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Christian Science service will be held in the Oddfellows Hall on Sunday at 11 a.m. All welcome. On the the third Friday of each month at 8 p. m. testimonial meetings will be held in the same hall. Sunday school every Sunday morning.

### WANTS, Etc.

FOR SALE.—New farm wagons. 3, 3¼ and 3½ inch. Made in Canada. At Kinneys.

BULLS FOR SALE.—I have five or six Hereford and Shorthorns to dispose of, prices right. John R. Jackson, Midway.

Rev. E. J. Hardy, in his interesting tales of British prowess at the front, tells an amusing story of a French lady who, seeing the stalwart Scottish Highlands on the march in kilts, exclaimed: Thehre go theh women from hell." Mr. Hardy declares she intended her remark as a compliment.—B. C. Western Catholic.

## Around Home

A Home Guard is talked of in Midway.

Strawberries are $2 a crate in Greenwood.

The Mother Lode stage resumed operations last week.

Midway is beginning to look like the Petaluma of Canada.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs Gibson, on June 20, a daughter.

Treff Boyer, of Vancoyer, visited his brother Owen this week.

C. Nichols of Vernon is now a provincial constable in Greenwood.

Mr. Jaynes is conducting the boarding house at the Mother Lode mine.

At the Caron ranch near Midway, 200 acres are in crop, principally wheat.

Ald. Robert Wood, the "Father of Greenwood," is visiting Stewart and Prince Rupert.

Service in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday June 27th, at 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

Bob Dinsmore of Grand Forks, is at Vernon filling the position of shoemaker to the soldiers.

In a short time a night shift will be put on at the Pacific Cafe. Fred Johnson will be night chef.

Smith Curtis is now located at Salmo, being interested in some gold properties near that town.

On the last payday in Phoenix, the Granby miners presented the National Patriotic Fund with $600.

Cliff Russell has arrived from Granby Bay, and will drive the auto stage for his brother Charley.

The people of Oroville are jubilant. A company is irrigating 10,000 acres of land near that city.

A marriage license was issued on Monday to Jack H. West and Miss Bertha Haines, both of Bridesville.

Frank Hutton has been appointed road superintendent for Grand Forks district, in place of E. Spraggett.

Mrs. Martin of Republic, and her mother, Mrs. Hopper of Rock Creek, were visitors in Greenwood last week.

Several members of the Kettle Valley train crews have rented houses, and brought their families to Midway.

The lead smelter at Kingston, Ontario, may be re-opened, especially if a supply of ore can be obtained from B.C.

War munitions could be made at the old steel plant in Grand Forks. Some of the Forks people should grab a contract.

Big Andy Johnson of Phoenix is a frequent visitor to Greenwood, and his auto is usually filled with a merry lot of tourists.

The Carmi mine owes about $6,000 for wages. Jud Faulds and other miners are getting ready to put a lien on the mine.

Provided it does not rain too excessively the postponed annual meeting of the Tennis club will be held at the courts on Saturday.

English, Swiss and American watch and clock repairing. All work guaranteed. C. A. Adeneur, opposite Windsor Hotel, Greenwood.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Guy, of Grand Forks, will be at the Pacific hotel in Greenwood, prepared to do all kinds of dental work, from July 5 to 17.

Chief Simpson has had posters issued, notifying all Austrians and Germans, naturalized or not, to report to the nearest police officer in the Boundary Police district.

A dance will be held in Harrison's Hall, Midway, Dominion Day, Thursday, July 1st Full receipts therefrom will be forwarded to the Canadian Branch of the Red Cross Society.

J. G. Devlin, "The Gunner," is working a mineral claim at Sheep Creek. He expects to go north again this summer, and may stake the North Pole as an ice claim.

The fish in the creek are not observing the regulations, relating to the size of the fish that may be caught and retained. On Monday evening Harry Bidder caught a ten inch trout, that had the tail of a four inch trout slightly protruding from its mouth.

Don't find fault; there is no credit to such discovery and no reward out of it.

## The Vernon Camp

Our special correspondent with the troops at Vernon sends us the following dispatch:

All the Greenwood boys of the 54th are doing well and are happy. It has rained every day since we arrived. There are 417 aliens interned here, with room for lots more. The following men from Greenwood have received promotion as follows:

O. R. Matthews, Sergeant Major.

Ernie Nicholson, Corporal.

W. J. Jory, Pioneer.

George Mario, George Miller, F. Jourdan and Herbert Summersgill, Officers servants.

Andrew Johnston, Lance Corporal of Police.

Jack Morrison, Johnny Meyer and Jack White are wearing the smile that wont come off; for reasons, apply at cook-house.

All are looking forward to the day when a start is made for the land of the sausage and iron crosses. Greenwood's leading excitement is appreciated by all the soldiers. Send plenty.

## Communication

Eholt, B.C., Jan. 14, '15

To THE EDITOR OF THE LEDGE.

DEAR SIR.

Allow me to correct a mistake made in your paper issued June 10th. You made the statement that my child Violet Fretz died without medical attendance. My child was under the care of Dr. Dawson of Maple Creek and of Dr. Smyth of Medicine Hat before we moved to Greenwood district. During December, January, February of this year she was under the care of Dr. MacLean of Greenwood. She was also in the Hospital for five days under the care of Dr. MacLean before being removed from that institution.

Thaking you for the space in which to make this correction.

Yours truly,

SAMUEL FRETZ.

## Broke Jail

An Indian called Lawrence Thames was arrested last week for breaking into a cabin at Eholt, belonging to Alex Sugaroff. Before Judge Brown on Monday he was given a year in Nelson jail. That night he escaped from the government building in Greenwood, by digging a hole through the mud mortar stone wall, with a bail from the water bucket, and a piece of pipe that he tore from the radiator. After getting through the hole in the wall he went to the front of the building, broke into the police office, and stole Chief Simpson's revolver and cartridge belt, all of which stamps him as a daring thief. Last week this bad Indian was deported from the States. The police expect to catch him before he reaches the coast.

## Dredge the Fraser

A company has opened offices in Vancouver the purpose of which it is to dredge for gold on the Fraser river below Hope. Attempts have been made at different times to work dredges on the lower Fraser but they failed to obtain profitable results with the exception of a dredge that operated at Yale for a few months. The reason for this failure was the unsuitable types of dredges used and their operation on gravel which did not carry pay dirt. Eminent engineers, who have investigated the Fraser say however that sections of the river sarry payable gold where conditions are favorable to its recovery by dredging and that there is no reason why this method of recovery of placer gold should not be made a success on that river.—Ex.

## Western Float

New Denver has sent 10 men to the war.

The strawberry rush is now on in Kootenay.

Dairy butter is 35 cents a pound in Cranbrook.

The clover crop is very heavy in the Creston valley.

A. Manuel has taken over the Union hotel at Frank.

There is a jitney at Wenatchee that carries 16 passengers.

C. N. R. trains are running between Port Mann and Hope.

Copper ore is being shipped from Whitehorse to the Tacoma smelter.

Ore is being shipped from the Molly Hughes mine at New Denver.

Near Colville a school girl recently died from eating a poisonous weed.

The Dominion government will build a new floating wharf at Halcyon.

In Nelson the word German is only used in connection with sox and measles.

Charles Tremble committed suicide at Cache Creek by the morphine route.

At Vancouver the Imperial Oil Co. is importing crude oil from South America.

The ranchers at Alice Siding will ship about 1,300 crates of berries this season.

There are enough of berry cups in Creston to take care of 2,500 crates of berries.

Near Silverton 25 inches of clean galena has been struck in the Wakefield mine.

Bill Shannon died in Spokane this month. For 20 years he was a noted police officer in that city.

The City Council at Revelstoke wants the provincial government to pay a bounty for killing gophers.

Halibut in large quantities is being landed at Prince Rupert. That city is becoming the Grimsby of Canada.

It is 20 years ago since Rossland acquired a Presbyterian missionary. He did not convert many of the natives.

Captain W. B. Clayton of Rupe has resigned his commission in the 48th, and gone to England to join Kitcheners new army.

Times must be dull in Kaslo. The chief of police has been instructed to clean up the "Bad Lands," or get preserved.

It is reported that the Chinese in Vancouver, are employed to make suits for the wounded soldiers in France. There are many kinds of patriotism in Vancouver.

About 300 German and Austrian prisoners recently interned at Vernon are now building a wagon road from the Monashee mine to Edgewood, a distance of 89 miles. The Dominion government pays their board, and the prisoners who work receive 25 cents a day from the B. C. government.

The British Postmaster, Mr. Hobhouse, says that every day the postal department takes to the front in France 400,000 letters and 50,000 parcels. One lonely soldier in the trenches advertised for correspondents in a newspaper, and three days later, 3,000 letters, six bags of small parcels, and ninety large parcels were delivered to him.

We are always discovering new results of the war. The latest is the decline in popularity in all English speaking countries of the name "William." A person thinks twice before adopting it for a baby nowadays. It is a great pity that the Kaiser has involved it in disgrace, for there are a lot of mighty decent fellows who have been known as "Bill."—Ex.

The United Copper Mine will begin at once to work over 80,000 tons of tailings, which under the new floating process will recover $10 per ton of values lost in the high grades on the concentrating tables. In connection with the tailings the company will handle a large tonnage of ores already mined in the upper stopes which have been awaiting the installation of the increased capacity.—Chewelah Independent.

On Wednesday evening last as a train loaded with about six hundred soldiers on their way to the training grounds at Vernon was passing the depot at Ashcroft, one of the volunteers jumped from the moving train, kissed a young lady who was standing on the platform, and then sprang back on to the next car. Away from the eyes of the inquisitive world, we have no doubt the episode had been secretly pre-arranged. This is part of a romance which, we trust, will have a happy ending. The name of the young lady is being strategically withheld.

## CITY COUNCIL

The Council met on Monday evening.

The Boy Scouts were given permission to use, a vacant building on Deadwood street for their meetings.

The account of C. Kinney,s for $9.90 was ordered paid.

McDonald & Son reported that the fence and bridge were completed, and that the ditching would be finished at an early date, and asked that the same be inspected by the Council.

Ald. Gulley reported that the flag pole had been fixed.

Ald. Wood was granted three months leave of absence.

Assessor returned the assessment roll for 1915 as follows:

Land, $314,955; Improvtments, $460,565. Total, $775.620. A court of revision will be held in August, composed of Mayor MacLean, Alds. Arthurs, McKee, Gully and Rendell.

Lot 33, block L, Map 46, was sold to M. Maloney for the sum of $10.

Council adjourned to July 5.

## The Big Bend

The Goldstream Placer Mines syndicate, which is now working on French creek has been sinking on the old channel, four men having been working since November, and expect to reach bed rock in from 15 to 20 days. Good values are being obtained from the gravel in which work is now being performed and the syndicate is sanguine that when bed rock is reached exceptionally good returns will be obtained.

The syndicate which consists of G. S. McCarter, J. C. Montgomery, J. E. Dixon and W. B. Robertson, is operating in the old channel of French creek. It was in the present bed of the stream below where the old channel cuts the present channel that from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 in gold were taken out in '66 and it is believed that the old channel is at least equally rich. In '66 nuggets worth from $200 to $300 each were found.

The idea that an old channel existed was first held by K. C. Montgomery who came to the district in '66. The channel was first opened by Mr. Remilard who is using an hydraulic plant and is getting good results. The Goldstream Placer Mines syndicate experienced difficulty in getting rid of water, but that difficulty has now being overcome. The gravel in which the syndicate is from 10 to 15 feet deep channel through solid rock. The syndicate and several others who are working on French creek are getting good results and if a rich strike is made at bed rock, as is expected, a gold excitement in the Big Bend is likely to follow. Revelstoke Mail-Herald.

## Another Good Prospect

"Bill" West arrived in town yesterday with his pockets loaded with samples of galena ore. He claims to have discovered a lead thirty feet wide that looks as though it would develop into a big mining proposition. Mr. West who has a ranch on the Fraser river about two miles below the Fort George canyon came in town to record his claims. He is an old prospector and mining man and has been in the district for many years past. In earlier life Mr. West was in the Royal Navy. He was a gunner on a battleship that took part in the bombardment of Alexandria.—Prince George Post.

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WAR has one good point. It has killed all the real estate peddlers.

IN Nelson patriotism has risen to an aeroplane height. Wherever the word German appears in front of the soup, cakes or potatoes, on the hotel bills of fare it has been *scratched out, and the words Irish*, Belgian, Canadian, or something equally as good substituted.

WITHOUT work prayer availeth nothing. Pray all you like, but never stop working.

WE are told by astronomers that the planet Canopus is the centre of the universe, and that it is over three billion times bigger than this earth, and that it is so far away from us that light from it takes 480 years to reach this world. All this kind of dope looks like hot air. Canopus is probably about a thousand miles away. and not half as big as Ireland, especially in fair time. Like theology imagination is the principal element in astronomy.

LAST week the leading paper of Phoenix grew sarcastic, and handed some vinegar to the B. C. Copper Co., because that company is not opening up its smelter to full capacity. At present the company can only procure ore enough to run its smelter at 37 per cent. of its capacity. If the editor of The Pioneer can lead the way to 63 per cent. more available ore the company will immediately take off the limit, turn on the high gear, and let 'er roll. At the present price of copper the manager and directors of the B. C. Copper Co., would be highly delighted if it were at all possible to run full blast. They are doing fine as it is, taking everything into consideration. The Pioneer should not shoot at long range, when its shots nearer home, might greatly assist in making all the people of Phoenix look like the beautiful snow.

## To The Land

The movement of settlers to the lands of Western Canada continues unabated, according to returns of the colonization work of the Department of Natural Resources of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Although February is usually a quiet month, in that period 10,300 acres of farm lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta were actually brought under settlement, as the Company does not dispose of any land without an assurance that it will be occupied and improved. These lands represent 59 farms of an average size of 175 acres each. An important feature is that many sales are being made to settlers already in the country who are desirous of owning farms of their own, or extending their holdings. The fact that they are buying their lands from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is proof that the settler actually on the ground, who has every opportunity to investigate all the lands available, is convinced that there are no better lands than those of the Company and that the prices and terms are right.

## West Coast Prospect

H. G. Adams, a mining prospector, in an interview at Vancouver reports the discovery near Klaskino Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, of a new gold field. The discovery is a dyke of slate, 290 feet wide, lying in a diorite formation, having a strike from northwest to southeast, and dipping into the mountain at an angle of 30 degrees. Along the foot wall of the dyke is an eight-foot vein of copper ore, but the dyke itself carries no values except free milling gold. Mr. Adams has done considerable surface work, and has assayed the ground across the entire width of the dyke, obtaining values from $2 60 to $6.80 per ton. There are no breaks or faults discoverable in the dyke, he declares, and from the physical characteristics of the location the ore can be extracted and brought to tide water at a minimum expense, since a gravity tram 1,500 feet in length is all the transportation required to bring the ore from the mine to the mill site, on a deep water harbor.—Ex.

## Ideas of a Plain Man

Did it ever occur to you that perhaps the person you call hypocrite is simply a more complex, a more highly organized person than yourself; and that the one you call "good" and an honest, sincere soul, is sometimes merely narrow?

It's worth thinking over.

There are some large natures which cannot be satisfied with less than touching life at all points. They crave experience, all kinds of experience.

This of course is dangerous. Anything is dangerous except going to sleep. But it is becoming more and more a characteristic of our modern life.

And in some way or other we have to get some ideas of morals and religion that will fit this wider and more adventurous spirit. It will not do any longer to say, "If you want to be good and go to heaven you must not see these things nor hear those, read this book nor know this fact."

Limitation, ignorance and protection have their place in economy of life, but they are a poor substitute for character.

Before you dub a man a hypocrite find out the real gist of his life, whether he be loyal, clean and true, and not whether his manners and tastes are the same as yours and Mrs. Grundy's.

It is conceivable that a man may worship God and yet enjoy a theatre.—Dr. Frank Crane.

## Big Farm Sale

Evidence of the confidence of investors in Alberta farm lands is found in the fact that one of the largest real estate deals of several years in the Raymond, Alberta, district has just been concluded. The deal envolves an investment of $128,000.00 which was paid by a Minneapolis syndicate firm for a farm located south of Raymond. The farm consists of 2,740 acres and is well supplied with water. It is expected that the new company intends to go into farming operations on a very extensive scale.

In other years, says the Mining Record, a great mining property in the San Juan country, Colorado, dumped into a nearby lake several million tons of ore that could not be handled by the methods then in use. A syndicate was formed recently to recover this ore. Machinery is installed for operation on a large scale. The ore is to be pumped from the lake bottom and carried by flumes nearly three miles to settling tanks, after which it will be treated at the flotation mill. Before winter sets in last year sufficient work was done to prove the undertaking a commercial success, although the average run of ore is less than $3 per ton.

## Tuberculosis in Cattle

By J. A. Hughes, County Agriculturist and Agent U. S. Department Agriculture.

One of the most destructive and dangerous diseases known to affect animals is tuberculosis. The disease is more prevalent among cattle than any other domestic animals, although all are subject to attack.

In Oanogan County during the last year, several cows have died from this disease, also many chickens and turkeys. The extent of infection in the county is now known, many herds show symptons which are attributed to this disease.

Since tuberculosis is very contageous, and one infected animal may spread the disease to the entire herd, and to all other domestic animals on the farm, as well as to persons using the milk, it is most essential that all such animals should be isolated or destroyed.

The disease is caused by a germ, which on gaining entrance into the body, multiplies rapidly, and may attack any organ or organs. It works slowly and the symptons are not noticed oftentimes until it has spread through the entire herd, and a great deal of danger done. Dung, milk, blood or other body secretions from affected organs, when eaten or injected in the bodies of other animals, will cause them to contract this disease.

Often the most healthy and vigorous animal may have tuberculosis for a number of years, and the owner be entirely unaware of its condition, while in the meantime many other animals may sicken and die without the original source of infection being known.

The profits and usefulness of an affected dairy herd are most seriously reduced. The symptons of the disease are many and varied; for instance, a cow with a tubercular throat will not show the same signs of sickness as a cow with tubercular lungs, stomach, udder or joints.

The only way of knowing whether a herd or flock is free or infected is to have the tuberculin test applied. This test is harmless and very simple, although it requires the services of a trained veterinarian in order to be accurate.

When the poison formed by the germs of tuberculosis is injected into the blood of a diseased animal it will show no indications of a rise in temperature.

The poison is obtained by breeding many germs in a culture medium, then killing them by heat and filtering out the bodies. This serum is prepared by specially trained bacteriologists and their is no danger of infection or injury as a result of the test.

Under the recently enacted laws which go into effect June 10th (in the States) of this year, provisions are made so that any group of farmers, upon application, may have their herds tested, and for any animal killed proper reimbursement will be made the amount varying, however, with the value of the animal.

It is a great asset for a dairyman, or breeder, to be able to certify that his animals are free from tubercolosis; and the man who will not have his herd tested for fear that some of his best animals might be infected, and he would have to dispose of them, is like the man, who, when his wife smelled smoke, would not go upstairs to investigate for fear that the house might really be on fire.

## A German Soldier's Letter

The following letter was received by Mr. E. Flint, Toronto, from Private E. Flint, who is with the Canadian Army Medical Corps in France. The letter is a translation of one found on the body of a young Bavarian soldier, and the Frenchman who discovered it hopes to have it sent to the dead German's mother later on. It runs as follows:

"Dear Mother.—For 3 months we have been in the battle. Heavens, what it has all been. The greatness of the Fatherland and the glory of our Kaiser seem after all small things, and neither united Germany nor our Emperor can need all this bloodshed. I cannot tell you what a picture of hell passes ceaselessly before my eyes. I seem to be diving into a red dream and among flames. Of what use to me will have been my studies and my hopes to make you happy in your old age, dying miserable here for some misterious cause. Thousands of us will die for this cause, good and faithful comrades of mine who, like myself, asked only to die in peace and at work. I have seen hell in the hail of lead and iron. It is no longer possible to win this war. The allied enemies were better prepared than the Fatherland to win this war, and every day lessens our strength. I cannot send this letter in the ordinary way for it tells the truth and I should be severely punished if it were read by our chiefs. It will be sent to you I hope by the man who picks me up if I die on the soil of France, which I wish I had never set foot on. My last thoughts will be for you. Goodbye till eternity my sweet darling mother.—Otto Kingister."

## Medicine Hat

An irrigation association has been formed at Medicine Hat, and proposes to put about 10,000 acres of land under irrigation north of that city. The project involves the sinking of a number of gas wells. Power will be developed by means of the natural gas to pump water from the Saskatchewan river, which will be used for irrigating the lands.

He that will learn to pray, let him go to sea.—Herbert. The soldier at the same time may shoot out his prayer to God, and aim his pistol at his enemy, the one better hitting the mark for the other.—Fuller, (Good Thoughts in Bad Times.)

## Argo Tunnel

NOTICE

The ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Argo Mining and Tunnel Company, Ltd, (non personal liability) of Greenwood, B.C., will be held at the Company's office, in Greenwood, on the 25th day of June, 1915, at 8 p.m.

Dated this 10 day of June, 1915.

OLA LOFSTAD, President. JAMES McCREATH Secretary.

## COUNTY COURT OF YALE

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be holden at the Court House, Greenwood, on Tuesday the 29th day of June, 1915, at 11 a.m.

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## Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district inwhich 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.

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