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BOUNDARY FALLS

Christian Science service will be held in the MELLOR BLOCK on Sunday at 11 a. m. All welcome. Every Wednesday at 8 p. m., testimonial meetings will be held in the same block. Sunday School every Sunday morning.

WANTS, Etc.

FOR SALE. A letter-press for $5. Apply at Ledge.

FOR SALE,—5,000 lbs 1" drill steel, in lengths from 1 to 30 feet. This is slightly used and can be bought reasonable. R. A. Brown, Midway, B. C.

Automobile Model C. Skates, Aluminum Top. Crome Nickle Steel Blade—Regular $5.00, sale price $4.35.

Send a copy of Float to your friends. You can have it mailed direct by sending 25 cents to The Ledge office.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Guy, of Grand Forks, will be at the Pacific Hotel, Greenwood, from Nov. 27 to Dec. 9, prepared to execute all kinds of dentistry.

This autumn, two fawn came into a piece of fenced ground at Rock Creek Hotel during the night, and would not go away in the morning. They know a good place to winter, and when Tom gets back he will be able to raise mavericks for the market

Mrs. David Manchester was in town this week, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. George T. Reid of New Westminster. Mrs. Manchester has presented Mrs. Reid with the Queen's Hotel, and in about 2 months she will occupy it as a rooming and boarding house. Mrs. Reid's husband and son are at the front in France.

The following list of Red Cross supplies were made and shipped by the Red Cross work parties on Nov. 10th: 20 surgical shirts, 25 pairs operation stockings, 115 hot-water bottle covers, 5 personal property bags, 40 pairs of socks, 30 wash cloths and 10 T bandages. Also 35 well filled comfort bags, for our Canadian wounded soldiers in the hospitals.

There is no law against laughter. You are here on earth and entitled to its sunshine.

The pessimist is convinced that even the cup of joy is a trick cup, with a false bottom.

No matter how great and unselfish your deed of kindness to another, the largest gain is within your own breast.

Around Home

Fresh eggs are $1 a dozen in Phoenix.

Fresh eggs are 70 cents a dozen in Princeton.

Bulbs for winter bloomings. G. A. Rendell.

The fish screen at Christina lake is completed.

John H. East will spend the winter in California.

Case pipes, Cigars, and gifts for the Smoker at Kennedy's.

The Granby has donated $15,000 to the Patriotic Fund.

One of the horses composing the fire team died on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lucas visited the Forks on Saturday.

See that stock of novelties and Christmas gifts at Kennedy's.

Our Sale is still on. Come and see what we have. G. A. Rendell.

Closing out, everything goes—Skates—See the ad. A. L. White.

M. W. Ludlow has opened a cigar store and pool room, at Denoro.

Edgar G. Sparks of Midway, was recently killed at the front in France.

In Phoenix Danny Deane has rented his restaurant to Mrs. Gustafson.

On Sunday the smelter changed furnaces, owing to the bursting of a settler.

Ten Night's in a Bar Room played to a $60 house on Saturday evening.

We are Agents for the Canadian H. W. Gossard Co. Corsets. G. A. Rendell.

Quite a number from town attended the dance in Rock Creek, last Friday evening.

Archie Aberdeen came in from his Bridesville ranch to spend a few days in the metropolis.

Fancy Coned Chocolates, Christmas Crackers and choice confectionery at Kennedy's store.

The J. Ferroux Co. has been formed to carry on the wood and timber business at Carmi.

While in Rochester, Minn, Tom Hanson says that he is making expenses by running a jitney.

Eholt has become a wood centre. Carloads of cordwood are shipped from there in different directions.

Will the person who borrowed "Byways of Belief" (Conrad Noel) kindly return same to owner. c-o The Ledge.

Word was received at Rock Creek last week, that Tom Cave had been killed in France, while rescuing an officer.

His many friends, of all shades of politics, congratulate Dr. MacLean upon his appointment as Minister of Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr of Trail were in town this week buying horses. They bought six from Frank Buckless.

Rev. A. M. Lloyd will shortly leave for Oakland, California, where he will devote the most of his time to the composing of music.

The new store building at Copper mountain, near Princeton will be finished next spring. It will be heated with steam, and lighted with electricity.

During his absence at the coast, Dr. Wood is in charge for Dr. MacLean. The Hon. J. D. MacLean will return in a few days for the bye-election.

The other day, between Greenwood and Grand Forks, an auto struck and killed a deer. In the Boundary autos frequently run into bunches of deer standing on the road.

In response to a wire, Dr. MacLean went to Victoria on Tuesday. He has been appointed Minister of Education, and the Greenwood riding looms larger than ever in the eyes of the province.

In Phoenix last Thursday while coasting, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John McPhee went over the bridge near the Queen's hotel, and received injuries from which he died. The funeral was held in Nelson.

Mrs. Chalmers of Thrums, who has been lecturing throughout the Kootenay and Boundary districts, will be in Greenwood, on Dec. 1st and 2nd, and will give two free lectures, commencing on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, and Saturday afternoon at 2.30. Subjects for these lectures will be: The Home Garden, Live Stock on the Farm, Soils and Crops, Home Canning, etc. Everyone try and come. A special invitation is given to members of the Farmer's Institute.

New Cabinet

Brewster formed his cabinet on Monday as follows:

Brewster, Premier and Finance; M. A. Macdonald, Attorney-General; Dr. J. A. MacLean, Education; John Oliver, Agriculture; Dr. King, Provincial Secretary and Mines; Sloan, President of the Council. Pattullo, Lands. The minister of Public Works has not yet been appointed, but it will likely be Ralph Smith.

A Wise Geezer

There was an old geezer and he had
a lot of sense;
And he started up a business on a
dollar-eighty-cents—
The dollar for stock and eighty for
an ad
Brought him three lovely dollars in
a day, by dad!
Well, he bought more goods and
a little more space
And he played that system with a
smile on his face.
The customers flocked to his two-
by-four
And he soon had to hustle for a
regular store.
Up on the square where the people
pass,
He gobbled up a corner that was
all plate glass.
He fixed up the windows with the
best that he had
And he told 'em all about it in a
half page ad.
He soon had them coming and he
never, never quit
And he wouldn't cut down on his
ad one jit.
Well, he's kept things humping in
the town ever since
And everybody calls him the
Merchant Prince.
Some say it's luck, but that's all
bunk—
Why, he was doing business when
the times were punk.
People have to purchase and the
geezer was wise—
For he knew the way to get 'em
was to advertise.

Kindness Pays

Kindness pays. It pays because the world needs it as constanly as it needs the sunlight and the dew, and men could no more do without it than without food and raiment. It always pays to give the world what it really needs.

It pays because in kindness there is strength. It is not, as many suppose, a sign of weakness. It is a mark of that strength which is truest and best. No man is so strong as he who knows the secret of gentleness.

It pays because it wins the heart. There is no other such wealth as that of friendship, and there is no other such friend as the friend who remembers a kindness.

It pays because there is all too little of it abroad in the earth, and what supply there is, is always at a premium.

It pays because no one is ever very far from the shining way who carries a loving heart within his breast, whose lips are careful to avoid unkind words, and whose hands are trained to helpful things.

It pays because it knows a greater strength than that of force. It can melt its way through many a place where all the terrors of force can not drive a path.

It pays because it never has an ax to grind. It wins the world's good opinion by avoiding the very appearance of self-seeking.

It pays because it represents the highest law of human society—the law of altruism.

It always seeks to serve the other fellow, and when it can not serve him, it at least manages not to hinder him.

It pays because it is true, and men everywhere are looking for something that is really true. Whatever else it may not be, kindness is sincere and faithful.

It pays because it reacts on one's own character. Each time he remembers to be kind, he makes another reach toward the height of real kingliness: It is thus that kindness never loses its reward.

It pays because it is often returned with interest, and if it is never returned at all, the angels do not forget to give credit.—Boy's World.

Thirty women are practicing dentistry in the state of Missouri.

Western Float

A new hospital is being built at Nakusp.

This is a good time to try the starvation cure.

There will be skating in New Denver this winter.

Ying Ho died in Revelstoke this month, aged 57 years.

Frozen salmon is being shipped from Port Alberni to Toronto.

Miners get 30 cents a day in Peru. They are probably worth it.

Eggs are 35 cents a dozen in Chesaw and butter 50 cents a pound.

Somewhere in Canada there are a few delinquent subscribers to this paper.

About 70 carloads of apples will be shipped from Keremeos this season.

Begin to cut your rations down. That is a sure way to heal the high cost of living.

There is a milk famine in Vancouver, but that city still has plenty of water.

In October, 1896, there were 312 children attending the public schools in Rossland.

The city fireman in North Vancouver, have had their wages raised $10 a month.

This season eight carloads of fruit were shipped from Duncan, principally to Victoria.

Eat less. You will feel better, and keep food prices from getting tangled up with the clouds.

At Port Alberni, Richard Davis was fined $75 and costs, for supplying a redskin with firewater.

This month, George Price died from heart failure, while crossing the river bridge at Keremeos.

Not long ago. it cost a woman in Sandon $75, for marring the facial beauty of another female.

W. J. Devitt, chief of police in Rossland has recovered from his recent operation for appendicitis.

Miss Sarah Lingard died from injuries received while putting oil on a slow fire in a Port Alberni hotel.

This monh Mrs. G. N. Ashwell died in Chilliwack, aged 72 years. She had lived 45 years in the Fraser valley.

Joe Alexander has been appointed government agent at Fort Fraser, J. E. Hooson has been moved to Alberni.

At Kildonan, on the coast, large quantities of herring are being canned. Recently 1000 cases were put up in one day.

Jack London, the novelist, died in California last week, aged 41 years. He was cremated without any religious ceremony.

Beer is still five cents a glass in Victoria, but other drinks have gone up in price. Case Scotch 20 cents and brandy 25 cents.

Owing to the measles the schools at Oroville were closed for a week. Some children would like to see the measles stay in that town.

This year B. C. raised 80,000 tons of potatoes, and the price is double that of last year, ranging from $18 to $25 a ton. On Vancouver Island spuds are $35 a ton.

That mountain of bombast, egotism, and incompetency, Sir Sam Hughes will now have a chance to sit in the back seats, and look in the glass. A great thorn has been removed from the military system of Canada.

There is no advance in 90 per cent of the real necessaries of life. We need 90 per cent air and water, and 10 per cent of solids to keep us on earth. We are fortunate that no combine has a cinch on air and water.

George Chataway and Mrs. Mary Ann Archer of Mirror Lake were married at Nelson this month. George is one of the owners of the Highland Valley mine near Ashcroft, and the happy couple will reside at the mine this winter.

In Kaslo 24 years ago, there was a restaurant that had kept two cooks on the night shift. It was run by Curley Robinson. He made $42,000 that winter, but it cost him $45,000 to make it, and he had nothing left in the spring but a cup of coffee and a crap table.

In his very able monograph on the Sudbury nickle-copper region Dr. A. P. Coleman says that there are 100,000,000 tons of ore. This estimate belongs to the conservative type so usual with all officials, but nevertheless it shows an ultimate production of $2,500,000,000. Each ton of ore will contain at least 100 pounds of metal worth 25 cents per pound, the aggregate being the colossal sum just named. The output already is $175,000,000. This is considerably greater than the value of the silver from Cobalt and approximately equal to all the gold from the famous Klondyke placers.

Over The Sea

The following extracts are from a letter to Frank Buckless from his daughter Mae, Mrs. Dr. Burnett:

"The moment I arrived in Glasgow I sent you a rush cable. We had a very interesting trip, and were eleven days crossing. The third day out we had a terrible storm for two days. We could not sleep. We were pitched back and forth until we were actually black and blue. I was never a bit nervous. We were met at the war zone by a British cruiser. It seemed so good to see the dear old Union Jack. It seemed like a mother guarding her children. But it came as a warning to us, for just 45 minutes before the Marina had been sunk by a sub. We knew that we were in the danger zone so did not go to bed. We saw the crew fixing up the life boats, supplying each one with brandy, etc.

"As we sailed up the Clyde we were given great cheering at different places, as our boat was never expected to dock. So strange, we did not know, everything is so quietly done. While in that danger not one of us wore our life belts, although they were right near. Sailing up the river Clyde was beautiful. The scenery is simply magnificent. Scotland is surely bonnie. Miss Crosby's brother-in-law met Mrs. Martin, Miss Crosby and I at Glasgow. I do not know what we would have done alone about our baggage, as the system here is very poor. Each one has to claim their own trunks, and it is some job when there are hundreds of them.

"London is some place," but I am afraid to venture out until I have Jack to go with. Jack arrived at two o'clock Saturday morning. I was worried about him. Eleven days without news, and I knew the submarines were about. Like myself, Jack weathered the storm nicely, and he was surprised when I told him that I had been a good sailor. He did not miss a meal in crossing the Atlantic, and I only one. We are off for Epsom tonight and will see the sights when Jack gets leave. Miss Hanna is now in Dumfries, Scotland.

Try It And See It

According to an eminent French scientist, flies show a marked aversion to things that are blue. This fact was first discovered by a French farmer, who kept a number of cows distributed in several sheds. The interior of one of these sheds had, purely by accident, been colored blue. The other stables had white interiors. The farmer soon noticed that, while the cows in the sheds with white walls were driven to the point of frenzy by flies, the cattle housed in the shed with the blue interior were not bothered. The little pests hovered outside this shed; only a stray one, whose sense of color was perhaps not strongly developed, every now and again would be tempted to enter.

The farmer told of his observation, and soon other farmers took to painting their sheds blue, with gratifying results. Now it is a general custom among the cattle-owners in France to tint the interiors of their sheds with a solution made by mixing ten pounds of slacked lime with twenty gallons of water, and then adding one pound of ultramarine. The sheds are tinted with this solution twice during the summer months, with the result that the cattle are pretty generally free from annoyance.

It might be a good plan for owners of horses and cattle in this country to experiment with the use of blue about their stables and out-buildings. Nothing should be neglected which might add to the comfort of dumb beasts during the hot summer months.

Little Johnny.—Dad, there's a girl at our school whom we call Postscrip.

Dad.—Postscrip? What do you call her Postscrip for?

Little Johnny.—'Cos her name is Adeline Moore.

THE LEDGE

$2 a year in Canada, and $2.50 in the United States.

R. T. LOWERY,
Editor and Financier.

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Transfer Liquor Licenses	7.50
Estray Notices	3.00
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Certificate of Improvement	10.00

(Where more than one claim appears in notice, $2.50 for each additional claim.)

All other legal advertising, 12 cents a line first insertion, and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion, nonpariel measurement.

The blue cross means that your subscription is due, and that the editor would be pleased to have more money.

B. C. Mines

Magnesite is being shipped from Atlin.

The copper refinery at Trail is to be enlarged.

The diamond drill is working on the California, near Nelson.

Platinum is found in several of the mines in the Simikameen.

In the near future coke will be made at Merritt and Coalmont.

A new ore body has been struck on the Joshua, at Stump lake.

There is some copper around Ferguson and Trout Lake City.

In the Slocan, ore will be rawhided this winter from the Soho.

Jack Gormley and Tim Griffin, have leased the O K mine near Oroville.

This year the mineral production of B. C. will be worth about $50,000,000.

A strike of antimony is reported at the head of Forty Mile creek, in the Yukon.

The Britannia, near Vancouver is the largest copper mine in the British Empire.

Murdock McIntyre of Merritt, owns 20 mineral claims near Mamette lake, which are now being developed by New York and Chicago capital.

The mines around Carmi and Beaverdell should attract the attention of the mining world. The claim owners in those districts should do more advertising.

Plunder and Politics

There is no question in the mind of those familiar with the facts that through political chicanery the Government, that is the people who pay the taxes, is annually robbed by corporations which are as guilty of stealing as the highwayman and the burglar.

Congressman Quin, of Mississippi, dared to assert in Congress, recently, that the rifles manufactured by the Government cost it $16; that those bought from private factories cost it $27—identically the sam gun. He continued:

This machine gun which you have read about, that weighs 32 pounds, cost $1200, purchased from private factories. As to the little tripod and the pack that goes on the mule's back, great statesmen on that committee inquiring about it discovered that a tripod that Sears & Roebuck, of the gentlemen's own town, would supply for about 30 cents, is supplied by the gun manufacturer at $300, and that the little pack that goes on the mule's back costs the Government $500 at the hands of a private factory. Any man who ever used a shotgun, and who is a judge of arms, knows that the machine gun, weighing 32 pounds, and a little tripod or pair of tongs to hold it up, is worth about $75, but, manufactured by these people and sold to Uncle Sam, it costs the taxpayers of this Republic $1200!

When we know that every year for a decade we have spent upon our navy many more millions than any other nation save Great Britain, it is plainly evident that no small part of these millions have gone into the treasuries of private corporations whose propaganda just now in behalf of "preparedness" and a "larger patriotism" is too transparent to be even amusing. F.H.R.

A Needed Religion

More and more we are convinced that what this country most needs is a religion or training that will make a man pay his debts. Shouting does not settle accounts with God or man. Often we want to bounce a fellow right out of church because he went fishing on Sunday, but never say a word to the pious scamp who never pays his debts, and such people are doing the church more harm than any lot of Sunday desecrators, for there are more of them in the church. Reader, are we getting close to you? Then lay down this paper and go and pay up and you can read on at ease. And don't you stop paying because the "statue of limitations" excuses the open account which you made for bread and meat. You must pay it in cash or God will make you pay it in fire and brimstone. God knows no such excuse for paying as "homestead exemption." When you raise that excuse to keep from paying your debts you can stop singing, "When I can read my title clear to mansions in the Skies." You've got none up there.

AN AGED WOMAN

Tells How Vinol Made Her Strong

In her eighty-second year Mrs. John Wickersham, of Russellville, Pa., says: "I was in a run-down, feeble condition and had lost flesh. A neighbor asked me to try Vinol, and after taking two bottles my strength returned; I am gaining in flesh, it has built up my health and I am feeling fine for a woman of my age, so I get around and do my housework."

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mrs. Wickersham's case was because it contains the very elements needed to build her up.

J. L. WHITE, Druggist, Greenwood, Also at the best druggist in all British Columbia towns.

Saving His Eyes

A friend who has been the owner for nearly fifteen years of "a shaggy black and gray mite" of a dog, writes us that she is perfectly confident the dog's excellent sight at this advanced age has been due to keeping the hair clipped from in front of the eyes. The letter further expresses the belief that many long-haired dogs early become blind because the strain upon the eyes made necessary by looking out through so heavy a mass of hair. Of course the first reply will be "Leave nature alone. If it put the hair there, there's where it ought to be." But did nature put it there? She claims it did not; that in state of nature no dogs would be found with hair hanging over their eyes; that it has been only by inbreeding and crossing that this result has come about.

Animals Under Shell Fire

The proverbial spinx-like imperturbability of cats is once again demonstrated by the fact that pussy is the only quadruped known to face shells without a natural feeling of trepidation, says an English exchange. Even after two years of devastating bombardment, Ypres, the dead city of the Flanders plain, still boasts a number of cats which prowl and flourish in this wilderness of calcined debris. Horses are more human, inasmuch as they are afraid of shells, but endeavor to show a bold front. Dogs are the greatest cowards, and the sound of a "Jack Johnson" sets them running as fast as their legs can carry them from the danger zone. Perhaps, however, the most unaffected of all natural life within sound of the guns are larks and sparrows. These birds treat a hurricane of fire with aloofness and contempt, singing and chirping through all the din as if the uproar were but an uninvited accompainment to their song.

A Bit of Treatment

When at eve I sit beside her
And caress her soft black hair,
I am blessed with sweet contentment,
Life is calm and peaceful there.

When the daily strife is ended
And, aweary of the fight;
I direct my footsteps homeward,
Glad for rest that comes with night;

At the gate she always meets me—
Greets me in her cheery way.
And I quite forget the harsh words
That I had in mind to say.

Always patient, kind and faithful,
Helpful, constant, true: I vow
She is worthy, and I love her.
(She's a splendid Holstein cow).

CLARENCE L. CAMPBELL.

An Early Christian

"Does your minister practice what he preaches?" the newcomer questioned.

"He does," the citizen answered, with a sigh, "and I'd be perfectly willing to have him stop. He lives next door to me, and begins at 7 o'clock Sunday morning to practice what he is going to preach."

They are slaves who fear to speak for the fallen and the weak.
LOWELL.

Whatever comes from the brain carries the hue of the place it came from, and whatever comes from the heart carries the heat and color of its birthplace. HOLMES.

Corporation of the City of Greenwood

COURT OF REVISION

Public notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December next, the Court of Revision for the purpose of correcting and revising the voters' list of the municipality of the City of Greenwood for the year 1917, will sit at the Municipal offices, in the said city, at the hour of 5 p.m. (local time).

G. B. TAYLOR,
City Clerk.

Greenwood, B. C., Nov. 28, 1916.

Extra Municipal Wholesale Liquor Licence

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of December next application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the grant of an Extra-Municipal Wholesale Licence for the sale of liquor in and upon the premises known as the Phoenix Brewing Co, Phoenix, B. C.

Dated this 6th day of November, 1916.

D. BINER,
Phoenix Brewing Co.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

TAKE NOTICE that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Phoenix, British Columbia, at their next meeting, for a transfer of the liquor license for the premises known as the Queens Hotel, situate in Phoenix, B.C., to John Hartman.

Dated at Phoenix, B. C, this 6th day of November, 1916.

J. B. BOONE,
JOHN HARTMAN.

Only A Dog

"Only a dog!"—And yet a dog is the truest of all friends, the most forgiving, the most generous.

He will go with his master anywhere, and if fairly treated is always happiest at his side.

He would live with him in poverty and suffering rather than in luxury without him.

Whether of high breeding, and his value counted by the hundreds, or the weakest half-starved cur that roams the city's streets, the faithful, loving heart is the same.

You cannot give the poor outcast the least kindness—a crust of bread, a dipper of water. even a pat and a kind word—without awaking a gratitude that brightens his eye and changes his whole aspect.—MRS. MARY JOHNSON.

Clever Fowls

A letter in The Times of May 29 chronicles a singular and very interesting fact. The writer's son had been stationed at a farm in France, and in a letter states: "We often hear the sound of a shell coming and yet there is no burst." Then he eventually traced this sound to the fowls in the farmyard—first to a hen, afterwards to a cock. They had learnt to make the noise since the war began; and the French farmer told him they often kept it up for a long time—surely a most curious instance of bird mimicry.

The above seems hardly credible. The average hen or rooster is seldom counted very intelligent. Dr. Herbert Snow, however, vouches for the above in The Animals' Guardian.

LAKE STUDIO
GRAND FORKS

WILL BE IN GREENWOOD
December 15th, 16th and 17th

Up-to-Date and Best Appointed Studio in the Boundary

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EXPANSION OF B.C. TELEPHONE SYSTEM

THE British Columbia Telephone Company has been busy this year in the Kootenay and Boundary districts. The Slocan District has been brought into touch with the rest of the south-eastern interior, by the construction of a copper circuit from New Denver to Nelson.

Another Long Distance line has been constructed between Nelson and Rossland, supplementing the telephoning facilities between those two cities. Another piece of work is the Long Distance line from Midway to Penticton. A new exchange is being built at Nelson. In addition, general improvement work has been carried out in all sections of the two districts.

Achievements of the B. C. Telephone Co. are an earnest of future accomplishments, to provide a more comprehensive as well as a more perfect telephone service.

BRITISH COLUMBIA TELEPHONE COMPANY, LTD.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of wenty-one years renewal for a further term of 21 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 in which the rights applied for are situated.

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