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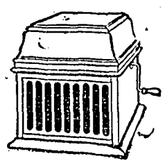

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J. D. MACLEAN, M.D.

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.

Buy a Float and send it to your boy at some Hot Spot in France.

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

Hugh McKee has advanced the price of wood as follows: Four foot and 16 inch wood, $5 a cord. 22 and 24 inch wood, $5.50 a cord.

Why He Laughed

All the way from German East Africa, where General Smuts is rounding up the last of the Huns, comes the following:

Two members of our expeditionary force got separated from their command and were lost in the bush. They were captured by a hostile tribe of savages and brought before the chief.

He ordered them to get out and gather some fruit. Upon their return the chief ordered one of them, Jim into his presence.

"What bringest thou?" he demanded.

"Grapes."

"Then swallow them whole; that is thy punishment, and of like nature will be the punishment of thy friend."

Jim burst out laughing.

The chief gazed at him sternly; then:

"Why dost thou laugh?" he asked.

"Well, my pal, Bill—ha, ha!—he's got cocoanuts!"

Around Home

A Happy New Year to all. John L. Coles.

R. Whitford, of Carmi, was in town on Friday last.

Ward Storer took in the races at Tia Jauna last month.

The Curlers are getting their rinks in shape for the season.

Howard Huff is playing hockey with the Cranbrook team this winter.

Carl Adeneur, the watchmaker, is spending the winter in San Diego.

Walter Murray and wife, of Trail, were on a visit to relatives this week.

Miss Helen Smith, of Beaverdell, will spend the winter in California.

Freddie Cooper, of Grand Forks, was visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Jeanne Crawford, of Carmi, is visiting her sister Mrs, W. G. Kennedy.

Billy Tallett, formerly of Carmi, has been killed in action somewhere in France.

There will be a dance in Riverside Hall, Rock Creek, on Friday evening, December 29.

P. C. McWha of the 225th Battalion, New Westminster, is holidaying in Phoenix.

Grand Forks Doukhobors will contribute $100 monthly to the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

BORN,—To Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henderson, of Mother Lode, on December 27, a daughter.

C. O. Sanford, a mining engineer of Los Angeles, has been examining properties at Carmi.

On account of their being no Boundary league, Phoenix has gone into the West-Kootenay Hockey League.

Wing Chuck, of the Sing Lung Laundry, left on Friday for Victoria, where he will enter a Chinese school.

The sum of $38 was raised for the Belgian fund by the school children of Midway at an entertainment last Friday evening.

Dick Taylor who has been attending the B. C. University, Vancouver, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Taylor.

Dougal McQuaig and Miss Edith Bozarth of Bridesville, were married in Okanogan, Wash, last week. They are on their honeymoon at the coast.

MARRIED.—At Ingham ranch, Midway, on December 25, by Rev. H. W. Simpson, Joseph Richter and Miss Gertrude Henderson, both of Midway.

The Greenwood smelter produced 3,455,578 pounds of copper and 8,555 ounces of gold and more than 33,000 ounces of silver in the first eight months of the current year.

Sergt. E. W. Holbrook has been promoted to Company Sergt.-Major, and has also been recommended for the Distinguished Conduct Medal. Sergt. Holbrook left Grand Forks with 102nd Battalion.

Commencing on Monday, January 1st, the Great Northern passenger trains between Oroville and Princeton will be run on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, instead of Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

The postoffice has received a supply of National Service cards, which must be filled in by all males, between the ages of 16 and 65 inclusive, any one not receiving a card can ask for it at the post office.

Miss McBride, night nurse at the Sacred Heart Hospital, is in Nelson on her vacation. Miss Simms, of Vernon, arrived in the city on Thursday, and will take Miss McBride's place during her absence.

The Red Cross Dance held in the Anaconda school last Thursday evening was a great success in every respect. The proceeds amounted to $41.85. Mrs. Oliver presided at the piano, assisted by A. J. Grenier, with traps and drums. A. Gravell, of the National hotel kindly loaned the piano for the occasion.

A Grand Entertainment will be held in the Star Theatre, on Monday evening, January 1st, 1917, at 8 o'clock, in aid of the Canadian Patriotic Fund. First class moving pictures will be shown followed by a Pierrot entertainment by well-known talented local artists, songs, choruses, dances, etc. All the latest jokes. Dance to follow entertainment. Admission (including dance,) adults, 50c., children 25c. Keep the date in mind—1st, January, 1917 at the Star Theatre.

The Ledge extends its best wishes for a Happy New Year to all.

Afternoon Tea will be served in aid of the Ladies Hockey club, in the Red Cross Room, Government St., on Saturday from 2:30 until 6 o'clock. Everyone should attend this Tea and help the Ladies to raise funds so that that they can put their club in good shape financially.

Canada Copper

According to a report from New York the erection of a 2,000-ton mill near Princeton, B. C., and the construction of a railway to the mine at Copper Mountain, 13 miles, is proposed by the Canada Copper Corporation, Ltd. This company operates the smelter at Greenwood. The cost of building the mill and railway is estimated at less than $2,000,000.

Erection of the larger plant has been preceded by the installation of a 50-ton experimental mill to be used in working out the final problems of a flotation process for the 2,000-ton plant. A pumping equipment has been established to raise the water from the Similkameen river to the plant, 6,000 feet, and to an elevation of 1,700 feet.

"At Copper Mountain the company is developing a new low-grade porphyry copper property in which ore approximating 11,000,000 tons has been developed," says the statement. "This ore has an average value of 1.75 per cent copper and about 20 cents in recoverable gold and silver to the ton. A recovery of 80 per cent. and a profit of 5 cents a pound are expected on a basis of 14 to 15 cents for copper.

"The 2,000-foot tunnel the company is driving has attained the 1,400-foot point, this distance having been driven since July 1. The Copper Farm ore body was cut at the 1,000-foot point, and the Vancouver at the 1,300-foot point. Arrival at the Sunset, the principal ore body, is expected at the 2,000-foot point. The tunnel is advancing at the rate of nearly 20 feet a day. The number of employees at this mine is 200."

Operations in the tunnel were preceded by diamond drilling in a large area. It occupied several years, and proceeded under the direction of Frederic Keffer of Spokane.

A Harvest Rescue

BY ELLEN D. MASTERS

Twas harvest-time at Rosedale Farm;
The wheat was ripe, the sun was warm.

While o'er the fields the reaper wound,
The waving wheat was moved and bound.

And then a pair of whirring wings
Flew up before the great steel things

That cut the graceful, waving wheat
And tied it up in bundles neat,

Billy and Ned ran in between
The standing wheat and the big machine!

Ah, yes, 'twas true—just as they guessed!
"Stop! stop! We've found a partridge nest!"

So that is why the little square
Of wheat stands 'mid the sutbble there.

And that is why the whirring wings
Flew back to warm the precious things—

The dozen tiny chicks that rest
All safely 'neath the mother-breast,

While Bob-White calls, in proud refrain.
His name from fields of garnered grain.

"Everything O. K."

Your letter came. Glad you bought a team of horses. Hilda is sick. She has diphtheria, and she will die, I think. Clara died this eve. She had it, too. We are quarantined. Five of Fisher's family have got it. My wife is sick. She hain't got it. If this thing gets worse we may have to get a doctor. Them trees are budding good. Everything O.K.—Chicago Tribune.

Western News

Trail has 185 telephones and Rossland 239.

Building permits at Trail for November totalled $5,049.

Kaslo Red Cross reports $241 of cash donations during November.

Excavation work has started for a new two-room school at Silverton.

Charles Rundberg of Ainsworth, is spending the holidays in Phoenix.

Trail has five poolrooms. No more licenses will be issued for these.

Vernon city clerk has had his salary raised from $125 to $140 per month.

The Trail smelter people are giving $1000 a month to the Patriotic Fund.

For 1917 Nelson hotels will pay $350 a year for a license, instead of $450 as formerly.

Kaslo council has leased the city's skating rink for the winter for a matter of $71.

There was not a single case for the Penticton police magistrate to handle in November.

A total of about 27 men constitutes the force working at the Kaslo concentrating plant.

At Penticton the city-owned cemetery, sells a burial plot big enough for five graves at $15.

Fernie Presbyterians have invited Rev. A. L. Carr of Calgary to become their permanent pastor.

Cranbrook Methodists claim that between 30 and 40 members of that congregation have enlisted already.

The long dry fall followed by a quick freeze-up has brought Vernon face to face with a water famine.

The postmaster at Nelson reports that the outgoing British mail is almost twice as heavy as a year ago.

A. Pighin, a Marysville farmer, tells the Cranbrook Herald he made $518 in six months from 12 dairy cows this season.

Penticton has a brand new health bylaw. It provides that no cows or goats shall be kept in any building used for human habitation.

Chief of police Moore holds the record for big-game getting in Fernie. He came home with a 300 pound buck one day last week.

Rev. W. K. Thomson, pastor of Cranbrook Presbyterian Church, has accepted a call to Edmonton, and will take charge there in January.

The majority of the boys who enlisted from Kaslo in the 54th Kootenay battalion, are now said to be in hospitals with wounds of various kinds.

At their annual meeting last week, Nakusp Conservatives elected a lady vice-president. Three of the eight members of the executive are also ladies.

Father Lacombe, a pioneer Roman Catholic Missionary of the Northwest, died this month at the Lacombe Home, Midnapore, Alta. He was ninety years of age.

Increase of from 60 to 100 per cent in the cost of "case" goods and more especially in imported liquors, have caused the hotelkeepers' association of Nelson to raise the price of some of the mixed and special drinks. Cocktails are to cost 20 cents, egg drinks, fizzes, collins and high grade brandies, 25 cents.

The north slope of the Dominion Coal Co., at Springhill, Alberta, has been abandoned, owing to the conflagaration that is raging in several of the levels.

Chief Justice Hunter, of Vancouver, has decided that the War Relief Act does not apply to protect the wife or mother or other dependents of a soldier from liability on a debt due against the private estate of the department.

The directors of Revelstoke Hospital have been asked if it would be possible to turn that institution over to the government, or accommodate 100 returned soldiers. In reply it was said that sixty could be accommodated at present, but that arrangements might be made to accommodate many more.

The Armstrong creamery is now producing some 800 pounds of butter per week. Forty-one cents is the price now being paid for butter fat, and this rate will be increased within a week or two. The total output of the creamery until the summer months, has been sold in advance, and at a price that will bring the farmers from 40c to 45c for their butter fat all winter and spring.

NATIONAL SERVICE WEEK

Every Man in Canada Will Have a Card to Fill Out Soon

National Service Week is drawing near and the fact that the first week of the New Year bears that title is something in which every man in Canada has an interest. The men are interested because it is obligatory upon each of them, between the ages of 16 and 65 years' to fill out one of the cards which the Government is sending to them through the Post Office authorities. The women are interested because their co-operation is being invited, in seeing that their men-folk attend to this important duty. The children are interested because their school teachers have explained to them the meaning of National Service and the way in which father and the big brothers at home have to reply to the various questions.

To write in the answers and return the card promptly is a good New Year's resolution for every man throughout the Dominion and it has the advantage of being easy of fulfilment. It only means a few minutes' careful thought. The postman in the cities gets the hard work, for he has not only to deliver the cards; he is responsible also for their proper return. Prompt mailing of the answers will make the postman's work very much easier.

National Service means that we are to get into that frame of mind which will cause us to think of the needs of the country, to realize that the interests of the State have a greater claim on us than our self-interest. This applies to everyone, from the highest in the land to the lowest. The Prince of Wales' motto "I serve" may well be the motto of every citizen of the British Empire at this time.

There are many ways of serving the nation besides going to the front. The man on the farm and the mechanic in a workshop may be serving the nation as usefully as the man in the trenches. Every man should be doing the work which represents his most efficient service to his country.

The war is teaching us, or should be teaching us, great lessons. Terrible as are its effects, those who have faith in Canadian manhood hope and believe that the nation will emerge from this experience a stronger and better people. If the meaning of National Service is thoroughly grasped and properly understood, if the Government's call for information is responded to in the right spirit, the coming year will be the banner year in Canada's history.

Forty Cents a Day

This is what the French government has given to each of its soldiers, to eat and drink during the first two years of the war.

Bread, 1008 pounds, the making of which required 99 pounds of wheat or namely the production from 25 acres.

Potatoes, 260 pounds.
Coffee, 58 pounds.
Butter, lard, etc., 44 pounds.
Wine, 100 gallons.
Tobacco, 22 pounds.
Salt, 36 pounds.
Vegetables, 72 pounds.
Sugar, 86 pounds.
Cheese, 4 pounds.
Macaroni and spaghetti, 14 pounds.

This has cost the French government an average of 40 cents a day per man for the men at the front not including an allowance of 5 cents a day that is made to each soldier to buy little "extra" for his meal.

For clothing the army the French government has used up to date in the manufacture of all the various garments necessary about 80,000,000 yards of cloth. Each soldier has also had four pairs of shoes, the greater portion of the leather for which came from the United States, the great bulk of the manufacture however was in France.

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R. T. LOWERY,
Editor and Financier.

ADVERTISING RATES

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(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

October net profits of the Rambler-Cariboo Mine were between $6,000 and $7,000. In addition, 75 tons of zinc concentrates were stored.

A shipment of 500 tons of copper ore from the Fidalgo Mining Company, of Sandlock Bay, Alaska, was received last week by the Granby smelter, Anyox.

The McGillvary Coal and Coke Co., of Nelson, has declared a dividend of $25,000, which is at the rate of a cent a share. This dividend is the second declared this year.

A gold brick which runs nearly $3000 was shipped to Nelson last week, from the Granite-Poorman mine, operated by a Spokane and Butte syndicate, as a result of a 27 day run. During that period concentrates worth between $1,300 and $1,400 were also produced.

The Merritt Herald says that the first carload of ore to be shipped from the Donohoe Mines Corporation property at Stump Lake, was hauled to Nicola last week and sent to the Trail smelter. The car contained 40 tons and was all hand picked. The shipment was ore from the 200-foot levels of the Joshua claim. Should weather conditionn permit the Donohoe Mines Corporation anticipates being able to send out a carload of high grade ore every week during the winter. Machinery for the concentrator is expected to commence arriving at Nicola this week and will be erected as soon as weather conditions permit.

The Kamloops Standard-Sentinel, in its "Progress and Prosperity" number, makes the following reference to the development work in progress at the Iron Mask mine: "The Iron Mask has with very short periods of inactivity been steadily developed and has at times shipped large quantities of ore, concentrates and matte, to coast smelters. On this property, which consists of some ten claims, underground work to the extent of 10,500 feet has been done, of which 1,200 feet is shafting, the balance drifts, crosscuts and raises. The shaft of the Iron Mask itself is a three compartment one, 780 feet in depth and the greater part of the work done has been confined to this claim and the Erin which lies directly east of it. The surface equiptment is modern in every respect and is constantly being added to as requirements demand and the power is derived from the Kamloops city hydro electric plant, the owners having installed a private transmission line from the municipal power house to the mine, a distance of six miles. The concentration mill is of unit construction operating on gravity system, with a present capacity to treat 600 tons of ore per twenty-four hours and capacity of mill can be doubled at minimum cost without interfering with operation of present unit or requiring additional hoisting equipment. Experiments are now being conducted with a process of floation concentration, which principle promises an increased rocovery. During the past year development work has been extensively carried out with a view to determining the extent of the ore bodies.

Economy is the road to wealth, but its a hard road to travel.

OHIO WOMAN'S WISH

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We guarantee Vinol for all weak, run-down, nervous, debilitated conditions.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Corporation of the City of Greenwood

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Greenwood, that I require the presence of the said electors in the City Hall in the City of Greenwood on the 8th day of January, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen, and for the purpose of electing one person as School Trustees for the Greenwood City School District.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination *and in the event of a poll being necessary, such* poll will be opened on the 11th day of January, A.D. 1917, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. at the said City Office, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

QUALIFICATIONS.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Mayor of the City shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of real property in the city of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of One Thousand Dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Aldermen of said City, shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the city of the assessed value, on the last Municipal Assessment roll of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered judgement or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as School Trustees of said city shall be any person being a British subject of the full age of twenty one years and having been for the six months next preceding the date of *nomination the registered owner, in the Land* Registry office, of Land or Real Property in the city school district of the assessed value, on the last assessment roll, of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified to vote at an election of School Trustees in the said school district shall be eligible to be elected or to serve as a school trustee in such city school district.

Given under my hand at Greenwood this 26th day of December, A.D. 1916.

G. B. TAYLOR,
Returning Officer.

The Love of Home

It is only shallow minded pretenders who either make distinguished origin a matter of personal reproach. Taunt and scoffing at the humble condition of early life affect nobody in America but those who are foolish enough to indulge in them, and they are generally sufficiently punished by public rebuke. A man who is not ashamed of himself need not be ashamed of his early condition.

It did not happen to me to be born in a log cabin; but my elder brotners and sisters were born in a log-cabin raised among the snow-drifts of New Hampshire, at a period so early that when the smoke first rose from its rude chimney and curled over the frozen hills, there was no similar evidence of a white man's habitation between it and the settlements on the rivers of Canada.

Its remains still exist; I make it an annual visit. I carry my children to it, to teach them the hardships endured by the generations which have gone before them. I carry my children to it, to teach them the hardships endured by the generations which have gone before them. I love to dwell on the tender recollections, the kindred ties, the early affections and the touching narratives and incidents which mingle with all I know of this primitive family abode.

I weep to think that none of those who inhabited it are now among the living; and if ever I am ashamed of it, or ever I fail in affectionate veneration for him who reared it and defended it against savage violence and destruction, cherished all the domestic virtues beneath its root and, through the fire and blood of a seven years' revolutionary war, shrunk from no danger, no toil, no sacrifice, to serve his country and to raise his children to a condition better than his own, may my name and the name of my prosperity be blotted forever from the memory of mankind! DANIEL WEBSTER.

There is one sign that is never a forgery, and that is the sign of old age.

MORTGAGE SALE

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale there will be offered for sale by Public Auction by Peter H. McCurrach, Auctioneer in front of the Court House at the City of Greenwood in the County of Yale, British Columbia on Wednesday the tenth day of January, 1917 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon the following property.

Lots 422 and 637 in Group one in the Similkameen Division of Yale District, British Columbia.

Saving and excepting thereout Rights of Way to the Midway and Vernon Railway Company over said Lots and a certain portion of said Lot 637 containing five acres more or less, which exceptions are mentioned in a deed now registered from John Withell to Arthur H. Noyes and also save and excepting thereout of Lot 422 the further area of 12.06 acres, since conveyed to Thomas B. White, Alexander Lambert and S. John Bell.

On said property which includes the Coal rights is said to be indications of a seam of coal on which some prospecting work has been done and also two buildings.

For terms and conditions of Sale, apply to

P. H. McCURRACH,
AUCTIONEER.

Sheriff's Office, Court House, Greenwood, B. C.
Dated 5th December, 1916.

NOTICE

RE THOMAS WAKE, DECEASED

All creditors of the late Thomas Wake, formerly of Boundary Falls, B. C., are notified to send to the under-signed, all claims against the said Thomas Wake, on or before the first day of February, 1917, after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Wake among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I then have notice.

Dated at Boundary Falls, B. C., this 21 day of December, 1916.

JENNIE E. WAKE,
Boundary Falls, B. C.
Administrator of the late Thomas Wake.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

NOTICE is hereby given that I will apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Phoenix, British Columbia, at their next meeting for the transfer of the liquor license for the premises known as the Central Hotel, situate in Phoenix, B. C., to John E. Anderson.

Dated at Phoenix, B. C., this 14th day of November, 1916.

LOUIS CARLSON.

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 wentty-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.

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, rescinded by Chap 27 of 4-5 George V. assented to 12th June, 1914.

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.—Unauthorised publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—83575.

LAKE STUDIO
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Lake Studio will make no further visit until February, 1917. : :

Dates will be made public in this paper.

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60 Watt Lamps - 50c each
100 Watt Lamps, $1.00 each

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60 Watts - - - $1.10 each
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