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AUDITOR'S REPORT WAS ACCEPTED

Fire Chief's Report Says More Hose and an Auto Fire Truck Are Needed by the Department

Mayor Acres and all the aldermen were present at the regular meeting of the city council on Monday evening.

A letter from C. A. S. Atwood stated this would probably be the last year that he would be able to furnish the city with shade trees at retail,and that now wasan opportune time for the city to buy for spring planting. Referred to the cemetery and parks committee.

A letter from W. O. Miller, divisional superintendent of the C. P. R., stated that he required more time in which to reply more fully to the council's last communication.

A communication from the secretary of the western branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' association, Winnipeg, asked the endorsation by the council of a resolution adopted by the association which urged greater production in Canada, both of agricultural products and manufactured goods, as a remedy for the present high rate of exchange between the United States and this country. The resolution cited the fact that the present rate of exchange is costing the Canadian people $60,000,000 a year. On motion, the council endorsed the resolution.

The report of Chief Norris, of the fire department, gave a list of the fires and the fire losses during the pasr year. He stated that the department needed some more hose, and that an auto fire truck would add greatly to the efficiency of the department. The report was approved and the recommendations were referred to the water and light committee.

A letter from Mr. Nystrom was ordered filed.

The auditor read the financial statement of the city for 1919,which was approved. As a supplementary report, he stated that the various industries—farming, fruit growing, mining, smelting, lumbering, etc.—of the district for the year showed a total production valued at over two millions dollars.

On motion, the clerk was instructed to enforce the light rates collections,and he was authorized to have the service cut off when parties become 60 days in arrears.

Last month's accounts were ordered to be paid.

Ald Hull brought up the subject of the advisability of the council employing an assistant city clerk and also making him secretary of the school board, which position carries with it a small salary. The subject was discussed for some time, but no definite action was taken.

The report of the chairman of the health and relief committee was accepted.

The mayor reported that the police commissioners had held a meeting, and the clerk read a letter which he had been instructed to draft and forward to the attorney-general, protesting against a raise in the salary of the police magistrate.

Mayor Acres thought there had been discrimination in the collection of trades license fees last year. He had paid his license fee, while the other doctors and some of the lawyers had failed to do so.

SUPPOSE THE FARMERS STRIKE?

Labor radicals in the industrial centers speak and act as if the world depended entirely upon them, while they are independent of everything and everybody. Here is an editorial from a western paper, Successful Farming, which should convince even the most unthinking radical that he and his are depeudent upon society as a whole, and without it he would starve, freeze or go naked. The editorial in part says:

"We ask city workers to ponder a moment what might happen if the farmers should do what the workers are doing—demanding shorter hours and higher pay. The farmers are their own bosses, so they would not have to quarrel with anybody. They could hold out on strike until they got good and ready, for they can feed themselves.

"You working fellows, suppose for a momant that the farmers adopted the eight-hour day? It would cut down production at least half. Suppose they also set a price on their labor and their products based on an eight hour basic scale? Where would you get your food? Only the rich could buy it at all, for the price would be prohibitive to men on strike. If the cost of living is too hign now, how will lessened production affect it? How will increased cost of production bring down prices?

"If you city workers expect the farmers to go on feeding you at the old price you have got to get back to work at the old wage and make it possible for the farmer to buy cheaper so he can produce cheaper. This is not a one-sided game. It takes two to play it,and if you city fellows quit, don't get sore if you go hungry soon. Either the farmers must do as you are doing, shorten the hours and demand higher pay,or else they must lengthen the hours and produce more without more pay.

"The farmers have been patient with you. When they lose their patience, look out. If they quit, who is going to feed you? What city workers have in common with farmers is not so much political as economic. What are you going to do about it?"

In many countries of Europe food production this year was half the usual amount, because farmers could not plant the average crops. Relief societies are now trying to save the children from starvation and tuberculosis. In the radical's heaven—Russia—farmers have gone on strike and refused to produce more than sufficient for their own needs. Possession of a piece of bread is now something to fight for.

Bequeathed Elsewhere

"My ancestors were all people with brains."

"Too bad you were disinherited."

FINE SUBURBAN PROPERTY SOLD

Frank Moore, of Saskatchewan, Purchases the Property Formerly Owned by the Late Dr. Averill

The fine home of the late Dr. G. W. Averill was this week sold to Frank Moore, of Saskatchewan. The house, which is one of the finest in the valley, was built by the late Dr. Averill regardless of expense and comprises eleven charming rooms. There is also a fine stable, with a dancing hall on the second storey, and other buildings in keeping with the residence. The grounds include some thirty acres of excellent farming land, with about one hundred bearing fruit trees of all kinds. The new owner, Mr. Moore, and family will take possession of the property at once. The consideration is said to have been in the neighborhood of $15,000, the sale being made through the real estate office of S. T. Hull.

BUYING BEES IN COMBLESS PACKAGES

[EXPERIMENTAL FARMS NOTE]

During the past few years a popular way to make good the winter losses of bees, and even to make a start in beekeeping, has been to purchase a pound or two of bees in spring shipped from a specialist in the Southern states, and more recently by parcel post.

From experimental shipments received at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, during the past four years, and from enquiries among beekeepers in other places who have received them, it can be said that this method of obtaining bees should be followed with caution.

At Ottawa the best results were obtained in 1917, when three two-pound lots with young fertile queens arrived by express in good condition from an experienced shipper in Alabama after having been seven days on the journey, on May 9, a week before the honey flow from dandelion commenced. These bees, on arrival, were given combs containing a little old honey. The spring having been favorable for breeding, they quickly developed into strong colonies, and each gave about as much honey as the average wintered colony.

But later experiments and investigations have shown that it is far too much to expect such good results every year, and that several accidents are likely to happen that may make this method of acquiring bees anything but profitable.

In the first place, bees are very perishable. Several shipments by express in April and May, 1918, from the above mentioned dealer, arrived nearly all dead eleven days after despatch, but another shipment received by parcel post on April 28, 1919, artived in good condition only four days after despatch Heavy losses both by express and parcel post have occasionally been reported.

Moreover, the journey often injures the queens, so that they are liable to do poor work, or to die soon after arrival This misfortune was mainly instrumental in spoiling the results in 1919 from six lots received in good condition by parcel post from the same breeder. They together produced only 282 pounds of honey,while each wintered colony gave 187 pounds, two of the queens having died a day or two after arrival, and two more having been superseded a week or two later. A short breeding season before the honey flow contributed to these poor results.

The sender, owing to a rush of orders or unexpected unfavorable weather, may be unable to supply the bees until the summer, after the season has gone, and one or two instances have occurred of bee diseases having been introduced by bees from the south. However, postal regulations are now in force in both countries forbidding the bees sent by parcel post to be accompanied by combs, which will help to remove the transmission of foul brood.

So great has been the demand for these southern bees in recent springs that inexperienced dealers have arisen who have shipped them in boxes unsuitably constructed and provisioned, and sometimes with too many bees in the box, resulting in heavy loss. A few unprincipled dealers have also appeared who have sent old bees or too large a proportion of drone bees, or virgin instead of fertile queens. One may expect, however, that as the trade in these southern bees becomes more stabilized, and after the transportation employees become accustomed to recognize the very perishable nature of this merchandiss, the losses will be less frequent.

On the whole, we would advise beginners to buy bees locally in preference to getting them early from the south, particularly because in the latter case combs and expert care are needed. We also think that, at the present high price of bees and unfavorable rate of exchange with the United States, those who have bees pay better to make from their own bees by breeding queens and prepare them with extra good care for the winter than to depend on purchasing bees from the south in spring. Those who wish to try the experiment of buying bees from the south for the first time, could protect themselves by ordering only a few packages and noting in what condition they arrive before ordering more. It is advisable also to order from reliable dealers some weeks or months before the bees are needed.

There is no customs duty on bees entering Canada, but an entry for customs returns, which usually causes little or no delay, is required.

Most of the objections to procuring combless packages of bees from the south in the early spring are overcome by getting them from the warmer parts of Canada later on in the season. Several Canadian firms are now supplying these, and beginners can make a fair start by obtaining one or two of these lots in June or early July, without having to buy combs.

Mrs. C. H. Niles returned on Friday from a visit to Trail.

MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD

Standing Committees Appointed--Teachers' Association Asks for Increase in Salaries

The following trustees were present at the meeting of the school board this week: Davis, Hennieger, Kingston and Padgett.

The board appointed E. C. Henniger chairman. J. B. McLeod was appointed to fill the vacancy on the board. Mr. McLeod, being present, accepted the appointment.

The chairman appointed the following committees:

Finance—McLeod and Davis.

School Management — Kingston and Davis.

Buildings—Padgett and McLeod.

The board will meet on the second Thursday in each month at 8 p.m. in the city hall.

In the matter of a secretary,it was the desire of the board that the city clerk should act as secretary to the trustees, providiug satisfactory arrangements can be made with the council.

The board received resolutions from the secretary of the Grand Forks Teachers Association requesting that the salaries be increased and a schedule adopted. Principal Glaspell, being present, made a personal appeal on his own behalf, informing the board that with the present high cost of living it was impossible to mainsain himself and his family on his present salary. Figures were supplied by him showing that higher salaries for schools of similar standing were paid elsewhere. The question was referred to a committee to bring a report. Any increases granted will be made retroactive to January 1, 1920.

THE WEATHER

The following is the minimum and maximum temperature for each day during the past week, as recorded by the government thermometer on E. F. Laws' ranch:

		Max.	Min.
Feb.	6—Friday	36	32
	7—Saturday	43	33
	8—Sunday	33	30
	9—Monday	36	13
	10—Tuesday	30	13
	11—Wednesday	31	10
	12—Thursday	46	20

Inches

Melted snow ..... .06

A London newspaper says that a recently discharged soldier, who had unpleasant memories of his military experience, took the first opportunity after resuming his civilian clothes to write to his former colonel:

"Sir. After what I have suffered for the last two years, it gives me much pleasure to tell you and the army to go to—" a place to which only the wicked are consigned.

In due course he got this reply:

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Viscount Grey, former British ambassador to Washington, has written as a private citizen a long letter to the London Times, in which he says that American reservations to the peace treaty were justified from an American point of view. The letter is described by the Times as unique in the history of diplomacy, and the Westminster Gazette says it is most opportune at a time when mischief-makers are active in fomenting ill-will between Great Britain and the United States.

One secret of being well preserved is to keep out of jars with customers.

Major Lloyd George, son of the premier, who is on a visit to this country, declared at Buffalo the other day that prohibition in Great Britain is so far distant that scientists can not see it with their most powerful telescopes.

Apparently, the only way in which some persons can keep figures from lying is to spell them into words.

The record price of three dollars and sixty cents per bushel is now being asked for Canadian wheat for export io Europe. If the difference between Canadian exchange and that of most European countries be added, the price of Dominion wheat works out to about six cents per pound, which is about what the careful housewife would pay for sugar not so many years ago.

Dreams of boundless wealth continue to keep many ablebodied men busy trying to invent a soft drink with a satisfying kick in it.

French savants are inclined to attribute to earthly causes the unexplained wireless impulses which Mr. Marconi says may come from sources outside of this planet and its atmosphere.

A news item asserts that corkscrews are subject to the luxury tax. Well, who cares now?

The Canadian wheat board has ordered changes in the price of wheat and flour. The price of British Columbia, Ontario and Quebec wheat to mills in Canada is now raised by 25 cents per bushel, and the board also increases the maximum wholesale price of government standard winter wheat flour from $10.10 per barrel to $11.25 per barrel, basis f. o.b. cars, Montreal.

Don't lay it all to the drofiteers. There are in this country hundreds of thousands of people who are simply living beyond their incomes, not counting the food.

Tentative plans for a transcontinental air race this year between New York and Nome, Alaska, a distance of 4870 miles, are announced at New York by the American Flying club. The proposed race will be held under the same rules and handicap plans as the race between New York and San Francisco last year.

If eggs keep going up, it will be cheaper to buy spring chickens.

*Talking With Mars**

HELLO, MARS! Yes, this is the earth—Evans, of Grand Forks, speaking. I wish to inform you, Mr. Mars, that I have been appointed water controller of this district. When your big canal is next in perigee with Grand Forks, send down one acre foot of water on the district within a radius of one hundred miles of the city. Run it through a fine sieve, as plant life is still in its infancy in this section. The last installment of moisture you despatched, doubtless owing to the blundering inefficiency of my predecessor in office, came down in big lumps, and a great deal of damage was done to the tender vegetation in the valley. The blunder cost the late occupant of the position his official head.

How did I manage to get the appointment? It is quite a puzzle, isn't it? It is not really the office I wanted. I was after the position of whisky coatroller, but since the petticoat government came into power a man doesn't stand more chance of getting anything geod from Victoria than a snowball would have of remaining on the planet Mercury for twenty-four hours without melting. The whisky controllership had to go to an ardent prohibitionist, evidently because the so-called total abstainers were afraid they not get their share of the "vile stuff" under any other supervision. The water controllership only about twenty-five thousand dollars a year, and it takes about half an hour daily to attend to the duties of the office. It costs a single man about four hundred dollars a day to live now. Where am I going to get off? I don't know.

We still call the Victoria government the petticoat government, though that is a misnomer. The dear (I say dear advisedly) creatures discarded petticoat shortly after they obtained power. What do they wear now? Have you ever seen a ballet at a comic opera performance on this planet? No? Well, did ever see the Scotch kilties? You have? Then you as much about present-day fashions in dress as I do. Many years ago[1], when I was working on the New York dailies, we used to call the females the Twonick types of our profession. I was never able to see the applicability of the nickname until the present style of women's dress came into vogue. Well, what's causing all the merriment at your end of the phone now? You saw the point right away? Well, you are older than I am, and have probably had more experience with the women than I have. When I reach your age I will likely be as wise on this subject as a night owl.

No, there isn't a single male member of the legislature now. The Oliver government, which retained power for a remarkably long period during panicky times, was the last in which the men had full control of the destinies of the province. Now the women occupy every seat in tne local house, and a few years ago a woman lieutenant-governor was appointed. As they used to say in olden times, the men don't cut much of a figure now. Female legislators have completed cowed them. Of course, even now you will oocasionally meet with aggressive and womanish men, just as there were manish women before "the fall of man;" but as a rule, unless a man has cat's eyes, so that he can discern a scandal on the darkest night and be able to relate a new one to the dear ones every day in the year, or unless he is a member of their societies, there is no more probability of him being elected to office than there is danger of a person freezing to death at the equator in the middle of the summer.[2] I belong to that turbulent element called the womanish man, and by persistent kicking I landed the appointment. I understand the government is thinking of disfranchising the the men. If that action should be taken I shall become a suffragette.

I hope, Mr. Mars, that you will treat this conversation as strictly confidential.

*At some future period, when wireless telephony is established with Mars, it is supposed that these "Talks" will actually take place.

1 About 1896

2 This sentence is supposed to refer to the "chocolate" made politicians of 1920, so called because they bribed the female electors with pretty packages chocolate

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Ancient History

News Items and Comment Which Appeared in The Sun for the Corresponding Week Eighteen Years Ago

The publication of the Daily Gazette was discontinued with the Friday issne. The Sun, albeit, will continue to shine. It is better to begin small and enlarge, than to begin large and ensmall. A postage stamp generally sticks.

The Grand Forks council has come to the couclusion that a large saving can be made by the purchase of a good team for city work and for fire purposes Apparently a sensible conclusion.

New members elected by the board of trade were: Stanley Muir, J. E. Rice, F. E Cooper, P. T. McCalium, James Anderson and Martin Burrell.

C. Doberer, of Grand Forks, and Miss Edith Cameron, of Vancouver, were married Wednesday evening at 8 o'lock in Knox Presbyterian church.

The Evening Sun is the only daily prihte l in the Boundary country, the rickest gold copper region in British Columbia.

J. H. Murray, of the Hotel, Winnipeg, telephones The Sun that a white goose, numbered among the assets of the house, had wandered from its usual haunts at an inopportune time for the chef of the cuisin, as he had intended to adorn the dining room tables with its delicious viand about the time said bird wanderefl away.

Colin Campbell tendered his resignation as seeretary of the board of trade, which was accepted and a vote of thanks tendered him for efficient services rendered the board in the past T. A. Kennion was elected secretary of the board.

ALFALFA AND GRASSES VS. CLOVER AND GRASSES

[EXPERIMENTAL FARMS NOTE]

In the early history of the western provinces it was an easy matter to obtain all the native hay required by the settler on or near the farm. With the breaking up of the virgin soil most of the hay marshes and sloughs have been drained, and native hay is becoming increasingly scarce. This state of affairs has compelled the farmer to seek other sources of supply, and now the cultivated grasses and clovers with few exceptions are superior in quality and yield to the native grasses

To ascertain the relative merits of the various grass and clover mixtures an experiment is being carried on at the Dominion experimental station, Invermere, B.C., using alfalfa and grass mixture in one case, and clover and grasses in the other. These plots were seeded in June, 1917, to the various mixtures, so that our remarks are based on the results of two years' crops The following table shows the relative value of the different grasses when added to clover and alfalfa

Average yield per acre for past two years:

	Tons.	Lbs.
Alfalfa	4	350
Alfalfa, timothy	5	475
A falfa, western rye	5	80
Alfalfa, meadow fescue	5	290
Alfalfa, orchard grass	4	1390
Alfalfa, tall oat	3	1140
Alfalfa, timothy, western rye, meadow fescue, orchard grass, tall oat	4	660
Clover	5	845
Clover, timothy	5	1010
Clover, western rye	6	765
Clover, meadow fescue	6	690
Clover, orchard grass	6	270
Clover, tall oat	6	120
Clover, timothy, western rye, meadow fescue, orchard grass, tall oat	6	650

As will be noticed in the above table, the addition of a grass to both clover and alfalfa increased the yield, it being more pronounced in the case of the clover. In the past two years the clover and grass mixtures have on the average yielded a little over a ton more hay per acre than the alfalfa and grasses. The first year this was thought to be due to the fact that alfalfa takes about two years to become established, while clover requires but one.

The clover and grasses, on the whole, ripened more evenly than did the alfalfa and grasses and were easier to make into hay. While the same amount of grass seed was sown in each case, by far the best stands were obtained in the clover plots. This past season in some of the alfalfa plots there was practically no grasses, it having been smothered or crowded out by the alfalfa This shows quite clearly the advisability of using clover instead of alfalfa as a base in grass mixtures.

The experiment so far has only been in regard to the yields of hay obtained, but plans are being made to conduct a somewhat similar experiment with pasture mixtures in the near future.

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A couple of old cudgers got into a quarrel and landed before the local magistrate. The loser, turning to his opponent in a combative frame of mind, cried: "I'll law you to the circuit court." "I'm willin'," said the other "An' I'll law you to the supreme court." "I'll be thar." "An' I'll law you to 'ell!" "My attorney'll be there," was the calm reply.

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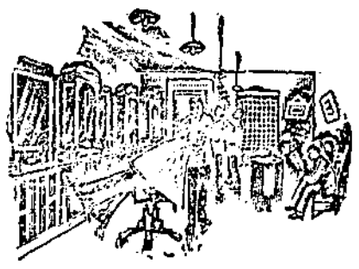

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News of the City

Ruth and Dorothy Burns, of Oroville, passed through the city Monday evening in a motor car for Spokane. They had received word from Spokane that their sister, Lila, was critically ill with influenza, and that she was not expected to recover. Ed Stanaway drove the car from from Oroville to this city, and Mr. Burns, the father of the girls, joined the party here as relay chauffeur. It has been learned that the party had considerable tire trouble on the way down owing to the rough roads, and they did not reach Spokane until 3 o'clock the following afternoon. The latest intelligence from Spokane is to the effect that Miss Lila's condition is somewhat improved.

E E. Gibson, of the West Kootenay Power & Light company, returned from Spokane on Wednesday and left yesterday for Hedley, where he is now located. Mr. Gibson had been in Spokane with his wife, who has been in poor health lately, and she will remain in that city for a short time for medical treatment.

R. Louis Mytton, of the West Kootenay Power & Light company, returned yesterday from Rochester, Minn., to which place he went for medical treatment. His friends will regret to learn that he failed to obtain any relief for his malady.

Just what you want for that boy's or girl's lunch—good Jonathan and Wagner apples; 75c will fill your apple box. A. D. Morrison.

Gasoline engine, 2 h.p. (new), for sale; 20 ft. shaft, pump, jack, pulleys, etc., complete. Apply Mrs. Stuart Bell, Grand Forks, B. C.

W. J. Galipeau return on Friday from Rossland, where he has completed his contract for the Grand Forks Concrete company.

Charles Haverty returned on Sunday from Anyox, and will spend a short vacation at his home here.

You can not reach The Sun's numerous readers except through its advertising columns.

END STOMACH TROUBLE, GASES OR DYSPEPSIA

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes sick, sour gassy stomachs surely feel fine in five minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach-headache, you can get relief in five minutes by neutralizing acidity. Put an end to such stomach distress now by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder caused by food fermentation due to excessive acid in stomach.

TENDERS WANTED

SEALED TENDERS are invited for the conveyance of pupils to the Central School from the disiriict adjoining the Tom Powers and R. Hughes ranches

The successful tenderer will be required to cover a route proceeding past the P. DeWilde ranch and returning via the E F. Laws ranch, over the Cooper bridge, thence direct to the school.

This service calls for one trip only per school day, in the morning, the conveyance to be made in a suitable vehicle with the full protection from the weather provided.

All tenders to be sealed, marked "Tender for Conveyance," addressed to the Secretary School Board, Grand Forks, B. C., and will be received up to and including Tuesday, February 17th, 1920.

The above contract is for a period terminating March 51st, 1920 Tender to state price per trip.

GEO H. HULL,
Secretary for Board of School Trustees

VETERANS' TAXES TO BE ABATED

Government to Be Asked to Geant Counicipal Councils the Required Power to Do So

Victoria, Feb 7—Following several conferences held between the committee of the G W. V. A. and the Union of the Municipalities of British Columbia, a satisfacrory agreement has been reached on the question of abating taxes in the case of the widows of soldiers, disabled men and other soldiers. The provincial legislature is to be asked immediately to grant the required power to the different municipal councils in order that the system may become effective.

The municipalities may now "abate or rebate or extend the period of payment of any taxes, rates or local improvement assessment or any part thereof, upon the properrty held or used as the residence of the widow or orphan of any deceased soldier or any disabled soldier."

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

Seed Orders and Supplies

The new seed catalogues are coming in with their lists of novelties and staple varieties attractively advertised, and one gets much enjoyment in turning over the pages of one of these catalogues and mentally picturing the fine crops one will have next summer. Often, however, the catalogue is laid aside without the order being sent, and nothing further is done until spring, when it may be too late to get what is desired. The quantity available of the best strains of vegetables and flowers is usually small, hence it is very important to order early before the stock is exhausted.

There is a great difference between the best and the poorest strains. The stock of the best has been rigidly selected so that a large proportion will come true to type, whereas stock which has not been kept up by selection may have a bad mixture of types, and the resulting crop will be very unsatisfactory. This is of so much importance that, with a crop like the cauliflower, for instance, where a strain that will give a larger proportion of good heads means much profit and a poor strain may mean very little, it pays the market gardener when he gets a good strain to hold over what seed he does not use until another yeard as he will then be sure of having a good strain next year. This method would not, however, serve with onion, which loses its germinating power very rapidly, hence should be purchased every year. There is a wonderful difference in onions. Sometimes from the seed of one stock a large proportion will be bolt hecks while from another most plants make good bulbs. If one has had good success from a certain source one year, the safest plan will be to order from the same source another year.

Sometimes novelties have not apparently been compared very carefully with the best of the older varieties before being offered for sale, as they do not prove superior, if as good. While it is interesting to test varieties, it is well not to spend much money on them until they have been tested at the experimenta station.

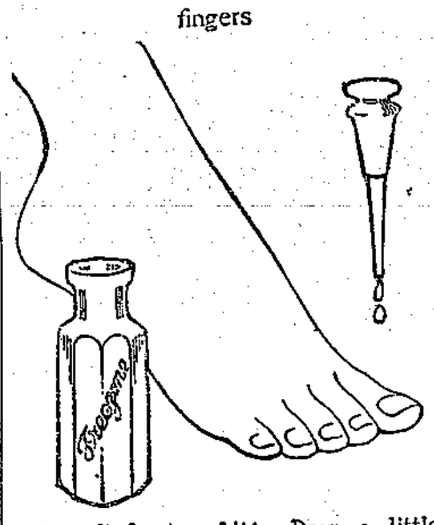
Another advantage of ordering early is that one can test the germinating power of a seed before spring so that there will be time to order again if the germination is poor. Often seed is ordered so late that when it is sown and the plants do not come up there is not time to order again, and one loses the crop. When there is a shortage of many kinds of supplies, as there is at present, it is very desirable to order early the material needed for next season's operations.

FOR SALE--Six-room house, one block from post office; very central; good business location; easy terms. Apply Sun office.

Those wishing neat sign painting to ornament their business places should call on W. P. O'Connor, a returned soldier.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 21st, 1920.

TIMBER SALE X2102

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 26th day of February, 1920, for the purchase of License X2102, to cut 1,021,000 feet of Fir, Tamarac, Cedar and White Pine and 400 Cords of Cordwood on Lot 94s, situate near Fife, Similkameen District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Nelson, B. C.

KETTLE VALLEY RAILWAY COMPANY

NOTICE

THE KETTLE VALLEY RAILWAY COMPANY will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next Session for an Act authorizing it to construct the following lines of railway:

(a) From a point at or near Coalmont on the Joint Section operated by the Applicant Company and the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, thence in a general southerly direction, a distance of about 12 miles to the so-called Granite Creek coal areas, in the Province of British Columbia,

And further extending the time within which it may commence the construction of the following lines of railway which it has heretofore been duly authorized to construct:

(b) From a point at or near Grand Forks to a point 50 miles up the North Fork of the Kettle River, in the said Province.

(c) From a point at or near Otter Summit by the most feasible route to the Aspen Grove mineral district, in the said Province, a distance of about 20 miles.

And further authorizing it to increase its bonding powers in respect of the said lines of railway to $50,000 per mile, and for other purposes.

Dated at Montreal this 13th day of January, 1920.

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Secretary, Kettle Valley Railway Company.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to $5 an acre; second-class to $2.50 an acre.

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residence, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and make improvements to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown Grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of $300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of $10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

Pre-emptor holding Crown grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

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

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

Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land not exceeding 40 acres may be purchased; conditions include payment of stumpage.

Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price, is made.

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from for one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Steck-owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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