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GENERAL NEWS

Great Britain has removed all restrictions on beer.

All the foreigners have left Phoenix. The English language is now spoken.

Trade with Germany is now permitted. But who wants the Kaiser goods?

Across the pond they refuse to let American "dry agents" speak on prohibition.

This year over in Washington most of the grain went into the hopper—grasshopper.

Shipments of fruit from Grand Forks this season will total about 100 carloads.

Two men in Vancouver last week curtailed the high cost of living. They dropped dead.

The indications at present are that the next provincial elections party lines will be badly bent.

The B.C. newspaper gang was in conventiou at Kamloops last week. They left the town intact.

An exchange says sleep is a great beautifier. We often wondered what made policemen good looking.

Wholesale blind piggers have not visited Coalmont for over two months. Citizens have learnt to drink water without getting sick.

The old time church will soon be a thing of the past. If you own a phonograph you can hear a "canned" sermon right in your own home. Providing you have the price to buy the record.

Three carloads of copper wire cable has been unloaded at Bridesville for use in the building of the high power line between Greenwood and Princeton. There is about $40,000 worth ef copper in the shipment.

Jeff Irby, the veteran locomotive engineer, who has been running out of Oroville for several years on the Great Northern, is to be retired with a pension. He has stood at the throttle of an engine for thirty-two years.

The best paying industry in British Columbia is the Merritt police court. On an investment of a table, chair and spitoon, it declared a $500 dividend last week. As the local paper states, "The court is kept busy grinding out 'justice.'"

The Kamloops Standard-Sentinel has increased its advertising rates. Old Man Simpson, the owner, says this is the first increase in ten years, and as the price of everything has gone skyward he had to do it in order to get his winter's underwear.

It is believed that the salmon industry on the Fraser will soon be a thing of the past. The sockeye run in the Fraser is exhausted. Twenty years ago, at Quesnel, five million salmon were counted in July and August. This year only 20,000, and many of them dwarfs.

The provincial government will hold an examination for stenographers on November 1st at Victoria, Vancouver and at such other points as there may be five or more candidates. Applications must reach Victoria by October 20th. Applicants must be between the ages of 17 and 35, and be British subjects.

IDA GARDNER

Herself

---in Princeton!

The famous concert contralto, whose finished artistry has captivated a whole continent, is coming by special arrangement to Princeton. Her personal appearance maks this the musical event of the season.

Monday, October 13th

at 8.15 P. M.

Odd Fellows' Hall

Assisting Miss Gardner will be Mr. Thomas A. Edison's Three Million Dollar Phonograph.

FREE TICKETS

Tickets will be issued by Mr. J. Nathan after October 1st

Simpson & Cranna

Merritt, B. C.

Princeton Paragraphs

The Sailor is running a free employment bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and family have moved to Vernon,

The L. D. cafe was closed for a few days while the place was undergoing repairs.

Daylight saving time will come to an end on the last Sunday in October, the 26th.

Mrs. A. E. Irwin is visiting with her sister near Nelson. Her son, Bertie, is with her.

Fred Ritchie, representing dry goods, was in town Saturday. He reports trade good.

William Kellem has sold his place on China Creek to George Warnin. Mr. and Mrs. Kellem intend moving to Penticton to reside.

Joe Wigmore, while unloading a truck last Monday, gave his back a severe twist, which put him out of commission for a few days.

Miss Annie Cunningham is leaving next Monday for Vancouver, where she will enter St. Paul's hospital and take up nursing as a profession.

O. B. N. Wilkie, provincial land surveyor, Victoria, was in Princeton the week end. Mr. Wilkie is one of the best known instrument men in the province.

Quite a number from this section will attend the baseball tournameut at Oroville, tomorrow and Sunday. This tournament was postponed from last week.

Neil Huston has purchased the George Goldsborough place on Darcy Mountain. There are 600 acres in the tract, and it is one of the best improved ranches around Princeton.

William Humphrey, Kettle Valley bridge foreman, came in to Princeton Monday to see an uptodate town. He is up in the Coquihalla repairing the many structures. He reports Jerry Haggerty's goat dairy at Hope flourishing.

Shorty Dunn was in town this week getting supplies for the hills. Shorty is of the opinion there will be big money in trapping this winter, as fur bearing animals are more plentiful this year, and prices extra good.

Melville Waddell, who drives the big truck for Homer Wells, was laid up for a few days as a result of a fall of about 30 feet down a shaft at Copper Mountain. He jumped from the truck which he was unloading and a board upon which he landed gave away.

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE

TAKE NOTICE that William Johnson, whose address is Princeton, B.C., will apply for a licence to take and use 100 acre feet of water out of Summer's Creek, which flows southerly, and drains into Allison (One Mile) Creek, about five miles north of Princeton.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 500 feet south-westerly from N. E. corner of lot 3346, Kamloops Division, Yale District, and will be used for irrigation purposes upon the land described as Lot 3346, Kamloops Division, Yale District.

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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 September 26th, 1919.

WILLIAM JOHNSON,
Applicant,
By P. W. Gregory, Agent.

A number of men arrived in town this morning from the coast to work on One Mile road.

Jerry Haggerty, manager of the goat and fruit farm at Hope, was a business visitor to Princeton yesterday.

H. C, Lucas, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and Mrs. Lucas, are at the coast on a short visit.

Mrs. Tree, mother of Mrs. Willarson and Mrs. Huston, returned Wednesday to Princeton and will make her home here for some time.

The hospital management wishes to acknowledge the donation of a good supply of peaches this week from Mrs. Howse and Dr. Ritchie.

W. A. McKenzie, M. L. A., of Penticton, came over to Princeton last Saturday to meet the people and keep in touch with this end of his constituency.

The special train bearing the Prince of Wales and his party is due to pass through Princeton going east at about 10 o'clock next Monday evening.

This week an illicit still was discovered near Princeton by local officers, assisted by the chief constable. The pigger, an Austrian, and equipment were taken to police headquarters, where the "get rich quick artist" was made $500 poorer.

Isaac McTavish, L. N. Marcotte, Mrs. Ruddy and Miss Faulds came down from Coalmont Wednesday in McTavish's car. Mr. Marcotte says the colliery at Coalmont is working about 30 men and is taking out about 150 tons of coal a day.

A. A. Ferneau and William Lewis, formen on the One Mile road, were in town this week and took out supplies and men to the camps. The work will be rushed, if men are available. Messrs. Lewis and Ferneau are returned soldiers and old timers of the interior.

Once again the people of Princeton are given the opportunity of dancing to real jazz music, as Elmer's Original Jazz Band will make a return appearance on Tuesday, September 30, in the I. O. O. F. hall. This band was well received here on its last visit.

A. E. Harron of North Vancouver, grand master of the I. O. O. F. of British Columbia, has written to John Huey, district deputy, stating that he would be here next Thursday, October 2, to pay an official visit to Princeton Lodge, No. 52, and wishes to meet all the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

J. A. Fraser of Greenwood, chief of provincial police for this district, was in Princeton this week on official business. Barring locating a blind pork chop, this section, as far as law and order was concerned, reminded him of the days when he attended Sunday school picnics back in Bruce county.

Vermilion Rebekah Lodge had an official visit last Monday evening from Mrs. Lottie Tate, president of the Rebekah Assembly of British Columbia. The team exemplified its work, and a social session was held at the close of the lodge. Mrs. Tate, who formerly lived at Phoenix, met many old friends both here and at Allenby. Monday afternoon she was entertained at the home of Mrs. Darragh, noble grand of the local lodge.

One day this week W. H. Haynes and his wife, just for a little outing, walked from Coalmont to Princeton, a distance of over 12 miles. They made the journey in four hours and five minutes, which was some hike, especially for Mrs. Haynes.

Lieut. Noel Lambert, who returned from overseas recently, spent a couple of days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lambert, Lieut. Lambert served for a time with the heavy artillery, was wounded about a year ago, and after he recovered went into the flying corps. He is again in Vancouver attending the B. C. University. He is 22 years of age.

R. J. Armstrong, manager of the Susap Sheep company, near Chopaka, was in Princeton Thursday. It was a bunch of picked prime lambs from Mr. Armstrong's herd that was selected to feed the Prince of Wales and his party while in Vancouver. Mr. Armstrong has 475 sheep, but will add 800 to his flock this fall. He has a fine hay meadow on his place and puts up about 1200 tons of hay each year.

Conservative Convention

The provincial Conservative convention will be held at Vancouver next Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 29 and 30. In all probability W. J. Bowser will be re-elected leader of the party. The province will be well represented at the convention, and Vancouver will have 60 delegates and Victoria 40.

Tone Test Concert

William Cranna, of the firm of Simpson & Cranna, jewelers of Merritt, was over to Princeton in his McLaughlin car last Monday making arrangements for a grand demonstration of the Edison phonograph in Princeton on the evening of Monday, October 13. On that evening, Ida Gardner, the famous concert contralto, will be here in person and will sing, while the phonograph will give an exact reproduction of her voice. The concert will be free, and all you require is to call on John Nathan after October 1st and get a ticket.

TO OUR PATRONS

We wish to announce that commencing October 1 and 2 we will run weekly, each Wednesday and Thursday, an extra special set of films which are not usually available for small towns. On account of the increased cost of obtaining these features it will be necessary to advance the price of admission for these two nights to 35c. and 20c. Be sure and see these two films and we are sure that you will not be disappointed.

PRINCESS THEATRE.

NOTICE

No shooting allowed on Lots 819 and 1185, known as the Rowlands property on One Mile and Summers Creek. P. E. ROWLANDS.

MINING NOTES

The low price of lead is a hard blow to the mines in Spain.

Silver is the white hope of the Yukon, and the Klondike will soon be shipping plenty of white metal.

H. T. Irvine, mining broker, has disappeared from Spokane. He did not assay high in honesty, and left many creditors.

James K. Kelly, an old time prospector and miner, is in Princeton. Jimmy has been in every camp in the west and has made and lost several fortunes. He says Princeton district looks good to him for another stake.

W. C. McDougall is sending two nicely made cabinets of ore samples from Princeton to the Provincial Exhibition which opens at New Westminster on September 29. These samples show up well and will prove a a splendid advertisement for the district. The specimens are from the Canada Copper Corporation, Copper Mouutain; the Triangle Fraction, owned by Thomas Bros., Copper Mountain; coal from the Princeton Colliery; copper, gold and silver ore from the Red Star, owned by Bonniver and Pouwels, on Roche river, on the automobile road; copper-gold from the Princeton Mining and Development company and the Regal group, near Princeton; ore from the Horn Silver mine near Similkameen; copper-gold from the Shamrock group, near Princeton, owned by Uhler & Cox and associates; from the B. C. group on Summers Creek, owned by E. N. Freding; strontium carbonite and Icelandic spar, from H. B. Meausette's property, near Similkameen.

Sam Gompers, the veteran president of the American Federation of Labor, has become of late years one of the most photographed, most painted, and most sculptured men in the world.

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The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 350 feet south of the north boundary of lot 1910, Kamloops Division, Yale District, and will be used for irrigation purposes upon the land described as lot 3345, Kamloops Division, Yale District.

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OSCAR JOHNSON, Applicant.
By P. W. Gregory, Agent.

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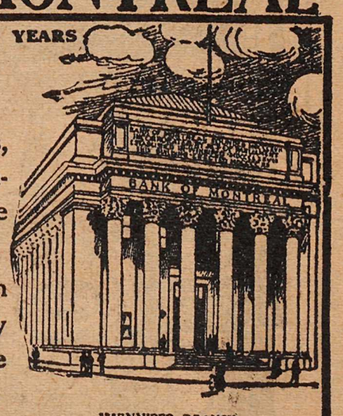

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F. J. SMYTH, Manager.

FRIDAY ..... SEPTEMBER 26, 1919

LACK OF FORESIGHT HITS SOFT FRUITS

Sugar Secured to Save B. C. Crop Is Used For Preserving American Fruit.

Calgary, Sept. 20--The five cars of sugar from Vancouver refinery to Calgary and five cars to Edmonton from the same place arrived and was distributed on Monday. The sugar was intended to relieve the situation in preserving B. C. fruit, but owing to the low state of sugar supplies for ordinary use most of this sugar was sold without regard to the order of the board of commerce. Only one wholesale house in Edmonton applied the fruit conditions as set by the board of commerce, and none at all in Calgary. The eastern five cars for each city is dribbling in and meeting the same conditions. We have been creditably informed that 38 cars of sugar have arrived in Calgary in 30 days and the board of commerce should demand a record of who bought it and what it is used for.

Sugar shortage has hit Vancouver and Victoria cities, but these good people should bear in mind that it has been acute for two months here. It is remarkable that the fruit loss has not been greater than it is. The market is dragging, wholesale prices are low and many consignments are being made. There has been little canning or preserving on the prairies this year and very little pickling done notwithstanding repeated warnings in the press, in advertising and in news articles. The prairie housewives will know the folly of delay when they come to stocking up with factory jams and pickles, as the prices paid for raw material has been very high and will be reflected in their offerings.

Car Arrivals

Car arrivals this week consisted of From B. C., 16 mixed, 5 apples, 2 pears, 1 peaches, 3 prunes, 2 tomatoes, 3 potatoes. From Washington 1 car pears, 2 prunes, 6 peaches and 3 cars of Ontario grapes.

Winter Apples

There is a marked improvement on the part of prairie jobbers in the demand for winter apples of the favored varieties. Very few are left to offer in the Okanagan valley, Kootenay and Arrow Lakes are making good sales during the week.

Honey

Honey is in good demand on the prairie market. We notice from letters received from B. C. honey producers that considerable honey is for sale. We also notice that no effort is made to assemble the total for interprovincial trade. This should be done by the Beekeepers' Association and the honey put up in five lb. cans, which are popular here. The price should be quoted in line with competitive points. Ontario honey now rolling costs 26½c there. B. C. quotations are uniform at 30c in 60 lb. tins. This is above the present market price.

We could furnish exact quotations from time to time to any central point This business is big enough to have it centralized and put on a competitive basis. The competition we meet here is from United States points, Eastern Canada and Australia.

Onions

We wish to draw attention to onion shippers that the resolution adopted at the B.C.F.G.A. convention re No. 1 grade onions calls for two-in. onion free from thick necks and doubles; No. 2, calls for minimum of one inch free from thick necks and doubles.

Peaches and Prunes

We call attention to the situation existing at prairie points regarding the oversupply of preserving fruit, especially peaches and prunes, and its relation to the sugar shortage.

During the past month the bulk of the peaches and prunes offered for sale have been imported from Washington. The sugar situation there caused a lowering of the prices quoted, and we called attention last week that they were under B. C. quotations. The jobbers took hold of these in preference of price only, as the quality in each case is similar.

B. C. Elberta peaches and Italian prunes are now rolling unsold and are being offered at prices having a shade on imported stuff, but as the jobbers have their money in the imported they must allow the B. C. offering to pass up.

We notice also that during the past four days 12 cars of Elberta peaches are rolling from Washington to prairie points.

There is a strange anomoly in the situation. Mr. Winslow went to Ottawa representing the prairie jobbers and B. C. fruit growers and secured sugar to help save the B. C. preserving fruit, which is now threatened with waste largely by the action of the men that he represented. There is inconsistency and bad business apparent and a want of co-operation between buyers and sellers, otherwise this mix-up could not exist. We mention it with a view of preventing its repetition. It would have been better if the board of commerce had placed an embargo on imported preserving fruit so that the sugar secured would have a chance of fulfilling the mission it was intended for.

The Week in Calgary

The weather is clear and fine. Business has been dull with market overstocked with prunes and peaches. Many are spoiling in warehouses. Sugar shortage and shortage of foresight is to blame. Cucumbers in carlots are coming from Manitoba, arriving in poor condition due to being shipped in sacks. They contain about 65 lbs. per sack and sell wholesale at $1.00. We notice some nice cukes from B. C., but the great bulk of them are beneath notice. We have seen better tomatoes this week but some from Armstrong are rank and unshapely. A stir is being made by prairie jobbers to secure winter apples, but it comes too late as most of the better varieties are sold out. It is helping the poorly organized districts to sell their apples at bulletin prices.

Scotch Strawberries and Rasps 1919

We have a letter from Blairgowrie giving the small fruit situation there This year's crop has been a disappointment owing to the very dry season, the raspberry yield being 1,15 tons of 2,240 lbs., or about half an average crop. The berries actually died on the canes. Rasp canes are weak and short, giving a poor prospect for next year's crop. Prices have been good, £50, £60 and £90 sterling per ton. Some private shipments netted 1 shilling per lb., to the grower.

Mr. Hodge, the original Blairgowrie planter and owner of the Auchterarder plantation, has sold all his interests there at a good figure. We are told that Blairgowrie and Auchterarder districts have the largest raspberry acreages in Britain.

British Apple Price Control

We are disappointed to hear that the last year's maximum price for apples is still in force and that No. 3 apples are again selling at maximum prices.

In British Columbia years have been spent trying to build up apples of superior quality, and we know that the British buying public want this kind of produce. We made a statement in another issue that this policy will lead to shipments of low grade apples, bringing our growers and British Columbia jobbers into disfavor. If the intention of the board of control is to get the best apples, why do they not make the distinction other than on a flat rate? If they want cheap apples they have succeeded in framing their regulations. We again repeat that it is unfair to skilled growers and that the British public are being humbugged.

The maximum price is only what No. 3 apples will command, which is sufficient evidence to show its unfairness. We sympathize with British buyers who have closed a deal for choice apples in the west in the expectation that the maximum would be placed on a quality basis.

While in Londan last May the writer, in company with a leading jobber, saw in a fruiterer's window Oregon Spitzenburgs and New Brunswick Ben Davis, offered at 9d. per lb., the contrast was amazing and the opinion of the British jobber was that one represented a value of 4d. and the other 2 shillings by comparison. We wonder how long the British fruit dealers will stand to be instructed in the running of their business.

Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Sept. 17--A very fine straight car of peaches was received from the Penticton growers this week an unusual thing to receive a full car of peaches from B. C. These arrived in fine condition, Elbertas and Crawfords, and compared favorably with anything received from Washington this year. The consignee was very well pleased with them.

We are receiving a very poor lot of apples from B. C. at the present time, mostly in crates, and if any marked No. 1 have been shipped I have not seen them. A car of barrel and crate apples from Ontario, containing Jennettings, Colverts and Duchess, with some Wealthy, domestic brand, being the best apple here this season. Pears are scarce and dear; one full car B. C. prunes arrived yesterday to a broker but has not been sold yet. While there are still some complaints of sugar shortage the worst of it is over so that the B. C. prunes and Hyslop crabs should not be handicapped by this condition. Quite a few cars of Ontario grapes are moving.

Tomatoes

Toms are rising in price, but the quality is not improving; some better late sorts are needed. Vegetable raising in the Okanagan needs considerable jerking up, especially toms, corn, cabbage and cukes. The prairie provinces can grow good corn. More onions better grown should prove profitable. Less acreage in cukes and toms would also be good policy unless unseen demand should come.

ONE-MILE ROAD WILL BE A MAGNIFICENT HIGHWAY

Merritt--The One-Mile road to shorten the distance between Merritt and Princeton will be a magnificent highway when it is completed and will pass through one of the most picturesque sections of the interior. A representative of the Herald visited the road camps on Monday in company with Assistant Engineer G. C. MacKay, and found that good progress was being made in construction. At the present time work is in progress at probably what is the most difficult point on the entire route. For a distance of about a mile along a pretty lake the survey follows at the foot of a mountain, on the sides of which are immense rock slides. Cribbing is being built along the water's edge and filled in behind with rock from these slides. It has been the object of the engineers to build this section of the highway in such a manner as to disturb the rock slides as little as possible, as they have long since created their own slope, and should not again slide sufficiently to cause much, if any, trouble. It is possible that there will be a few small slides next spring, but these are anticipated and when cleared away will probably not cause any future disturbance.

The route of this new cut-off road that is being built by the provincial government leaves the Merritt-Princeton highway at a point near the Aspen Grove post office and follows the route of One-Mile creek, passing through a beautiful park-like country filled with rolling hills and dotted with pretty lakes. The average elevation is about 3500 feet. There are no heavy grades on the route and the road bed will be one of the best to be found anywhere, as the rock and earth formations are especially adaptable to road building.

The Merritt board of trade was especially interested in securing the construction of this cut-off road, and plans are now underway for an excursion of members of the board to the road camps in the near future to view the progress that is being made. It is a trip well worth taking and will give the business men of this city an idea of the possibilities of a great new country that is being opened up tributary to this city.

Might Be Lonely

"Look here, now, Harold," said father to his little son, who was naughty, "if you don't say your prayers you won't go to heaven."

"I don't want to go to heaven," sobbed the boy, "I want to go with you and mother."

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 value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown Grant.

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 improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company.

Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land not 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 heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from for one year from the death of such person, as 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 moneys accrued, due and been 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, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment 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. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

PRINCETON ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that on Thursday, the 9th day of October, 1919, at the hour of 2 p.m. at the Court House, Princeton, I will sell at public auction the lands on the list hereinafter set out, of the persons in said list hereinafter set out, for delinquent taxes unpaid by said persons on the 31st day of December, 1918, and for interest, costs and expenses, including the costs of advertising said sale, if the total amount due for period ending December 31st, 1917, is not sooner paid.

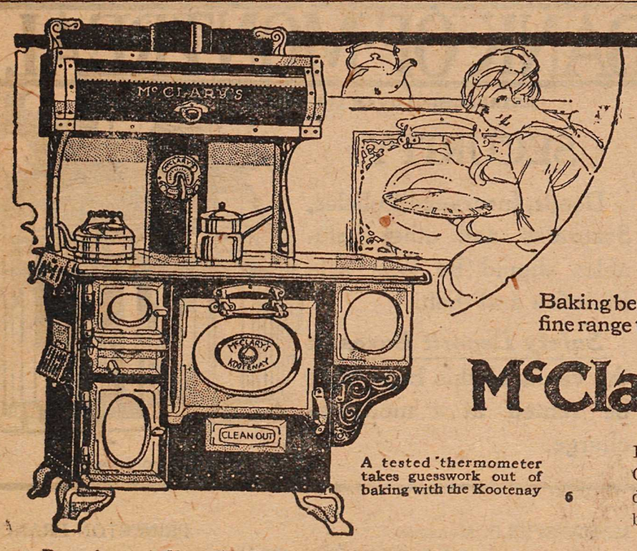
The Collector will be pleased to receive any information respecting the following list where the owner is a member of the Allied Forces and entitled to the benefits of section 29 of the "Taxation Amendment Act, 1918."

LIST OF PROPERTIES

Name of Person Assessed	Short Description of Property	Arrears of Taxes	Interest	Costs and Expenses	Total
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 99, Gp. 1	$ 359.50	$ 34.03	$3.75	$ 397.28
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 293, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.45	3.75	1659.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 294, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.43	3.75	1659.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 295, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.43	3.75	1659.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 296, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.43	3.75	1659.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 297, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.43	3.75	1659.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 298, Gp. 1	10.75	226.43	3.75	1303.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 377, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.43	3.75	1659.93
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 378, Gp. 1	852.35	89.60	3.75	945.70
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L. 379, Gp. 1	1329.75	226.43	3.75	1695.93
E. J. Groves	L. 396, Gp. 1	83.05	8.25	3.75	95.05
Otto Bahr	L. 545, Gp. 1	14.40	13.85	3.75	92.00
Betterton & Fraser	L. 806, Gp. 1	11.60	.90	3.75	16.25
Thomas Alfred Collis	L. 876, Gp. 1	120.00	19.80	3.75	143.55
George Howard Owen	L. 877, Gp. 1	40.00	6.65	3.75	50.40
Thomas H. Brown	L. 878, Gp. 1	80.00	13.30	3.75	97.05
Edward Morgan	L. 952, Gp. 1	139.50	18.95	3.75	162.20
Fred G. Davis	L. 962, Gp. 1	53.03	7.00	3.75	63.78
Frank Reynolds	L. 975, Gp. 1	72.00	9.30	3.75	85.05
Count Victor Voss	L. 1196, Gp. 1	15.00	1.80	3.75	20.55
Count Victor Voss	L. 1754, Gp. 1	33.75	3.20	3.75	40.70
Count Victor Voss	L. 1772, Gp. 1	32.50	2.95	3.75	39.20
G. N. Perkins	L. 1778, Gp. 1	37.50	3.45	3.75	44.70
Harvey E. Hall	L. 1779, Gp. 1	8.00	.65	3.75	12.40
C. A. C. Studd	L. 1970, Gp. 1	49.97	9.30	3.75	63.02
R. D. Sullivan	L. 2068, Gp. 1	15.50	1.45	3.75	20.70
Thomas Leader	L. 2070, Gp. 1	15.50	1.45	3.75	20.70
W. J. Cleament	L. 2084, Gp. 1	14.80	1.10	3.75	19.65
Arthur H. Cutbill	L. 2085, Gp. 1	61.45	8.30	3.75	73.50
E. N. Rowley	L. 2093, Gp. 1	7.50	.65	3.75	11.90
Maud A. Smith	L. 2389, Gp. 1	77.68	13.80	3.75	95.23
C. A. McDonald	L. 2467, Gp. 1	66.00	6.90	3.75	76.65
L. Hoover	L. 2468, Gp. 1	4.85	.30	3.75	8.90
Caesar Mendel	L. 3336, Gp. 1	26.00	7.15	3.75	36.90
Addington P. Lang	L. 3337, Gp. 1	33.00	3.65	3.75	40.40
Caesar Mendel	L. 3338, Gp. 1	104.00	31.85	3.75	139.60
SUBDIV. OF PART OF LOT 277, MAP 589					
B. C. Fruit Land Co.	L. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	155.00	25.75	3.75	184.50
B. C. Fruit Land Co.	L. 8, 9, 10, 11	124.00	25.76	3.75	148.51
B. C. Fruit Land Co.	L. 13	31.00	5.15	3.75	39.90
B. C. Fruit Land Co.	L. 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27	186.00	31.06	3.75	220.81
SUBDIV. OF PART OF LOT 458, MAP 494					
James Stockton	Blk. 1, 2	72.00	6.65	3.75	82.40
E. C. Brotz	Blk. 5	15.00	1.25	3.75	20.00
Richard Brown	Blk. 12	50.00	3.75	3.75	57.50
Mat Story	Blk. 13	30.00	1.65	3.75	35.40
Charles Empy	Blk. 14	59.00	5.20	3.75	67.95
George Gibbons	Blk. 15	78.25	8.40	3.75	90.40
Mrs. M. A. Lawrence	Blk. 16	52.50	4.10	3.75	60.35
Herman Ulrich	Blk. 19, 20, 21	63.50	9.90	3.75	77.15
F. J. Thompson	Blk. 24	27.00	1.95	3.75	32.70
SUBDIV. OF PART OF LOT 656					
B. C. Fruit Land Co.	L. 2, 3, 4	7.80	1.20	3.75	12.75
SUBDIV. OF PART OF LOT 657					
B. C. Fruit Land Co.	L. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	95.06	18.90	3.75	117.71
HEDLEY TOWNSITE SUBDIV. LOTS 1975 AND 1976, MAP 107					
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 1, 2, 12 to 19, 28 to 32, Blk. 1	18.75	1.20	2.75	22.70
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 13 to 22, 27, Blk. 2	13.75	.99	2.75	17.49
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 1 to 6, Blk. 3	7.56	.50	2.75	10.81
George Cawston	L. 13, Blk. 3	7.96	1.00	2.75	11.71
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 3 to 5, 8 to 12, 15, 16, 20, Blk. 4	13.75	.99	2.75	17.49
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 1, 2, Blk. 5	2.42	.16	2.75	5.33
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 1, 2, 4 to 10, 13 to 17, Blk. 6	17.50	1.26	2.75	21.51
David Innis	L. 11, 12, Blk. 6	35.26	3.65	2.75	41.66
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 1 to 11, 13 to 24, Blk. 9	30.00	1.92	2.75	34.67
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 1 to 11, 13 to 24, Blk. 11	30.24	1.92	2.75	34.91
F. W. Groves	L. 1, 2, Blk. 13	4.00	.40	2.75	7.15
William MacIntyre	L. 16, Blk. 13	8.69	.80	2.75	12.24
Mrs. E. A. LaRue	L. 9, Blk. 14	4.29	.30	2.75	7.34
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 13 to 24, Blk. 15	18.90	1.30	2.75	22.95
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 17, 18, 19, 20, Blk. 17	5.00	.35	2.75	8.10
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, Blk. 18	6.30	.45	2.75	9.50
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 2 to 15, 18 to 21, Blk. 19	22.56	1.44	2.75	26.75
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 9 to 15, 17, 19 to 21, Blk. 24	13.75	.88	2.75	17.38
Henry Rosseau	L. 2, Blk. 25	4.84	.35	2.75	7.94
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 3, 7, 8, Blk. 25	3.76	.24	2.75	6.75
Mrs. H. T. Wilson	L. 4, Blk. 25	2.88	.15	2.75	5.78
Mrs. Agnes Evans	L. 10, Blk. 25	2.86	.15	2.75	5.66
Hedley Townsite Co.	L. 3, 4, 5, Blk. 26	3.76	.24	2.75	6.75
EAST PRINCETON TOWNSITE SUBDIV. LOT 1824, MAP 998					
Sing Ling Tong	L. 9, 10, Blk. 1	15.40	1.49	2.75	19.14
C. Featherstonhaugh	L. 17, 18, Blk. 15	9.76	1.00	2.75	13.51
READY CASH ADDITION TO HEDLEY SUBDIV. LOT 2483, MAP 134					
Patrick Murray	L. 11, Blk. 3	16.09	1.65	2.75	20.49
EAST ADDITION TO HEDLEY SUBDIV. LOT 2672, MAP 137					
C. E. Thomas	L. 3, 4, Blk. 1	1.60	.15	2.75	4.50
C. E. Thomas	L. 12, 13, 14, Blk. 3	2.40	.22	2.75	5.37
C. E. Thomas	L. 4, 7, 8, Blk. 4	2.40	.22	2.75	5.37
C. E. Thomas	L. 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 17, 18, Blk. 5	5.60	.50	2.75	8.85
C. E. Thomas	L. 9, 10, Blk. 7	1.60	.15	2.75	4.50
F. W. Groves	L. 22, Blk. 7	7.19	.65	2.75	10.59
C. E. Thomas	L. 1, 3, 4, 5, 10 to 15, Blk. 10	8.00	.66	2.75	11.41
TULAMEEN TOWNSITE SUBDIV. LOT 128					
Donald McRae	L. 6, Blk. 8	164.85	16.19	2.75	183.79
PRINCETON TOWNSITE SUBDIV. LOT 706					
W. D. Gordon	L. 25, 26, Blk. 24, Map 55	7.35	.42	2.75	10.52
COALMONT TOWNSITE SUBDIV. LOTS 378 AND 99, GROUP 1, MAP 1003					
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 26 to 30, Blk. 1	6.75	1.50	2.75	11.00
Columbia Coal & Coke Co., L 1 to 17, 25, 26, 31 to 34, 38 to 40, Blk. 3		33.75	7.50	2.75	44.00
Frederick Leroy	L 29, 30, Blk. 3	5.00	.35	2.75	8.10
Peter Marquart	L 35, Blk. 3	2.50	.15	2.75	5.40
Columbia Coal & Coke Co., L 12, 14, 15, 18, 23, 25, 29, 32 34 to 37, 39, 40, Blk. 4		18.90	4.20	2.75	25.85
C. Featherstonhaugh	L 33, Blk. 4	8.97	1.95	2.75	13.67
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.,	L 1 to 32, 36 to 40, Blk. 5	49.95	9.20	2.75	61.90
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 3 to 40, Blk. 6	51.30	11.10	2.75	65.15
Columbia Coal & Coke Co., L 3 to 11, 16, 18 to 33, 35, 37 to 40, Blk. 7		44.55	9.00	2.75	56.30
C. Featherstonhaugh	L 8, 9, Blk. 7	9.30	1.05	2.75	13.10
Coalmont Hotel Co., Ltd	L 1, 2, 3, 4, Blk. 7	150.40	16.70	2.75	169.85
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 1 to 40, Blk. 9	54.00	12.00	2.75	68.75
Columbia Coal & Coke C.	L 9 to 33, Blk. 10	33.75	7.50	2.75	44.00
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 10 to 25, Blk. 11	21.60	4.50	2.75	28.85
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 24, Blk. 12	1.35	.30	2.75	4.40
Columbia Coal & Coke Co., L 1 to 9, 16, 18, 24 to 29, Blk. 13		22.95	5.10	2.75	30.80
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.,	L 1 to 20, 23 to 29, Blk. 15	36.45	8.10	2.75	47.30
Columbia Coal & Coke Co., L 3 to 7, 10, 14 to 17 to 20, Blk. 16		20.25	4.20	2.75	27.20
Columbia Coal & Coke Co., L 1, 2, 3, 6 to 9, 11 to 13, 17 to 20, Blk. 17		18.90	3.90	2.75	25.55
Columbia Coal & Coke Co	L 8, 9, 11, Blk. 19	4.05	.90	2.75	7.70
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 1, Blk. 20	1.35	.30	2.75	4.40
Columbia Coal & Coke Co.	L 1 to 10, Blk. 21	13.50	3.00	2.75	19.25

Dated at Princeton, B. C., August 30th, 1919.

HUGH HUNTER, Assessor and Collector.



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KEREMEOS

Mr Joe Armstrong shipped several carloads of sheep to Vancouver last week. They were just brought in off the range and were in fine condition.

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The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. N. J. Beckett on Thursday afternoon of last week. The president, Mrs. M. Peel, handed in her resignation as she expects to move to Penticton in the near future. Regrets were expressed by the members that the society was losing its beloved leader. Mrs. F. M. Wright, the vice-president, was elected president. Tea and cake was served by the hostess.

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As one of the boys of the neighborhood was fishing on the banks of the river recently he discovered the dead body of a little child hanging on a branch of one of the bushes. This is the third of the Gaar family to be found, and only one of the bodies is now missing.

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Mr. G. Keeler is having a garage built next his feed store, and expects to place a competent auto repairer in charge of the shop. Cars are becoming so numerous in the valley that no doubt there will be plenty of work for two shops. Mr. Keeler is the local agent for the Chevrolet and will be prepared to do repairs for his customers.

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As Mr. Birnie was driving to Penticton on Sunday morning he met a rig at Olalla and stopped near the edge of the bank. While the auto was still the side of the road suddenly slid out letting it turn upside down. Fortunately none of the occupants was injured, and help was soon secured and the car righted with very little harm done except the inconvenience of deday.

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Several new families have recently moved into the valley, among whom are the Empeys from Armstrong, and the Wooliams from the Coast. It is very difficult for newcomers to secure accommodation on account of the scarcity of houses in town. If some enterprising citizen had some money to invest in residences just now, no doubt there would be good returns on the investment. Improvements are coming gradually, and the next thing we know we shall have electric light, water system, and all the improvements of modern civilization. It is expected that new additions are to be built to the schools both at Keremeos and Cawston, also a residence for the principal here at Keremeos.

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Our local architects, Messrs. Malloy and Wright are very busy trying to keep up with the demand for new buildings.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Gibson and family motored over from Penticton for the week-end.

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Rev. Moody, of Princeton, was in town for a few day calling on old friends.

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Tomatoes are ripening slowly on account of the cool weather recently, but no frost is reported as yet, so it is hoped that a good crop will yet be harvested. About 20 per cent. of the apple crop was blown off the trees by the high winds Thursday and Friday.

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Mr. Moffatt and party from Oregon, spent Sunday camping in the town. They have a large touring car and are travelling through some of our valleys and those across the line, having spent about 22 days already on their trip, camping in the open when the weather is fine and stopping at hotels at other times.

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On Monday evening, September 22, about twenty of the leading citizens met in Coleman's hall for the purpose of considering the advisability of organizing a local board of trade. Mr. Alex Morrison in a few well chosen words explained to those present the purpose of the meeting. On motion of H. Tidy, seconded by Mr. Frith, Mr. Morrison was elected chairman. Mr. Frith then made a motion, seconded by G. B. Clark, that a board of trade be organized. This was carried unanimously. Officers were elected by ballot as follows: President, R. G. Clark, vice-president, E. Corbetts; secretary, Harry Etches; treasurer Mr. Frith. On motion of G. B. Clark, seconded by O. Carle, it was decided to elect a council of five to act with the executive. Several names were nominated. The chairman appointed F. Smith, H. Tidy and Mr. Towell scrutineers. The first ballot resulted in the election of H. B. Armstrong, L. Patten, T. Daly and A. E. East, while J. J. Armstrong and W. G. Mattice were tied. A second ballot being taken, J. J. Armstrong was elected as the fifth member of the council. After the president had taken the chair and called for further suggestions as to business Mr. Morrison drew the attention of the meeting to the advantages of the organization, also to the fact that about forty members of the Vancouver Board of Trade would be passing through this valley on or about October 10, and that they should be entertained and shown through the valley. He also drew attention to the necessity of working for the building of the proposed tranprovincial wagon road over the Hope mountain. Short speeches were made by H. Tidy, G. B. Clark, O. H. Carle and others regarding the need of advertising the valley and getting decent railway accommodation, etc. On motion of E. Corbett, seconded by G. B. Clark, it was decided to invite the visiting members of the Vancouver board of trade to a luncheon, also to prepare a small exhibit of the products of the valley for the entertainment of the visitors. It was decided on motion of Mr. Frith, seconded by G. B. Clark, that an invitation be extended to the Princeton board of trade, who were escorting the visitors from Vancouver also to partake of the luncheon. A committee composed of the council and executive were elected on motion of G. B. Clark, seconded by F. Smith to draft out a constitution and bylaws and present them at the next meeting. The meeting then adjourned to meet on Monday night next, Sept. 29.

Big Deals in Land

Grand Forks — Approximately 175 acres of Grand Forks valley farm lands are involved in several options recently given with an aggregate value of $60,000. These are in addition to all other deals recently referred to in the Gazette, and if consummated, as expected, will make a total of 457 acres, representing an aggregate of $120,000, which will have transferred within the past month. The Gazette is not at liberty to give details of the negotiations now under way, though they involve some record prices for Grand Forks farm lands. It is also a significant fact that in each case the prospective buyer had first visited the various agricultural sections of the Okanagan valley and was quick to recognize the attractives values offered here as compared with the Okanagan.

BASEBALL AT OROVILLE

Big Tournament Scheduled for This Week-end

Oroville— The proposed baseball tournament is to be held on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 27 and 28. It is now pretty definitely settled that the contending clubs will represent Princeton, by the Allenby nine, Penticton, Keremeos, Okanogan and Oroville. Several of these clubs are in a class above the average amateur organizations and it is safe to promise a series of contests that will be full of interest and excitement. Oroville has raised the funds to meet the expense and the purses are of a size that will fully recompense the winners for coming. If the weather is favorable, and every sign points to perfect weather at this time, it is anticipated that there will be the largest crowd present that has ever witnessed ball games in the county. Large delegations can be expected from the British Columbia towns, where great interest has been aroused in baseball, and the towns of the valley will send large contingents to help swell the crowd. Purses will not be confined to club performance, as plans are formulating to give prizes to individual players who may excell in certain points in the game. The tournament will make a grand ending to the ball season which practically closed in the valley in July.

NURSERY FOR SOLDIERS

Government Establishes Farm on Southern Lands

The provincial government has established a nursery farm on the south lands almost adjacent to its demonstration plot. The nursery work will be in charge of Mr. R. G. Simpson.

It is intended to have all varieties of fruit trees, etc., ready for the soldiers when they go on their farms. The establishment of a nursery right on the ground is expected to save a lot of time in tree planting, and will also guarantee that the trees are true to name.

Grand Forks Fruit

Grand Forks—Forty-three carloads of fruit have been shipepd from Grand Forks this season to date, exclusive of express shipments, which would amount to several additional cars. Up to last night shipping over the C.P.R. included 21 cars of prunes, 9 cars of apples, 1 car of plums, and 6 cars of mixed fruit. Two cars of prunes and one of apples have gone over the same line today, and three additional cars were shipped via the Great Northern. Inspector Thomas Symes estimates that fruit shipments of the valley this year will reach at least 100 carloads.

BIG 'BACCY CROP

Kelowna Production Will Run Over 120,000 Pounds

Kelowna---The harvesting of the largest crop of tobacco ever grown in the Kelowna district was safely concluded this week. The total output from all sources will reach 120,000 lbs., and without exception is of a very high standard of quality. About a third of this total crop was taken from the thirty acres of the Dickson ranch and grown by Mr. L. Holman, who, in fact, superintended to a large extent the growing of the rest. To this balance the farms of A. and C. Casorso, McEachern, A. R. Davy and Col. Perry have all contributed excellent crops.

Conditions generally throughout the season have been very favorable to tobacco growing, though possibly not quite so much so as last year, and there is no doubt that once growers realize the profitable nature of the crop, the output of the weed will increase.

All the crop, which is larger by 20,000 lbs. than has ever been grown here before, is contracted for by Mr. J. Bruce Payne, the well known tobac co man of Granby, Quebec.

SHORTAGE OF LABOR RETARDS BIG DITCH

Contractors Have Standing Order For Forty Men Unfilled

Labor shortage is threatening to delay the development work on the soldier settlement tract, according to citizens who have recently visited the Griffin camps. Although Vancouver holds hundreds, perhaps thousands of men out of work, it seems impossible to get them up here where employment awaits. Out of the last 106 men sent from the government employment office to the Southern Okanagan ditch contract only five arrived. The Griffins are said to have a standing order for forty men which is never filled. Col. A. E. Griffin has now gone to the Coast in order to ascertain the chances for increasing the labor supply. Up to the present employment on the work has practically been confined to returned soldiers, but if the existing shortage keeps up some other arrangement may be necessary.

The Griffin concern has just been awarded the contract for lining the big ditches with concrete. A car of cement has arrived and the cement plant will be here shortly.

Work will be started next week on digging a big sub-main on the west side of the river. It will be about four miles long.

On the main ditch at the south camp the gangs have one mile of ditch practically completed insofar as excavating is concerned, while a second mile is rough finished. North of the river about three-quarters of a mile of ditching has been done. At the north camp the steam shovel has excavated about three-quarters of a mile through very stony heavy digging which has necessitated frequent repairs to the shovel.

Next month it is intended to start on the construction of the dam at the intake on the river near McIntyre's.

A contract will also shortly be let for the syphon just below the Fairview bridge. A portion of this will be wood and the remainder concrete. It will be six feet six inches in diameter.

A Natural Inference

The teacher was trying to convey an idea of devotion to the members of her class.

"Now suppose," she said, "a man working on the river bank suddenly fell in. He could not swim, and would be in danger of drowning. Picture the scene. The man's sudden cry, the cry for help. His wife knows his peril, and hearing his screams, rushes immediately to the bank. Why does she rush to the bank?"

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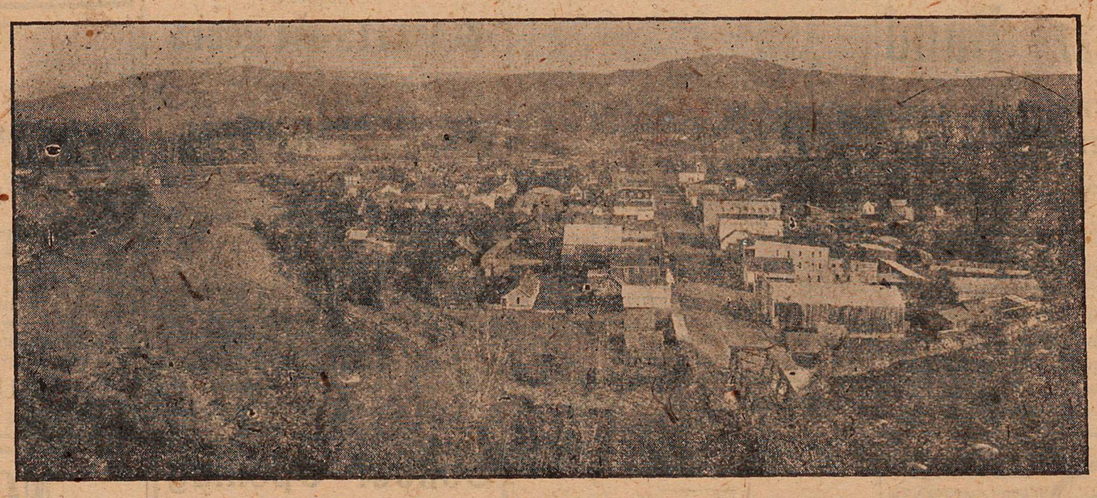
British Fruit Buyers Coming to Valley

Summerland---Of interest to fruit men is the announcement of the coming to the Okanagan this month of Mr. C. Simons, of the well known British fruit concern, Garcia Jacobs & Co., Ltd., or London, Liverpool and Glasgow. Mr. Simons has been visiting California, Oregon and Washington in the interests of his firm. Other English fruit men coming to this province are: Mr. A. Aldridge, representing McGeorge & Jardine, fruit importers, Temple Court, Liverpool, and Mr. Wilshen, representing a large London house.

It is reported that the apple crop at Kaleden sufefred much from a wind storm last Thursday and Friday. It is estimated in some quarters that at least one third of the crop was blown from the trees.

PRINCETON

The Hub of the Similkameen



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Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of lot 522; going 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west, back to place of commencement.

BEN R. BARLOW
By Francis Glover, Agent.

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S. R. GIBSON, SECRETARY

NOTICE

Take notice that I, Francis Glover, of Princeton, B. C., intend to apply to the Minister of Lands for a licence to prospect for Coal and Petroleum under the following described land, situate in Yale Division of Yale District, on Tulameen River.

Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains west of the southeast corner of surveyed lot 395; going 88 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, back to place of commencement.

FRANCIS GLOVER
By Ben R. Barlow, Agent.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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For Sale—Coal heating stove. Ap W. D. Young.

For Rent—Room in Hotel Princeton on ground floor facing Bridge street, size 20x60 feet, steam heated. Ideal location for store. Inquire at Hotel office.

For Sale—Seven room house with bathroom and pantry, and lot, on corner of Billiter avenue and Lime street. For particulars apply to Frank Logsdon, Princeton.

It's getting cold. A. L. White has the heaters (wood and coal) to warm you up.

For Sale—150 acres, 3 miles from Princeton, on Hedley road, 9 acres under irrigation, 35 acres good wheat land, 15 acres broke, 45 four year old fruit trees bearing, strawberries, raspberries and currants. Apply to owner, John Vaydo, Princeton, B. C.

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DIVERSION AND USE

TAKE NOTICE that William Bannen, whose address is Princeton, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 20 acre feet of water out of Sixteen Mile Creek, which flows westerly and drains into Similkameen River about five miles below Hedley, B. C.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point a point about one hundred yards northeast of the northeast corner of lot 2286-s, Similkameen Division Yale District, and will be used for irrigation and domestic purpose upon the land described as lot 2286-s.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 12th day of September, 1919. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Princeton, B. C.

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 September 12th, 1919.

WILLIAM BANNEN,
Applicant.
By P. W. Gregory, Agent.

Notice to Contractors

KEREMEOS SCHOOL ADDITION

Sealed tenders superscribed "Tender for Keremeos School Addition" will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Saturday, October 4th, 1919, for the erection and completion of a one-room addition to the School at Keremeos, in the Similkamenn Electoral District, B. C.

Plans and Specifications can now be seen at the office of J. Mahoney, Esq., Govt. Agent., Court House, Vancouver; H. Hunter, Esq., Govt. Agent, Princeton; W. G. Mattice, Esq., Secretary of School Board, Keremeos, and at the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C.

Intending tenderers can obtain one copy of the plans and specifications by applying to the undersigned, with a deposit of $10.00, which will be refunded on their return in good order.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. E. FOREMAN,
Public Works Engineer.

Public Works Department, Victoria B. C., September 15th, 1919.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Antone Nissen, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims or demands against the estate of Antone Nissen, late of Hedley, Province of British Columbia, who died on the 15th day of July, 1919, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands duly verified by statutory declaration, to the undersigned, solicitor for the executors of the estate of the said deceased, addressed to him at Princeton, B. C., on or before the 22nd day of October, 1919,

And notice is hereby given that after said date the executors of the said estate will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have notice, and that the executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim or demand notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

And all parties indebted to the said estate are hereby required to pay and discharge their indebtedness before the said 22nd day of October, A.D. 1919.

Dated this 10th day of September, A. D. 1919.

A. S. BLACK,
Solicitor for the Executors.

Allen—Meausette

Wednesday at high noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Meausette, Fenchurch avenue, a pretty wedding took place when their eldest daughter, Oriel Zeba, was united in marriage to George C. Allen. Rev. R. C. Herbison was the officiating clergyman, while Miss Dorothy Meausette and Elmer Burr were the bridesmaid and groomsman. The bride was beautifully gowned in white cheffon taffeta. She was the recipient of many presents. After the wedding luncheon the couple left for Vancouver, where they will remain until about October 1st. Many were at the station to see them leave, and they were showered with confetti. They will make their home on Kenley avenue when they return. The young couple have a host of well wishers in Princeton.

It is so cold in Trail that citizens are talking of flooding the rink in order to "birl the stanes."

FARMERS OF PRINCETON DISTRICT

Mr. G. G. Fleming, an expert on locating water, will be here early in October. His terms are, no charge unless water is located at depth specified. Those interested notify George Aldous.

FOR SALE

To make room for pullets, we will sell 40 yearling hens bred to lay; trapnested stock, last winter December to March, 223 dozen. Price, $1.50.

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FOR SALE

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 22nd of October, 1919, for the purchase of south half of lot 841S, group one, containing 117, acres. Similkameen Division, Yale District, the property of the late Antone Nissen. On this property is a dwelling house and small orchard, and situate on G. N. railway, near Stirling creek, west of Hedley, B. C. Terms to be arranged.

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NOTICE

To Returned Soldiers

Dr. D. McCaffrey, of Princeton, B. C., has been appointed by the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment as Medical Representative, whose duties are to attend to all Returned Men who require Medical attention. This attention being given free to men who may be taken ill any time within one year of discharge, whether the cause be from War service or not, and to men who are suffering a recurrence of disability caused by War service, at any time.

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