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## PERSONAL AND OTHER ITEMS

S. J. Twan, the well known Castle Rock rancher, was a business visitor in town this week.

George M. Wood, of the forestry branch, Williams Lake, spent the Christmas holidays with friends in town.

Despite the hard times which have been prevalent for some time, all the local merchants report a very good Christmas trade.

The regular meeting of St. Mary's Guild will take place on Friday of next week, the 5th inst., at 3 p.m., at the home of the President—Mrs. A. S. Vaughan.

The next regular meeting of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary will be held on January 9th next, instead of on the 2nd, at the home of Mrs. E. C. Lunn, at 3 p.m.

The school children of the town and their mothers were guests of Santa Claus (J. J. Donnelly), at a moving picture matinee in the Rex last Saturday afternoon, and needless to say the little ones enjoyed Jim's hospitality to the full.

R. R. Moffat, who has been an inmate of the Vancouver general hospital for some months, returned to Quesnel on the train last week. While there has been some improvement in the condition of Mr. Moffat's knee, it will be some weeks, we understand, before he will have the full use of it again.

According to a bulletin issued by the Federal Department of Agriculture, British Columbia had the biggest yield of potatoes per acre this year of all the provinces in Canada. The average yield in all the provinces was 4 1/2 bushels per acre. In British Columbia the average yield was 6 bushels.

The soft spell which has prevailed for the past couple of weeks, combined with the rains which have fallen, and the frost of the past couple of nights, have turned what little snow we had into glare ice, and for a couple of days pedestrians had a very busy time keeping their equilibrium while moving around. Roads were as bad as the walks.

Under the date of Dec. 15th the Omineca Herald and Terrace News issued a special 16-page edition dealing with the mining, fishing, timber and agricultural resources of the northern interior of the province. The edition is well printed, on good paper, and is well illustrated, and should prove a very interesting number to anyone desiring information regarding that district.

Piano for Sale, in A1 shape, and of splendid tone. Handsome appearance. Terms. Apply at this office.

Constables Breckon and Clark left on Tuesday morning to visit outlying sections of the district, the former going north as far as the Blackwater, and the latter south as far as Alexanderia.

We have sent out our annual subscription accounts during the week, and hope those who receive same will remit promptly, in order that we all may start the coming year with a clean sheet.

A "social evening" was held in the Royal pool room from 8 to 10 last night, and was followed by a dance until midnight in the vacant store two doors east. The affair was fairly well attended. Mr. W. T. Ewing was the host.

Christmas day was very quietly spent by our citizen. Family parties were the order of the day, and most of the young men who have no homes of their own were taken care of by others more fortunately situated. The only form of public entertainment was the moving picture attraction at the Rex.

The mild weather which has prevailed during the past ten days put a damper on the hockey games as scheduled for Sunday afternoon last and Christmas day. The matches thus postponed will take place tomorrow afternoon and on New Year day, with the same teams as were announced in our last issue, that is: providing the weather hardens the ice in the rink.

A slide on the line somewhere between Squamish and Lillooet delayed the departure of the P.G.E. train this week, and it did not leave the former point until Thursday noon, arriving here yesterday afternoon. It left again for the south immediately, and if no more mishaps occur in the meantime should be running on schedule next week. On account of Monday next being a holiday the schedule for next week is delayed one day, leaving Vancouver Tuesday morning and arriving here Wednesday evening.

Man purposes, then the fates step in and disarrange all his plans. The truth of this was exemplified with respect to the Christmas mail from the north, due here last Sunday. Stage driver McCleary had agreed to drive all Saturday night, on his return trip, in order to reach here Sunday afternoon, and Postmaster Allison and his staff had arranged to distribute the mail that afternoon so that all Christmas mails would be cleaned up. However, some unforeseen circumstance arose and put a crimp in Mr. McCleary's plans, so that he was unable to reach here on his return trip until noon Christmas day. The letters and parcels were distributed later on in the afternoon.

## TELEGRAPHIC

Vancouver, Dec. 28th—Two are dead and 12 are in hospital, seven of them seriously injured, as a result of an accident last night at 10.30, when a Great Northern freight train crashed into a heavily loaded east bound Grandview freight car at the Raymur and Venables level street crossing. A score or more of the other passengers were cut and bruised.

Dublin, Dec. 27—Sinn Fein clubs have passed a resolution urging the National Sinn Fein Congress to arrange peace with the Free State. Recent executions of the rebels has brought home to Sinn Feiners the fact that their cause is hopeless, and is evidence that drastic action by the Irish parliament to bring order will be continued. The Dublin Reds are realizing that further endeavors to secure a republic for Ireland are hopeless, and it is probable their advice will carry considerable weight in bringing about final peace in the Emerald Isle.

Vancouver, Dec. 27—Six persons were injured last night when an auto, turning into 16th ave. off Kingsway was run into by a street car. G. H. McPhatter sustained a fractured skull, and this morning is in a precarious condition. His wife was also seriously injured, while their three children and another occupant, Mrs. J. McCoy, were slightly hurt.

## The Late James Bibby

A correspondent sends us in the following particulars respecting the late James Bibby, whose death occurred at Barkerville on the 12th inst., and was announced briefly in our issue of the 15th:

"Born at Kingston, Ont., seventy-seven years ago, he emigrated to Chicago when a young man, where he followed his profession as a book-keeper for several years.

"In 1878 the love of his native land and the lure of gold attracted him back to Canada, and he settled at Barkerville, where he had a brother—the late John Bibby, who predeceased him five years ago.

"The death of Mr. Bibby makes another gap in the handful of pioneers who have witnessed the transition of Barkerville from its early day prominence to the present, and he could relate many interesting events linking the historic past of Barkerville with the present. During his nearly fifty years in the district the deceased followed mining continuously, and owned claims on various creeks in the district. During the past fifteen years he has been operating a small hydraulic property on Grouse Creek.

"The late Mr. Bibby was liberal in politics, and was possessed of a genial and interesting personality. He was in enjoyment of fairly good health up to within a few days of his death. As there is no doctor in the district he passed away without medical attendance, and therefore the cause of death is unknown."

Mrs. Wm. Muir and baby daughter left on the train yesterday afternoon for her home at Melkton Ck., in the Chilcats.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sparkman was invaded by a score or more of their friends in the Sunday School and choir of the Presbyterian church last Tuesday night, and the host and hostess were presented by the guests with gifts, as a memento of their connection with the above church organization. Mr. and Mrs. Sparkman are leaving Quesnel early in the new year, and their departure will be greatly regretted by a large circle of friends.



## The Observer

Extends best wishes to all friends and readers for  
A Happy and Prosperous  
New Year

## Cutting Down Operating Expenses

There was a special meeting of the local Board of Trade held last Saturday afternoon to meet Mr. J. M. Yorston, the local member in the Legislature, and confer with him on the decision recently reached by the management of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway to close out the agency at this point.

The Board had taken up the matter with the management of the road and the new Minister of Railways on behalf of the local merchants, but had met with no success. Mr. Yorston explained that the idea behind the move is an effort by the general manager of the company to cut down the operating expenses, which are reported to show a yearly deficit of half a million dollars, and which, he said, was the reason for the strong opposition shown in the southern part of the province and on Vancouver Island, to continued operation of the line, or its completion to Prince George and the Peace River district.

In addition to closing the station at Quesnel, the stations at Clinton and Pemberton are also to be closed, and the management thus hopes to effect a saving of about \$600 each month, or about \$7,200 a year. Of course this is only a drop in the bucket of the half a million per year deficit, and there are some here unkind enough to suggest that this result would have been attained, with less disorganization to the business of the road, had the general manager lopped off his own official head.

Mr. Yorston stated there was an immense amount of opposition to the government spending another cent on the road, and he said Premier Oliver and Hon. J. D. McLean, the new minister of railway, would pay a visit to the district, he thought about the end of January, to become familiar with the best way in which to put the line on a better paying basis, so as to dissipate this feeling of opposition.

Robt. Yorston, of the Australian Ranch, was a business visitor here for a few days this week.

H. H. Moffat, of Burnside Farm, Sisters Creek, spent Christmas in town with his parents. Mrs. Moffat is spending the holidays with relatives in Vancouver.

The services at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday were of a very cheerful character, befitting the yuletide season. In the afternoon the children of the Sunday School, under the direction of Mrs. Sparkman, gave a very pleasing program of Christmas numbers, which delighted all who were present. At the evening service the choir rendered a bright musical program, under the direction of Mr. Sparkman, and Rev. J. A. Petrie gave an address suitable to the occasion. The hymns were all well known Christmas ones, and the congregation joined heartily in the singing.

## Christmas Tree at the Local Hospital

A pleasing feature of the holiday season's festivities took place at the local hospital on Christmas eve. The entrance and main ward had been tastefully decorated by the staff, and a Christmas tree provided. A number of relatives and friends of the four patients in the institution assembled in the early evening, and the Matron acted as a deputy for Santa Claus, who had provided useful and appropriate gifts for all. Everyone then entered into the spirit of the occasion, and a very pleasant hour was spent.

The staff deserves great credit for the trouble they went to and the time they spent in an effort to bring something of the season's joyousness and cheer to those whom accident and disease have incapacitated, but we are sure they feel more than compensated for their efforts by the happy smiles and appreciation evidenced by the patients.

The staff wish to express their thanks to the friends who in many ways contributed to the success of the occasion.

## Services in Presbyterian Church Tomorrow

The following services will be held in the Presbyterian Church tomorrow (Sunday), to which all will be welcome:

- Morning service at 11 o'clock.
- Sunday School at 2 p.m., with an address to the children.
- Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
- Special "watch night" service at 11:30 p.m. The bell will be tolled for two minutes before midnight, and rung for two minutes after.
- Appropriate addresses and music at all these services. Come!

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Brew a cup of Colery King—natural herbs and roots—a gentle laxative and purifier. Tones up the liver and stimulates digestion. Makes you feel bright and vigorous. 30c and 60c, at druggists.

**Stop that Cough**  
It distresses you and your friends—it is dangerous. A few drops of Shiloh, the 50-year old remedy, brings immediate relief. Shiloh stops that irritating tickling in the throat, loosens the phlegm and heals the tissues. Get Shiloh, at your druggists, 30c and 60c, at druggists.

**REX THEATRE**  
THIS WEEK:  
"The Rosary"  
FEATURING:  
Lewis Stone, Jane Novak, Wallace Beery, with an excellent supporting cast of players.  
ADMISSION, - 50c & 25c

**Weather Report**

The following are the weekly readings at the government station here for the past two weeks—

Dec. 16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Max. 16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Min. 4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Above Min. 11	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14

## New Year Dance

JANUARY 1st, 1923

Under the auspices of the Quesnel Athletic Association

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Everybody come and have a

GOOD TIME

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Address all communications and make all cheques payable to

THE CARIBOO OBSERVER Box 28 Quesnel, B. C.

GOVERNMENT FINANCE AND THE P. G. E.

David Whiteside, M. L. A. for New Westminster, a few months ago made a few observations on the financial position of the province. He condemned the expenditure of \$450,000 on public buildings in Prince Rupert, with a population of 6,000; the extravagant management of the government printing bureau; the subsidizing of 16 instructors by the department of agriculture to teach forty-five university students; and he condemned the Pacific Great Eastern scheme in toto and suggested turning the grade into an auto road.

Since making the address Mr. Whiteside has again visited a portion of the railway, and we understand has seen fit to revise his opinion with respect to abandoning the line. He is said to recognize now that the line is a colonization project, and will not pay expenses for a few years. But it opens up for development a vast part of the province, the resources of which ultimately will repay, many times over, all that is now spent on the line.

Coal and Petroleum Act

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Water Notice!

DIVERSION AND USE.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Herman Tuller, whose address is Bellingham, State of Washington, U.S.A., will apply for a license to take and use 500 miner's inches of water out of Six Mile Creek, which flows easterly and drains into the North Fork of Quesnel River, about four miles up stream from Spanish Creek bridge.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about three miles from its intersection with North Fork of Quesnel River, or its mouth, and will be used for mining purposes upon the leases described as Bruce and Bannock leases, located one-half mile west of Spanish Creek bridge, on north bank of North Fork Quesnel River.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 26th day of Dec., 1922. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant hereto, and to the "Water Act, 1911," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Quesnel.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder, or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is Dec. 30th, 1922.

H. TULLER, Applicant.

LAND NOTICES

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND.

In Cariboo Land District, Recording District of Cariboo, and situate near Marguerite Lake.

Take notice that Cloie Myrtle Jefferson, of Big Lake, occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted twenty chains S of W corner of Lot 9682, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains north, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated 15 November, 1922.

CLOIE MYRTLE JEFFERSON, Applicant.

Cariboo Land District; District of Cariboo.

TAKE NOTICE that Henry Baker, of Quesnel, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile in a north-westerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 9426, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains south, and containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated November 19th, 1922.

HENRY BAKER, Applicant.

Cariboo Land District; District of Cariboo.

TAKE NOTICE that Louis Johnson, of Lac la Hache, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about half a mile in a south-westerly direction from the south-west corner of Lot 9426, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated October 28th, 1922.

LOUIS JOHNSON, Applicant.

Cariboo Land District; District of Cariboo.

Take notice that I, Charles Nedel, of Lac la Hache, occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile south of the S.E. corner post of Lot 9425, Cariboo District, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains west, thence 20 chains north.

Dated November 29th, 1922.

CHARLES NEDEL, Applicant.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to \$5 an acre; second-class to \$2.50 an acre. Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only. Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land. Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residence, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims. Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and make improvements to the value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres. Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim. Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of \$300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of \$10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required. Pre-emptor holding Crown grant may record another pre-emption if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory requirements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land. Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions. For grazing and industrial purposes areas exceeding 40 acres may be leased by one person or company. Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land exceeding 40 acres may be purchased; conditions include payment of stumpage. Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price, is made. PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT. The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended for one year from the death of such person, and formerly until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive. No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years. Provision for return of money accrued, due and paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions. Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, on deposits acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enrollment to March 31, 1920. SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS. Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920. GRAZING. Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged, priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form Associations for range management. Fees, or partially fees, permits for entries, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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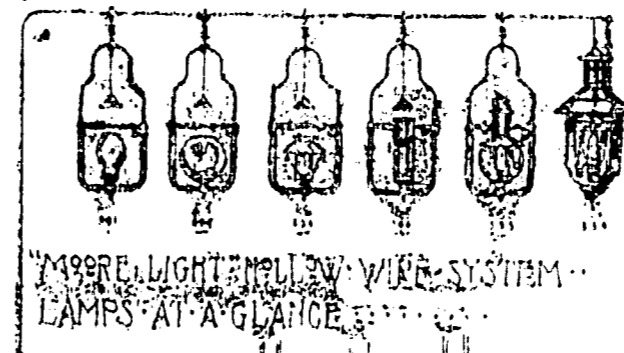
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