos team the best stick handling and running was claimed to have been done by Hunter of Keremeos but unfortunately he had not the support from others of his side to enable him to work any team combinations. The home team scored the first goal and kept the ball pretty well on their opponents' flags for all of the first quarter but after that their bolt was shot and the visitors had it pretty much their own way. The game was ably refereed by a traveller for Fleck & Co. named Leacock who did satisfactory work.

## BASEBALL

On Tuesday afternoon two teams representing Keremeos and Hedley were matched for a game which Hedley won on a score of 15-11. Hedley had decidedly the best of it, the score standing 14 to three in their favor for the first four innings with Billy Corrigan in the box for Hedley. Maurice Daly pitched for Keremeos but he was wild and gave a good many passes and while he had much difficulty in locating the plate there was a deadly precision in his aim at opposing batsmen several of whom he managed to wing at various stages of the game, and he pinked Billy Corrigan the Hedley heaver on the throwing arm in the first inning. As a result Messenger was sent in to pitch after the fourth innings to save Billy's sore wing and after that they got the rest of their tallies. The game was umpired by R. Wheeler who was hospitable in several of his decisions but the home players were magnanimous and forgiving and he was at no time in very serious danger nor found it necessary to take to the woods.

## ATHLETIC SPORTS

100 yard dash—1st Morris, 2nd Raincock.

220 yard foot race—1st Morris, 2nd A. Miller.

40 yard foot race—1st Morris, 2nd A. Miller.

## THE DANCE

The dance in Shafford's hall in the evening was well attended and was one of the most successful functions of the kind connected with Labor Day that have been held in any year. A great many strangers were present; the floor was in good condition; the music supplied by Miss Lyall, W. Daly and W. Knight was pronounced excellent by all the guests and the supper provided by the hotels was eminently satisfactory.

There were no competitors for the trap shooting and that portion of the programme was called off.

## NOTES

A few years ago those who attended the celebration were either on foot or on horseback. Later on buggies and carriages began to appear on the scene and now the ubiquitous auto is much in evidence.

Keremeos and Princeton played lacrosse in Tulameen on Monday forenoon when Keremeos won 4 to 3.

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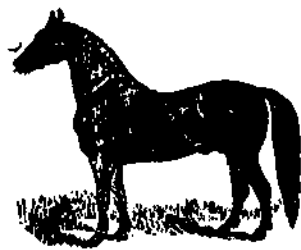
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