The largest copper mines in the Dominion are situated at Phoenix. The Granby Co. employs 500 men, and has a monthly pay roll of over $50,000, while the Rawhide pay roll is $18,000.

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Devoted to the Interests of the Boundary Mining District

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ADVISE PURCHASE OF B. C. COPPER SHARES

Spokane Brokerage Firm Commends the Exchange of Old Stock for New.

Sharp & Irvine, members of the Spokane stock exchange, in a recent circular letter have the following to say regarding the B. C. Copper company:

We are at last advised that the reorganization plan of the British Columbia Copper company for the purpose of financing the property, has been completed. Some 51% of the stockholders having consented to exchange their stock for shares of the Canada Copper Corporation, Limited. Authorized capital one million shares, par value $5, also one million, 10 year, 6% convertible debentures. We are advising our clients to exchange their stock and subscribe for $1 in debentures for every share of stock they hold, principally because we think that later on Canada Copper Corporation will be an active issue and British Columbia Copper inactive, and that the latter will correspondingly sell off in the market. Moreover, the position of a minority interest is never as pleasant as a majority. The Canada Corporation is organized under the laws of Virginia. With its high capitalization and debentures will need a substantial sinking fund which, if properly attended to, will not allow of any larger payments to stockholders than they were receiving from B. C. Copper. For that reason we do not expect an advance from an increased dividend cause but do expect an advance from the position the new company will be in financially, which is a great improvement over the condition of the British Columbia Copper company. We favor the purchase of British Columbia Copper for the exchange into Canada Copper Corporation at once, and will be glad to help our clients execute this move.

B. C. Mining

The B. C. Copper company has renewed a lapsed bond on the Oriole group, and concluded a conditional deal for the St. Elmo and Silkman, all on Copper mountain.

Work is being continued in the St. Eugene mine at Moyie, owned by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company, and occasionally a car of ore is shipped from it to the smelter at Trail. Prospecting in search of other ore bodies is being kept up, indications being favorable to eventual success in this work.

The Standard Silver-Lead Mining company, the Finch-Campbell corporation, exclusively a Spokane concern, operating the Standard mine, near Silverton, has declared the regular monthly dividend of $50,000, or 2½ cents the share on the issued capitalization payable April 10. The disbursement makes the payments for the current year $200,000, and bring the grand total to $1,275,000. Officials of the company state that conditions at the property are very satisfactory, and that shipments are being maintained to the extent of the mine's facilities.

Features at Opera House

All records for some time were broken in the way of attendance at the Miners' Union moving picture shows last Saturday night. These shows have become very popular with people here. Last Saturday and Monday evenings special films were shown giving a description of the funeral at Calumet, Michigan, after the fire disaster in which 74 lives were lost. As the pictures were run explanations were made by D. A. Vignaux, the manager of the opera house. In future there will be two big programs each week, when five and six reels will be shown. Thursday will probably be the other night selected along with Saturday. Hereafter on Saturday evenings the admission for children will be 10 cents.

For Sale—First class sewing machine, bed, stove and numerous other household articles. Apply to Ted Deichert, Phoenix Club.

K. of P. Social Dance

On Wednesday evening the members of Phoenix Lodge No. 28, Knights of Pythias, entertained their friends to a dance in the Pythian temple. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock and continued till early morn. Lunch was served by Danny Deane, and excellent music was rendered by Chas. McKay and Mrs. C. H. Knight.

Last Spike on G. T. P. Driven

The last spike on the Grand Trunk Pacific was driven at Fort Frazer last Monday. President Chamberlain was not present, but five special cars from Edmonton with railway officials and guests, including members of the Edmonton board of trade, were present. A moving picture was taken of the tracklaying race.

Local and General

Alderman Theo. Biner arrived home last Saturday from a trip to the coast, where he visited Seattle, Tacoma, Olympia and other places.

Dan O'Connell, who played with the Phoenix hockey team last winter, left Thursday for Spokane, and may later go to Calgary, Alberta.

Don't forget the Easter dance to be given by the ladies of the Catholic church next Monday evening, April 13th, in the Miners' Union hall.

St. Andrew's church (Presbyterian)—Service, Sunday next, April 12, at 7:30 p.m., Sunday school at 2 p.m. All welcome. Rev. J. R. Munro, minister.

E. Spraggett of Grand Forks, superintendent of government road work for this district, was in Phoenix Tuesday on business in connection with his office.

Methodist Church—Sunday school and Bible class, 2.30 p.m.; evening service, 7.30 p.m., Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, at 7.45 p.m.—Rev. A. T. Bell.

J. E. Thompson, D. J. Matheson and Barney Cosgrove returned Sunday from a motor trip west as far as Carmi on the new line of railway now under construction.

D. J. McDonald came home from Spokane last Saturday with his new 40 horse power Buick car. The roads were in rather band condition, and the journey was anything but an easy one.

Rev. Father Pelletier is the successor of Rev. Father Choinel in this parish, and held service in Phoenix last Sunday. Father Choinel has gone to Penticton to establish a parish and build a new church.

St. John's Church—Sundays: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 10.30 a.m.; Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 3 p.m.; Evening service, 7.30. Week days: Matins, 7.30; Evensong, 7.30.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will give their third annual concert in the Miners' Union Opera house on the evening of Friday, May 15. There will be songs, duets and instrumental pieces, etc.

Max French, representing the Bauscher-French Carnival company, was here this week and made arrangements to bring his show here under the auspices of the Phoenix Baseball Club. The cavnival will be here from May 25th to 30th.

The Phoenix Brewery has recently received a carload of kegs from Pocatello, Idaho, and another from a city in Pennsylvania. in both places the prohibition movement put the breweries out of business, and their kegs were no longer of any use to them.

In the Phoenix Club bowling tournament just ended, team No. 1 in the 10 pin contest, A. A. White won the silver cup, S. Ramsay box of cigars and A. McKenzie a box of cigars. The winners of the 5 back were: Quance, silver cup, Eddie Murray box of cigars, Ab McQueen box of cigars.

The Brazilian Tango, as taught by Prof. Marks, is proving to be very popular in Phoenix, and the professor's class is growing rapidly. Each evening after the moving picture shows Chas. King, one of the best pianists in the country, assists the professor by playing the latest Tango music.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson, accompanied by Mrs. Herb Sawrey spent a part of the week at Greenwood visiting with Mr. Hart, who has just returned from an extended trip to England. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will leave next week for Kansas, where they will visit for a time before returning to their home at Anyox.

Much Neglected Mining Claims

The present day status of the mining industry, as far as this particular section of the country is concerned, could never by any stretch of the imagination be termed prosperous or healthy. True, the Boundary district can boast of such colossal undertakings as those of the Granby Consolidated and British Columbia Copper company, but having noted these, it may be said that the list of shipping mines in Phoenix-Greenwood camp for all practical purposes begins and ends. This is to say that after passing through the boom of the early nineties up to the present time, we have nothing else to show for all the labor and money expended but the two above-mentioned properties. Fortunately for the reputation of the district they have more than realized the most sanguine expectations of their promoters, and both of them, by wise and careful management, have secured an enviable place in the ranks of the most consistent shippers on the continent.

One would have imagined that the success achieved by the two big companies would have proved a stimulus to the industry hereabouts, but unfortunately this is anything but the case; the fact remains that the number of mines in the Boundary can all be counted on the fingers of one hand! Why this is so, would be difficult to explain, but it is safe to say that if the methods of the successful companies were followed, even to a small extent, the mining history of the Boundary would be a different subject to talk about than it is at present. That the ore exists is proved beyond any shadow of doubt, but unfortunately the shareholders have committed the fatal mistake of employing the wrong men—and in many cases the wrong methods. Mining is a science and there is no room for those hit or miss methods that have characterized the early operations in the Boundary, and proved the bane of this district. Governmental apathy is perhaps another cause for the decline in Boundary mining. For years this province has been incessantly slighted by the late Laurier government, and mining has never been accorded the place that is rightly its due. A provincial government can do much towards advertising and fostering the resources of a country, but, however laudable their efforts the work is sadly hampered when the hall-mark of Federal assistance is witheld.

The recent developments at the Jewel mine would seem to support the statement that mining in this district has not even commenced, and proves conclusively what can be accomplished and reasonably expected by the adoption of a systematic method of prospecting—plus a little sand added to the make-up of the small mine owners, who appear to have suffered from a premature attack of cold feet, far sooner than the circumstances admit. But now that the financial pendulum is beginning to evidence signs of swinging the other way, the time seems opportune for those already on the ground to bestir themselves, and by the simplest of prospecting do something towards attracting outside capital to this already much-neglected mining field. For instance, if ground sluicing before the snow goes was commenced on the properties South West from the Lucky Shot fraction, and also between the Mother Lode mine and Deadwood, it is more than likely in view of the fine "indications" present, that surprising and agreeable results would follow the removal of the alluvial drift. The rich finds on the Elk Horn group, and other small properties a few years ago, would have been an inducement to any company of stamina, but here in the Boundary the finding of rich stuff appears to be a deterrent instead of a stimulus, for almost synonymous with the reported strike we read of operations suspended. There is absolutely no necessity for the prospective mine owner to comb the almost inaccessible north in search of an investment; the opportunities are at our very door, together with the priceless advantages of transportation and an abundance of electrical power.

Death of Mrs. Cummings

Death occurred last Monday of Mrs. Alexander Cummings at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McKinnon. Deceased was 78 years of age, and was a native of Prince Edward Island. She had been in Phoenix about 18 months. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Presbyterian church, Rev. J. R. Munro officiating.

Sparring Contest April 20th

Articles have been signed and arrangements completed for a ten round sparring contest in Phoenix on the night of Monday, April 20th, between Billy Biner, of Phoenix, and Barney Mullen. Both men are in active training, and from all indications the contest will be a lively one.

Lumber King Is Dead

Frederick Weyerhaeuser, the multimillionaire lumber king, died at Pasadena, on April 4th, at the age of 79. He practically dominated the lumber industry of the United States for years. In early life he worked as a brewer's apprentice, as a farm hand and as a fireman. His wealth has been estimated to be equal to that of Rockefeller. He has a son living in Spokane.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express out sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their sympathy and aid in our recent bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. D. A. MCKINNON

LEAGUE FOOTBALL MEETING IS HELD

Elect Officers and Arrange the Schedule of Matches for Coming Season.

A league meeting of the Boundary Football Association was held in the Windsor hotel at Greenwood on Monday, April 6th, with R. Loring presiding. The following officers were elected:

Hon. Presidents—J. R. Jackson, M.P.P., Ernest Miller, M.P.P., Hon. Vice-presidents—W. L. Bell and F. S. Norcross. President—R. Loring, of Greenwood; vice-pres., H. Bidder, Greenwood; F. J. Lake, of Grand Forks, secretary-treasurer.

It was decided that at league meetings only delegates and presidents, and in the case of the abscence of presidents, vice-presidents shall vote.

The following delegates were present: F. J. Lake and H. Brereton, of Grand Forks; T. Lyons and R. Carrigan, Mother Lode; R. Loring and H. Bidder of Greenwood; R. Agnew and J. Pitpladdy, of Phoenix.

The following schedule was arranged for the coming season:

May 1—Grand Forks at Mother Lode.
" 10—Mother Lode at Greenwood.
" 13—Phoenix at Grand Forks.
" 17—Greenwood at Phoenix.
" 20—Grand Forks at Phoenix.
" 27—Mother Lode at Grand Forks.
June 7—Greenwood at Mother Lode.
" 11—Grand Forks at Greenwood.
" 14—Mother Lode at Phoenix.
" 21—Phoenix at Greenwood.
" 24—Greenwood at Grand Forks.
" 28—Phoenix at Mother Lode.

The referees are: De Weilie, for Greenwood; J. McDonald, for Grand Forks; W. Dixon, for Phoenix, and D. [illegible] for Mother Lode.

According to the rules of the game, any team failing to notify the team with which it is scheduled to play, at least three days before, shall forfeit the game.

The Jackson trophy is held by the Phoenix team, being won last year.

Spring Clothing

We beg to announce that we have just received a large consignment of the most up-to-date Spring Clothing; modern styles and the latest patterns. Old friends who have made this their chosen Outfitting Establishment know of the goodness of our Clothes, and they will come to us again this Spring of their own accord. We ask you to call and inspect our newly-arrived stock of the latest

Style-Craft
TAILORED CLOTHES

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF STETSON HATS AND ENGLISH HATS.

Endless variety of the most popular Ties, Collars, Shirts, Hose, etc. Call and See Them To-Day. It will be a pleasure to show you these Goods.

SPECIAL OFFER--Digging Boots - $5.00

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The Big Store
EXTRA SPECIAL

Owing to the scarcity of Apples, we have bought 200 Cases of Oranges at a price which enables us to sell them much cheaper than apples. These Oranges are "Number 1" Extra Fancy Redlands stock, guaranteed free from culls or rots. We are packing them in half-cases, containing 100 to 150 Oranges each, and the price is

Per Half-Case - - - $2.00
Per dozen - 25c., 35c. and 50c.
(According to Size)

A direct purchase on New Zealand Butter, allows us to quote

Fancy New Zealand Butter 2 lbs. for 75c.

Lettuce, Bananas, Celery, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, etc.
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Cards of Thanks, 50 cents.

All other legal advertising, 12 cents a line, single column, for the first insertion; and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion, nonpareil measurement.

Display ads $1.00 per inch, single column, per month.

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1914.

Many a man has lost a good job by allowing the hands of a clock to get in first.

When you have saved up enough money to invest in doubtful mining stock—buy an overcoat.

We pity the poor bechelor who makes a bad break at the dinner table, because he has no wife to kick him on the shins.

Lillian Russell says that "men are fools and always will be." Lillian knows. She planted the matrimonial hooks into five of them, says the Vancouver Province.

The business that attempts to grow without advertising is about as successful as the clock without hands. All the movements it makes amount to little; for people don't know about them.

In one day last week at the Vernon postoffice money orders totalling $2,533 were sent out, most of which undoubtedly went to mail order houses in the east. And this was for one day. This drain would kill any town. But every town in the west even Phoenix, suffers from this drain. No wonder a financial stringency is felt when so much money is sent out of town.

The statements that have been published that the tide of immigration had turned and that the people were flocking back to the United States seem to be without foundation. Canada has no need to worry. During the present stringency it is but natural that immigration should fall off somewhat; but no one can truthfully say that the tide of immigration has turned.

The terrible tragedy at Vancouver a few days ago, in which a Chinese servant murdered the lady by whom he was employed, should serve as an object lesson to other women. There are scores of girls in Vancouver who would have been glad to have had the position held by this Chinese boy, and surely the companionship a white girl would have been preferable for the woman to that of a Chink.

Both Edmonton and Vancouver will make a strong bid for the business of Fort George and the Peace River country, and of course Prince Rupert is out for the business of the interior also. The distance between Prince Rupert and Fort George is about the same as between Edmonton and Fort George. The wholesale houses of all three cities will make a struggle to capture this business, and it will be interesting to watch and see which city captures the bulk of it.

Straws indicate which way the wind is blowing. The Great Northern railway company in taking up thirteen miles of light steel on the Phoenix hill and replacing it with heavier steel is the best possible indication that there is yet an immense tonnage of ore to be hauled from the mines in the Phoenix camp. Railway companies act slowly and deliberately in these matters and it was only after making a thorough examination of the ore reserves here that this expensive piece of work was undertaken.

Mayor Baxter of Vancouver had a clash the other day with a bunch of delegates from the Lord's Day alliance. He talked from the shoulder, and amongst other things said: "You will get a reasonable enforcement of the Lord's Day Act, but I will tell you straight, I am not in favor of closing up the refreshment stands absolutely. If a man can get a cup of coffee or cocoa and we call it refreshment, I see no reason why he cannot get a lemonade or an orange or an apple if he wants to. If you insist on carrying this thing too far you will have the pendulum swing back to the other extreme and next year the people will elect a mayor and council who will throw the town wide open. Public opinion will not stand for a too strict enforcement of the Sunday laws."

Some Wise Sayings

(By Abe Martin)

We don't blame a hog for being a hog, but we blame a man for being one.

I've never met a big fine looking athletic feller that didn't either have a soft snap or was looking for one.

If you can't marry a good dressmaker, the next best thing is an heiress.

Smiling Faces

greet the coming of a case of

PHŒNIX BEER

WHY?

Because the Beer is so good and wholesome it brings the smile.

'PHONE 23

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We make a specialty of Miners' Shoes; good fit, nice shape, and nothing but the best of stock used

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50c. Box at All Druggists and Stores.

USE ONLY ZAM-BUK FOR CHILDREN'S SORES

The Husband You Don't Want

(By Doris Blake)

I know of no greater tragedy in this life than to marry a man you don't want. It's a thousand times worse than not being able to marry the man you do want. I would remain single until judgment day rather than marry a man just because I had reached a certain age.

I know ever so many girls who when they reach the age of 25 make up their minds that if they ever are going to marry at all it must be before they are another year older. If the right man does not happen along—they take the wrong one. No wonder the divorce records grow!

The matrimonial problem need not worry a woman between 25 and 30 into marrying a man simply for the purpose of signing "Mrs." instead of Miss. Her chances for a genuine love match are fully as great as are those of her more youthful sister. A recent statistical report proves that a surprisingly large per centage of women marry between the ages of 30 and 32.

One of the most brilliant men I know said to me not long ago: "A girl isn't even interesting until she is about 28."

I too believe that a girl can not possibly realize her own charms until she is nearing 30. At least, she does no know how to use them. By that time she not only knows herself well, but usually she knows men. She knows what willing slaves they are to bright companionship, genuine sympathy and unselfish affection. These are the "trump cards" that win in the matrimonial game evety time.

An electric street car system is being installed in Jerusalem.

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Emergent meetings as called; Masonic Hall, McHale Block.

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JOHN FINLAY, JR., Secy.

I.O.O.F.

Snowshoe Lodge No. 46

Meets every Monday Evening at Miners' Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

A. L. MKinnon, Noble Grand.
Wm. Oxley, Fin. Secy.
Sam McLeod, Rec. Secy.

Daughters of Rebekah

Phoenix Lodge No. 17

Meets in the Miners' Union Lodge Hall First and Third Wednesdays.

Mrs. E. E. Barnes, Noble Grand
Mrs. A. D. McKenzie, Secretary.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES

Phoenix Aerie No. 158

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DAN PATTERSON, W. P.
T. R. CLARKE, W. Secy.

K. of P. Lodge, No. 28 Phoenix, B.C.

Meets TUESDAY EVENING at 7.30. Sojourning brothers cordially welcomed.

N. DAVIDSON, C.C.
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Received the highest award at Chicago World's Fair

His Trade

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Prisoner—I was a violinist in an orchestra.

Warden—Well, we'll set you to sawing wood.

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Between all Stations—

Port Arthur to Vancouver

For further particulars, apply to local agent.

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Bits of Verse

You may talk of mighty questions,
Argue till your jaws are sore,
Pretty soon the one great query
Will be: "Hey, Bo! what's the score?"

The bravest man I ever met,
Submissive, mild and meek,
Is he who comes in late to church
With brand new shoes that squeak.

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Its oven is evenly heated in every corner to insure deliciously dainty cakes, golden brown biscuits, and light flaky pastry. A special Divided Flue carries the heat to every hole on the range. The top is perfectly smooth and clean, requiring no black lead polish.

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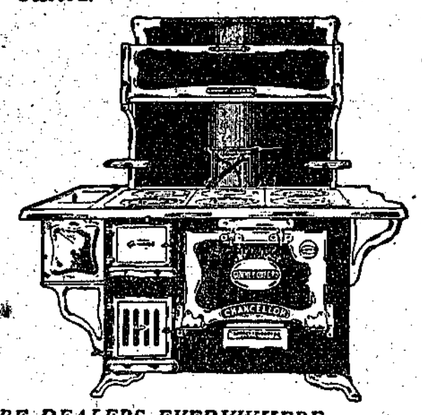

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FINEST OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS IN STOCK.

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Concentrates

Jack Johnson has just celebrated his thirty-sixth birthday.

Last year only 23 murders were committed in the city of London.

The Merritt Herald has installed a Mergenthaler typesetting machine.

W. F. Tranter of Nelson has been appointed chief of police of Kaslo.

Unclaimed sums lying in the Canadian banks amount to well over $750,000.

In St. Catharines, Ont., all hotel license holders and bartenders must be British subjects.

Dan Thomas of Rossland has been granted a license for a wholesale liquor store in Trail.

The provincial government will grant $10,000 to the tuberculosis sanitarium near Kamloops.

Regular trains on the G. T. P. are now running to a point 337 miles east of Prince Rupert.

The capital stock of P. Burns & Co., Limited, has been increased from $3,000,000 to $10,000,000.

A wharf of rock and cement is being built at Ainsworth. It will be 236 feet in length and will cost ten thousand dollars.

The new postoffice at Prince Rupert will be a substantial structure of granite and brick, and will be five storeys in height.

Thomas W. Henshaw, the author, is dead. He wrote under the nom de plume of Bertha M. Clay, and gave the world some 200 novels.

The Slocan Record states that there are today Canadians idle in the Slocan, while foreigners are busy on government road work.

Joe Lally, the famous Cornwall lacrosse man, says 400 school lacrosse teams have been organized in the four western provinces.

The last will and testament of the late General Booth shows that the Salvation Army has valuable land holdings on Vancouver island.

The contractors on the G. T. P., having finished their work, are arranging with bulkley valley farmers to feed their stock until the P. G. E. work north of Fort George is started.

When a prisoner is released from the provincial jail at Nelson and is broke, the city is in the habit of paying his fare out of town. That city has had three cases within the past few days to deal with.

Upton Sinclair, the Socialist author, and his wife have quit the United States for good. They are now in Bermuda, where they intend to establish their permanent home.

Robert Metcalfe, a bartender in a hotel in Winnipeg, was given a two year sentence in the penitentiary for administering knockout drops in liquor to a man for the purpose of robbery.

Urethane, the new anaesthetic, is exciting immense interest in the scientific world. The advantage claimed for urethane is that heart failure never ocurs where it has been properly used.

Chief Minty of the South East Kootenay provincial police and stationed at Fernie, has been promoted to an inspectorship on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and will leave shortly for his new charge.

Harry L. Day, president and general manager of the Federal Mining company, operating mines and mills in the Coeur d'Alenes, is to quit his position June 1st, and will be succeeded by W. J. Hall, assistant general manager.

How the silk worm spins its cocoon and how the manufacturer weaves this thread into fabric, which is afterwards modeled into gowns for women, will be shown in an exhibit at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco next year.

The zinc smelter which was built at Frank, Alberta, several years ago by a French company, collapsed the other day and sank into an old mine, which has not been worked for ten years. The smelter never treated a pound of ore after it was built.

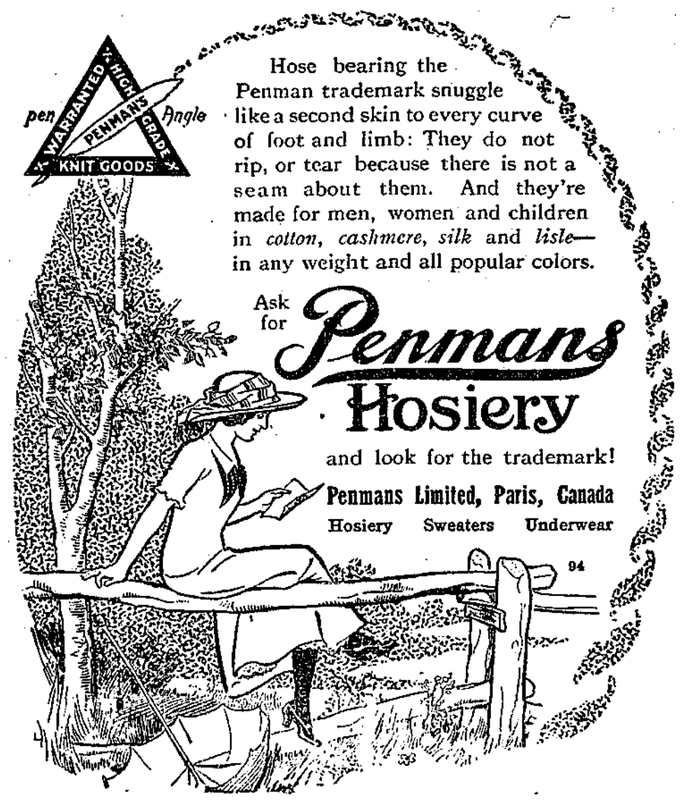
Gerhard Heintzman, the well known piano manufacturer of Toronto, was out on the coast recently. Heintzman started building pianos in Toronto 40 years ago, when most of the work on the instruments was done by himself.

A dozen or more ladies in Toronto are taking the cigarette cure. All the lady patients are reported as good, self respecting women, although they smoke, and they sincerely desire to get rid of the habit. Only a very small degree of the patients are girls, most of the number being wives and mothers.

Fifteen nationalities are represented by 206 prisoners at the Alberta penitentiary in Edmonton. The United States heads the list with 61, Canada being second with 58. From other countries are England, 28; Austria, 16; Ireland, 10; Russia, 9; Germany 6; Sweden, 4; Italy, 3; Australia, 2; Mexico, France, South Africa and China, 1.

"Bill" Shannon, for 25 years a policeman in Spokane, and known as a terror to evil doers throughout the west, will retire and spend the remainder of his days on a little tract of land near Hillyard. For several years Shannon was house detective at the Hotel Spokane. The job is now held by Pat McGovern, who was chief of police at Wallace during the troubles in the Coeur d'Alenes.

Natatorium park in Spokane will carry the distinction of having in its grounds the heaviest table in the world when the season opens in a few weeks. A natural granite slab, 18 inches in thickness and weighing 14 tons, will be in place for the use of summer picnickers. The slab was discovered while park employes were making an excavation in the hillside, and the management decided to make use of the natural wonder as a table.



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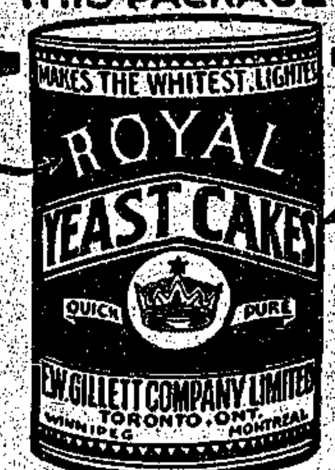

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Local and General

Thos. Dixon has gone to work at the Jewel mine.

W. J. Mitchell came up from Spokane last Saturday.

For Sale—Furniture, also nice range Apply Pioneer office.

Barney Cosgrove is spending a few days in Grand Forks.

J. A. Morrin and wife went down to Grand Forks yesterday.

The bachelors of Phoenix intend giving a big ball in the near future.

Miss Ella and Miss May Evans arrived here last Saturday from Vancouver.

Sam McLeod and family left last Saturday for Sydney, Cape Breton, to remain.

Fred Falkner left Tuesday for Hot Lake, Oregon, to take treatment for rheumatism.

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W. A. McKay, father of Chas. and Harry McKay, was up from Danville during the week.

Mrs. N. W. Sweetser and sister, Miss McCreedy, left Thursday for Portland, Oregon.

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James McGregor, government mining inspector, was in Phoenix last Saturday and Sunday.

C. M. Campbell, assistant superintendent at the Granby, was down to Grand Forks the first of the week.

John McKay and Alex Sutherland left last Saturday for Metchetche, Alberta, where they have ranches.

Miss McEwen, teacher in the Phoenix school, is spending her Easter holidays at her home in Grand Forks.

Miss M. McDonald, who conducted a dressmaking parlor in Phoenix for some time, left Wednesday for Revelstoke to remain.

Pay locals in the Pioneer bring results. Two hours after the paper was on the streets last week a furnished house on Sunnyside avenue which was advertised was sold.

One of the Seven Sutherland Sisters has been demonstrating in Quance's drug store. The lady's hair is over eight feet in length.

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