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KEEN FIGHT LOOMS UP BETWEEN PENTICTON AND KELOWNA FOR HIGHWAY

(Penticton Herald)
The struggle between Kelowna and Penticton for the road to Carmi and Beaverdell grows keen.

It is reported here that Kelowna has obtained the support of Dr. Kingston member for Grand Forks-Greenwood, the local assumption being that he would naturally prefer a north and south road east of Okanagan lake as this would probably mean the widening and improving of the existing road from Rock Creek to Beaverdell, thus holding trade from that mining camp for the Grand Forks-Greenwood centres. Vernon has also supported the Kelowna view.

The Kelowna road to Carmi and Beaverdell would be about twenty miles longer than one from Penticton into that country and while, by using the present Kelowna-McCulloch road it would not be any more expensive it would not give a permanent satisfactory grade on account of the steep climb to McCulloch. This could not be overcome without heavy expense.

On the other hand, it is claimed here a road from Penticton could be built on a permanent grade at the same expense as the more or less temporary highway to Kelowna, having the additional advantage of being much shorter.

It was reported at a supper meeting of the Board of Trade on Wednesday night that the residents of Carmi and Beaverdell had signed a petition 100 per cent strong in favor of a road to Penticton, considering this point the natural outlet for that country owing to its proximity.

The board members discussed at their meeting the possibility of interviewing the members from Yale, Nelson and Trail with a view of ascertaining if a transprovincial highway route could be developed up the Kettle river and over the hill to Penticton, but it was concluded that in view of the amount of money which the provincial government has already expended on the Anarchist mountain road the better policy would be merely to ask for a suitable "country" road connecting the mining camps with Penticton. This could be constructed at a minimum of expense and would not involve any questions of policy such as would certainly be produced if any variation from the present transprovincial highway routes was suggested.

Hon. W. A. McKenzie, who, as minister of mines, is naturally interested in giving Beaverdell and Carmi camps an outlet in addition to the south road to Rock Creek is at present acting as minister of public works in the absence of Hon. Nels Loughheed on a six weeks' trip to the Old Country. He has written to the local board to state that it is not necessary to have a delegation go down to Victoria on this subject at the present time. He expects to visit the district in the very near future, and will go into the matter fully then.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

As the local Government Office will be closed from Friday, the 28th until Tuesday, April 2nd, motor vehicle licences will be issued on Thursday, March 28th, at the quarterly reduction.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Keir were motored to Spokane on Friday morning last by their son Lewis, after a few weeks visit at the Cedar Glen Fur Farm. Lewis returned on Sunday accompanied by J. C. Boltz, who had been consulting a specialist in the American City. Mr. Boltz is improving in health.

Those attending the song service at the United Church last Sunday evening were indeed greatly taken with the well arranged program and the charming voices heard there. The ones responsible for the arranging of this song service are to be congratulated on their efforts and it is to be hoped that we shall have more song services in the future.

Passed away peacefully on Friday, March 22nd, at her home, in her 57th year, Mary Elizabeth, beloved wife of Robert Kenyon. She leaves to mourn her loss her sorrowing husband, two sons, Tom of New Westminster, Jack of Grand Forks, B.C.; two daughters, Mae at home and Mrs. J. P. C. Wright of Grand Forks, B.C. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 from Bell Undertaking parlors, Rev. J. D. Hobden, formerly of Grand Forks officiating.

Mutual Knowledge

"He knows all the best people in town."
"Why doesn't he associate with them, then?"
"They know him!"

MIDWAY NEWS

G. P. Harpur of Myncester spent Monday in town.

J. R. Ferguson motored to Greenwood on Wednesday the 27th.

Miss Gladys Jackson returned home from a visit to Trail on Friday.

Robert Johnston of Rock Creek was a visitor in town on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Harold Erickson entertained a number of friends for supper on Saturday evening.

Mr. Lynch, accompanied by Mr. Bush, both of Grand Forks, were visiting in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Casselman and family of Boundary Falls, moved into Mr. McKaracher house here this week.

Farmer Bush and Bobby Brown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Beckett at Kettle Valley on Sunday last.

Prizes were won by Mrs. G. P. Harpur ladies; Mr. Hanson, gents, at the Five Hundred card party in the Old School House last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fritz left today for Christina Lake, where Mr. Fritz will be in charge of the saw mill recently acquired by W. E. McArthur.

Several people here have received shipments of White Leghorn day old baby chicks this week, through Prof. Lloyd, Sec. R. O. P. Association, Vancouver.

Rev. Webber, Secretary for the Lord's Day Alliance, gave a very interesting address last Sunday in Midway United Church at the 3 p.m. service and related much of the good work done by their society.

WESTBRIDGE NEWS

Frank Chartrand spent a few days last week on business at Midway.

Arthur Mellor and his men have a lot of poles out waiting for shipping.

Leo Madden of Greenwood spent a few days visiting friends at Christian Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rusk of the Main river were visitors here on Wednesday.

Some of the residents here now are planting some early garden produce and the writer hopes that the weather will continue warm.

Frank Christian is recovering from his recent accident which he received when he used the wrong target for shooting at.

John Saunier returned home last week from a visit to friends in Penticton. Since his return he has been laid up with an attack of the flu.

The road gang is repairing a few of the bad places on the roads leading to Beaverdell and Christian Valley, but there is great need of considerable more work to be done this spring as they are in poor shape especially the Main river.

He Was There

Hyde Park Orator: "Now then, where is the fool who will affirm that men of our intelligence sprung from monkeys?"

Voice from the audience: "Hear, hear!"

"I'm thinking of taking a trip to Switzerland this winter."

"Really, old man, you can't afford that. You're not accustomed to that sort of thing."

"I merely said I was thinking of it. I can afford to think, can't I?"

"No; that's what I mean. You're not accustomed to thinking."

Mother: "Now, Willie, I want you to go in and get acquainted with the new nurse, and kiss her nice."

Willie: "Yes; and get my face slapped like papa did."

"Aren't you afraid the birds will eat your seeds? You ought to put up a scarecrow."

"Oh, it's not worth it. There's always one of us in the garden."

A Scotsman once walked into a shop with a dozen chorus girls.

"Go ahead and buy anything you want," he said.

"That's right, laugh. This is a joke."

Hercules Corporation Commence Development

Crew Starts Work on Anaconda Group; Crescent Mines Limited Has Arranged for Working Crescent Group; Bonanza Near Grand Forks to Open

The Hercules Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Corporation Limited has started Spring mining operations in the Greenwood Camp. A crew of miners went up to the Anaconda group, situated north of the old Mother Lode Mine in Deadwood Camp this morning. This is a copper property and was owned and worked by the Fletcher interests in the early days. Development at that time showed up a considerable body of copper ore. It is the intention of the Hercules Corporation to do intensive development on this group.

The Crescent Group

Work will commence immediately on the Crescent group, a short distance East of Greenwood on the Phoenix Hill, owned by the Crescent Mines Limited. This concern is controlled by the Hercules Corporation. There are 12 claims in the group. Development will start on the Crescent, which has yielded good values in silver-lead. Considerable work was done on this property last fall, which was very encouraging to the owners.

R. Crowe-Swords Visits Deadwood Camp

R. Crowe-Swords, the energetic representative of the Hercules Corporation arrived in town on Monday and made arrangements for the commencement of work in the Greenwood section. On Tuesday morning he examined the Anaconda group and sampled same. He also inspected other copper property in the Deadwood basin. Wednesday evening he was motored to Grand Forks by G. S. Walters, where he starts development work on the Hercules Corporation property in that section. Mr. Crowe-Swords will then return to Vancouver. Chas. Brennan who was in charge of the Greenwood office early in the year will return from Vancouver in about ten days time. Enough miners can be had in this district to carry on the development work, and there is no need of men to come in from other sections.

The success of the Hercules Corporation's venture will mean much to the old town of Greenwood.

The Bonanza

The Hercules Corporation will also start development this week on the Bonanza, better known as the English and French group, located 10 miles above Grand Forks. The Bonanza has a large showing of silver-lead ore.

DEATH OF W. Y. WILLIAMS

William Yolán Williams, 75, pioneer mining engineer and widely known in the Pacific northwest, died in Spokane, Wash., on Sunday, March 24th. He lived in that region for 47 years. Williams came to the Coeur d'Alene in the early 90's and was superintendent of the famous Sierra Nevada mine. He was at one time chief engineer of the Granby mine at Phoenix.

BRIDESVILLE FARMER TESTING TRIPLE SUPER PHOSPHATE

Joe DuMont of Bridesville, has received a 100lb sample of triple super phosphate, the new by-product from the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co., of Trail, to experiment on crops in that section. Mr. DuMont has very kindly offered to let the readers of The Greenwood Ledge know the results of the various tests he has under consideration.

Sound Advice

"Hands off," said the sign on the buzz saw.

Inquisitive Edward didn't believe in signs.

Hands off was right.

A Case For Pelmanism

"What have you a knot in your handkerchief for?"

"My wife put it there to remind me to post a letter."

"And have you done so?"

"She forgot to give it to me."

Another delightful surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sater on Saturday night last. About fourteen young people were present and the usual games were played and enjoyed by all. Singing and dancing were also indulged in and later the most delicious supper served by Mrs. Sater after which all dispersed for their respective homes having had the most pleasant time.

WELLINGTON HAS RICH ORE AT DEPTH

The car load of ore shipped to Trail last week from the Wellington at Beaverdell, was up to the average grade of previous shipments from the upper workings. This rich strike at depth on Wallace Mountain has up set the theories of many prominent mining engineers and operators, thus confirming the judgement of the men in charge of the Wellington, whose theories backed by the district mining engineer and the prominent engineer of the Hecla Mining Co.

R. R. HEDLEY EXAMINES THE REPUBLIC GROUP

R. R. Hedley, M. E., of Vancouver, arrived in town during the week-end and is busy sampling and examining the Republic Group, South West of Greenwood. This group consists of the Republic, Last Chance and Nonsuch. The shafts on the Republic and Last Chance have been unwatered and a thorough examination is being made. This group is owned by Ola Lofstad and partner.

BEAVER SILVER

R. L. Clothier, superintendent of the Beaver Silver mine, situated near Beaverdell, B.C., stated on Tuesday to the Vancouver Sun that high grade ore is being taken out of the mine now during development and excellent headway is being made on the crosscut which is being driven to the northeast for the purpose of picking up the "Niger" veins in Beaver territory.

This vein is narrower than the famous Bell vein, which carries the big values in the property, but is very high-grade, furnishing a substantial tonnage where it was opened near the Bell vein. The vein has been stripped on the surface over the Bell boundary line into Beaver ground, and should be encountered at depth in the crosscut within two weeks at present rate of progress.

Mr. Clothier stated that the outlook at the Beaver Silver is more favorable than ever and that officials expect to place the Beaver in the list of high-grade shippers this spring.

THE ROLE OF SUNLIGHT IN THE NORMAL GROWTH OF CHICKS

(Experimental Farms Note)

Experimental work during the past few years has drawn particular attention to the importance of sunlight in the successful brooding and rearing of chicks.

It has been definitely shown that unless special supplementary feeds are fed chicks cannot be raised satisfactorily in the absence of sunlight. Since many early hatched chicks, particularly where cold winters are the rule, have not the opportunity of getting out into the sunlight it is essential to supply some form of substitute for the sun's rays to avoid trouble from leg weakness or rickets.

Experimental work carried on at the Poultry Division of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, has definitely shown that in spite of the complete absence of sunlight, chicks may be kept healthy and make rapid gains if given certain supplementary feeds.

Of these, crude cod liver oil is the most efficient and when fed at a rate of 2 per cent of the mash consumed or about one tablespoonful daily to each fifty chicks, will give complete protection against rickets. Since cod liver oil is easily obtainable it is advisable to feed this material rather than the product known as cod liver meal, since the latter has given rather indifferent results in experiments conducted here. It is just possible that the same uniformity in quality is not available in the case of cod liver meal, and that it therefore is not at the present time at least, as dependable as cod liver oil.

Certain physical agencies in the form of ultra-violet ray machines and special glass substitutes will also give the desired effect. The former method of supplying the sun's rays is at present quite expensive, and in the experimental stage, its practical value not having been definitely determined. Most glass substitutes are not so durable as common glass and allow only certain proportion of the sun's rays into the house, and once the chicks can get out into the sunlight, or windows can be opened wide, their usefulness is ended. Cod liver oil is much cheaper and will carry the chicks over until such time as they can reap full benefit of the sun's rays.

THE JUNIOR RED CROSS BAZAAR

Mill Bay Solarium Benefits to Extent of \$105.56

To Division II, Greenwood Superior School, under the very energetic and able management of Miss Ruth Axam, goes the credit for the above achievement as the result of the Red Cross Bazaar held on Saturday last in the Auxiliary Rooms on Copper Street.

As an example of united effort on the part of the "little people" (grades 4, 5, 6, and 7) the achievement is considered to be without parallel and indicates what can be done. What a tremendous amount could be secured for the Solarium if each Junior School room in the Province duplicated this performance.

Apart from the monetary success the splendid spirit of unselfishness shown by all the children is to be highly commended as both during the afternoon's activities and during the previous days of preparation their enthusiasm never ceased.

The Auxiliary rooms were tastefully decorated for the occasion and the Novel booths showed signs of Easter decorations being carried out in purple and gold with borders flanked with Easter ducks and rabbits. The Home cooking booth was carried out in red and white and surmounted with a large Red Cross Candy was sold from a booth trimmed with green and white.

The children under Miss Axam's direction took charge of everything—serving at the booths, waiting upon the tables, washing the dishes and etc.—each one performing his or her task with unflagging energy. The doll, dressed like a Red Cross nurse, was drawn for by Mary Madden at the close of the afternoon and was won by Betty Miller. Master Clark drew the lucky number in the raffle. The sack of flour was won by Mr. Pobjelancick of Midway while the box of apples and clock went to Ruth Cox—the tray was won by Mrs. A. J. Morrison.

Numerous and varied donations to the affair were received from parents and friends and the space does not permit to mention them in detail as would be the case otherwise.

GREENWOOD SCHOOL NOTES

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John Campolieto, Eileen Bryan,
Ernest Johnson, Alice Clark

We are expecting the Easter Bunny to visit Div. III Thursday the 28th.

The Easter holidays have arrived and school will not re-open until April 8th.

Betty Miller says her "Nurse-doll" is worth more than a hundred dollars.

Teacher: "Make a sentence using the word 'divorced'."
Pupil: "D'vorst is yet to come."

Div. II wishes to thank Miss Harris for her assistance at their bazaar on Saturday.

The South Enders proved their superiority over the North Enders in this week's football games.

Some of the pupils of Div. I should not stay up so late at night. Then their leg would not go to sleep in school.

The Misses Ruth Axam and Heather Harris are leaving on Thursday to the Easter Holidays at Trail and New Denver respectively.

Miss Edna Pope entertained a number of her small girl friends at her home on Tuesday 26th. The occasion being Edna's 9th birthday. All present spent a very pleasant afternoon.

EASTER

The season of Lent is fast coming to a close and with it the Passion week. Had Christianity finished its career at the Cross or at the sealed tomb, our hope would have been very dim and we have been most miserable. Had love ended in failure, confidence and life would have been swallowed up in death.

Some strong proud souls might have faced the situation as indeed some of the noblest pagans did, and resolved that come life or come death, victory or defeat, they would stand for the right as they saw it. But to most of us, such a stand were impossible. And God met the common need as He provided for every common need. Thru Faith of Easter tells us that Life is the great reality and that God's strength may be made perfect in our weakness.

Willis Judd, who figured in the Greenwood Liquor Store robbery last August and who was serving a term in the Nelson Jail, was paroled recently and was deported to the States. For the past six months he has been in the hospital in Nelson and this probably explains the object of his being paroled.



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A FIRE YEAR

Another Spring is on us and with it the ever present thought of limit holders, protective men, fishermen, hunters and holiday seekers.

Is this a fire year?
Will the spring fire again take a heavy toll of young timber?

Will the favorite summer resort be stripped of its mother watershed and become a dried up creek bed?

Will the favorite summer resort be overcast by a pall of smoke?

Will the favorite hunting retreat be striped of the cover and the wild life it supports and protects?

Will there be additional miles of blackened wastes following fire bordering our new tourist route through the forest areas?

Will Canada's potential forest and game wealth be shockingly depleted from forest fires this year, as in 1923?

This is not a dream, my friends. Past history of fire years answers the above queries in the affirmative: Yes! But you and you only, one of the responsible public at whose door ninety percent of the ashes of timber and wild life may be laid: You alone can make the answer to these queries: No!

Our 6000 Canadian fire rangers without your active cooperation are helpless. Can they bank on you for the season of 1929—a season that the fire year cycle points to Forest Fire Hazard—Dangerous?

ELECTRICAL PROSPECTING

An amendment to the mining act giving credit for electrical prospecting or geophysical surveying in the matter of required assessment work on property has become law. The ruling provides, however, that no matter what the cost of such work is, it shall count for only one year's work. Before a certificate of such work shall be recorded the miner or agent must secure a signed certificate from the resident mining engineer and such report must be accompanied by a blue print or plan.

Two Scotsmen took dinner together in a restaurant. After dinner the waiter brought the bill. The two sat and talked for a couple of hours, after which conversation failed, and they merely smoked in silence. At 1 a.m. one of them got up and telephoned to his wife.

"Dinna wait up any longer for me, lass," he said, "it looks like a dead lock."

PLANT PROTECTORS FOR EARLY VEGETABLES
(Experimental Farm Notes)

Early spring weather can play some mean tricks upon the vegetable gardener. Several warm sunny days may tempt him to set out tender varieties. Then a sharp frost may destroy them. To take advantage of these warm days of early growth various types of protectors have been manufactured by means of which the grower may carry his plants through a cold snap. When the grower is producing commercial quantities for market the cost of such protection must be given very careful consideration. When the increased returns from early produce obtained by the use of protectors does not exceed the cost of such protection their use is not economical. If, however, the grower is producing vegetables for his own table and is anxious to secure certain varieties as early as possible, cost is not a limiting factor, and plant protectors may give good satisfaction.

At the Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, B.C. plant protectors have been tested for three years in growing cantaloupes. Glassine, Hotkaps, Wee Hothouses and Thermogen have been tried. Glassine is a transparent paper made by the sulphuric acid process. It is supplied in sheets 16 by 18 inches. The seeds or plants are set. A piece of wire 24 inches long is arched over the hill like a croquet arch. A sheet of Glassine is placed on the wire and the edges covered with soil to hold in place. Hotkapu is the copyright trade name for an opaque paper cap with a flaring edge. These are packed in rolls of 1000. A metal setter is supplied. These may be set very rapidly. A cap is placed in the setter which is then placed over the hill. Soil is drawn around its edge. The setter is withdrawn leaving the Kap firmly set. Wee Hothouses are paraffin paper caps with a small opening in the top and a basal diameter of 5 to 6 inches. Having no flaring edge these blow away easily in high winds. Thermogen is a heavy perforated paper with an asphalt base. It comes in rolls of 18 inches or 36 inches wide, containing 200 or 400 square feet. A strip is unrolled, the edges covered with soil and seeds or plants set through slits in the Thermogen. It is similar to the protection used by pineapple growers in Hawaii to keep down weeds. At prevailing prices the cost was found to be prohibitive for commercial growers of cantaloupes. Considerable difficulty in irrigation practice was experienced with Thermogen when the furrow system was used. Irrigation by means of sprinklers might overcome this difficulty. Plant protectors have been known to carry cucumbers safely through a frost of 10 degrees in this district but some losses occurred with a frost of 12 degrees. Plant protectors have been successfully used commercially in this district.

POTATO SEED TREATMENT QUESTIONS ANSWERED

In preparing for the spring activities in connection with treatment of seed potatoes, it is well to review some of the questions which were unanswered in the rush of affairs last year, leaving doubt and confusion as to the method used and its effectiveness. Authorities agree that seed treatment is beneficial and while this operation is occasionally overlooked, the satisfactory experience of a few in so doing must not be accepted as a guide to the majority. **It Is Advisable, Therefore, To Treat Your Seed Potatoes.**

In treating seed potatoes we have any of the three chemicals from which to select for this purpose, namely, hot formalin, organic mercury compounds, and corrosive sublimate. The first named gives excellent satisfaction, when used at the rate of 1 pint of commercial formalin to 12½ gallons of water. The tubers are dipped in this solution for two minutes when the temperature is held at 118-124 degrees F. This is a convenient method where large quantities of potatoes are to be treated. An accurate dairy thermometer is essential. It is often convenient to haul the potatoes to a nearby creamery where steam is available to keep the temperature even. Organic mercury compounds have

much to recommend them as seed potato disinfectants. They are being improved each year and it is expected that their use will render seed treatment less troublesome.

The corrosive sublimate method consists in soaking the seed potatoes 1½ hours in a solution composed of 4 ounces of corrosive sublimate in 25 gallons of water. One-half an ounce of the chemical is added after each treatment of 1½ hours. Investigations extending over a period of four years at the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Charlottetown, have demonstrated that the solution is ineffective after the third soak. The extra half ounce added after this period is wasted and would be profitably used in preparing a new solution. Furthermore, it has been learned that the strength of the solution weakens rapidly in the presence of broken tubers and potato juice. Therefore, this source of trouble is to be avoided if success is expected. General precautions include the following (1) Dissolve the corrosive sublimate in not less than one gallon of very hot water. (2) Treat only tubers free from dirt. Throwing water on the pile will help to avoid this difficulty. (3) Use two clean casks after each treatment. (4) Prepare new solutions after three treatments. (5) Do not treat in bags. (6) Use soft water if possible. Hard water weakens the solution. (7) Put treated seed in a clean place to dry quickly. Do not leave them in the basement. (8) If the weather does not permit rapid drying throw several pails of water on the treated tubers.

Nicely Put

Chairman at village concert:
"Miss MacIntosh will now favour us with Ae 'Fond Kiss.'"

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

PROVIDENCE FRACTIONAL MINERAL CLAIM

Situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Providence Camp.

TAKE NOTICE THAT I, Joseph Henry Duhamel, Free Miner's Certificate No. 291-D, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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COPPER PRICES GO TO POSTWAR PEAK

Refined copper prices reached a new postwar peak, in New York on March 22nd when the metal sold for 24 cents a pound, domestic, an advance of 1 cent a pound, after consumers had bought practically all of the metal offered at 23 cents. The previous post-war record for domestic copper was 23 1/2 cents, attained in 1919.

Copper for export was quoted at 23 3/4 cents a pound, but it was expected to climb in line with the domestic quotations. Heavy foreign buying has been one of the chief factors in the recent upward price movements.

ANTI-SHOCK GOLF CLUBS ARE LATEST IN LINKS EQUIPMENT

Anti-shock iron and clubs that add from forty to fifty yards to the average player's distance are the latest achievement claimed by golf manufacturers in Chicago.

The anti-shock clubs are faintly reminiscent of the "rubber suspension" of automobile motors. In the joint between the shaft and hosel of the irons, a sheet of rubber is inserted. Manufacturers claim this eliminates the shock impact, insures more accurate approaches, soothes ragged nerves and saves the hands from callouses.

The Question of the Age

"I should like to give my fiance a surprise. What do you suggest?"
"Tell him your age."

Before and After

First Golfer: "I believe the whole trouble is I stand too close to the ball when I drive."
Second Golfer: "Oh, no. Your trouble is that you stand too close to it after you drive."

Hockey Club

Dance

Masonic Hall, Greenwood
Friday, April 12th

Bush's Five-Piece Orchestra

Service restored in time for the day's business

Called out in the middle of the night to repair long-distance telephone lines broken by a fallen tree, a trio of New Westminster telephone men had all the lines working in time for the commencement of the regular business day.

The trouble developed late on the night of February 24. A tree, about 18 inches in diameter, fell across the telephone wires at a point where it passes through the Green Timber on the Pacific Highway. It broke all lines on that route, and also caused a pole to break. The telephone men made temporary repairs by stringing wires around the scene of the mishap.

B. C. TELEPHONE CO.

Here and There

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Although Canadians have been styled strong "silent" men there seems little to support the reputation in the recent announcement that they are the world's greatest telephone conversationists. There are 1,259,987 telephones in Canada, recently published statistics disclose, allowing for a phone for every eight persons. If all the conversations that took place during the past year were placed end to end they would be heard in Mars, for every citizen held on an average of 221 conversations during 1928. Presumably this does not include wrong numbers.

One of Montreal's first big buildings that was demolished to make room for one of the latest skyscrapers downtown has appeared on an entirely new site, to the amazement of the citizens. So carefully was the building taken down that scarce a score of new stones were required to complete its reconstruction on its new lot.

Up to December 31, 1928 the Canadian Pacific had spent in colonization and Canadian development work, land settlement, etc., nearly \$85,000,000 of its own money.

Sir Charles Gordon, G.B.E., president of the Bank of Montreal, has been appointed to the board of directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. J. K. L. Ross. Senator the Hon. F. L. Beique, also, has been appointed a member of the executive committee of the board.

A shipment of animals that will resemble the cargo of livestock on Noah's Ark will take place shortly from Moose Jaw Wild Animal Park, when a number of buffalo, mule deer, elk and other animals will be sent to the Rocky Mountain National Park at Banff, Alberta.

Everyone in Canada is worth \$2,700! That at any rate, is what government figures show, the aggregate national wealth for 1928—\$26,691,482,000—working out at that amount per person. Agriculture is the largest single item, and the western provinces come first in the highest per capita wealth of any part of the Dominion.

The Canadian Pacific Railway, in co-operation with the Manitoba Department of Agriculture, Seed Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture and the Manitoba Agricultural College, has provided two good seed cars and a poultry car, which is travelling through that province. There are demonstrations of grasses, clover and corn, and poultry displays, while accompanying lecturers talk on the importance of good seed and forage crops, and lecture on the rearing of chickens, turkeys, etc.

Why He Was Fired

"I say, Pemberton, I hear the boss fired you for lying. What did you lie about?"
"Tush, tush, Gregory, for lying about an hour too long in bed every morning."

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Of Local Interest

A band of gypsies travelling by motors were in town on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Axam left today to spend the Easter holidays in Nelson and Trail.

R. R. Gilpin and son Arthur, were visitors in town from Grand Forks on Saturday.

R. C. Johnston and H. J. Fisher of Rock Creek, were visitors to Greenwood on Tuesday.

Wm. Walmsley Jr. of Trail was visiting at his parental home during the week-end.

High Mass will be celebrated in the Catholic Church, Greenwood, on Easter Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Miss Heather Harris left on this afternoon's train for her home in New Denver to spend the holidays.

The Greenwood Post Office will be open from 4 to 5 p.m. on Good Friday for the distribution of mail.

Francis Tanner of Christian Valley, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maletta in Anaconda.

F. J. White has recovered from his recent illness and is now able to carry on his duties in his jewelry store.

Keep in mind the Hockey Club Dance which will be held in the Masonic Hall, Greenwood on Friday, April 12th.

A Provincial Policeman caught a car on Copper Street last week without licence plates and the usual fine was imposed on the owner.

A tourist from Nebraska was in town en route Westward, on Tuesday. He had left home two weeks previous, travelling via California.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Forshaw and Mr. and Mrs. A. Purkis and daughter Dawn are leaving in the morning for a motor trip to the coast.

Easter Services of the Lutheran Church will be conducted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mellrud on Sunday, April 7th at 2 p.m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

H. Royce returned on Tuesday morning from a visit to his parents in Trail. He will leave on Friday morning for Hedley where he will be employed in the Nickle Plate mine.

John R. Mooyboer, proprietor of the Grand Forks Garage and agent for the Chevrolet, was a visitor in town today. He was accompanied by Calvin Hopper. Mr. Mooyboer has just received a shipment of the new Chevrolet six and was driving one of the cars.

The Catholic Women's League will hold a Bean Supper and Card Party on Wednesday, April 3rd in the Parish House, Greenwood. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 p.m., price 50 cents; Card Party will commence at 8 p.m., admission 25 cents, prizes and lunch as usual. Everybody welcome.

Guests at the Pacific Hotel during the week: W. D. Moore, A. W. Wilkening, Grand Forks; G. Williams, R. R. Hedley, R. Crowe-Swords, J. Blakeburn, Vancouver; A. F. Thomas, Mogul mine, Westbridge; J. D. Morrison, Beaverdell; H. Royce, Trail.

CHICKEN DINNER

Come and get a Chicken Dinner at the B. C. Cafe, Rock Creek, on Easter Sunday, March 31. Special chicken dinners will be on the menu every Sunday. Ice cream also for sale.

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KETTLE VALLEY GOLF

There will be a Bogey Contest on the Kettle Valley links next Sunday starting at 1:30 p.m.

PLOUGHING MATCH SET FOR APRIL 6th AT NORRIS FARM

A Ploughing Match will be held at R. E. Norris' Farm at Kettle Valley on Saturday, April 6th, commencing at 10 a.m. It is open to all farmers of the district, with an entrance fee of \$1.00, boys under 18 free. Men's prizes will be \$20; \$15; \$10; \$5 and \$2.50; boys \$15; \$10 and \$5. Fifty points must be made out of 100 points or no prize at option of judge.

Two small lands to be ploughed. Ploughed on stubble, size of plough 12 in, 14 in or 16 in optional. Rules will be read to contestants on ground. Points and score follows:

Crown or fencing	15 points
Straightness	15 points
In and out at the end	10 points
Depth of furrows	10 points
Width of furrow	10 points
Evenness top land	5 points
Finish	15 points
Covering weeds and stubbs	20 points
Total	100 points

Full particulars will be given at the Institute meetings at Rock Creek and Midway on Saturday, March 30th. Midway entry should be made to Secretary Lander, 3 days beforehand.

ROCK CREEK AND DISTRICT

All Boys and Girls desiring to join the Rock Creek Pig Club this year are requested to hand in their names to Secretary, T. N. Walker, of the Rock Creek Pig Club, at the Institute meeting on March 30th.

Keep in mind the Women's Institute Dance in the Riverside Hall on Easter Monday (April 1st). Madge Ellett orchestra will be in attendance. Proceeds go to the aid of crippled children.

A general meeting of the Rock Creek Farmer's Institute will be held on Saturday, March 30th at the Riverside Hall at 2:30 p.m. Business: Address by P. C. Black of Grand Forks, on suitable type of pigs for the Boys and Girls Clubs for 1929.

All children of school age are eligible to enter the Gopher Competition and get three cents for each gopher tail produced to the Secretary at the Riverside Hall the last Saturday of each month. The boundary for this competition is from Ingram Bridge to the Upper Rock Creek Crossing, South to the Boundary line and West to James Creek.

All members having ordered materials for gopher destruction at the last meeting may obtain same from the Secretary at this meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Midway

Mrs. H. Pannell and Mrs. E. Hawkes will entertain at the Five Hundred card party in the Old School House on April 4th.

Miss Mitchell, Secretary of the Missionary Society, will give an address on Monday next at the home of Mrs. R. D. Kerr. Everyone welcome.

City Land For Rent

The City Council is prepared to receive bids for rental of certain lands between Government and Copper St. also lands between Copper and Boundary streets. Further particulars can be obtained from the undersigned. Offers to be in not later than April 2nd, 1929.

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