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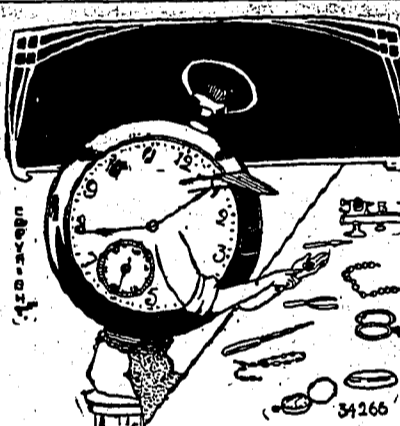
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the water pipes, and wash away
anything that might menace the
health of the community.

Around Home

R. G. Hargreaves is on a busi-
ness trip to Victoria.

J. A. McMaster, of Newport,
was in town this week.

This is Lent but the price of
meat has not yet fallen.

Mrs. P. H. McCurrach will not
receive on Thursday, Feb. 26.

The Sun thinks that Grand
Forks paid too much for its hock-
ey whistle.

Dr. MacLean and J. L. White
are attending the Liberal con-
vention in Victoria.

Mr. Lawless, of Bridesville,
died last week. The funeral
took place in Greenwood last Fri-
day.

Ellis Jones, a piano player in
Grand Forks, died last
Saturday from an overdose of
morphine.

There is to be an Orange
Lodge in Greenwood. Some-
body should break the news to
Tom Walsh.

J. W. Nelson died of cancer on
Tuesday, at Witaka, Minn. He
built the first hotel in Green-
wood and was a pioneer in many
campaigns of the west.

The Greenwood Rebecca's will
hold a card party in the Odd-
fellow's Hall on the evening of
Feb. 27. Everybody welcome.
Admission 25 cents.

McGregor, the Grand Forks
hockey player pleaded guilty to a
charge of assault on Sayers, of
Phoenix, during a game at
Phoenix last Friday night and
was fined \$20 and costs.

Mr. Shaw, of the Star Theatre,
has secured the Paul Renne's
African Hunt, a feature film of
six reels and is one of the most
wonderful yet shown. This great
picture will be shown in a few
weeks.

The members of the organized
Bible Class of the Presbyterian
Sunday School, will on Saturday,
March 7th, afternoon and even-
ing, serve tea, coffee, sandwiches,
cake, ice cream and candy in the
church.

On Friday, Feb. 27, the Lyric
Amateur Dramatic Society of
Grand Forks will present "What
Happened to Jones," a 3 act com-
edy, at the Star Theatre, Green-
wood. The curtain rises at 8.15
prompt.

There was a row at Lynch
Creek last week. Bill Carpenter
and Jake Hoffer whipped Joe
Jackson to a pulp face finish.
In the police court at the Forks,
Bill had to dig up \$100 for this
adventure, and Jake half of that
amount.

Messrs. Sater and Johns desire
to return thanks to the residents
of Greenwood and the public
generally for their liberal patron-
age during past years while con-
ducting the Norden hotel, and
hope they will continue the same
to their successor Mr. Arnold
Kruenger.

The hockey season was fitting-
ly brought to a close with a dance
in the Old Masonic Hall last
Thursday night. The hall was
beautifully decorated with the
Greenwood colors, pennants and
hockey sticks. The music was
good, the crowd large and cake
and coffee served by the ladies,
all of which went to make the
event an enjoyable and never-to-
be-forgotten event.

Harry Lauder, the world fam-
ous comedian and the largest sal-
aried funny entertainer on the
stage, presents one of his comic
skits and a number of his latest
songs in Greenwood on Saturday
Feb. 28th at the Star Theatre, by
means of the talking moving
pictures. Much has been said
and written concerning this in-
vention where the motion pictures
are accompanied with the repro-
duction of the human voice, the
characters shown on the screen
speak as audibly and their voices
synchronize as harmoniously as
if one saw them in real life.

Steve Hoover, was fined \$50 on
Tuesday, in Phoenix, for beating
a woman known as Ruby.

In Phoenix, A. O. Johnson is
now conducting the Knob Hill
hotel. He has renovated the
building thoroughly making it as
bright as a new dollar. Big
Andy will be pleased to see all
his friends at his new location.

After the supper for the Grand
Forks hockey players was over,
at Danny Deane's in Phoenix last
week several mince pies were
missing. It is thought that some
of the boys took them to the
Forks along with the hockey
trophies.

The regular meeting of the
Boundary Women's Institute, will
be held in the City Hall, Friday,
the 27th of February at 2:30 p.
m. All are requested to be
present to discuss a permanent
meeting place. The public is al-
ways welcome. Margaret Fraw-
ley, Sec.-Treas.

One of the social events of the
past week was a high tea given
by Mrs. A. L. White to her Re-
bekah sisters in honor of their
Assembly President, Mrs. H. Y.
Parker, of Cranbrook. The din-
ing hall was beautifully decor-
ated, especially the table which
was resplendent in gold and
white china and handsome cut
glass, and centered with snow
white hyacinths, and pink and
green ribbon, the beautiful colors
of the Lodge, draped from the
chandelier to the four corners of
the table where it ended in pretty
bows. After the tea which was
enjoyed by all present, Mrs.
Parker left on the noon train for
Grand Forks.

Rock Creek Church Social

Over one hundred people put in
an appearance on Friday last,
Feb. 20, at the Opera House, Rock
Creek, kindly lent by Mr. Hanson
for the occasion. The concert was
on familiar "old country" lines, so
far as the programme was con-
cerned, and catered specially to the
children who should always hold
a warm place in our hearts. Some
of them contributed short recita-
tions, but of the juvenile items the
best was undoubtedly the pretty
duet "Where are you going my
pretty maid?" by Nita and Jean
Richter, though if all of the stern-
er sex were as shy as the young
man in this dialogue appeared to
be, there would be little marrying
or giving in marriage.

Joe Hardin and Donald Steven-
son, from the old country, brought
down the house by their spirited
singing and original play in
"We'll all go down to the Strand,"
in the course of which they in-
vited their audience to "have a
banana."

Mr. Thorburn, a new comer to
Rock Creek audiences, delighted
the house with his jovial Scotch
songs and his inimitable story of
the Scotch elders and the "mean-
ster" who fiddled not wisely but
too well.

Mr. Rock, an old favorite, gave
"Belle Mahone" and other songs,
and Mrs. Edward Richter's piano
solo was much appreciated. Little
Sylvie Price sang and danced in
winning style, and Mr. Price con-
tributed a novelty in his "Patent
dancing doll."

Owing to a disappointment in the
other directions, a sketch had to
be prepared at very short notice,
and it would be unfair to criticize
"The Ghost of Benjamin Binnis,"
which was composed, rehearsed
and put on the boards in the
course of two days. Here again
Joe Hardin was the source of great
amusement as Bill Bouncer, the
burglar, who afterwards posed as a
ghost and brought conviction at
last to the materialistic gentleman
whose only motto was "Seeing is
Believing."

The Rev. A. M. Lloyd who pre-
sided tendered his cordial thanks
to all who had so kindly assisted,
to the ladies who had donated the
refreshments, and to Mr. Tom
Hanson, who worked very hard
for the success of the entertain-
ment.

A dance followed and one and
all agreed that a most enjoyable
evening had been spent. A sum
of about \$30 will remain to be
handed over to the Church funds.

Western Float

Fort Steel is to have a new brass
band.

Summerland is in need of a fire
brigade.

Miles Higgins died in Rossland
last week.

J. C. Bolander has lived 22 years
in New Denver.

No radium has yet been found
in Grand Forks.

The 12th of July will be cele-
brated in Kaslo.

Mrs. C. S. Williams died in
Merritt last week.

E. W. Hall will open a music
store in Rossland.

In Athabasca whitefish retail for
six cents a pound.

James Conway died in Summer-
land aged 60 years.

Work has begun on the coal de-
posits at Copper river.

C. V. Smith's store in Hazelton
was burned last week.

Seven men are working at the
U.S. mine in the Slocan.

Danny McCuaig is still mining on
Ten Mile in the Slocan.

Placer tin has been found on
Sullivan creek in Alaska.

Wild ducks and herring are
plentiful at Prince Rupert.

Ike McLeod has bought the
Crown Point hotel in Trail.

This spring G. McKilligan will
start a brickyard in Smithers.

The government will erect a
postoffice building in Kelowna.

Dick Stout died in Republic last
week. He was a civil war veteran.

Bob Heddle and Dan Ross have
gone to the Peace River country.

Dave Miller is running daily
stages between New and Old Hazel-
ton.

The C.P.R. tunnel now building
at Rogers Pass will be 14 miles
long.

Last week a cougar stole a pig
from Al Morins ranch near Sidley
lake.

The Ben-Hur mine at Republic
is shipping three carloads of ore
daily.

It was 20 years ago yesterday
since the big fire burned down
Kaslo.

Jack Allen will open the new
Exchange hotel in Kaslo next
month.

The milk and butter produced in
Canada last year was worth \$126-
000,000.

Last week 20 machine miners
were laid off at the Star and War
Eagle mines.

The Riverside Farm Creamery
at Ferry is making 900 pounds of
butter a week.

In some parts of the Peace River
country 127 bushels of oats to the
acre are grown.

In May more than 2300 govern-
ment lots in Fort George, will be
sold by auction.

At a recent hockey match in
New Denver the gate receipts
amounted to \$112.

There are 656 producing mines
in Italy. More than half of them
are sulphur mines.

Dry wood is \$6 a cord in New
Denver. There is no change in
the price of whiskey.

Good business men do not holler
down a well to sell their goods.
They put an ad in the paper.

Con Reese of Fernie has bought
a live eagle. This is one way of
throwing money at the birds.

J. Y. Eaton, of Spokane, 22
years ago made \$600,000 out of the
Whitewater mine in the Slocan.

Rev. Wm. Hogan recently died
at Masset. He was buried in a
coffin, that was hand-carved by
the Indians.

In Idaho a little girl weighing
48 pounds, was recently sent by
parcel post, from Grangeville to
Lewiston for 53 cents.

The Woodworth brothers have
struck some copper-gold ore, on
their claims near Chessaw, that
assays \$435 to the ton.

John R. Reavis died in Warrens-
burg, Mo., this month, aged 65
years. At one time he was editor
of the Rossland Miner.

This year Dominion Govern-
ment experts will examine the
various petroleum discoveries that
have been made in B.C.

John H. Fairbank died in Pe-
trolia, Ontario, this month,
aged 83 years. He was the great-
est oil producer in Canada.

The city policeman in Cumber-
land gets \$80 a month and one
suit of clothes a year. No one
knows how many beers he gets.

At Kelowna an Indian was fined
\$50 for having venison in his
possession. It would have been
cheaper if the meat had been
whiskey.

Mainguy is the name of a Pen-
sioner resident. The Ledge has
often heard of him but did not
know that he lived in such a prosy
town as Pensicton.

The Nelson people will have to
put up more money if they want
their summer carnival to be a suc-
cess. The minnow bait does not
catch many whales.

Messdames Perry and Gillis of
Kaslo are circulating a petition for
signatures, against the establish-
ment of a club in that city, and
the granting of a club liquor
license.

The Tango was danced in Kaslo
the other night, and the onlookers
thought it beautiful but tame.
Perhaps it was not the same kind
of Tango that they danced in Kaslo
20 years ago.

At a recent hard times dance in
Gerrard the fine was \$20 for wear-
ing a dress suit. No one was fined
as there has not been a dress suit
in the settlement since the days of
the boom at Poplar Creek.

In a card game at Decker Lake a
foreigner thought that he was being
cheated, and took an axe to two of
the players. As a result he is in
jail and the two others are in the
hospital. The axe method is a
sure but dangerous way to beat a
poker game.

In 1860, 8,000 men stampeded to
Rock Creek, about 20 miles from
where Greenwood now stands. Of
all that number, only two are liv-
ing, Bob Stevenson and Jim Cop-
land. Both of these old pioneers
met in Greenwood last week and
had their picture taken together.
They are in many respects two of
the most notable pioneers in this
province.

Send for a catalogue of head-
stones and monuments, made by
the Kootenay Monumental Works,
Nelson, B. C.

CHALLENGE

We, the undersigned, hereby
challenge Billy Fleming, Bert Log-
an, Jack White, Frank Buckless,
Alex. McDonald, Charley Kinney
and Jimmy McCrea to a game of
hockey on the Greenwood ice any
time convenient to them except
Sunday.

(Signed) E. L. Neuman, Wm.
Collins, F. F. Ketchum, Isaac
Crawford, Maurice Collins, Fred
Yeandle, J. B. Sheridan, T. A.
Simons.

AT THE CHURCHES

Christian Science service will
be held in the Oddfellows Hall on
Sunday at 11 a.m. All welcome.

Rev. A. T. Bell will preach in
the Methodist church next Sun-
day at 11 a.m. Sunday School
2.30 p.m.

Church service at Rock Creek
on Sunday next. Service at
10:30 a.m. Evening prayer and
sermon, 8 p.m. Rev. A. M.
Lloyd, pastor.

Service in the Presbyterian
church next Sunday, March 1st,
will be held in the morning at
11 o'clock. Sunday School and
Bible Class 2:30 p.m. Rev. J.
R. Munro Pastor.

He Didn't Know

A farmer who was carrying an
express package from a city mail
order house, was accosted by a
local merchant: "Why didn't you
buy that bill of goods from me?
I could have saved you the ex-
press and besides you would have
been patronizing a home store
which help pay the taxes and build
up this locality." With character-
istic frankness, the farmer asked:
"Why don't you patronize your
home paper and advertise? I read
it and didn't know you had the
goods I have here, nor did I ever
see your name in the paper invit-
ing one to come to your store."
Colville Examiner.

The man who travels on a pass
does the most kicking about the
roughness of the road.

THE LEDGE

R. T. LOWERY

EDITOR AND FINANCIER.

is located at Greenwood, B. C., and can be traced to many parts of the earth. It comes to the front every Thursday morning, and believes that hell would close up if love ruled the world. It believes in justice to everyone; from the man who mucks in the mine to the king who sits on the cushions of the throne. It believes that advertising is the life of trade; and that one of the noblest works of creation is the man who always pays the printer.

The Ledge is \$2.00 a year in advance, or \$2.50 when not so paid. It is postage free to all parts of Canada, Mexico, Great Britain and the county of Bruce. To the United States it is \$2.50 a year, always in advance.

A blue mark here indicates that your Subscription has become deceased, and that the editor would once more like to commune with your collateral.

GREENWOOD, FEBRUARY 26, 1914.

THE puck still lingers in the lap of spring.

Envy is one of the prolific causes of cancer.

THE drawing of a spade has spoiled many a rosy four flush.

It does not pay to lick an editor. It is cheaper to starve him to death.

MOST of the crime and poverty is caused by booze and ignorance.

WHAT will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, and does not see a game of hockey in Greenwood?

WHEN a boy John D. Rockefeller made his first stake raising turkeys. Here in the west some of us made our first steak shooting buffalo.

WE received a letter the other day asking us what we raised in Greenwood. In reply we stated that we raised copper, gold, silver, the ante, railway ties, babies, hockey, Cain and once in a while a little hell with Grand Forks.

SOME people, with more or less of a mental mud formation have called us an infidel, because we do not swallow all the dope that is heated by theological spoons. All people are infidels except to those who entertain the same religious faith. However in spite of all remarks the fact shines out, clear and bright, that the editor of the leading excitement, contributes five times as much to the churches of Greenwood as any other individual in the hockey metropolis. Let us pay.

IN talking about himself and lesser lights Elbert Hubbard says that he never met but one man who has the innate politeness and courtesy which John D. Rockefeller possesses, and that man is Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Hubbard says that no one can meet Sir Wilfrid without thinking better of himself and better of humanity, and it is exactly the same with Mr. Rockefeller. Sir Wilfrid, however, has the handsome face of the French nobility. He is a king in demeanor. John D. Rockefeller is as homely as Julius Caesar and looks very much like him. However, there is one thing which we know about John D. He never looks like 30 cents.

WE have seen many a chap create a temporary greatness for himself by slamming a plunk on the bar to treat the spearkers and then slip into the quiet back-room and save five cents by reading The Ledge for nothing.

Thinking Themes

The last thing a man thinks he can change in himself is his Desire. Yet one's Desires are about the only thing that it does any good to change. We "want what we want when we want it." We accept our wants as a part of our make up, like our face or our feet. We never dream of trying to get a new set of desires. Yet it is only as we alter our cravings that we make any genuine progress in culture or growth in character.

"If you can't have what you like, like what have." The average person laughs at you when you say that, or otherwise insinuates that he can control his likes and dislikes.

There are two medicines by which desires can be altered. First, Love. When Owen Kildare fell in love with his Mamie Rose he suddenly found his old appetites fleeing and a new kind coming in their place. Sex-attraction is one of the most tremendous moral dynamics known. Then there is the drunkard who is converted at a revival and is amazed to find his taste for liquor gone. What has happened is this: He has fallen in love with Ideal Goodness. The new passion has transformed him. The most creditable thing to humanity is its capacity for conceiving an emotion towards what it calls God. To a psychologist about the only valuable phenomenon in religion is its passionate element.

Second. Practice. By continually doing a kind of act we develop a proneness to it. If we keep clean, by and by we love to be clean. And so on.

By these two remedies, then, a man may cure his Desires. Love is the eternal medicine, and practice is the external lotion. The soul that can not love is spiritually impotent; likewise the soul that will not practice.

The Collection Increased

The collection had fallen off badly in the colored church and the pastor made a short address before the box was passed.

"I don't want any man to gibe any mo' dan his share, brethern," he said gently, "but we mus' all gibe accordin' to what we rightly hab. I say 'rightly hab,' brethern, because we don't want no tainted money in dis box. 'Squire Jones tol' me dat he done miss some chickens dis week. Now if any ob our brethern hab fallen by de way-side in connection wif dose chickens let him stay his hand from de box. 'Now, Deacon Smiff, please pass de box while I watch de signs an' see if dere's any one in dis congregation dat needs me to wrastle in prayer for him.'"

Pathetic Story.

A most affecting little tragedy was enacted a short time ago on the Middle fork of the White river country, this side of Russell glacier, on the way to the camp from McCarthy. Jack Johnson a young man praised on every hand as the most likeable and genial sort, was on his way to the diggings from some small town in Idaho. He was sheep hunting on his way in and had shot two and was making his way down to them when he was caught in a snowslide and suffocated. When the news reached the camp the recorder travelled to the scene, found the body and sent it on to McCarthy. The dramatic feature of the accident was the fact that a letter arrived in the meantime for the young man with the news that his grandmother had died, leaving \$700,000,000 to the heirs, of which he was one, and asking for his power of attorney, so the estate could be settled. This letter, of course, was never seen by Johnson, who died before the news could reach him. There was also a most affecting letter from a little girl in Idaho, probably his fiancée. The young man's people reside in Texas.

Insect Injuries Increase

As a result of recent scientific investigations of insect ravages in British Columbia it was found that in some places forest insects have destroyed twenty-five per cent of the timber crop. In California, on the Sierra National Forest, the damage done by insects last summer far exceeded that done by fire. In Eastern Canada the bark beetle on the pine, the budworm on the spruce and the saw-fly on the larch have done so much injury to the forests that special legislation for their control has been passed by the Federal and Provincial governments. Indeed, as a result of the continued ravages of its worst insect enemy (the large larch saw-fly) the larch, or "tamarack" is gradually becoming commercially extinct in Canada.

The present plethora of insect pests in the forests of Canada is due largely to the recent ravages of forest fires, which killed or weakened the standing timber and thus provided vast feeding grounds for these insects. It is for this reason that forest fires are so much dreaded by timber-owners, for it is not often that the fire itself destroys the merchantable value of the timber. Usually it is the wood boring insects which follow in the wake of such fires that make the timber unfit for lumber and have a large share in causing the millions of dollars loss which the nation suffers annually.

To attempt the wholesale control of the insects themselves would be a hopeless task, but by eliminating fire damages, wide-spread insect-damage may also be automatically prevented, for healthy trees are not susceptible to attack. By segregating forest reserves, on which the percentage of fire loss during the last summer was smaller than on any similarly protected areas in America, the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior is taking a leading part in the control of insect ravages.

Some Tightwad

A man of our acquaintance took a young lady out walking one evening last week. He walked her past seven "movie" shows and nine ice cream parlors, but at last she rounded him up in front of a candy shop window. She looked longingly at the sweets displayed for about five minutes and then said: "Gee, doesn't that candy smell awfully good?" "It does for a fact," was the answer. "Let's stand here for awhile and smell it."

Good men don't have any special trademarks.

Chesaw Mines

Three buttons from a rattler extracted during the dead of winter when the mercury hovers around below zero is an unusual stunt, but in this district we are abounding in unusual occurrences this winter. The Woodworth brothers and Will Powell have encountered rich ore on their rattler claim two miles from town and three assays made from the samples have resulted in three fine buttons which represent values approaching \$400. The best of the test showed \$373, \$268 of which was in silver, and the rest in gold. The others represented \$24 and \$5 respectively, and were taken from different parts of a fine four foot body which was encountered in the sinking of a shaft.

The property lies north west of town, joining the Review, and the second claim from the Reco. It was located by these local men recently following the Reco strike, and work has been carried on steadily on the property since.

Pat Welch, who is dominating factor in the Review mine, in this camp, which was expected to start up this month, is in a bad condition in California under care of physicians. He suffered an attack of acute appendicitis, but before an operation could be performed his system became poisoned and he is now fighting it out by slow degrees. It is his plan when able to be round again, to give the Review his first attention. J. W. McBride was up recently from Spokane to go over the workings and line up the future work for Mr. Welch. Every miner in the country has confidence in the Review and its return to the working list is anxiously awaited.

Wm. Plunkett is deserving of the rep of a "steady shipper." He has been sending regular and numerous consignments of ore to the Granby smelter for smelter tests from his Minnie property on the south end of Copper Mountain. The claim is proving a very good one and eventually may prove its merit on a large scale.

Echoes of blasting from the Copper Mountain country float down over the town with a frequency which tells what the hard rock men are doing up in that region.

A fine strata of "ribbon quartz" was picked up in the driving of the Reco tunnel during the past week. —Chesaw News.

Alice, aged five, was helping her mother dust the drawing room. She was hidden beneath the piano when her mother heard her exclaim:

"Oh, mother, there's enough dust under here for God to make a man!"

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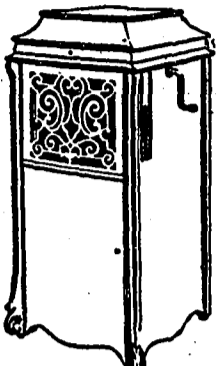
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The newspapers in Greenwood, Phoenix and Grand Forks have adopted the following scale for legal advertising:
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All other legal advertising, 25 cents a line, single column, for the first insertion; and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion. Nonpareil measurement.

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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 2,500 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 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.

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

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

THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Evening Reveries. A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Half the things we groan over at night will right themselves by tomorrow night, if let alone.

To children the presence of intelligent friends in the house is a means of advancement, a real step in education. A family living wholly within itself grows inevitably narrow. Quite as important as the schools we choose for our children are the friends we gather around us, in their and our own behalf.

Mark the young man who is coarse and disrespectful to his mother. No roseate pathway can be hers who shall sustain to him the relation of wife. Not the happiest will be the lot of those who shall come to be his children. Not to be envied is the neighborhood, even, in which he must be reckoned as a citizen. It does not matter what the mental status of that mother is, how old, how bent, how decrepit, the man to whom she is mother owes to her gentleness, kindness, tenderness and consideration. Did she fall back and did the children with superior advantage pass her in the race? But think of her toil and trials her devotion and denial, her mind and the years that she gave, that her children might derive the benefit. Think of her sacrifice—no wonder if she fell behind, with her heart in her home, in the buds that were hers. There is no rank, no station, no condition that may exempt a manly man from a kind regard for a mother.

In this country, the grandest on earth in most respects, we are not sufficiently instructed in the art of manners. We are rather gruff, and sometimes unapproachable. Manners do not make the man, as the proverb says, but manners make the man much more agreeable. A man may be noble in his heart, true in his dealings, virtuous in his conduct, and yet unmannerly. A gentleness of manners gives the finish to the true gentleman. By true manners we do not mean etiquette. This is only a conventional set of rules adopted by what is called "good society," and many of the rules of etiquette are the essence of rudeness. Etiquette does not permit genteel people to recognize in the street a man with a shabby coat, though he be their brother. Etiquette is a liar in its "not at home" ordered to be told by servants to callers at inconvenient seasons. Good manners includes many requisites, but they chiefly consist in politeness, courtesy and kindness. They cannot be taught by rule, but they may be taught by example.

A happy fireside is better than a big bank account.

No one is useless in the world who lightens the burdens of it for another.

Don't let all the sunshine in nature become cloudy since you are growing older.

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A MESSAGE TO WOMEN

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When you are "just ready to drop," when you feel so weak that you can hardly drag yourself about—and because you have not slept well, you get up as tired-out next morning as when you went to bed, you need help.

Miss L. Dumas writes from Malone, N. Y., saying: "I was in a badly run-down condition for several weeks but two bottles of Vinol put me on my feet again and made me strong and well. Vinol has done me more good than all the other medicines I ever took."

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COUNTY COURT OF YALE

A SITTING of the County Court of Yale will be held at the Court House, Greenwood, on Tuesday the 17th day of March, 1914, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

By order,
WALTER DEWDNEY,
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About Float.

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R. T. Lowery
GREENWOOD, B. C.

Many people fail to accomplish anything because they try to do too much.

The extreme sense of perfection in some men is the greatest obstacle to their success.

BOUNDARY MINES

The British Columbia Copper company has issued a circular to its shareholders announcing the plan which has been under consideration for some time for financing its development work and other obligations. It provides for the organization of a new company under the laws of Virginia to be known as the Canada Copper corporation, Limited, with an authorized capital of \$5,000,000, its shares have a par value of \$5 each.

The new company will also authorize an issue of \$1,000,000 10-year 6 per cent. convertible debentures to be dated April 1, 1914, and to be convertible at any time on or before maturity for the stock of the new company at par on the proposed basis of capitalization. The debentures will be callable by the Canada company at any time on or after three years from their date on 90 days' notice at 110 and accrued interest.

So long as any of the debentures remain outstanding the Canada company will not create any lien on its assets which shall be prior to the debentures. A sinking fund which will be applicable to retirement of the debentures will have, to the extent of that fund, preference over dividends in any year.

The Canada company will offer to all shareholders of the British Columbia company the right to exchange their stock for that of the new corporation share for share upon the condition that the holders of the old stock shall subscribe and pay at par for the convertible debentures to the extent of \$1 in debentures for each share of old stock exchanged. At present there are outstanding 501,709 shares of old stock.

Payments are to be made as follows: One fourth at the time of depositing the stock on or before March 15, 1914, and the balance on three equal instalments on April, May and June 15. Payments in full may be anticipated at the option of the shareholders.

It is stated in the circular that \$1,000,000 par value of the capital stock of the new company is to be set aside and held for the purpose of conversion of the debentures. By an arrangement between the two companies the proceeds from the sale of the debentures will be loaned to the British Columbia company, this loan to be secured by a mortgage upon all its properties now held and to be acquired.

The purchase of \$600,000 par value of the convertible debentures has been underwritten at par less an underwriting commission and such debentures as may be taken by the underwriters will carry with them pro rata of the stock in the Canada company. As a further consideration for the underwriting an option has been granted to the bankers for one year on the remaining \$400,000 of debentures and 200,000 shares stock.

The entire plan is conditioned upon the deposit for exchange on the terms set forth of not less than 51 per cent of the capital stock of the British Columbia company on or before March 15 next. Newman Erb, president of that company, announces in the circular that the largest stockholders who are represented by the board of directors and others whom they have been able to consult with, have signified their approval of the plan and their intention to deposit their shares.

In explaining the reason for bringing out this plan, Mr. Erb says that the management has realized for several years the necessity of supplementing its resources in order to overcome the depletion of its present mines. In spite of the fact that the organization and equipment have been maintained at a high rate of efficiency, it has been found impossible to develop each year sufficient ore reserves to

replace the tonnage extracted, consequently it has been found necessary to devote the surplus earnings to the examination and exploration of new property.

This policy has resulted in the development of a very promising mineralized area at Copper Mountain, located approximately 12 miles south of Princeton, B.C. This town is 140 miles west of Greenwood and 35 miles north of the International boundary on an operating branch of the Great Northern railway. A branch of the Canadian Pacific railway is now being built to Princeton also.

The ore deposits so far developed in the new properties are of a different nature from those of Greenwood, being of a disseminated type from the direct smelting of the Greenwood ores, and the concentrates thus produced are specially suited for smelting in connection with the Mother Lode ores at the present smelting plant of the company. As a consequence the concentrates from Copper Mountain ores will be shipped to and smelted at the present plant.

Mr. Erb informs the stockholders in the circular that the company has so far expended approximately \$550,000 in the acquisition and development of the Copper Mountain properties with the result that it has a combined area of approximately 1,250 acres partly owned in fee and partly under option.

As a result of the development work the engineers report that there are of "reasonably assured and probable" ore in excess of 4,000,000 tons of an average copper content of 1.87 per cent carrying from 25c. to 50c. in gold and silver per ton.

Mr. Erb says furthermore that the company has expended practically all of its cash in this development work and has incurred some floating indebtedness. Part payments have been made, but the point has been reached where the financial requirements of the situation must be met promptly, and it has been decided that this could be best accomplished through the organization of a new company as outlined.—Boston Commercial.

B. C. MINING NEWS

The ore shipments promised last fall to be made this year during the sleighing were no myth. Ever since their was any snow at all there has been teams hauling ore to New Hazelton from the Silver Standard and from the Harris mines. Mention has already been made of a ten car shipment from the Silver Standard and of the one car shipment from the Harris mine.

On February 7th the Silver Standard shipped two more cars and on the 9th another two cars went to the smelter. Up to Monday night the Glen mountain property had sent to the Trail smelter this year four hundred and seventy-three tons of high grade ore. The end is not yet. From thirty to thirty-five tons are being brought down daily and at the mine Supt. Haskins is still taking out ore.

Plans are under way now for the new development to be undertaken in the spring, or as soon as the present shipping season is over. On Saturday night Angus Stewart was in town in consultation with D. McLeod, and A. L. McHugh, and J. W. Stewart is expected here in the near future. Upon his arrival it is expected that the plans will be ready and an announcement can be made. There will be some big work going on at the Glen mountain property this year and a much larger force of men will be employed.—Hazelton Herald.

Col. Robert Stevenson left on Tuesday for the coast where he will meet a mining representative from Chicago capital and deliver the documents, maps and papers

in connection with the Moonlight group bond. The owners of the group, including the discoverer, R. Fitzgerald, have decided to accept the offer of \$1,000,000 to be paid one quarter down on April 1st, 1915, balance in equal instalments covering two years or less. Assays of the Moonlight group ore, in which are thirteen claims, show high grade values. The property is situated at the head of Granite creek and is a free milling gold proposition. The location is in the zone of the placer producing belt. Work will begin in the early spring. Col. Stevenson has handled the deal thus far to the entire satisfaction of all concerned. The owners are all local mining men and prospectors, among them being Col. Stevenson, R. Fitzgerald, H. Campbell, J. L. Huston, H. H. Thomas, A. E. Irwin, J. B. Wood and J. M. Wright.—Princeton Star.

Richer than Shushanna, is the verdict on the new strike at O'Donnell's Creek, in the Atlin country, where according to reports, which have just reached the south, four and five ounces to the pan have been taken out. One letter tells of a pan yielding \$90, being washed at Prescott and White's drift, this being five ounces to the pan.

The sources of this information are thoroughly reliable, being vouched for by a prominent business man of Vancouver, and a strike far richer than the Shushanna is believed to have been made.

According to advices received the whole population of that section of Atlin is stampeded towards the new diggings, applications have also been made by the discoverers for a post office, while prospective storekeepers are making a move to be the first on the ground.

News of this strike was first brought south some three weeks ago. Until the first reports could be properly verified, it was considered premature to make any announcement regarding the strike especially as the richness of the placer ground seemed too good to be true.

A large number of claims have been staked along O'Donnell's creek, one company having no fewer than eleven staked. Vancouver mining men are largely interested in a number of the claims.

Three hundred and twenty five tons of ore from Silver Standard mine left New Hazelton this week for the Trail Smelter. This was the first shipment from the Silver Standard this year. For several weeks teams have been hauling ore but on account of no snow the headway was slow. This week, however, conditions were much different, and every day thirty to thirty-five tons were brought down and this gait will be kept up for several weeks yet.

The value of the ore will exceed that of last year very considerably, as the sorting was much closer. Assays from half of the first shipment have been received and they give an average of \$120 per ton. They assays from the other half are expected almost any day now.—Hazelton Herald.

Stream tin is reported from Dease Creek and samples of oxidized cassiterite have been sent to Vancouver. It is stated that placer miners in that section have for years been throwing this metal out of their sluice boxes under the impression that it was worthless iron ore. It has been considered remarkable that tin has not hitherto been found in British Columbia with the exception of traces at Nelson and in the Payne mine in the Slocan. Traces have also been found in the slugs of the Trail smelter. The new discovery will serve to draw the attention of prospectors to the desirability of being on the look-out for tin ore; for they undoubtedly exist. It is pos-

sible that further prospecting on Dease Creek might locate a deposit of lode tin. While tin is generally associated with granitic rocks, the most probable conditions of its discovery are where such rocks are metamorphosed to greisen and accompanied by fluorite. The most common ore of tin is cassiterite, which varies in color from black to light brown, is brittle, of high specific gravity, and non-magnetic.

The Danger Line

The river gleams bright in the white moonlight
Where the merry skaters wheel
While the woodland echoes the merry shout

And the music of ringing steel,
Just out where the smooth ice tempts the feet

You may see the warning sign
That calls to all who may stop to hear—
"Keep away from the danger line."

And just so it is in life dear heart;
No matter how smooth and fair
The surface may be, you will find it true
That the danger point is there.

There's the first wrong thought, and the first wrong deed,
There are the card-rooms, cigars and wine,
To lure the feet, but remember dear,
"Keep away from the danger line."

Don't try how near you may venture,
Lad,
Or circle with daring feet;
Just right about face nor look behind,
For honor oft lies in retreat,
Don't stop to parley or question, dear,
Or scoff at the friendly sign,
But the wise are they who will read and heed—
"Keep away from the danger line."

Country Town Sayings

I never new a circus to divide;
but did you ever hear of a circus
that was not charged with it?

In buying a gentle horse, always remember that a gentle horse is lazy.

The most useful people are those who quietly teach temperance, honesty, industry and justice by example, and at the same time do something for the communities in which they live.

When a woman writes a letter, she is apt to put poetry to the exclusion of news.

Get your business rival into politics, and keep out yourself.

Look out for the people who call on you to trade their half dollars for your dollars.

If you mean well, as an evidence of good faith you should occasionally do something well.

So many do not succeed that they are able to almost make success discreditable.

The faith cure goes too far one way; allopathy goes too far the other.

One of the most tiresome things in the world is to be compelled to listen to another man tell how well he understands his business, and how smart he is.—"Ed" Howe.

Service is for him who serves. It is the natural expression of a man's better nature trying to rise to his ideal. It is Brotherly Love and the Golden Rule Combined. It is a man trying to fill the great niche carved for him in the scheme of Destiny.

We all serve, from beggar to king, and it is only a question of degree and the intelligence of our efforts—and he who serves willingly serves doubly.

Therefore let us hope that it may be our privilege to do our work gladly, and not to be the slaves of custom and precedent, but the servants of our better selves.—O. C. Saum.

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A Cute Scotchman

A Scotchman had contracted a debt. When it became due he had no means with which to meet it. He worried a great deal, but no feasible plan of raising the money to meet the obligation presented itself.

At last he decided he would get a pistol, go out on the highway, hold up the first traveller that came along, take his money from him, and with it pay his debt. So Sandy got a gun and went out on the highway, and when the first traveller came along he pointed the gun at him and said: "Give me your money, or I'll blow your brains out." The traveller saw that Sandy was green at the business, and began to parley and bargain with him.

"My good man," he said, "I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll give you all I have except five pounds, and I will give you that if you will give me the pistol."

"I'll do it," said Sandy. "It's a bargain."

The traveller handed over his money and Sandy handed over the pistol; but no sooner had the man secured the gun than he turned it point-blank at Sandy, and said:

"Now, sir, I want you to give me back the money you have taken from me or I'll blow your brains out."

Rough on Texas

Here is one of the stories that Representative Webb tells. He is great on church stories:

"Once there was a man in Texas who died and who was so irretrievably bad that the minister who called to bury him couldn't think of a single respectable thing to say.

"The corpse was neatly laid out and the minister sadly considered his eulogy. The audience fretted during the early part of the service, wondering what the preacher could possibly think of that would not shock the church and somewhat near the truth concerning the disreputable deceased.

"Finally the minister began: 'My dear brethren, our dearly beloved brother was born in Missouri, spent part of his life in Kansas, lived later in Arkansas, and died in Texas. So, my dear brethren, we may congratulate ourselves that while our beloved brother's descent into hell was certain, it was at least gradual.'

Little Ruth saw for the first time a man with a "peg" leg.

"Oh, mamma," she said, "see that man with a stick for a leg."

"Don't talk so loud," said mama. "He'll hear you."

"Why," the little one replied in surprise, "doesn't he know it?"

Maiden: "What's this 'trough of the sea' we read about?"

Corney: "Oh, I guess that is what the ocean greyhounds drink out of."

Paint, Varnish, Enamel, Stains, Shellac

It will soon be house cleaning time and you will want to touch up your floors and wood work. Perhaps you will even go further and paint your house. It is really surprising what a vast improvement a little paint will make. Why not take one bedroom and white enamel the wood work, floor border, furniture, etc. We have just received a large order of paints, enamels, etc., and would like to have you consult us before we are sold out.

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This week we have received part of our shipment of working gloves. These gloves are made by one of the exclusive factories where the needs of every individual trade is specially catered for.

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Medical Reform

More and more the learned physicians turn away from dope and drugs, turn away from old positions, from their bottles, flasks and jugs. When I used to have conniptions, measles, mumps or other ills, Doc would hand me out prescriptions calling for a peck of pills. He would straightway send me bedward, with a trained nurse stern and dour, saying to the latter, "Edward, give him dope eight times an hour." All my bedroom was a litter of old bottles, goblets, spoons, and I swallowed powders bitter till I felt like last year's prunes. It was not till I revolted that I rallied from my ills, not until I up and bolted and went hiding in the hills. Now the Doc writes no prescriptions when I've left my health behind, naught in Latin or Egyptian for the druggist to unwind. "You must live," the Doc says, "easily if you keep away from grief; men of careless habits vainly look to druggists for relief. Eat good grub and eat it slowly, go to bed at 10 o'clock, sidestep all the drinks unholy, every morning take a walk." Then he soaks me for an eagle, and a sigh, "I am no flat! Me the sawbones can't inveigle into such a scheme as that!"—Walt Mason.

The Rest Was Wanting

A little girl was told at school to write about 200 words on the motor car. This she did as follows: "Uncle bought a motor car. He went riding in the country. Presently it skidded and he was thrown out. That's about 50 words, I think. The other 150 words uncle said when walking back home, and are not fit for publication.

He Does Not Advertise.

Breathes there a man with soul so dead Who never to himself has said: 'My trade of late is getting bad, I'll try another ten-inch ad?' If there be, go mark him well, For him no bank account shall swell, No angels watch the golden stair, To welcome home the millionaire. The man who never asks for trade, By local line, or ad displayed, Cares more for rest than worldly gain, And patronage but gives him pain. Tread lightly, friends; let no rude sound Disturb his solitude profound, Here let him lie in calm repose, Unscathed except by men he owes. And when he dies go plant him deep That nothing may disturb his sleep, Where no rude clamor may dispel That quiet that he loved so well. And that the world may know its loss Place on a stone a wreath of moss, And on a stone above 'Here lies A fossil, who did not advertise.'

All truth is an achievement. If you would have truth at its full value, go win it.—Munger.

Fussing with the neighbors will not right your wrongs.