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12 MILLS ON DOLLAR TAX RATE FOR 1921

New Rate Increase of One Mill Over Last Year— Reduction in Ordinary Source of Revenue.

At the meeting of the Langley Municipal Council the tax rate for the year was fixed at 12 mills, an increase of one mill over last year. Appropriations for the various district wards were allocated as follows:

Ward I.—Alexander road, $500; Jericho road, $100; McClarty road, $100; Port Kells Town Line road, $209; Station road, $100; Scholes road, $125; Trunk road, $100; Chene road, $200.

Ward II.—River road, $200; Springbrook road (east), $300; Springbrook road (west), $350; Trunk road, $100; East Langley school road, $200; Millar road, $50.

Ward III.—Coghlan road, $200; County Line road, $200; Jackman road, $300; Springbrook road, $300; River road, $400; Smith Town Line road, $200.

Ward IV.—Hunter road, $600; Pacific Highway (west) $150; Pacific Highway (east), $150; Town Line road, $300.

Ward V.—Biggar road (north), $75; Biggar road (south), $800; Brown road (north), $150; Brown road (south), $250; American Boundary road, $600; Livingston road (south), $600; Crozier road, $150; Town Line (south), $300.

Ward VI.—Aldergrove district, $50; American Boundary road, $750; Coghlan road (north), $150; Coghlan road (south), $850; County Line (north), $300; County Line (south), $700; Jackman road (north), $300; Jackman road (south), $700; Otter road, $500; Warhoop road, $400; Northcliffe road, $400.

Various causes have combined to make it necessary to increase the rate this year, among others being that much land has been taken out of the wild land column, reducing the assessment thereby $70,000. Another cutting off of revenue to the tune of $800 will be felt by the abolition of four near beer bar licences, occasioned by the advent of the Moderation Act. But on the other hand considerable revenue should be derived from the sale of Government liquor, the amount of course being an unknown quantity as yet.

Ths School Board have a programme for new buildings and improvements entailing the expenditure of $40,000, which, if passed by the Council, will necessitate the passing of a by-law authorizing the raising of the required amount.

The Council is faced with need of enlargement of the Municipal Hall, made imperative by lack of office space to conveniently handle the ever increasing business of the municipality.

Municipal Engineer Breckon submitted a report of road work carried out in Langley, showing that it has been expeditiously and economically done. The four-horse grader is proving its worth. The following amounts were spent in the different wards during the month of March: Ward 1, $254.90; Ward 2, $277.60; Ward 3, $480.80; Ward 4, $752.60; Ward 5, $443 90; Ward 6, $362.

The dance at Clayton on Wednesday night was voted a success by all those attending. The Langley Trio furnished the much satisfactorily.

Mr. W. T. Eggin's new residence on the Murrayvile road is receiving the finishing touches inside and out, Mr. D. Hambley doing the artistic with the paint brush.

The Young People's Club of Aldergrove will hold a grand ball on the 29th inst., in the public hall. Huen's orchestra from Bellingham has been engaged to furnish the music, and a good time is assured.

Some Interesting Figures

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Loss in wages in production of imports		31,000,000
Loss of population, dependents on the 25,000 workers who produced imports—250,000 persons		
Loss in Municipal taxes		2,500,000
Loss in trade to wholesale, retail merchants		50,000,000
		$159,275,000
Value of Goods		63,825,000
Monetary Loss to B. C.		$95,450,000

Sports and Pastimes.

The Fraser Valley Baseball League was formed at a representative meeting of fans held in the G. W. V. A. rooms in Abbotsford on Wednesday night, when the following centres agreed to enter teams: Cloverdale, Murrayville, Clayburn, Gifford, Chilliwack, and Mission. It is expected two or three more teams will join before the season gets started. The season's schedule of games will be drawn up next week. and a set of rules drafted.

At the same meeting it was decided to form a Lacrosse League, with Langley Prairie, Chilliwack, Matsqui, Mt. Lehman in the runnihg. It is hoped to make these leagues a success and with a good brand of sport dished up the public are certain to give the necessary support.

There was marked enthusiasm shown at the meeting held in the S. S. building on Thursday evening to form an Athletic Association in Langley Prairie. After the meeting got down to business the following officers were elected for the year: President, "Doc" Turner; vice, H. Giffond; sec.-treas., Mr. Barrett; chairman central committee, "Doc" Woods.

After considerable discussion the fee was fixed at $2, with the liability of being called upon for an additional $3. A special fee of $1 per member for ladies was decided upon, they too being liable for an additional $2.

CONDENSED NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

The combined war lecture and gospel meetings conducted by Mr. J. J. Simms in the Langley all this week, proved an attraction for a large number of people Mr. Simms is an able speaker who is well versed in his subject and his earnestness was apparent. The lantern slides shown helped greatly to make the entertainments interesting, as did also a well balanced male choir from Vancouver.

Langley Prairie will be the scene of special evangelistic meetings, commencing on Monday, 18th inst., and continuing until the end of the month. The meetings will be held in the S. S. building and will be conducted by the Rev. Robt. Kennedy, the "converted cowboy," and the Rev. T. W. Wright. The musical part of the programme will be in the hands of Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. H. Gardiner, a talented pianist of the Terminal City.

Mr. P. F. Cagnacci has moved into his new garage, where he is ready and willing to tackle anything in his line from a "road louse" to limousine. Pete is right there when it comes to locating and fixing up your auto troubles. He intends to have an up-to-date show room where several of the most popular cars can be seen and bought. His premises are a credit to the town. The electrical fixings are being put in by Mr. H. P. Swain.

Mr. A. Payne, Municipal Clerk, who has been ill, is well on the way to recovery and is expected to be around again in a few days.

Memorial Day.

"Memorial Day" will be celebrated in Langley, Sunday, April 24th, when appropriate services will be held in honor of the gallant soldiers from Langley who sacrificed their lives in the great war for home and country.

The first service will be held at Murrayville at 10 o'clock a. m., where Rev. (Capt.) J. H. Wright will officiate and the famous 47th Battalion band will be in attendance. A mound will be constructed around the base of the memorial and otherwise improve the site before the ceremony. The arrangements for the day are in the capable hands of a representative memorial committee.

In the afternoon a similar service will be held at Fort Langley with Bishop de Pencier officiating. Offerings will be taken up at both services for the purpose of assisting in beautifying the grounds around the memorials.

Church services throughout Langley have been withdrawn both morning and afternoon, to allow everybody to attend.

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GOOD-BYE MR. ROOSTER.

The rooster is a very necessary part of the flock during the hatching season, but as soon as the last setting has been made his usefulness is ended, and it is time to bid him good-bye. Roosters eat considerable feed during the summer and lay no eggs. This puts them in the same class as the cull hens, and they should be given the same treatment.

Not only is the rooster a non-layer during the summer, but he is an actual destroyer of valuable property. He is responsible for a large percentage of the eggs which go bad during hot weather. A large precent, of this loss would be prevented if all roosters were separated from the laying flocks by May 15.

At least 99 per cent. of the roosters should be either sold or eaten as soon as the breeding season has passed, and all others should be carefully penned away from the hens. Dealers are glad to buy discarded males and often pay a good premium in order to get them out of the country. Most farmers are not very enthusiastic about eating roosters, but if properly cooked they make a fine dish. The steam pressure cooker will make even the oldest rooster quite tender.

Only the exceptional rooster is worth saving for next year's breeding pen. Yearling males are more active and give better fertility than older birds, and are to be preferred except by the man who is practicing line breeding. If a rooster is to be saved for next year's breeding, then he should by all means be penned during the summer to keep him away from the laying hens. The infertile egg is the only quality egg in summer, and to produce infertile eggs all mature males must be kept away from the laying flock.

THE horse is a faithful animal. He has to work and he deserves to be made as comfortable as possible. Besides that, horses cost money, and it pays well in dollars and cents to give them the best possible care.

We are now in the season of extremely hot weather, and as haying and harvesting impose very hard work on farm teams a few words may well be said in regard to their care during the hot weather. Fatalities from sunstroke and heat exhaustion are not so very uncommon, but, besides this, a great deal of suffering is inflicted by careless drivers that might be escaped if more care were taken.

As a rule it will be found that the horse which most qquickly becomes a victim of heat exhaustion is one that has not been receiving proper care. A debilitated, bloodless condition as a result of poor nutrition and the surrounding incident to a badly ventilated stable, or else he is one that through overfeeding and a lack of proper regular work is in a state of obesity, with flabby muscles, impaired circulation and excretory organs wnich are not sufficiently active.

To begin with, a horse, in order to withstand the effects of hot weather, should be kept in a stable always clean and with good ventilation. His drinking water should be pure and cool and he should be allowed to drink at frequent intervals. The feed should be nutritious and of a cooling nature and his skin should be kept healthy and the pores open by being well groomed.

A nice bran mash twice a week will assist in keeping the system cool. If the horse is over-fat one drachm of pulverized salt-petre may be added to the mash.

In extremely hot weather allow the work-team two hours instead of one for dinner, and do not feed them until they cool off somewhat. It will pay to take the harness off while dinner is eaten. When the horses are working hard in hot weather feed very lightly hay at noon and avoid feeding grass that has been cut and allowed to sweat in the heaps.

The harness should be fitted with care, especially the collars, for collars that fit too tightly are an aggravating cause of heat exhaustion. A sunshade for the poll or crown of the head will add to the horse's comfort immensely if it can be arranged so that the air will circulate beneath it. A sponge fastened on the poll is positively injurious unless it can be kept wet and cool, which is practically impossible.

These suggestions followed fairly close will lessen the danger of heat exhaustion, but in extremely hot weather, when the work is pressing, a case may occur, and every driver should know what to do under such circumstances. When a horse begins to lag, droops his head, pants hard or ceases to perspire, stop working him at once, for if he is kept going he will surely go down, perhaps drop dead.

As soon as the horse shows himself to be suffering from heat exhaustion unhitch him and remove the harness. Spray him along the back with ice-cold water and apply it freely to the poll

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with a hose or a sponge. Let him stand out of doors in a shady place, and with such treatment a recovery will usually come quickly.

If the exhaustion has become more pronounced and the horse's eyes are blood-shot, and his nostrils fiery-red and his pulse is bounding strong and fast, give him in addition to the treatment mentioned four ounces of good whisky in a pint of water, or an ounce of aromatic spirits of ammonia and two ounces of spirits of nitrous ether in one quart of water, repeating the dose hourly until the pulse becomes normal and the horse holds his head up and stops panting.

CLOVERDALE NEWS

Surrey Mnnicipal Cnuncil Meeting.

The Municipal Council met in regular session on Saturday last and disposed of considerable business. Approval was given to the G. W. V. A. plan for holding a dedication service of Surrey's War Memorial on Friday, May 22.

In discussing the recent vote on the school by-law, the opinion was expressed that its defeat was due to the proposal to build a High School at Surrey Centre. A by-law was passed authorizing ten additional street lights at White Rock. A contract was let to W. Rickard, at $1102, for grubbing, clearing and grading White Rock and Ocean Park to North Bluff road, and a portion of the latter. A bridge over the Nicomekl River on the Kensington and Mud Bay road will be built by A. Cathro, at a cost of $1650. Appropriations for the following road work were passed: Halls Prairie, $800; Campbell River road, $500; Coast Meridian, $800; Buena Vista, $300; McGinnes, $100; Brantford, $150.

School Matters.

A public meeting will be held in the Municipal Hall this evening to discuss school matters, which are in a very unsatisfactory state of affairs. The recent defeat of the by-law to raise money to make repairs and build new schools was a severe blow to the programme mapped out by the School Board, and unless relief is forthcoming from some quarter, a heavy handicap will be placed on the educational facilities of Surrey. Representatives from every part of the municipality are expected to attend.

Mr. Fred. Palmer's residence on the Johnston road, near Sullivan station, was burned to the ground on Sunday last. The fire is thought to have originated in the kitchen chimney. With the assistance of neighbors part of the household effects were saved.

Local Notes.

A special service will be held in the Presbyterian Church to-morrow at 2.45 p.m., under the auspices of the local branch of Oddfellows.

The regular community whist drive was held in the Municipal Hall on last Tuesday night. There were about fifty present. The first ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Mitchell and the consolation by Mrs. Sharp. The fortunate gentleman was Mr. Pees, with Mr. Abbott in second place.

Miss Dixon is in Vancouver visiting her sister, Mrs. Douglas.

"Happy" Harsard is spending a well earned rest in Vancouver.

Mrs. Carncross is confined to her bed with an attack of pleurisy. The Sentinel wishes her a speedy recovery.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church are holding a special meeting at the home of Mrs. McIntyre on Thursday, April 21st. A large attendance is wished.

The Baseball Club here has got away with a flying start. The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year: President. H. V. Parr; vice, D. Armstrong; sec.-treas., G. Curwen. The suits have arrived, the grounds are in shape and the merchants are "comfng through." Play ball!

While blasting on H. Bose's farm a Chinaman was killed on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rurrows received a visit from the stork on Thursday morning. He left a fine son.

Mr. Winslow has been laid up for the past month, due to an injury received by a falling tree. He hopes to be back at work again next week.

The latest real estate deal put through by Mr. A. McDonald, of Pemberton & Son, is the sale of 45 acres, one and a half miles south of Cloverdale, to Mr. Flintoff of Murrayville.

Mrs. and Miss Milton, are visiting Mrs. Campbell.

The directors of the Bee Association of B. C. listened to an interesting address recently by Mr. F. W. L. Sladen, Dominion Apiarist. The meeting was arranged by Mr. Hugh, of Cloverdale, president of the association. Mr. Sladen held it was not necessary to destroy frames or appliances which had been in contact with European foul brood infected stock. He advised the introduction of Italian queens, and the maintaiuing of the strength of colonies. Experiments in disease control work was left to the Province to handle. European foul brood would clear out the beekeeper who did not take care of his bees, but the good beekeeper need not be unduly alarmed about the disease, provided he conducted his apiary on modern lines. Queen rearing was being conducted on Duck Island, Ontario, so that stock could be improved. After a conference on the subject of educational work, Mr. Hubbard offered a silver challenge cup for the best two-story observation hive; Mr. K. W. Frankew a prize of $5 for the best frame of honey in Jumbo size, and a further prize of $5 for the best section honey; Mr. J. Brooks, secretary, a silver medal for a special in the extracted honey section, and Mr. Wm. Hugh a silver medal for the best hive suitable for the man on a small holding, provided it contained the standard frames. It is expected these prizes will stimulate efforts on the lines indicated this season. The cost of inspection work was criticiled.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The B. C. Electric Railway Co. will receive $400,000 from the Provincial treasury to assist in the cost of changing their car service to conform to the "rule of the right." It is to be hoped these changes are few and far between.

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On paper, the personnel of the board of commissioners appointed by the Provincial Government to handle the liquor traffic under the Moderation Act, looks a fairly good one, but time alone will tell just how they will measure up to the great responsibility placed upon their shoulders. They may all be able men in their chosen walks of life, and still fall down under the strain of the temptations that will beset them on every side in their official capacity. The men selected by the commissioners to handle the liquor in the different stores to be opened up should be of the highest moral character, men of strictly sober and decent habits. And the general public have a duty to perform in conforming to the law and not letting their bibulous proclivities get from under control. At the best it will be a difficult matter to keep within the bounds of moderation when it concerns drinking. If the privileges ofiered under the new act are abused, the next move will be for a bone dry country. So be good.

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"Heart O' the Hills"

Langley Theatre, April 23

Cloverdale, Thursday, April 21

Chautaugua, Langley Prairie, May 23-28 inclusive.

Moving Pictures Stop Crime.

While some persons are taking exeeption to moving picture shows on the ground that they encourage crime, quite a different attitude is taken by the authorities of an English town. The recorder of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in stating that there were no prisoners for trial, mentioned that, from enquiries made by the police, it was found that the cinema theatre was in no small measure responsible for the change. Insteading of resorting to a public house a man could now spend a quiet two hours with his wife and children at the pictures, to the benefit of all concerned. In this alone, to say nothing of the good influence of the film on home life, the picture theatre is of great value. And providing the present high standard of films is maintained, there is little fear that the minds of our children and young folk may become tainted by what they see at the "movies." The gentleman who commented on the decrease of crime in his district and paid such a tribute to the cinema, was incidentally presented with a pair of white gloves. An old custom authorizes such a present when thete are no criminals to be tried at a session.

"You are charged with selling adulterated milk." said the judge. "Your honor, I plead not guilty."

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Chautaugua, Langley Prairie, May 23-28 inclusive.

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Mary Pickford.

How a girl recruited the sturdy Kentucky night-riders is shown in "Heart O' the Hills," adapted from the story by John Fox, jr., in which Mary Pickford will be seen at the Langley Prairie Theatre on Saturday, April 23, and at the Cloverdale House on Thursday, April 21.

The story hinges about the efforts of Mavis Hawn (Mary Pickford) a mountain girl, to avenge the death of her father. Despite the scores of dramatic incidents in the picture there is ample opportunity for Miss Pickford to weave in humorous comedy situations in a most interesting and timely manner. And of course a love tale is interwoven in the plot about a mountain feud of long standing. This picture is one of Mary's big triumphs, and you don't want to miss it.

The Skipper's Narrow Escape.

There is joy in the heart of Toonerville, from the family of Tomboy Taylor, to the buxom Aunt Eppie Hogg, and not on this score will the Terrible Tempered Mr. Bang have excuse for his horrible outbursts—for the Toonerville Trolley is to continue dishing out its own particular brand of service under the guidance of its intrepid Skipper at the same old price of admission. Langley Theatre on Saturday, April 23. Cloverdale Opera House, Thursday, April 21.

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The Delta Council on Saturday last fixed their tax rate at 14 mills for the current year.

English Church Services.

The following services will be held during April and May: April 17, at Milner, 11 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. At Fort Langley, same date, 7.30 p.m. May 1, 8, 14. 22, Langley Prairie at 11 a.m. Fort Langley at 7.30, except on the 29th, when the hour pill be 11 a.m. Milner will have a service at 2.30 on the 8th.

Board of Trade Luncheon.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Langley Board of Trade last night, it was decided to have the inaugural banquet on May 31st, at Milner. Further particulars later.

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PUBLICATIONS FOR FARMERS

The new list of publications of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa contains titles of nearly three hundred and fifty bulletins, circulars, and other pamphlets that deal with agricultural practices. These cover the whole range of agricultural and horticultural pursuits, including dairying, field crops, live stock, orchard and garden crops, poultry, insects and plant disease, farm building construction, farm machinery and many other topics. The subjects are arranged alphabetically under general titles. Not only are the lists themselves available from the Publications Branch of the Department, Ottawa, but any of the publications thesein mentioned may be had on request.

LACK OF IODINE CAUSES GOITERED CALVES.

And now comes report of calves being born with enlarged necks, in other words goiter. Sometimes they live and the goiter gradually disappears. This condition is no doubt closely related to what is known as hairless pigs. According to a bulletin issued by the University of Montana the loss in pigs from this cause is fully $100,000 annually. Pigs when born are about normal in size but there is a total absence of hair. The thyroid glands (goiter) are greatly enlarged, the head and neck are apparently larger than normal and the skin from the shoulders forward is thick and wrinkled. Dr. Glover, veterinarian at the Agricultural College, states that it has been found that while the glands are enlarged the iodine content of the glands is abnormally low. It seems that this condition may in a measure at least be controlled by giving a proper ration in which a least twenty-five per cent. is bulk material. They should not be given a concentrated ration containing a high percentage of protein. Further, it may be prevented by administering iodine mixed with the feed in a form of potassium iodine. Calves born with hair, but with goiter, are probably in the same category. It would seem that this condition represents a disturbance of the complex metabolism of the fetal body because of a lack of available iodine in the ration of the mother.

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SHEEP AND SWINE INDUSTRIES ILLUSTRATED

One of the features on the Western Fair Circuit this year is the Sheep and Swine Exhibit shown by the Live Stock Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Tnis exhibit is presented under the supervision of Mr. H. S. Arkell, Live Stock Commissioner for Canada.

Visitors to the Provincial Fairs should make it a point to spend a few minutes at this exhibit, where they will find the story of two of the most important industries of the Dominion graphically told by word and object.

Part of the Exhibit shows realistic models of carcasses and the various commercial cuts of lamb and mutton, while those who are interested in the production of high-class bacon will be interested in the life-like models showing the true Wiltshire side type, through the excellence of which Canada has been able to build up a $40,000,000 trade with Great Britain.

Wool producers will be attracted by the display of the standard grades of wool and the various kinds of fabrics that are manufactured therefrom.

WHEN A PIGGIE NEEDS A FRIEND

It's a glorious time we pigs have—not
In the summer time when it's dusty and hot,
All shut up in our dinky, dirt pens,
Where we eat with the cows, young chickens, old hens.

We live in low houses, smelly and small,
With two by four doors in, no windows at all,
There are, too, other dwellers, 'tis needles to ay,
That crawl all 'round by night and by day.

Some un is Old Sol on a warm summer day,
With no shelter or trees around by our way,
No wallow to roll in, no green grass to graze in,
No water to drink in, except of days standin'.

Then, what can expect the farmer and breeder
Of the hungry old sow, with nothing to feed her
But what she can find from her own meagre pickin',
Some grass here and there, now and then an old chicken.

That's for the past: Now's the time to reform—
Turn over the leaf and do something for 'em.
Wake up right away. Go clean up the pens,
Put windows and doors in: chase away the old hens,
Then's the time when your piggie and you will be friends

—Frank S. Easter.

Alberta is 750 miles long and 400 miles wide at the widest part. The area is 253,540 square miles, or twice that of the British Isles. It is estimated that 90,000,000 acres can be cultivated, of which at present between 10 and 15 per cent. is being tilled.

Watch Us Grow.

Bank clearings for this week, $10,-353,96.

The Langley Restaurant has moved into the new and commodious premises in the Yale Hotel. Although in a different location their service remains pre-eminent

The last ball of the season is being given by the Langley United Football Club on Friday, April 22nd, in the Langley Theatre. Huen's orchestra will be on hand to "tickle your toes." The usual good time is assured.

Premier Oliver has written the Langley Municipal Council intimating the possibility of holding a session of the Legislature this Fall, when special attention will be paid to legislation affecting municipalities.

Chautaugua, Langley Prairie, May 23 28 inclusive.

Regulations Covering the Granting af Stumping Powder to Farmers and Settlers.

The following conditions shall govern the distribution of the $300,000 voted by the Legislature for rebates where the powder is purchased for land-clearing purposes:

Applicants shall be bona fide owners of lessees of lands in respect to which applications are made and clearing operations shall have been carried on for agricultural purposes only.

Grants will be paid on a basis of not more than ten cases of powder to each applicant and not more than five cases for each acre prepared for production thereby.

Applicants shall sign declarations upon forms supplied by the department of agricuture, setting forth the legal description of the land upon which the powder has been used, the number of cases of explosives actually used in the clearing operations and the number of acres of land upon which the work has been carried on

Applications shall be signed in the presence of, and witnessed by one of the following persons:

The secretary of a farmers' institute, the secretary of any association or society incorporated under any act of the Legislature carrying on work of substantially the same character as that carried on by farmers' institutes; any official of the Provincial Government of British Columbia.

Upon receipt at the department of agriculture of such declaration and application form, with invoice of powder purchased, rebate will be made upon a basis of $2.50 per case to the extent set out in clause three of these regulations.

In all cases where there is to be an application for a rebate a declaration must be made setting out the full particulars of the land, the amount of powder used and invoice carrying its purchase.

E. D. BARROW,
Minister of Agriculture.
Victoria, B. C., April 10, 1921. ap16

Social and Personal.

Miss Grace Wintemute, of New Westminster, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Gifford, last Sunday.

Mrs. J. Edward Insley had as visitors last Sunday her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Macdonald, and her uncle, Mr. T. R. Draper, both of Vancouver. Also Mrs. Prudence Kerr, Miss Emily Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kerr and son, and Master Jim Gilespie, all of New Westminster.

Mr. W. S. Collister, one of New Westminster's leading business men, paid a visit to Langley Prairie last week, and inspected the extensive improvements being made on the forty acres he recently purchased, known as the Twigg place.

Fort Langley News.

On Wednesday evening, April 20, the local Women's Institute plan holding a social evening in the Town Hall. The Reeve and Council have been invited, as well as other organizations, and general matters of a community interest will be discussed. A special feature of the occasion will be an address by Mrs. MacGill, judge of the Juvenile Court at Vancouver.

There is a movement on foot to secure the establishment of a fruit cannery here on a co-operative basis, and a meeting of those interested will be held shortly to further discuss the project.

That this place has its attractions as a residential as well as an agricultural section is evidenced by the large numbers that have settled here in the past twelve months. A large number of the new comers are from the Northwest provinces, who find the salubriousness of our climate much to their liking.

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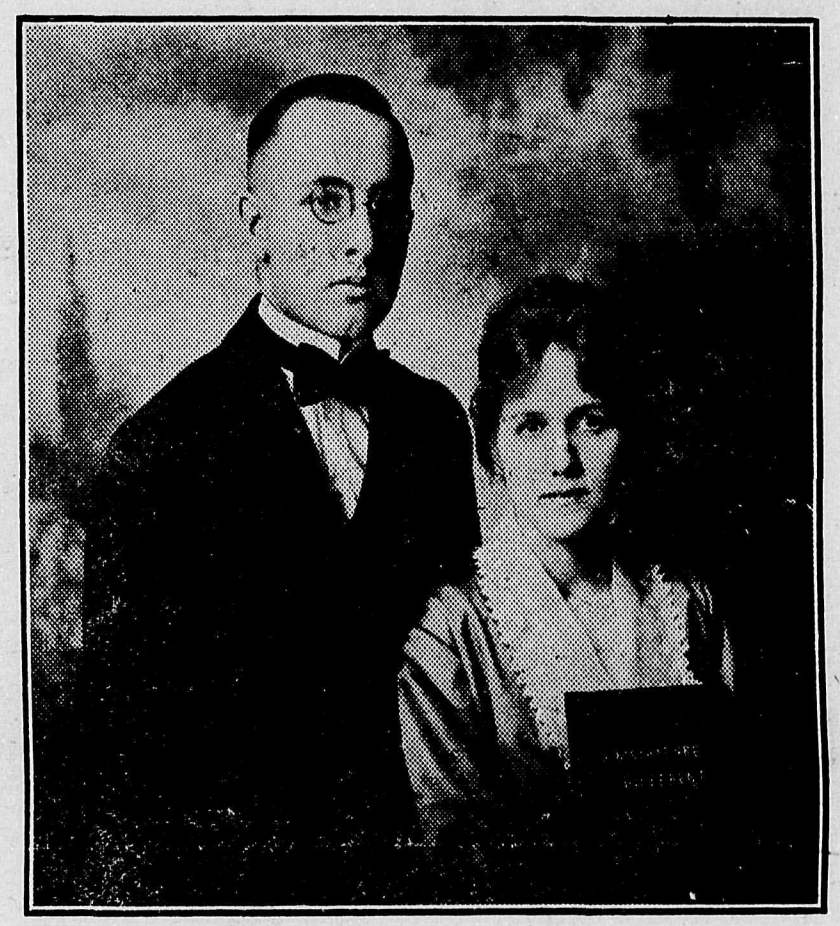

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