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THE GOOD ROADS CONVENTION

LARGE ATTENDANCE ASSURED—IMPORTANT QUESTIONS TO BE DEALT WITH

(Penticton Herald.)

The annual convention of the Good Roads' League will open on Monday, at Kamloops, and is expected to be a record one in the history of the league in the matter of attendance. This is the first time the annual meetings of the league have been held so near this town, since the initial convention in Penticton.

This fact is giving rise to the belief on the part of Vancouver delegates that a good representation from this town, which has the honor of having given birth to the league, will be present.

F. L. Roe, secretary of the local league, has advised The Herald that he has received many personal invitations from Ex-Mayor Gale, president of the league as well as other officers for Penticton to send a large delegation. Mr. Roe has been using every effort to arrange for this to be done and expects that a party of eight or ten will leave here on Sunday morning for Kamloops. This party will likely include the president and vice-president J. A. Greenhill and W. T. Blair, as well as several other members of the executive.

Mr. Roe states he will unfortunately be unable to be present, but having attended all previous conventions, he can promise the delegates who go from Penticton a wonderful time, both from an imformative point of view and also social entertainment. No members of the league, he says, who can possibly arrange to be there can afford to miss this convention.

Secretary H. Frank Bird of the Good Roads' League of B. C. is receiving replies at Vancouver from all parts of the province indicating that hundreds of delegates and good roads enthusiasts will attend the annual convention which opens at Kamloops on Monday next. Many questions of province-wide importance are included in the resolutions drafted and forwarded to the secretay for inclusion in the agenda. The good roads convention, which is scheduled for October 2, 3, and 4, will be followed at the same place by the Union of B. C. Municipalities convention, in the majority of cases the same delegates attending both gatherings.

Among the principal matters for concerted action will be a drive for the completion of links in the Trans-Canada Highway. Hon. Dr. Sutherland, minister of works, has indicated that the last section between Vancouver and Blaine will be paved during the spring and a resolution will be drafted approving of this program.

This is the sixth annual convention of the roads association and in that time the league has become a recognized factor in the development of the province. District conventions are held at different times during the year, and representatives are kept constantly at Victoria in the interests of roads which the league has asked for. Ex-Mayor Gale has been president for five years and Mr. W. A. McKenzie, M. L. A., is honorary president.

This year the agenda will include discussion on the proposal that the government abandon the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, tearing up its steel and opening the grade for highway purposes. The suggestion has been mooted in several quarters for some time, and it is said that arguments for and against the project will be invited. It has been claimed that the suggestion, if carried out, would solve one of British Columbia's greatest needs, which is a highway from the interior to the coast.

Hon. Dr. W. H. Sutherland will be present at the convention, and the league proposes to lay before him its views favoring the programme followed by Hon. Dr. J. H. King, his predecessor, who moved toward link development of the great interprovincial highways when local road work was being undertaken.

The west coast of Vancouver Island has intimated that it will send strong deputations from the various coast towns this year. Many of the scattered settlements up the coast have their own local road systems, but are completely isolated from the world except for the boat connections, because there is no connecting road out to the west coast from Port Alberni. Their demand is for a 45 mile road, which, it is said, would enable them to travel in and out of their districts on land instead of solely by water as at present.

ONCE TOO OFTEN

Nanaimo, Sept. 23.—For the second time within a short period the pedigreed bull of the Marshall Dairies has gored a son of the Marshal family. Ellis Marshal' was gored last night and taken to the hospital, where his injuries are grave. The former victim was James Marshall. The bull is one of the most valuable animals on the island. A young grandson of Marshall was drowned in a well recently.

According to the Grand Forks Gazette, Greenwood is not as dead as generally reported. With two export liquor shops already established there the Dominion Company of Creston, has asked for a transfer to that point.

C. N. R. AND C. P. R. TO CONNECT AT KAMLOOPS

Kamloops, Sept. 21.—Sitting in this city this morning, the Board of Railway Commissioners granted a permissive order authorizing the Canadian National Railways to connect with the Canadian Pacific Railways at Kamloops, the connection to be made at the expense of the Canadian National. The two railways are to agree on engineering details, and failing such agreement the matter will again be submitted to the Board.

It is considered significent that the reason given for the order by the commissioners, as stated by Chairman Carvell, was that "connection would have to be estalished if and when the Kamloops-Okanagan branch of the Canadian National was completed," and that they "saw no reason why connection should not be made now." It is felt from this that the Commission believes the branch line will be completed, and that it is on this account that the permissive order was given. It was apparent from the attitude of the Commission that it was in spite of and not on account of any evidence submitted by the Board of Trade that the order was given.

CHARGED WITH PERJURY

The preliminary hearing in the case of Arthur Claughton, of Osoyoos, charged with perjury, was opened this morning in the West Summerland police court before Magistrate E. E. Hutton, but owing to a material witness for the crown, Miss Lowery, of Vancouver, not being able to be present until tomorrow, a further enlargement was allowed. F. R. Anderson, Vancouver, represented the crown, and M. M. Colquhoun defended.

The information against Claughton charged that he did unlawfully commit perjury at the trial in the police court, Penticton, of said Arthur Claughton for unlawfully selling intoxicatingf liquor on July 30, 1922, at Osoyoos on July 29, he did not return to Osoyoos until July 31, and said false witness was made wilfully and corruptly and with full knowledge of its falsity.

Magistrate T. A. Pope, Penticton, before whom the case referred to in the information was held, and Miss Thomas, court stenographer, were the first witnesses for the crown, the statement of Miss Thomas as to the correctness of the transcription of the notes being in the form of an affidavit

Constables Denny and McCormick of the liquor control board, John Desrosier, Mrs. M. Desrosier, R. Montgomey, Joseph Goldsmith and Edith May Richter, all of Osoyoos, gave evidence of seeing Arthur Claughton in that place on Sunday, July 30.

Mrs. Richter stated she also saw Milton Claughton, brother of the accused, there on the same day. The witness, R. Montgomery, storekeeper and postmaster, deposed to seeing Arthur Claughton leave Osoyoos, accompanied by Miss Lowery, on the morning of July 31.—Penticton Herald.

UNION PAYING TWICE A MONTH

Summerland, Sept. 22.—Under a new arrangement the Summerland Fruit Union is this season making semi-monthly payments on account of fruit sold through that organization by its members.

This week the fourth payment will be made. Twice each month the central selling agency, the O. U. G., advances to the locals a percentage of the estimated returns for fruit sent through the agency. As soon as possible after the receipt of this the Union apportions this payment among its members, issuing cheques or crediting accounts as the case may be.

In this way considerable money is being put in circulation in advance of final settlements, but at the same time a safe margin is being retained until each pool is closed.

It is expected that final settlements will be made within the next few days for all cherries.

Though acquitted of the charge of selling liquor by Judge Brown, on Monday, as reported elsewhere in this issue, on Thursday Gust Vladetich was again hailed before Magistrate Waterman. The charge this time being brought under that section of the liquor act in which the owner of a place becomes responsible for any offence committed by those in his employ. In the police court, before Justice Waterman last month, Joe Plecas was convicted on the charge, preferred by constables Ferris and Bell, of selling liquor at Vladetich's bar on the 4th of June. The new charge is similar to that preferred against Tony Smith. The case was adjourned till next Thursday, at the accused's request to enable him to prepare his defense.

A man took his wife to the doctor. He was a simple fellow, and had lived in the country all his life. The doctor placed a thermometer in the wife's mouth. Just before he removed it the man, who had watched spellbound, being unused to such silence on the part of his better half, blurted out: "Doctor, what will you take for that thing you put in her mouth?"

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. J. Priest and son wish to thank the officers and members of the Oddfellows' lodge and the people of Princeton for their many expressions of sincere sympathy during their recent bereavement.

Liquor Cases Disposed Of In County Court

Gust Vladetich Acquitted --- Consideration Withheld in McKiernan's Case---Convictions Sustained in Cases of Frank McMahon, Tony Smith and Mike Mirkovitch

Hearing of the five appeals, entered by Frank McMahon and James McKiernan of the Coalmont hotel, Mike Mirkovitch of Granite Creek, and Gus Vladetich and Tony Smith of Princeton, against convictions recently made by Magistrate Waterman in the local police court for contraventions of the liquor act, commenced at ten o'clock Saturday forenoon in the Parish hall, Judge J. R. Brown of the County Court presiding. As previous court sittings have always been held in the old court room at the government building and no announcement had been made public of the change in place, many wended their way to the old place which is now being used for school purposes.

The Parish hall provided plenty of accommodation and was quite suitable in every respect for court purposes. J. R. Anderson of Vancouver, again prosecuted for the crown, and Capt. Johnson of Vancouver was present on Saturday and watched proceedings on behalf of the liquor board. Enforcement officers Bell and Ferris were the informing witnesses as before, and J. A. Russell, of Vancouver, again acted on behalf of the appellants.

On the outset Mr. Russell registered his objection to Magistrate Waterman's jurisdiction in the former trial on the grounds that the information had been laid and the proceedings instituted before Magistrate Bligh in Vancouver and that the required procedure had not been followed in turning the case over to Magistrate Waterman. He further objected to the validity of the act itself and to the admission of the evidence taken in the lower court on account of the fact that the stenographer had not been sworn. After noting the two first objections and having the transcript of evidence signed by Magistrate Waterman and verified by the affidavit of the stenographer, proceedings were started in the case of Frank McMahon.

Counsel for the defence outlined his plan of procedure which consisted in the calling of some dozen witnesses, whose evidence was intended to discredit the evidence of the liquor board's agents. As McMahon's case offered the best opportunity for bringing out this evidence he asked that it be taken up first. It was mutually agreed that the evidence taken in this case would apply, when applicable, to the other cases.

The first witness called was Enforcement officer Walter Bell. He described how he, in company with Officer Ferris and an Italian named Raveno, arrived at Coalmont early on the morning of June 3rd and registered at the Coalmont hotel. Referring to his notebook he stated that at 8.55 that evening they were served at the hotel bar with Old Smuggler whiskey by McMahon, for which he himself paid.

Cross-examined by Mr. Russell, witness stated that he had been engaged in work of this kind for many years. In company with Ferris and Raveno he was sent up from Vancouver to secure evidence. At that time he wore a heavy moustache and was dressed as a working man. He registered as Retlaw, which was his first name spelled backwards. Ferris had registered as G. Street. Raveno, their accomplice, had worked at Coalmont and was well acquainted both there and in Princeton. During the day they had visited Andy Johnson's several times; the hotel at Granite Creek twice and the hotel bar twice, securing drinks. He could take a dozen drinks a day without feeling the effects.

Interrupted by Mr. Anderson, when questioning the witness closely about the arrangement of the rooms in the hotel and the lights in the bar, and accused of wasting time, Mr. Russell retaliated that he was justified in taking up time when the freedom of five men depended on his efforts; that he intended to find out from the witness whether the bar was "lit up" like he evidently was at the time. Questioned in regard to cases at Victoria and Mission, witness admitted that the magistrates refused to convict on his evidence and that while in the pay of the government, at Mission, he also drew pay for work he was doing in a fruit house.

The evidence of enforcement officer Ferris, who also consulted his note book at frequent intervals, was the same as that of his partner Bell. Closely cross-examined by Mr. Russe'l he was badly confused in his decription of the arrangement of the barber shop and bath room in the hotel and the entrance to the bar. In reply to a suggestion by His Honor that he might have been a little drunk the night of June 3rd after so many drinks, which was quite a lot for a man of his age and physique, he claimed that he could carry that quantity without inconvenience.

Defense Calls Many Witnesses

At this stage Mr. Russell asked for a quashing of all the convictions, claiming that there had been too many discrepancies in the evidence of the prosecuting witnesses to warrant conviction. The court expressed some doubt in that respect and, after examining the memorandum books of the crown witnesses, ruled that the trial proceed. The first witness called for the defense was D. J. Buckley, druggist at Coalmont, who also runs an ice cream parlor. He described how accused had left about noon on June 3rd with the junior baseball team for Princeton and had not returned till about dusk, after which they had entered his place and bought ice cream for all the children, about twenty in number. They had come direct to his place on their return from Princeton and it must have been well after nine o'clock before accused left his place for the hotel. Mirkovich and Andy Johnson had also treated the children to ice cream at the same time. Cross-examined by Mr. Anderson he stated that if any of the children who had been to Princeton, or their parents, stated that they got back by six o'clock that they must be mistaken.

Mike Mirkovich, sworn, described driving his car to Princeton on June 3rd, taking eight children to the ball game. On their return they left Princeton about eight p. m. A car driven by Howard Huff and containing the accused and some four or five of the juvenile ball players was just ahead of him. It would require about an hour to make the trip from Princeton to Coalmont. On their return there they went direct to the drug store where they had ice cream and where he saw the accused. Cross-examined by Mr. Anderson he stated that he did not have any supper in Princeton; that he did not keep beer or whiskey in the hotel at Granite Creek. Intimating that it was a considerable quantity, Mr. Anderson asked witness what he did with all the beer and whiskey he purchased at the vendor's during the month of May. He replied that he kept it in his room in the hotel and that he and his wife drank it all.

To Discredit Crown Witnesses

The evidence of the next five witnesses had no direct bearing on the McMahon case but was given in order to discredit the evidence of the witnesses for the prosecution, who claimed to have secured liquor from Gus Vladetich and Tony Smith in Princeton. The sale by Vladetich was claimed to have been made in his place of business at 8.30 the evening of June 4th, after the officers had been trying all day to catch him. Vladetich stated under oath that after getting a new tire on his big Nash car at the Princeton garage he left Princeton between 7.00 and 7.30 and drove out to the home of Jack Morrison, who lives near the old cement works, to get a couple of sacks of grain for which he had already bargained. He took with him a half dozen bottles of beer. He remained at Morrison's till dusk and in company with Morrison and Art. Storey drank the beer. His evidence was corroborated in every detail by Bert Hill of the Princeton garage and by Morrison and Storey. Morrison fixed the time of the arrival of Vladetich by the fact that his wife had shortly before left for church and the time of his departure at nine o'clock or later, by the fact that he had turned the lights of his car on. Cross examination of both Storey and Morrison failed to shake their evidence. In the case of Bert Hill, however, the judge appeared to take strong exception to his statement that it took him half an hour to fit a new tire on the rim for the big car.

Tony Smith, convicted on the evidence of Ferris and Bell of selling liquor at his residence on the forenoon of June 5th, stated under oath that he was at work in the Princeton Brewery at the time the offence was claimed to have taken place. He had gone to work at eight o'clock and had not returned to his home until twelve noon.

Joe Vickers, clerk at the Coalmont hotel on the 3rd of June, told of registering the three men under the names of Redlaw, Street and Ravono, on the arrival of the early train from the coast. He did not see the men around the hotel during the day and the following morning, on the arrival of the early train assigned the room, number six, which two of them had taken the morning before, to Mr. Mayhew; the room not having been occupied during the night of June 3rd. He swore to seeing McMahon leave for Princeton about noon of June 3rd and return to the hotel about 9.45 the same evening. Cross-examined by Mr. Anderson he stated he lived in Vancouver and had come to Coalmont to work in the hotel on the 27th of April. He had not taken a drink since coming to Coalmont or for some time before.

Howard Huff described making two trips from Coalmont to Princeton on June 3rd. At eight o'clock in the morning Mr. McKiernan told him about two men who were anxious to get to Princeton. He met them shortly afterward and drove them over. He thought the face of the man Ferris looked familiar but couldn't positively identify him as one of the men. Returning to Coalmont he left

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COPPER FIRM AT 14 CENTS—NO INTEREST IN 1923 METAL

It is seldom that one finds the unanimity in price among copper producers that now prevails. Both the smallest and the largest producers sold copper during the week ending September 16 at 14 cents delivered. No sales were reported at higher levels, and although the 14c price was shaded in two sales it was only because the delivery point provided for a low freight rate, says the Engineering and Mining Journal-Press of New York. There is no disposition either to cut or advance prices at the present moment, and the market is as firm on a 14c basis as it can hope to be. Domestic business on the whole has been better during the past week than for the week previous. Foreign sales have been made in fair volume at prices netting close to the domestic market. The stability of copper is viewed with satisfaction by consumers, who have been able to make plans easier than with a fluctuating market. Although one producer has attempted to interest consumers in metal for delivery as late as next March, his efforts have been unsuccessful, despite the fact that his quotation appreciably shaded the spot price.

OLIVER'S SPECIAL JUMPS TRACK

Delegates to the Provincial Convention Derailed at Juliet

Tuesday evening the eastbound Kettle Valley train left Vancouver in two sections, running twenty minutes apart. The second section consisted of nine coaches, a baggage car, diner and two engines and was filled with Liberal delegates from coast points to the big convention at Nelson. The first section passed through Princeton on schedule time but the second section was ten hours late, owing to derailment of practically every car in the train at a point near Juliet. A work crew was sent from Brookmere and the services of all the sectionmen along the line were used in getting the train on the steel again.

The delay would not interfere with the attendance of the delegates at the convention, as it merely meant getting into Nelson at eight o'clock in the morning instead of at midnight. No damage resulted to the train and the majority of the delegates did not learn of the accident until they awoke in the morning expecting to find themselves in the vicinity of Penticton. Apparently the P. G. E. is not the only railway that is inclined to wreck the Liberal party.

MINERAL CLAIMS RECORDED AT BEAR CREEK

Gold Commissioner Hugh Hunter reports the following mineral claims as having been recorded in the Bear Creek district this week: The "O. K." by Joseph Diote; the "Nevada," by John Osborne; the 'Beech Leaf" by A. Chisholm; the "Lion" by N. McDonald; the "Ontario" by L. N. Marcotte and the "Black Bear" by Louis Larsen.

Jacob Benson, during the week, took out certificates of work on the 'Green Horn Mountain No. 1," "No. 2" and "No. 3." The first of these claims, which years ago was the subject of much dispute is now showing samples, of ore carrying 15 per cent. copper. Hugh Kennedy has also received certificate of work for the "Glory" on Kennedy Mountain.

Oliver, Sept. 27.—Four carloads of tomatoes grown in this district have been loaded at Okanagan Falls and consigned to the Dominion Canners at Kelowna and Vancouver. The fifth car is now being loaded. These have all been conveyed to the present railhead by motor transport, at a heavy cost to the grower, as a result of the K. V. branch line to Oliver not having been completed by August 15, which was the date set for completion by the government when the contract for the branch line was let last year. Of course the financial loss entailed by the grower, especially in this his first year, when even a little in the way of return for his cash outlay and expenditure of almost prodigious labor, would mean so much to him, does not throw the railway company into any very noticeable paroxisms of grief. Truly the famous saying by a late railroad magnate of the States is fast becoming a classic, namely: viz., i.e., and to-wit: "The public be d—d."

Between $5000 and $6000 is being spent by the management of the Penticton hotel in making improvements to the premises. The old bar room is being divided into sample rooms and into bedrooms with baths and modern conveniences. Hot and cold water is also being installed in the upstair rooms. Alterations are being made on the western side of the building, which will add materially to its appearance.—Penticton Herald.

At Knouff Lake on Tuesday, Says the Kamloops Telegram, Messrs. Archie McMillan and Fred Buse took a big string of trout on the troll, all being fine specimens, running from six to nine pounds, with the larger size predominating. The catch numbered twenty-three.

Don't forget the Chautauqua at Keremeos, September 30th and October 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Mr. E. Waterman left yesterday on a business trip to Vancouver. He expects to return Sunday.

ANOTHER OLDTIMER CROSSES DIVIDE

HUGH CAMPBELL SUCCUMBS AS THE RESULT OF INJURIES FROM A FALL

Friends and acquaintances of Hughie Campbell will learn with regret of his death, which occurred at the local hospital at 11.45 a. m. yesterday, as the result of an accident which happened to him last Friday evening. While for some time past he had been showing more and more the effects of his advanced age (87 years) on Friday evening he was around as usual and, as per custom, dropped into the "L. D." restaurant about eight o'clock for a light lunch before going home.

In getting off the counter stool he slipped and went to the floor with sufficient force to fracture his thigh bone. He was immediately taken to the hospital and given the greatest possible attention, but the shock proved too much for advanced years and the frail state of his health.

So far as can be learned deceased had a niece living in Vancouver and some nephews in St. John, Newfoundland. The following particulars are taken from a booklet published some years ago by Frank Bailey:

"Born May 18th, 1835, at sea, coming to Halifax. Left Halifax March, 1862, went to New York, from thence to San Francisco via Panama Isthmus, thence to Victoria, B. C., thence to New Westminster, thence up the Fraser river by boat to Yale, the gateway to the Cariboo. The only town at that time in the Cariboo was called Richfield. Went to Barkerville in 1865. Came into the Similkameen with Captain Scott's Golden Creek Mining company on South Fork of the Similkameen and stayed with the country ever since; owner of some rich mineral claims near the headwaters of the Whipsaw creek. A respected old-timer."

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made as instructions are awaited from relatives in the east.

COAST WOMEN ARE PLEDGED TO BUY OKANAGAN FRUIT

Vancouver, Sept. 27.—At a dinner which packed the lower dining room of the Hotel Vancouver Tuesday night, representatives from every women's association in Greater Vancouver pledged the support of their members to the B. C. Products Campaign. The speakers went on record to support B. C. fruit and declared that Okanagan varieties would be given every preference.

A number of ladies asserted that oftentimes they were unable to secure Okanagan fruit from their dealers, but they would ask members of their associations to demand B. C. fruit.

The dinner was arranged by the B. C. Products Bureau of the Vancouver board of trade and was attended by nealy three hundred ladies, members of the board of trade and representatives of many civic oganizations. Mayor Tisdall was one of the principal speakers. Frank Parsons, chairman of the bureau, and J. B. Thomson, vice-president, were joint chairmen.

The Okanagan delegation, composed of Messrs. Park and Lowe, of Penticton; Mayor Sutherland, G. A. Barratt, W. E. Adams, J. E. Young, J. E. Reekie, Geo. Meikle and Thos. Bulman, of Kelowna, and W. E. McTaggart, of Vernon, had places at the speakers' table. Mayor Sutherland, Thos. Bulman and W. E. McTaggart addressed the meeting on behalf of the Okanagan.

This afternoon the valley delegation, Water street dealers and officers of the Vancouver board of trade met to discuss means for the coast and Okanagan getting closer together.

FRUIT SCATTERED WHEN TEAM RUNS AWAY

The biggest display of fruit from down the valley that we have yet seen in Princeton, and easily the most attractive, especially to the children, who were just on their way to school, occurred here last Friday morning. Green Gage plums, John Bear tomatoes, Transcendent crabs and more tomatoes were scattered all over Bridge street from Thomas Bros.' store to the Bank of Commerce. It all happened this way. An independent fruit dealer, named Lu Chong from Hedley was bringing a democrat, heavily loaded with fruit, into town. Coming down the hill just across the bridge something went wrong with the works and Lu lost control of the team, throwing him overboard and inflicting some rather severe injuries, the team dashed across the bridge. They then took to the sidewalk but in passing Thomas Bros.' store the outer hub hit a telephone pole and from there on the "June drop" in fruit in the Okanagan wasn't in it with what happened. In making the turn at the Bank of Commerce the pole dug into the soft ground at the side of the road. Under the strain the whiffletrees gave way and the team, continued their morning constitutional free of any encumbrance until picked up shortly afterwards. The democrat itself was scarcely damaged and remained upright with a few boxes of fruit still intact. The fruit is said to have come from the old M. K. Rodgers orchard at Hedley.

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THE FULL GROWN DOLLAR

Official trade returns, says the British Columbian, verify the accepted explanation of the return of the Canadian dollar to hundred per cent. efficiency abroad. That is, that this Dominion has resumed the healthy practice of selling abroad to greater value than we buy there.

For five months of the present fiscal year, to the end of August, Canadain imports of merchandise were valued at 303 million dollars, and exports at 316 million dollars; while in the corresponding period of last year the totals were 319 million dollars imports and 277 million dollars exports. Our chief exports are of course agricultural products, accounting for more than half of the total; while the next item in importance is wood products and paper. Iron and its products bulk the largest in the imports; something to bear in mind when considering the proposals to establish the manufacture of iron and steel in British Columbia.

Those who scan the trade returns for the effects of the new Field-tariff, will see there confirmation of its characterization as even more protective than its predecessor. The duty collected for the five months of this year, mainly under the new tariff, was 55 million dollars on dutiable imports of 206 million dollars; contrasted with, for the like period of last year 49 million dollars on 215 million dollars. The percentage is 26 for this year against 23 for last. In the matter of the tariff the humbug of the Liberal party is in full operation.

EXPENSIVE HIRED MEN

The United Farmer members of the Alberta Legislature are in wrong, says Toronto Saturday Night. The trouble is all over the salary they voted themselves for services rendered during the recent five days' spcial wheat board session. For this time away from the farm they at first voted themselves $200 each; but finding that the Saskatchewan members got away with $250, and not wishing to be "pikers," it was unanimously agreed that their indemnity should be the same. It might not have been so bad if they had made the wheat board stick, and thus produced some tangible results. But when it collapsed, the voters back on the homesteads began to think and figure out carefully what their hired men had done to warrant such a salary for one week's work. It was also discovered that one member who did not even attend the session, got his check just the same. This was too much.

An aroused rural resentment culminated in local pow-wows, where indignant resolutions were passed. It was decreed that the member who was not there, and did no work, should return the whole indemnity check to the provincial treasurer. It was also agreed that the others should return the larger portion overpaid to themselves.

The Saskatchewan Legislature not yet being under the control of the farmers' political organization the same turn in affairs is improbable, but the farmer members there had no compunction about taking all that was offered or could be voted. All of which shows that the farmer in politics is no different from other ordinary mortals, when his own financial reward is under consideration. This was also manifested clearly in the Manitoba legislature during the last session, when an increase in sessional indemnity was greeted with equal equanimity among the farmer group. But they were most anxious a'most in the same breath to reduce the salaries of civil servants, school teachers, and so on, in order to keep down the taxes, and economize—inconsistent, it is true, but characteristically selfish, nevertheless.

THE LAST CHANCE

Commenting on the proposals of the Minister of Finance for the conversion of 1922 Victory Bonds into new bonds carrying the same rate of interest and maturing in five or ten years, as desired, the Monetary Times says:

"One point which should be borne in mind by investors in considering the new issue of Dominion Government bonds is that the time is rapidly approaching when good securities will be scarce instead of plentiful. Up to the present year, since the beginning of the war, the investment market has been a buyers' market, interest rates being high and money scarce. Looking back to a time several years before the war, however, investors will recall that it was then quite a problem to find a resonably good investment which would yield 5 1-2 per cent., or even 5 per cent.

"The opportunities to invest in ten-year bonds at 5 1-2 per cent. is therefore a good one. The loan will unquestionably be a success and security prices will, judging by prospects, be carried to still higher levels."

The Minister's offer closes tomorrow, September 30; see the official advertisement for details.

"When the eyes are shut, the hearing becomes more acute," says a medical authority. That's right; we always accentuate our hearing that way in church.

LIQUOR CASES DISPOSED OF IN COUNTY COURT

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for Princeton again about noon with Frank McMahon, a ball player named Bagatine and four or five kiddies. On the return trip he left Princeton about eight o'clock. It would take from 50 minutes to an hour to make the distance and they were delayed about ten minutes by a tree that had fallen on the road. Mike Mirkovitch, with a load of children, was just behind him. On arrival in Coalmont he left Mr. McMahon and the children at Buckley's drug store. He was closely cross-examined by Mr. Anderson as to how the children passed the time in Princeton between the finish of the ball game and the hour at which he stated they left for home. Later his evidence was severely criticized by by both the court and Mr. Anderson, the latter (with malice aforethought, as he stated) using the harsh imputation of perjury, though at the previous trial he had highly commended the witness on the fairness of the same evidence.

James McKiernan, under direct examination stated that in 32 years' residence in the province it was his first time in court. He had previously been engaged in mining. On the morning of June 3rd two men, one of whom he now believed to be Ferris, had approached him and expressed a wish to get to Princeton. They appeared to be in a hurry to get away and he spoke to Howard Huff to take them. He did not see them around the hotel again that day and positively denied having sold them, or anybody else, any liquor on the 3rd of June. The two back doors in the bar were secured by bolts from the inside and the only entrance used was the front door opening on the verandah. The only occasion on which he had entered the bar that day was to get tobacco or cigars for customers. He saw Mr. McMahon leave for Princeton before noon and did not see him again till late that evening. At this stage court adjourned till Monday.

On the re-opening of court Monday, Frank McMahon took the witness box in his own behalf. He explained meeting Jim Potts, an old friend, in Princeton on the afternoon of June 3rd, thereby accounting for keeping the children whom he had brought to the ball game waiting until about 8 o'clock before leaving for home. His evidence of the trip to Coalmont and the visit to Buckley's drug store was the same as that of prior witnesses. He did not enter the bar until about ten o'clock and was alone when he did. He stated positively that he did not see either Bell or Ferris that day, neither did he serve anybody with a drink. In reply to Mr. Anderson, accused did not buy any Old Smuggler whiskey. What whiskey he got from the vendor he either drank himself or gave to his friends. He admitted keeping beer and whiskey in the bar to treat his friends. Did not meet Burr on the road between five and six o'clock. Witness made a sketch of the interior showing plan of the lower floor and the change in the position of the barber shop made about the middle of July.

Rebuttal Evidence

There was a clash between counsel in regard to the rebuttal evidence and the objection of Mr. Russell was noted. James Forsyth, liquor vendor at Princeton, was called to prove that on May 1st accused had purchased 12 bottles of Old Smuggler whiskey. Mr. Anderson: "Were the bottles sealed?" Witness: "They were." Mr. Russell drew the attention of the court to the fact that according to Bell's evidence it was not sealed whiskey that he had purchased. Witness explained that sometimes the government seal came off. He had known that to happen.

Clara Shaw and Mabel McKay, two of the children who had ridden in Mike Mirkovitch's car to and from the ball game on June 3rd, gave evidence to the effect that they arrived back in Coalmont in time for supper at their respective homes and fixed the hour at not later than six o'clock. They also told about the tree on the road but claimed that Huff's car was behind them as they had to wait for Huff, who had an axe, to clear the way. The evidence of Nellie Rhodes was considered by the court as too contradictory to be of any value.

Argument By Counsel

Counsel for the prosecution in his his argument showed that the effort of the defense had been directed wholly toward showing that the accused had not returned to Coalmont at the time stated in the charge. Their evidence left he children, who had been taken to Princeton, unaccounted for for several hours. He deprecated the reports published in the newspapers of instances where the liquor board had failed to secure convictions and referred to the clannish disposition of bootleggers in sticking together. He thought the term "criminal" should be modified and would refer to them as quasi-criminals.

Mr. Russell considered the counsel for the crown had exceeded his duties. It was his duty to prosecute not persecute. In fairness to the accused the trial should have been brought on much sooner and the Italian, Raveno, should have been produced as a witness. The deceit practised by the witnesses for the crown was to be deplored and their evidence should be subjected to the closest scrutiny. He drew attention to the quantity of liquor consumed by them in their work and the effect it might be expected to have on their evidence.

In summing up His Honor stated that the evidence of the crown was that of two government agents and as such must be very closely scrutinized, but it did follow that it could not be corroborated. Much of the evidence of the defense had been unsatisfactory. On Saturday he had been favorably impressed by the evidence of Howard Huff, a disinterested witness, but owing to evidence

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Was He From Mars?

(By Spectator.)

The sun had run its daily course. Shadows of the mountains, creeping slowly along the valley had gained the summit of the eastern hills, again winning the battle of a cloudless day. The hum of the cannery had died away, and the last of the long line of the many vehicles, hurrying the produce of the valley another step forward towards their various markets, had moved homeward.

I was just making my last entry for the day, when I heard a footstep at the door. Looking up I beheld my friend the professor. He looked a little weary and worn. The unusual freshness of his complexion and the brightness of his eye, which had attracted me so much at our first meeting, was not so fresh, and the brightness seemed to have somewhat faded away. Alas! poor man, he was 'seeing' our world.

"I have located you at last," he said, in a voice which still retained its old charm and fervor. "It has been a long hunt, but my reward is great, if you have the leisure, and I may have a chat with you."

"You have just struck me at the right time," I remarked as cordially as possible. "Just let me put this book away, and light my pipe, and the pleasure of the chat will be all mine."

"Ah, tobacco, tobacco," he said, "everywhere I go it is tobacco. Even some of your ladies seem to burn incense to the god of nicotine."

"You are tired," I remarked.

"I fear I am," he replied. "It is a wonderful study, but so complexed, and full of contradictions. Your problems seem without number, and your system; well, I still pursue the solution, but it is so intricate. Merely as a student trying to investigate, I feel quite worn out. How your people stand being entangled in it, I cannot understand."

"Tobacco! tobacco!" I quoted. "Perhaps tobacco helps, and another thing. But what are your difficulties now?"

"In our world, Mars, agriculture stands first," he said. "Without agriculture, all flesh must die. As I have already remarked to you, 'all men must eat.' In spite of this it seems so different here. Here the farmer is the butt of all. The ball tossed too and fro. Putty in the hands of the manipulator, and why? Control is, I perceive, the power of your system. The manipulator (call it corporate interests if you like) is taking in, one by one, your industries, by this great power, control.

"I find your farmer," he continued, "sells his pork for seven or eight cents, and buys it back in bacon, as a consumer, at fifty cents a pound. The packer who lies between and holds control, sets the price at both ends. In the great country to the south of you, I find this on a huge scale in cattle. The rancher comes with his herds to the large centers and takes his little dole; the consumer pays what he is required to pay or goes without. The price may go up a little or down a little from year to year, but always the control takes his full portion out, and waxes fat.

"As in pork and as in cattle," he continued, "I find it so in many things and it would appear that even now strenuous efforts are being made to obtain the same ends in this country in fruit. Many individuals are today endeavoring to secure this control. Its effect is very disastrous, as they are at present trying to submerge each other and in this the farmer must suffer. I can foresee that shortly the stronger will force out the weaker. There will then be only a few companies left, who, realizing that the other is strongly entrenched and cannot be forced out, will get together, and though being in apparent opposition, will have a working agreement as to the amount to be paid for fruit, and also the amount for which it shall be sold. This, then, will be control, and having this they will then get the cream, for I perceive where the control is, there the wealth goes."

"If you can perceive this coming, can you not perceive a method of preventing it," I asked.

"Control should not be prevented," he replied. "It is essential to the welfare of your country, otherwise you will have the wastefulness of your present system, or lack of system, which we have before discussed.

"But," he continued, "this control should be in the hands of the producer. It is not too late for the farmer, if he will awake from his lethargy, to take this into his own hands. Should he continue to dream on, and not look deeply into the matter, the corporate interests will become so strongly entrenched that it will be difficult to dislodge them."

"By what methods," I asked, "do you propose, that the farmer can get this control."

"The methods are well known," he remarked, "they have simply to unite."

I smiled at him quietly. "Impossible, sir, you do not know our farmers."

He gave me a look which was as near contempt as he had ever looked, and said, "I tell you now, within a very few years your farmers will either unite or be united. If he unites himself he can easily get control. But if he is united, it will be by others and others will have control. He will then, unitedly, bring his little offerings, and will take the dole which is handed out. He may have his better years and his poor years, but always, the control will take its cream. They will not have poor years.

"They must have an organization, already they have a nucleus in what is known as the United Farmers. They now sell grain and flour, you say, whereby they may save a few cents, and I am informed that some wish to go into politics. They dabble in small things, why should they not go in for the main thing, the one thing for which they work so hard, a good return for their produce. Once let them get control and a few cents on their flour or grain will not matter. Once let them become united and entrenched with wealth, and they will have all the influence in politics they desire."

"But," I said, "They are poor and cannot start these things."

"Were it the practice," he replied, "to elect wise men to your house of government, they would see that it would be of great benefit to start and finance the organization for the welfare of the country, but I find that it has not yet become the practice to choose this class of legislators. However, is there a company in all this country who have vested interests which can compare with the combined holdings of the farmers, or an industry which makes returns in any way equal to the wealth produced by them? Surely out of the great wealth they hold, sufficient could be raised to enable them to proceed?"

We sat without speaking for some time. As I smoked my pipe in the gathering dusk and pondered on his words it did seem as if there was enough wealth and to spare in the many orchards, to do what he suggested. The Similkameen, Okanagan, Salmon Arm and the Kootenays joined together in one organization. This starting with fruit packing and handling, and gradually taking in canning of the culls or waste fruits, making jams and establishing evaporating plants whereby all the present waste could be utilized, would mean many million dollars to the farmer, and of course make it a richer country for all.

It was a large dream perhaps, but people who have not large dreams never accomplish large deeds. Where was the man to do it?

"Your suggestions sound quite reasonable," I at last remarked, "but it means a very capable management. I fear the man to accomplish it will be hard to find."

"It is true," he replied. "But I believe quite possible. I find in my investigation of your inhabitants, that to a great extent you are divided into two classes. You have a class that are honorable and can be trusted, but as a rule these are not very sagacious in business methods. On the other hand those who in business are very clever, are not as a rule very honorable in their tansactions. On this hypothesis I might add, your government representatives should be of a very high plane in regard to honor and trust, but of this I have not yet had time to examine into. However, I find that there are some who hold these points in common. It will be necessary, of course, to secure a man who not only will work for the common good, but also must have great qualities for system and organization."

"In speaking of these points," he continued. "I cannot help referring to one whom, judging from your newspapers, is much before every one's eyes, that is Henry Ford. Your country, with which I include the United States, is a marvel of inefficiency and waste. Only the great natural wealth of the country saves it from bankruptcy. Your railroads are a horror of inefficiency and waste, I find to my surprise. The marvels of Henry Ford are simply system and organization to a large degree. These methods must be adopted by your farmer organization on such a scale, and under these the organization as outlined, would not be as great an undertaking as Mr. Ford has accomplished."

"You remarked some time ago," he said, "that 'tobacco and one other thing' kept your people from worrying. What, may I ask, was the other thing?"

"You have shown this pretty well yourself," I replied. "You have gone deeply into these matters, and are tired. We don't go deeply into them, we simply try to study the small part of them which we are closely connected with, and never realize that we are being effected from beyond these. When it comes to the deeper stuff, we simply 'leave it to George.'

"George," he said, "who then is George?"

I hesitated, how could I explain to him this mythical George. He continued, however. "You do not, I presume, mean your King."

A light broke in on me. "Yes," I replied, "but not directly. We leave it to His Majesty's government. We leave it, the corporate interests don't leave it, but always have an agent at George's elbow, so that they may direct him in their direction, which as a rule I may add is not in ours."

Darkness was falling fast. I could still see his fine profile against the faint light outside. His high forehead and his quiet eye gave a dignity which drew one to him.

"Have you examined our religion," I asked.

"Please!" he exclaimed with a sudden start. "Not tonight. Such an incomprehensible state of irrevelancy of practice to profession I have not as yet found elsewhere.

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 residences, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and must 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 exceding 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 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 LAND.

Provision made for insurance 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.

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

LIST OF PROPERTIES:

Name of Person Assessed	Short Description of Property	Arrears of all Taxes	Interest & Penalty	Costs & Expenses	TOTAL
CROWN GRANTED LANDS					
Voigt, M. A.	Lot 52s	$151.60	$13.29	$3.75	$168.64
Voigt, M. A.	Lot 53s	105.00	9.18	3.75	117.93
McLean, Isabella A.	Lot 76	45.00	2.77	3.75	51.52
Curtis & Brown	Lot 230	240.00	14.80	3.75	258.55
Marstrand, Otto	Lot 243, Yale Land Div.	453.77	59.32	3.75	516.84
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Lot 657, Blk. 1	20.10	1.23	3.75	25.08
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Lot 657, Blk. 4	20.10	1.23	3.75	25.08
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Lot 657, Blk. 5 to 8 inc.	8.80	.54	3.75	13.09
Oliver, Chas. E.	Lot 842	34.47	1.83	3.75	40.05
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Lot 932, S. D. (40 ac.)	61.06	3.60	3.75	68.41
Aldous, G. W.	Lot 969	194.40	11.67	3.75	209.82
Frith, K. B. C.	Lot 1473	79.00	5.75	3.75	88.50
Morgan, Mrs. A. D.	Lot 1586s (E. ½ 80 ac.)	24.25	1.39	3.75	29.39
Perkins, G. M. Estate	Lot 1778	78.57	4.24	3.75	86.56
Hall, Harvey E.	Lot 1779	25.50	1.49	3.75	30.74
Martin, William	Lot 2136 (½)	71.97	3.80	3.75	79.52
Allison, George M.	Lot 2136 (½)	67.53	3.65	3.75	74.93
Pearson, Mary O.	Lot 2388 (S. ½)	199.40	23.17	3.75	226.32
Andras, J. D.	Lot 2412	120.00	7.40	3.75	131.15
Smith, R. M. & R. P.	Pt. Lot 2466 (13 ac.), Map 709	90.00	5.55	3.75	99.30
Scruby, William P.	Lot 2697	17.40	1.05	3.75	22.20
Smith, C. D.	Lot 3207	100.00	6.55	3.75	110.30
Allison, A. & Gould Sam	Lot 3350	53.40	3.43	3.75	60.58
Carlson, John H.	Pt. Lot 3528 (288.96 ac.)	57.05	3.18	3.75	63.98
Voigt, E. F.	Lot 3576 (S. ½)	55.00	3.94	3.75	62.69
Voigt, M. A.	Lot 3578	640.00	46.80	3.75	690.55
Voigt, M. A.	Lot 3579	320.00	23.40	3.75	347.15
HEDLEY TOWNSITE — MAP 107, SUB.-DIV. LOTS 1975 & 1976					
McLean, W. A.	Blk. 13, Lots 7 & 8	18.20	.91	2.75	21.86
Wirth, John	Blk. 13, Lots 23 & 24	53.90	3.22	2.75	59.87
McIntyre, William	Blk. 13, Lots 10 & 16	14.70	.85	2.75	18.30
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 14, Lots 13 & 14	52.50	2.87	2.75	58.12
McLean, W. A.	Blk. 15, Lots 1 & 2½	62.25	4.28	2.75	69.28
Edmond, R. J.	Blk. 24, Lots 4 & 22	59.20	3.64	2.75	65.59
WARRIMO ADDITION TO HEDLEY—MAP 175, SUB.-DIV. LOT 1795					
Galbraith, Dan H.	Blk. 17, Lot 29	5.50	.31	2.75	8.56
PRINCETON HEIGHTS					
Dean, Mrs. M. E.	Blk. 1, Lots 2, 4, 6, 7	25.74	1.66	2.75	30.15
Kellem, William	Blk. 1, Lot 3	9.24	.49	2.75	12.48
Dean, Mrs. M. E.	Blk. 3, Lots 2 to 4, & 68	113.13	6.05	2.75	121.93
Dean, Mrs. M. E.	Blk. 7	9.15	.47	2.75	12.27
Dean, Mrs. M. E.	Blk. 8	5.49	.26	2.75	8.50
Dean, Mrs. M. E.	Blk. 9	21.13	1.45	2.75	25.33
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 10	3.66	.03	2.75	6.44
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 11	5.49	.26	2.75	8.50
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 12	8.15	.47	2.75	13.37
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 13	21.96	1.12	2.75	25.83
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 14 (except L. 10)	27.95	1.51	2.75	32.21
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 15	18.30	.94	2.75	21.99
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 16, Sub.-Div. "A"	32.94	1.77	2.75	37.46
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 16, Sub.-Div. "B"	32.94	1.77	2.75	37.46
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 16, Sub.-Div. "C"	32.94	1.77	2.75	37.46
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 16, Sub.-Div. "D"	25.62	1.38	2.75	29.75
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 17	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 18	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 19	10.98	.57	2.75	14.30
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 21	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 22	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 23	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 24	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 25	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 26	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 27	21.96	1.17	2.75	25.88
Gray, Dr. J. S.	Blk. 20	10.98	.57	2.75	14.30
EAST PRINCETON — MAP 998, SUB.-DIV. LOT 1824					
Sing Ling Tom	Blk. 1, Lots 9 & 10	15.28	1.14	2.75	19.17
Kisham, Geo.	Blk. 18, Lot 6	9.24	.49	2.75	12.48
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 1, Lots 1 to 8, 14 to 20	20.95	.85	2.75	24.55
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 2, Lots 1 to 11, 16	19.98	1.18	2.75	23.91
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 16, Lots 10, 12, 13	9.61	.38	2.75	12.74
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 18, Lots 1 & 2	7.62	.15	2.75	10.52
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 20, Lot 1	2.66	.03	2.75	5.44
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 21, Lots 1 to 14	19.62	1.20	2.75	23.57
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 22, Lots 1 to 8, 13 to 21	28.93	1.81	2.75	33.49
Allison, Mrs. S. L.	Blk. 23, Lots 1 to 29	44.89	2.83	2.75	50.47
PRINCETON TOWNSITE — SUB.-DIV. OF LOT 706					
Lim You	Map 37, Blk. 1, Lot 6, W½	57.75	3.30	2.75	63.80
Carlson, John	Map 96, Blk. 10, Lot 13	19.02	.81	2.75	22.58
Martin, Wm.	Map 55, Blk. 12, Lots 21, 22	59.28	2.42	2.75	64.45
French, F. H.	Map 55, Blk. 15, Lot 6	22.60	1.33	2.75	26.68
Martin, Wm.	Map 55, Blk. 15, Lot 19	10.98	.57	2.75	14.30
French, F. H.	Map 55, Blk. 17, Lot 3	14.64	.78	2.75	18.17
Storer, J. S.	Map 55, Blk. 29, Lots 15, 16	43.89	2.50	2.75	49.14
Carson, J. H.	Map 96, Blk. 34, Lot 9	9.24	.54	2.75	12.53
Martin, Wm.	Map 96, Blk. 36, Lot 8	3.66	.03	2.75	6.44
COALMONT TOWNSITE — MAP 1003, SUB.-DIV. LOTS 378 & 99					
Madore, J. F.	Blk. 7, Lot 17	5.25	.31	2.75	8.31
SIMILKAMEEN CITY—MAP 99, SUB.-DIV. OF LOT 1968					
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 5, Lots 1 to 30	90.05	6.83	2.75	99.63
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 11, Lots 24, 26, 28, 30	3.00	.03	2.75	5.78
Fraser, Finlay	Blk. 14, Lots 9 & 10	3.00	.03	2.75	5.78
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 21, Lots 11 to 20	6.00	.36	2.75	9.11
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 24, Lots 28 to 32	3.00	.03	2.75	5.78
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 27, Lots 1 to 20	12.00	.72	2.75	15.47
Oliver, Chas. E.	Blk. 37, 10 Lots	6.00	.36	2.75	9.11
SUB.-DIV. OF LOT 277 — MAP 589					
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 2	32.50	1.80	3.75	38.05
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 4	37.50	1.95	3.75	43.20
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 5	20.70	1.16	3.75	25.61
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 6	1.66	.03	3.75	5.44
McTavish, D. N.	Blk. 7 A	54.00	3.24	3.75	60.99
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blks. 8 & 11	27.50	1.46	3.75	32.71
McTavish, P. D.	Blk. 15	118.00	6.39	3.75	128.14
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 22 (E. ½)	21.10	1.19	3.75	26.04
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 23	36.30	2.30	3.75	42.35
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blks. 24 & 25	76.00	4.95	3.75	84.70
Lawrence, Mrs. M. A.	Blk. 16	58.00	4.09	3.75	65.84
SUB.-DIV. OF LOT 656 — MAP 648					
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 2	21.00	1.24	3.75	25.99
B. C. Fruitland Co.	Blk. 4	4.50	.23	3.75	8.48

Dated at Penticton this 9th day of September, 1922.

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E. T. COPE, Provincial Collector.

WHAT WAS DOING HERE TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Similkameen Star of September 27, 1902

Mr. J. B. Silverthorne came in from Aspen Grove on Tuesday.

Mr. Sam Spencer returned from Hedley City last Sunday.

F. W. Groves, P.L.S., has been engaged by Snowden Bos. to survey the Daisy and Lone Star claims on Copper Mountain, adjoining the Ada B. C. Willarson and P. Johnson are assisting him.

Mrs. Mick'e, Mrs. Howse and Miss Moore, have left Nicola Lake for a visit to the Harrison Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson of Tulameen City, were visitors to town last Tuesday.

A. E. Howse is putting a 25x50 foot addition to his Nicola Lake store, and roofing the whole building with corrugated iron.

Mr. Fred Revely has gone to Aspen Grove to interview a number of delinquent taxpayers who have neglected calling on the Government Agent.

D. Day and Tucker French returned Thursday from Okanagan, bringing with them a big barrel of fish and some fruit and vegetables.

W. Chisholm of Aspen Grove, passed through town Monday with a band of horses, bound for the coast, where he intends disposing of them.

C. E. O'iver and H. Tweedle passed through Princeton on Tuesday bound for the New Westminster Fair. They were taking to the exhibition two thoroughbred horses belonging to E. Bullock-Webster, of Keremeos.

Cultus Charlie, a Siwash freighter, brought in a load of furniture for the court house on Wednesday. The govenment is also having a well dug between the court house and the lock-up.

Mr. W. A. McLean and daughter, of Ashnola, made a trip to Hedley City on Thursday.

Prof. Harris of Ottawa, and his two sons, passed through Princeton this week on their way to Granite Creek, where they go to inspect the operations of the Boston and British Columbia Hydraulic Company.

J. W. Wirth is up from Keremeos, attending to the branding of Cawston's cattle.

Mr. Miles Silverthorne, the popular proprietor of the Hotel Jackson, is leaving for the coast by Sunday's stage, on a short visit.

The properties of the New Fairview Corporation are likely to change hands. An English Company are the purchasers and the price is in the neighborhood of $1,000,000.00

Last week the carcass of a steer was found between this place and Ashnola, whose death was due to a rifle bullet in the neck. Only the hind quarters of the animals were taken away. No clue to the guilty parties has yet been discovered.

The diamond drill belonging to the Ashnola and Similkameen Valley Coal companies, which has been running for some months under the charge of Mr. P. A. Raymond, stopped work on Thursday, the greatest depth possible with the equipment furnished having been reached.

The V. F. M. & D. Co., have removed their drill to a point on the townsite about half way between the first hole and the second. They are seriously handicapped by a lack of drill rods, having only about 300 feet. A further supply has been on the road from New York for some months.

HELP FOR THE PROSPECTOR

The mining industry is debating the question, "What has become of the prospector?" Some say that the engineers and the big companies are wilfully driving him out of his field; others contend that he has served his purpose and that changed conditions make it impossible for the "old-time" prospector to discover new mines. However, according to the Engineering and Mining Journal-Press of New York an association known as the International Association for Mineral Development has recently been organized in Spokane, Wash. The purpose of the organization is to promote interest in the mineral resources of the northwestern United States and Western Canada and to act as a clearing house between the prospectors and mining capital seeking investment. Worthy prospects and mines for sale are to be listed by the association and provision is made in the bylaws to employ competent technical advice in assembling authentic data in detail on all properties proposed for sale. The organization may also grubstake prospectors to develop prospects, and to prospect likely areas; and representatives are appointed in many cities to present listings of the association. Since its recent organization over 200 names have been put on the rolls of the association.

FOSTER'S FORECAST

October will be one of the most rainy, disagreeable months of the 13, of which its 16th day will be their centre. Temperatures will go to such extremes that the three great cold waves of the last three weeks of that month will demand heat in residences and offices three weeks earlier than usual.

The principal reason is that three severe storm periods, centering on October 3, 12 and 27, will constantly keep the atmosphere stirred and prevent warm air from accumulating, the results being the reverse of the early September warm wave.

Anything Once

Mary—"I wonder why Joshua never repeated his experiment of making the sun stand still."

Cary—"Politics, I suppose; the farmers are so down on daylight saving."—Judge.

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GAWSTON NOTES

(From our own correspondent.)

Nelson Gimby left for his home in Edmonton Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mark Peel, of Penticton, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. H. Cawston.

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Hillyard Taylor, of Winnipeg, left for Vancouver after spending the past few days with R. L. Cawston, Sr.

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Dr. McEwen and wife, and Mrs. Parsons, of Hedley, attended the Cawston Fall Fair on Friday.

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W. J. Manery, of Penticton, was the guest of his son S. R. Manery and family.

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Mrs. Elwood Bromley and daughter, Irene, of the Lower Similkameen, are guests of C. Tickell and family.

COMMUNITY FAIR

Cawston, Sept. 25.—The second annual Community Fair, held in the hall here on Friday, furnishes another good example of what even a small community can do by united effort. Much of the success was due to the untiring efforts of the teachers, Mr. Gillespie and Miss Weaver, but everybody contributed in one way or another to help along.

The hall had been tastefully decorated with summer foliage, which with the exhibits of flowers, fruit, vegetables, fancy work, cooking and all classes of school work made the hall look its best and the fair a success from every standpoint. The hall was packed with visitors throughout the afternoon, many coming from Keremeos, Hedley and Penticton. The Women's Institute served tea, during the afternoon, realizing about $20. The Cawston Board of Trade exhibit was especially good, showing fruits and vegetables of all kinds, plainly demonstrating what can be raised in our beautiful valley.

Races held on the school grounds during the judging were as follows: Girls 5 yrs and under, Gladys Roblin, Beatrice Madden; boys 5 yrs. and under, Earl Beecroft, Kenneth McKenzie; girls 7 yrs and under, Gladys Roblin, Beatrice Madden, Sine Neilson; boys 7 yrs. and under, Chas. Hammill, Morley Madden, Earl Beecroft; girls 10 years and under, Hilda Gibbs, Jean Manery, Lillian Lang; boys 10 yrs and under, Billie Beecroft, C. McIntyre, Roscoe Armstrong; girls 12 yrs and under, Jean Manery, Hilda Gibbs, Lillian Lang; boys 12 yrs. and under, Orville Pettipiece, Billie Beecroft, Elwood Rooney; girls 10 and over, egg and spoon race, Evelyn Elton, Jean Manery; boys wheelbarrow race, 10 yrs. and over, O. Pettipice and E. Rooney, S. Lang and A. Wainwright; girls 3 legged race, 10 yrs. and over, Josephine and Lois Dye, Millie McKenzie and Mary Elton; boys sack race, 10 yrs and over, Orville Pettipiece, Stewart Lang; girls relay race, 10 yrs. and over, Ethel Gordon, Jean Manery, Lois Dye, Josephine Dye, Jennie Hammill; boys 3-legged race, 10 yrs. and over, O. Pettipiece and Roscoe Armstrong, Edward Dye and Billie Beecroft.

A list of the successful exhibitors will appear in the next issue of the Star.

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TIME TABLE

EASTBOUND
DAILY

No. 12—Leaves Vancouv'r 7.30 p.m.
Princeton ..... 4.02 a.m.
Nelson ..... 10.55 p.m.

WESTBOUND
DAILY

No. 11—Leaves Nelson .... 9.05 p.m.
Princeton ..... 3.10 p.m.
Vancouver ..... 11.00 p.m.

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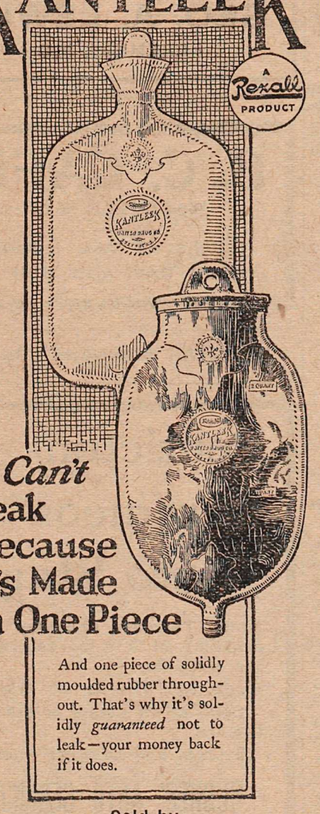

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Princeton Paragraphs

Don't forget the Chautauqua at Keremeos, September 30th and October 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

W. A. McKenzie, member for the Similkameen, passed through on Wednesday on his way to the coast.

Dr. Lee Smith returned on Sunday from a few days' visit at the coast. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith and children who made a more lengthy visit.

Several parties of sportsmen have already taken advantage of the opening of the grouse season and from bags reported to the Star the birds are more plentiful than usual.

Harry Tidy, of Keremeos, was a brief visitor in town on Wednesday en route to New Westminster. Harry drove up in his car which he left here so that on his return this (Friday) morning he would have no delay in getting back home.

P. W. Gregory, secretary of the board of trade has asked us to announce that there will be a special meeting of the board held in his office this (Friday) evening at eight o'clock to complete arrangements to send a delegation to the Good Roads Convention at Kamloops next Monday.

A band of Gipsies hit town the latter part of the week. They were dressed in the orthodox gipsy fashion and had the same old line of "bunk" for separating the unwary from a little easy coin, but instead of the old fashioned covered van they travelled in comfortable McLaughlins.

Chatauqua commences at Keremeos to-morrow. The staging of such a high class, not to say costly, series of entertainments, is a rather ambitious undertaking for a town of that size and in order to break even the committee will require the solid support of the immediate neighborhood and a liberal amount of support from the more distant parts of the valley.

They have some very rude winds over at Penticton, which at times make it very embarrassing for young ladies. The other day a charming young miss, in a dress of flimsy material and modern design, stopped on the corner of Main and Front streets to fasten her shoe lace. A gust of wind came off the lake and lifted the ear tab off her left ear exposing over half of it.

Princeton Knights of Pythias were out in fall strength on Monday night to honor their Grand Chancellor on the occasion of his annual visit. During the course of an interesting address Mr. Gardiner complemented the local lodge on the progress they had made during the past year. Later in the evening the Knights were joined by their wives and friends and a pleasant evening was spent at cards and dancing.

The Order of the Eastern Star is to be instituted in Penticton some time next month.

Mrs. H. B. Meausette and son Eric motored to Keremeos on Wednesday, returning Thursday.

Messrs. J. A. Greenhill and T. H. Keown, of Penticton, were in town Saturday night on their way to Merritt.

Mr. G. G. Lyall and A. E. Howse left on Wednesday's morning train to attend the big Liberal convention now in session at Nelson.

After the conclusion of court here on Tuesday afternoon, Judge Brown and Crown Prosecutor F. R. Anderson proceeded to Penticton by auto.

W. E. Freeman and J. K. Rashleigh left on Monday to walk to Hope, via the Dewdney trail. Mr. Freeman is expected back today.

Miss Eva Campbell arrived in Princeton Monday and has resumed her duties as agent in the telephone office here. Miss Kalla Kirpatrick leaves next week for Kamloops, having accepted a position in the office there.

Harry Tweddle, of Keremeos, was a brief visitor in town on Wednesday, having driven Miss Freda Richter, of San Francisco, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Tweddle, up to catch the Kettle Valley train.

J. T. (Wings) Wilkinson, well known to Similkameen old-timers from his writings in the Vancouver World some years ago and now prominent in insurance circles in the city was in Princeton last week end and met many old friends.

Mrs. A. McKenzie left last week for Superior, Wisconsin, in response to a telegram from her sister Mrs. Stansfield stating that her son Percy Stanfield had died suddenly. Mr. McKenzie has not received any partculars as yet.

Mr. J. H. Roberts, of the Bank of Montreal, returned on Friday from Princeton, where he had been relieving the manager while the latter was on his vacation. On Monday, Mr. H. Fisher, manager of the Naramata office of the Bank of Montreal, started on his vacation and Mr. Roberts is in charge there. Later he will relieve Mr. Winter, manager of the West Summerland office.—Summerland Review.

Threshing operations are now under way on the Morrison ranch at present leased by Wm. Garrison. Despite the exceptionally dry season the grain is said to be of splendid quality and is yielding well. The only disappointment which Bill has to contend with is a shortage of sacks, an expected shipment having failed to arrive. He will probably have to adopt the old prairie method of piling the wheat temporarily in the field.

COALMONT NEWS

(From our own correspondent.)

Andy Johnson left on Tuesday for Halcyon Hot Springs, and expects to be away for about two weeks.

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Mr. Duncan Fraser arrived from Vancouver last week and is employed in the office of the Coalmont Collieries, Limited.

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The lumber is on the ground for the erection, by Mr. A. D. Worgan, of a small building next to the shoe repairing shop occupied by Mr. Holsworth.

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W. J. Blake Wilson, president, and O. H. Douglas, secretary of the Coal company, spent Saturday and Sunday here, returning to Vancouver Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. C. H. McMillan, the popular teller of the Union Bank, returned from Vancouver on Monday morning, after spending two week's holiday at his home. "Mac" reports good weather all the time he was at the coast.

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Coalmont is soon to have a Government liquor store. The building formerly occupied by the Huff Bros. as a butcher shop, is being put in condition to fit the requirements of the Liquor Board, who expect to have the store opened for business on the first of October.

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Mr. E. H. Horstman, who has been on relief duty at the local branch of the Union Bank for the past three months, left for Vancouver on Tuesday's train. He will spend a couple of weeks cruising up the coast in his yacht before returning to duty in the Vancouver branch of the Bank.

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Mr. McAlpine, who has been superintending the erection of the new bridge spanning the river at this place, will leave on Saturday, accompanied by his wife and son for a short stay in Vancouver. From there they will go to Midway, where Mr. McAlpine has another bridge to put in, to replace one that has lately gone out.

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The store belonging to Mrs. Jack Campbell at Tulameen was burned to the ground about midnight last Thursday night. Mrs. Campbell, who with her three daughters, lived in rooms adjoining the store, were awakened barely in time to escape with their lives. Everything they had went up in the flames. We have not learned what insurance, if any, was carried. Mrs. Campbell has the sympathy of her many friends throughout the valley in her loss.

STARS FIXED AND FALLEN

Victoria, Sept. 26.—It never rains but it pours. This afternoon Doug. and Mary reached Victoria on the Princess Victoria. Tonight Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle arrived on the President Madison.

The fallen screen star said he had been making a pleasure trip about Japan for the past few weeks, and joined the Admiral line steamer at Yokohama for the voyage home, cutting his stay in the Orient shorter than he had intended. His glimpse of the Far East convinced him of the desirability of California as a place of residence.

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LIQUOR CASES DISPOSED OF IN COUNTY COURT

(Continued from page two.)

brought out later he had changed his opinion. The evidence of the accused was also unsatisfactory. He admitted keeping liquor and beer in the bar but denied selling any. It was absurd to expect anyone to believe that people, who bought liquor in such large quantities, either consumed it all themselves or gave it away. He would affirm the conviction.

Mr. Russell asked for a stated case on the following points: The jurisdiction of the magistrate's court; failure to swear the stenographer; validity of the act itself and the admission of the evidence taken in rebuttal.

Remaining Cases Soon Disposed Of

By admitting the evidence already taken, it was possible to expedite proceedings in the remaining four cases. The second called was that of Gus Vladetich. Close cross examination of the crown witnesses elicited the fact that they had during their activities here on June 4th, accumulated a considerable number of drinks and the court questioned their entire sobriety at the time stated (8.30) in the charge against the accused. The direct evidence given by Storey and Morrison, referred to before, corroborated by the statements of Mrs. Morrison, who was hastily called in, established an alibi, which the prosecution could not upset. His Honor in quashing the conviction expressed the opinion that it was a case of mistaken identity. He believed that the accused sold liquor regularly, but did not believe, from the evidence, that he could have sold it at the time and place stated.

Tony Smith's Conviction Sustained

Constable Bell, who preferred the charge against Tony Smith, stated that in company with Ferris and Raveno he called at the Balkan soft drink parlors at 9. a. m. on June 5th and were told there was nothing on hand, to call again. At 9.45 they returned and were served with beer by Mrs. Smith. Enquiring for liquor they were told to call again. On this visit accused was at home. They called again at 12, noon, and were served with three whiskies and a beer by Mrs. Smith, for which Ferris paid. It was government liquor.

Mrs. Smith was excused attendance at court on account of not feeling well and her evidence, as given at the former trial, was acceepted. Felix Darragh, sworn, could not vouch for the fact that accused was at the brewery, where he was employed, continuously on the forenoon of June 5th. Cross questioned as to his means of livelihood, accused informed the court that besides working in the brewery he had been employed in a garage and also drove a taxi. He had $5,000 when he came here a few years ago but is "broke" now. At the magistrate's court last month Mrs. Smith was convicted but sentence was deferred. The conviction of Tony Smith was sustained by His Honor.

In the case of James McKiernan counsel for the appellant made a strong plea for leniency on account of the hitherto favorable reputation of the accused and intimated that it was his intention to get out of the business, into which circumstances had forced him, at the earliest possible date. No defense would be submitted. He was willing to leave the case, as it stood, and rely upon the decision of the court. His Honor stated that he would withhold consideration of the whole matter and would allow the accused his liberty on his own recognizance and the assurance that he would appear at any time called upon. Crown counsel raised only formal objection.

In the last case that of Mike Mirkovitch, counsel for the appellant withdrew the appeal for quashing of the conviction but again made a strong plea for leniency, drawing attention of the court to the physical condition of the accused as shown by the medical testimony at the previous hearing, in which he was shown to be suffering from chronic ulcer of the stomach, which during acute attacks would render him unable to work and might, at any time, result in perforation with serious consequences. Mr. Anderson thought that the abstinence from alcoholic stimulants which would result from enforcing the conviction might prove beneficial, but agreed to make an appeal to the attorney-general's department for special consideration in the execution of the sentence. His Honor, in affirming the conviction stated that he would write both the attorney-general and Dr. McLean with reference to the case and intimated that, subject to good behavior, the accused might expect a curtailment of the sentence. Having regard to the accused's domestic circumstances, he was granted two days grace in which to make required provision for his family.

For the past few weeks, says the Enderby Commoner, a mother bear and two cubs have been scattering fear and apples in the orchards of the Woodrow and Cowan farms, a mile and a half northeast of Enderby. Several attempts have been made to round them up, but without success until a day or two ago when one of the cubs was trapped and killed. Wednesday the mother bear and the remaining cub again appeared and brought consternation. The cub was made a good animal early in the day. Later, when Mr. Woodrow was going for his cows he ran into the o'd bear at close quarters. She rose up and started for him. A shot from a Mauser stopped her, and another in the eye toppled her over. There aint no more bears in that locality.

A local young man took a chance last week on securing two or three grouse whi'e they were plentiful, but the laws of the land were invoked, and as a consequence, his pocketbook is lighter by a couple of hundred dollars and his gun has become the property of the court.—Grand Forks Gazette.

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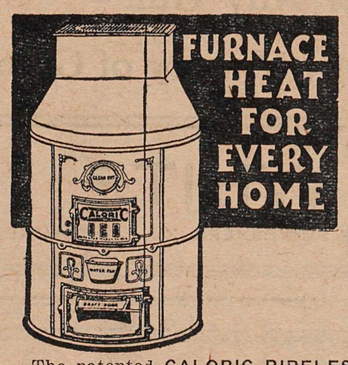

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KEREMEOS PAGE

Devoted to the Interests of the Fruitgrowers of the Lower Similkamen

KEREMEOS NOTES

(From our own correspondent.)

The town was visited by a band of Gipsies last week.

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Mrs. E. M. Daly and son, Thomas, motored to Merritt last week on a business trip, returning on Friday.

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Miss Allie Clark, of the Government Telephone office here, is visiting with relatives in Otter valley during her holidays.

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Mrs. H. B. Armstrong entertained at tea on Saturday from three till six p. m. at her beautiful home, Riverside Lodge, in honor of her cousins the Misses Alice and Helen Armstrong.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith, of Oliver, B. C., accompanied by Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruppee, of Seattle, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Carle.

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Mr. F. Bennett, traveller for the Hudson's Bay company, was in town last week in the interest of his firm.

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Mrs. Geo. Sproule held her millinery opening on Tuesday with a stock of high class millinery from Lucille and Maxime, two leading millinery establishments in Vancouver.

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Miss Zillrack, of Calgary, Alberta, superintendent of the Chautauqua, arrived in town on Tuesday's stage and will remain until after Chautauqua is over.

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A splendid good time was enjoyed by all at the dance held in the Victory hall on Saturday night in aid of the chair fund.

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Mrs. Spall and baby daughter are visiting with friends in Penticton for a couple of weeks.

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Miss Lillian Gibson, of Penticton, arrived on Friday and has joined the staff of the Keremeos Packing Co.

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Mrs. Gordon Brown left on Sunday for her home in Vancouver, after spending a month visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armstrong.

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Mr. G. B. Clarke, of Penticton, was a business visitor in town for a couple of days this week.

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The Misses Alice and Helen Armstrong, after spending a delightful holiday with their mother and brother left for Vancouver on Sunday. Miss Helen will go on to Edmonton, where she will resume her studies at the University.

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Harry Tidy left on Wednesday on a flying visit to his parents at New Westminster. He will return on Friday.

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A special service was held at the Methodist church on Sunday, it being Rally Day throughout the Dominion in that church.

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Mr. C. De Pfyffer and Hubert Frith spent Saturday and Sunday up Shuttleworth creek, each bagging all that the law would allow.

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Mrs. W. H. Armstrong and Mrs. Robert Armstrong, of Vancouver, arrived on Wednesday on a visit to friends here. They were met at Penticton by Mr. Robert Armstrong.

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A party of nimrods went to Stirling creek on Saturday, returning on Monday night. We have not yet received any invitations to grouse or venison dinners; expect they have salted it for winter use.

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Mr. Walter Young, of Wenatchee, motored over last week, taking back with him his mother who has been here on a visit from Toronto. Mr. Young left here last fall after spending a year in the valley. He is now located on a fruit ranch in Wenatchee.

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Mrs. A. Pendleton and children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Freda Richter, left on Wednesday's train for their home in San Francisco, going by way of Victoria, where they will visit with friends for a few days after spending the summer here with their mother, Mrs. H. Tweddle.

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Rev. F. H. Stanton and Mrs. Stanton and daughter Betty, after visiting with old friends for a few days, left for their home in Rutland on Friday morning. Although many changes had taken place since they left here in 1916, they were just as much impressed with the place as before. Their time being limited it was quite impossible for them to see all their friends but a number of teas, luncheons and dinners were arranged in their honor.

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Quite a good number from Keremeos attended the Flower show held in the Cawston Community hall last Friday. The exhibits were fully up to the standard of other years. The exhibit shown by the board of trade was certainly a credit to that organization and we understand it is to be taken by Mr. Lang to the Indian Head (Sask.) exhibition. If so, it should be a great advertisement to the district of Cawston. Also the exhibits of the school children in canning and preserving.

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Meet me at the Victory Hall Sept. 30, and October 2 and 3.

VANCOUVER SHOULD USE MORE B. C. FRUIT

Okanagan Growers Urge for More Consideration—Keremeos Shipped 22 Cars to City This Season

British Columbia fruit has derived some much needed publicity in Vancouver this week and if it is possible to make the wholesalers and retailers there realize their obligations to the fruit growing districts of the interior, some real results should follow.

Plain speaking, says the Vancouver Sun, was a feature of last night's "Boomerang Dinner" of the B. C. Products Bureau of the Board of Trade in the Hotel Vancouver, when the fruit growers of the Interior and fruit jobbers of Water street aired their grievances before a gathering in which were about 250 persons, representing many local women's organizations and the consuming public.

Thomas Bulman, of Vernon, stated that Vancouver receives great benefit from the Interior fruit industry, but is the industry's worst market. He said that on every box of apples produced 12½ cents goes for taxes.

"This year," he said, "we may get 40 cents a box for our apples, on an average. Of this we shall have to pay our taxation, and what will be left?"

Fruit From U. S.

"In the Okanagan we are most loyal to B. C.," said Mayor Sutherland, of Kelowna. "We send most of our money to buy things in Vancouver. But we do not need to do it. We could buy as well in Calgary or Edmonton, where our business is being solicited. Last year you consumed 102 cars of apples brought in from the United States. We had apples we could not sell and had to go to foreign markets."

Premier Views Waste at Penticton

Premier Oliver, during a two days' visit in Penticton this week also had a chance to get first hand information of the vast quantity of fruit that is going to waste in the Interior for want of a market, while Vancouver continues to import from the States. He states that he saw truck-loads of he finest peaches in the world being fed to hogs, and apparently was so impressed that he decided to open a cannery there next year.

Keremeos Has Fared Better

Keremeos appears to have secured more recognition on the Vancouver market than the Okanagan, due, either to greater enterprise or better methods, on the part of those who have been handling the fruit from this end. 22 cars of fruit have already been shipped to Vancouver this season and even greater quantities will be handled in future, says Mr. Thos. Parkinson, of the Mutual Vancouver Limited, who paid his first visit to the lower Similkameen this week and received the surprse of his life when he visited a number of the orchards, including that of Mr. Robert Armstrong. No need to order from the States, he says, unless it is at the very commencement of the season before the B. C. fruit is ready.

FUMIGATION OF NURSERY STOCK

Department of Agriculture,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 18, 1922

The following Regulations adopted by the Board of Horticulture are published in pursuance and under the authority of Par IV. of the "Agricultural Act, 1915," chapter 2, having been approved by Order in Council.

D. WARNOCK,
Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

Imported Nursery stock and Plants

4. (1.) All shipments of nursery stock or plants imported into the Province of British Columbia shall, upon their importation, be forwarded to the Provincial Inspection and Fumigation Station at Vancouver, accompanied by certified invoices thereof, and shall be there detained for inspection:

(4.) All such nursery stock or plants fumigated and passed by the Inspector shall be carefully repacked and forwarded to their destination with all possible dispatch, accompanied by the certificate of the Inspector.

(5.) All such nursery stock or plants found by the Inspector to be infected with any pest shall, unless the same are forthwith reshipped and exported out of the province in accordance with the directions of the Inspector, and by the most direct route, be forthwith wholly burned up and destroyed by the importer, consignee, or person in charge of such nursery stock or plants, or, in case of their default, by the Inspector.

(6.) Every package containing nursery stock or plants imported into the province shall be plainly marked on the outside thereof with the name of the port through which it is intended that he same shall enter the province.

(7.) All shipments of nursery stock or plants detained for inspection or fumigated in accordance with these Regulations shall be entirely at the risk of the owners or consignees thereof. Neither the Inspector nor the Government of the province shall assume any responsibility or be liable for any loss whatsoever in respect of any such nursery stock or plants.

(8.) The Provincial Fumigating and Inspection Station at Vancouver shall be kept open during the period between October 1st and June 1st in each year. No shipment of nursery stock or plants shall be accepted for inspection thereat except during such period.

(9.) Prohibited.—The importation into British Columbia of all species or varieties of five-leaved pine, currant, or gooseberry stock, whether for ornamental or other purpose, grown in that portion of the Dominion of Canada east of the western boundary of the Province of Ontario is prohibited. Stock shipped from points west of this line will be admitted, subject, however, to the regular inspection, if accompanied by a signed declaration that the said stock was propagated and grown entirely in the Province from which it is being shipped.

(a.) The fees for the inspection of fruit trees shall be as follows:—

On each consignment containing:—

12trees or undrer	$0.50
Over 12 and not exceeding 25	1.00
Over 25 and not exceeding 50	2.00
Over 50 and not exceeding 100	2.00
Over 100 and not exceeding 250	3.50
Over 250 and not exceeding 500	5.00
Over 500,, $5 for the first 500 trees, and for every additional 500 trees or fraction thereof	2.00

(b.) For all other nursery stock or plants the fees for inspection shall be as follows:—

On each consignment of the value of—

$5 or under	$0.50
Over $5 and not exceeding $10	1.00
Over $10 and not exceeding $25	2.50
Over $25 and not exceeding $50	3.50
Over $50, $3.50 for the first $50, and 5 per cent. additional on the value over $50.	

KEREMEOS WEATHER

Date.	Max.	Min.
September 19	80	53
September 20	81	46
September 21	69	49
September 22	67	40
September 23	75	48
September 24	78	44
September 25	81	48

H. S. VERRALL.

BOYS BORROW HORSES AND ARE BEING LOCKED UP

A couple of local boys called on A Endersby about ten days ago and asked permission to take one of his horses for a couple of days. Mr. Endersby readily granted this, but on investigation found that instead of one horse, the boys had made off with two, while the two days they were to have been gone have lengthened out into an indefinite period, as they have not returned, and their present whereabout are unknown. The last seen of them, they were headed up into the Slocan country. It is understood that the matter has been taken up by the provincial police.—Trail News.

Keremeos Directory

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