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BELGIUM BUGLERS ANNOUNCING THE COMING OF THE GERMANS
FIRST ACTUAL PICTURE FROM THE SEAT OF WAR

When the news came to Brussels that the Kaiser, aiming at his French enemies was pushing through peaceful Belgium, thousands of cavalry buglers like those in the picture were sent out by King Albert to proclaim mobilization and rouse his subjects to the defence of their independence.

War Will Be Heavy Strain on the Empire's Resources

Vastly Greater British Forces Needed to Combat German Armies—British Lose 2,000 in Great Battle—Allies Fall Back on French Frontier

What scraps of war news concerning the operations of the fighting in Belgium which have filtered through this week have not been of a very encouraging character, and the grim fact is being forced home to the minds of everyone that the allies are confronted with a stupendous task before they can hope to beat down the strength of Germany.

After the comparative quiet of last week the news that the Germans had taken possession of Brussels, compelling the Belgians to withdraw their seat of government to Antwerp, that Namur, a strongly fortified town upon the holding of which the stand in Belgium largely depended and that the Allies had been obliged to fall back upon the French frontier, produced a deep impression, and the greatest anxiety was evidenced. Too much dependence however, should not be placed upon reports of detached victories or defeats as they may count for but little in the main campaign.

To offset the advantages gained by the German army to the north the French have undoubtedly made some progress in Alsace Lorraine, though the unexpected treachery of some of the inhabitants is forming a hindrance The Austrians too have practically had to abandon their attack on Servia, having been beaten back with heavy losses. Added to which the gradual progress of the Russians into German territory may alter the tone of things in a short time.

Meanwhile the British government is united in a determination to see the thing through.

Lord Kitchener made his first speech Tuesday as minister of war in the House of Lords. He told his hearers that this war would undoubtedly strain the forces of the Empire and entail big sacrifices. He laid emphasis on the fact that his position in the cabinet involved adherence to neither party. He said:

"The terms on which I am serving are the same as those under which some of the finest portions of our manhood, now so willingly stepping forward to join the colors, are engaging. That is to say, my term of office is for the duration of the war, or for three years if the war should last longer than that. It has been asked why this period has been limited. It is because if this disastrous war be prolonged, and no one can foretell for a certainty its duration, that after three years of war, others will take our places and see this matter through

"There will be serious conflicts which undoubtedly will strain the forces of our Empire, and undoubtedly considerable sacrifices to our people will be entailed. These will be willingly borne for our honor and for the preservation of our position in the world, and they will be shared by our dominions, who are now sending contingents and giving assistance of every kind to the Mother Country.

"Our expeditionary force has taken the field on the French northw?st frontier and advanced in the neighborhood of Mons, in Belgium. Our troops already have been for thirty-six hours in contact with the superior forces of German invaders. During that time they maintained the best traditions of the British soldier and behaved with the utmost gallantry. The movements they have been called on to execute have been those which demand the greatest steadiness of a soldier and skill in the commanders."

The condition of Emperor Franz Josef hourly grows worse and death is expected at any time.

The Canadian Cruiser Niobe is to be in commission by Sept. 1st, patroling the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Official estimates of the English loss in Sunday and Monday's battle place the killed at 2000.

Canada's first army of 22,000 men will be on the Atlantic by the middle of next month. The mobilization of another force is proceeding rapidly.

The French ministry has resigned and a new one is to be formed at once.

Reports have been received of the intentions of the Germans to attack Ostend, which is only 65 miles from England, and to use it as a base of attack on England.

The Russian army continues to advance through Prussian territory, and it is believed that unless the Germans can win a decisive battle at once over the allies they will be obliged to withdraw some of their forces.

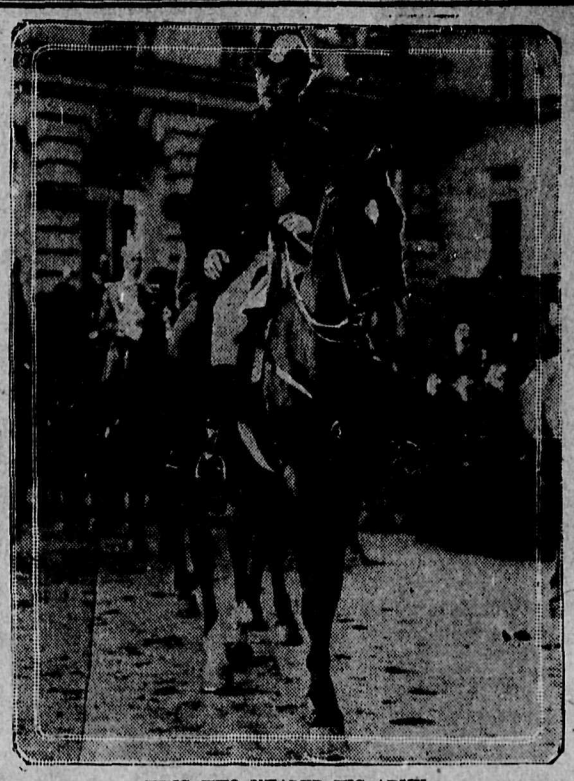
German reports claim that the Japanese bombardment of Kiao Chou, the German naval base in China, has failed, but the Japanese announce the intention to prepare for a long siége.

The Poles have set up an independent government with Warsaw as their capital. Russian soldiers have been withdrawn to join the march on Germany.

The British Premier told the House of Commons that it was foolish to suppose that 100,000 besides the regular army would suffice for the campaign. At least six times that number would be needed.

Premier Asquith made the announcement today in the House of Commons that the German colony of Togoland in east Africa had offered to surrender on terms. The terms had been refused and an unconditional surrender was to be made.

The fortified Belgian stronghold of Namur has fallen to the Germans after a short struggle. The official communication says this necessitates the withdrawal of a portion of the Allied troops from the line of the Sambre to their original defensive position on the French frontier.



KING WHO HEADED HIS ARMY

King Albert of Belgium, who, at the head of his army, put up a brave defense against the advancing Germans who had invaded Belgium.

Until the present crisis King Albert was but little known. Before he ascended the throne of Belgium he spent much time in traveling, having visited the United States several years ago and having made a tour of the world.

He is a keen student, an author, engineer and aviator. At one time he acted as a regular reporter on a Belgium newspaper, taking his assignments the same as the other men and covering all sorts of stories.

The young king is not yet 40 years of age. He was a nephew of King Leopold who died in December 1909. He married Duchess Elizabeth of Bavaria in 1900 and they have two sons, Prince Leopold, born in 1901, and Prince Charles, born in 1903, and one daughter, Princess Manie Joss, born in 1906.

King Albert's father was Prince Phillipe, Count of Flanders, and his mother was Princess Marie of Hohenzollern. Thus King Albert is related to the Kaiser, whose army he has been fighting.

Regular Meeting of City Council

Milk By-Law is Approved by Lieut.-Govenor

There was a full attendance at last Friday's meeting of the council although little business of importance was transacted except the passing of a long list of accounts.

The correspondence included a certificate of approval from the Lieutenant Governor-in-council of the city's "Milk Vendor's Bylaw, No. 162."

Chief Thomas was appointed Sanitary Inspector and will undertake the duties called for under the bylaw.

Dr. Boyce waited on the council with a suggestion that the city call a public meeting to discuss the advisability of forming a local corps of "Home Guards". He said that in view of the present situation it might be a wise precaution to see that everyone capable of bearing arms had a chance to receive some kind of military training.

Mayor Jones assured Dr. Boyce that if a petition were presented to the council bearing at least fifty signatures the council would be willing to call the meeting.

While he was before the council Dr. Boyce asked for permission to purchase a milk tester, which he would need as Medical Health Officer under the provisions of the Milk Bylaw. The cost would be approximately $5. The purchase was authorized.

A question touching upon the trades licence bylaw of the city was raised when Mr. C. Dark asked the council whether one trade licence should not be sufficient for himself and another man, who were transacting business in the same room, he as a shoemaker, and the other as a tailor.

Mr. Dark was informed that separat licences would be required unless a legal partnership were formed between them.

Mr. R. E. Denison appeared on behalf of Messrs. Stirling & Pitcairn to ask that a fire hydrant be placed in front of their premises, his firm being of the opinion that their property was not sufficiently protected against fire.

Alderman Adams said the packing house district had been fairly well covered with fire hydrants, as four lines of hose could be laid in case of fire.

The Fire Protection committee however undertook to confer with the fire chief in reference to the application.

Mr. W. D. Brent, manager of the Kelowna Growers' Union, asked the council to gravel the lane at the rear of their property in order to facilitate hauling of fruit, and also to put Haynes avenue in good condition.

The mayor informed Mr. Brent that the council were only too well aware of the conditions of the roads in question, but owing to lack of funds

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Entomological Society Meets in Kelowna

Valuable and Interesting Addresses on Insect Life

On Thursday last the Entomological Society of British Columbia held a very successful semi-annual meeting in the Kelowna Board of Trade hall. The meeting was open to the public and a number of up-to-date fruit growers availed themselves of the opportunity of hearing some of the interesting papers which were read.

The meeting was opened shortly before 11 a.m., by Mr. Lionel Taylor 1st vice president with an address entitled "Problems Entomological and Pathological requiring solution in our orchards;" Mr. Taylor touched6 upon many of the vexing questions which exercise local orchardists today and his remarks gave rise to much valuable discussion of the various problems treated upon; amongst other things Mr. Taylor urged upon the meeting the desirability of the periodical distribution of information to growers as the prevalent pests and warnings as t approaching time to spray for certain diseases etc., through the medium of the local press or by the distribution of circular letters. Many of Mr. Taylors suggestions will no doubt receive mature consideration in the future.

Following this address a paper by the society's secretary, Mr. R. C. Treherne of the Dominion division of Entomology dealing with the "Natural Methods of Insect Control under Orchard Conditions," Mr. Treherne called the attention of the meeting to the growing interest which is being evinced in the matter of natural resistence of individual plants to the attacks and depredations of insects, and to the correlation of insect attack to soil conditions suitable and unsuitable to the healthy growth of the plant and suitable or unsuitable to the normal development of the insect pest, and observed that "There are two points that require closed observation, one, whether the soil so influences the numbers of the insects that breeding is facilitated or whether the trees growing on soil not quite suited to their requirements are therefore not quite so virile and thus more liable to injury. We should, therefore, be thoroughly conversant with the favorable habitats of our insect pests and know the suitable condition for our crops so as to avoid any fallacy in regard to determining disease resistant stocks."

Mr. Treherne also pointed out that insects introduced into a country tended to become more injurious in the country of their adoptioo than in their original homes, perhaps owing to the lack of their natural enemies, and again, possibly to the natural

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SONS OF ENGLAND LODGE WILL INSURE MEMBERS AT THE FRONT

The Sons of England Benefit Society in convention in Windsor, Ont., on August 13th decided by a vote, carried by acclamation to insure the lives of all members called to serve under the flag during the war, for the sum of $1,000. Also to keep such members in good standing, by paying their contribution by means of capitation tax, during the time that they are serving the King and empire.

Several of our local S.O.E. boys will benefit by this generous act of the convention.

Mr. J. R. Waite, arrived on Tuesday's boat from Windsor, Ont., where he has been attending the convention as a delegate from Vancouver. He will attend the local lodge meeting tonight and leave tomorrow for Penticton.

Mrs. J. B. Knowles returned this week from a visit to friends across the line.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fleming and family returned home this week from a visit to Kamloops.

Mr. Richardson, the new principal of the public school arrived last Thursday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Richardson and their little son.

The Rev. A. V. Despard will officiate at both services in the parish church Sunday, whilst the rector will conduct the services at Okanagan Mission.

A meeting of the Poultry Association will be held in the Sons of England room, Keller Block on Wednesday, Sept. 2nd at 8 o'clock to make arrangements for the winter show to be held November 25, 26 and 27. All interested in poultry are invited to attend.

Proposed Formation of Home Guards

Movement to Drill Citizens for Home Defence

Between 150 and 200 people were packed into the Board of Trade room Tuesday night in response to the announcement made by the city council that a meeting would be held to consider a project which was being advocated of forming a "home guard" in view of the war with Germany. In addition to the crowd in the hall a large number remained in the street unable to gain admission.

The discussion of the matter had been arranged to follow the regular Board of Trade meeting, but it was evident that the crowd was in no mood for such prosaic business, and the affairs of the Board were rushed through as hastily as possible. The minutes of the previous meeting were read but the correspondence was left over to the next meeting.

President S. T. Elliott reported briefly on behalf of the special telephone committee appointed to investigate the possibility of securing a continuous telephone service that the Okanagan Telephone Company had agreed to grant this. (Applause.)

Mention was also made of the visit of the delegates to the Irrigation Convention at Penticton, and it was resolved to send a message of thanks to C.P.R. Superintendent Brodie of Vancouver for allowing the boat conveying the visitors up the lake to stop over at Kelowna while they were driven on a tour of inspection of the district, and also to secretary N. Rankine, and Mr, Dynes of Penticton for their efforts in securing the favor.

It was stated that word had been ceived from the militia headquarters at Ottawa asking as to the possibility of purchasing remounts in the Kelowna district. Mr. Elliott said a wire had been sent to the effect that anywhere from 500 to 1000 horses could be brought within the government price.

The Board meeting was then adjourned and Mayor Jones took charge of the gathering which fell to a discussion of the real object for which they had assembled.

His Worship regretted that in view of the large number of people who were unable to get in that arrangements had not been made for a larger

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Chinese Opium Den Raided by Police

A raid was made last Saturday night by the police on a Chinese opium den kept by one Quon Tai in the Abbott street section of Chinatown. Two of the Chinks who were on the look-out shouted an alarm as they saw the police coming, but the latter got into the room in time to see an attempt being made to destroy evidences of the illegal traffic by throwing the basins containing the opium out of the window. It was too late, however, as some of the drug had been served out to several of the devotees of the curious vice, who were settling themselves down to enjoy the blissful dreams which are said to come to those who smoke. They had a rude awakening, however, for the proprietor, and four of the men were at once arrested, and after being charged with the offence were let out on bail, the proprietor of $100 and each of the others of $20. The cash was deposited promptly, but on Monday morning only one of the men showed up for trial, the rest electing to forfeit their bail rather than face the magistrate. The one who did come out, York Lang was found guilty and fined $20.

This York Lang, it was stated has a white wife, an American lady of undesirable reputation, the pair having only recently arrived in town.

Mr. J. E. Reekie, president of the United Growers, Ltd., left yesterday for Ottawa to attend the Dominion Fruit Growers' Convention, which is to be held at Grimsby, September 2, 3, and 4.

For the first time since its installation, nearly a year ago, the Imhoff tank, the most important unit in the city's sewerage system was "blown off" last Friday afternoon—that is to say the accumulation of sediment at the bottom of the tank was forced out into a shallow concrete filter-bed. The operation was a simple manipulation of valves and took only a few minutes

Since the system has been in operation everything has worked with entire satisfaction, and the only regret of the party, consisting of the Mayor, the chairman of the sewerage committee, Alderman Taylor, members of he council, the city clerk and others, who visited the plant last Friday was that the whole city was not connected up with the system.

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Meeting Decides to Go On with Fall Fair

Will Make Special Effort to Overcome Difficulty of Financing

By a unanimous vote the special meeting of the Agricultural Association held Monday night decided in spite of the distracting influence of the war and the prevalent hard times to go ahead with the fall fair as usual.

The meeting which was held in the Board of Trade room and presided over by the president of the association, Mr. F. R. E. DeHart, was well attended.

There had been considerable talk on the street lately, said the chairman as to whether in view of present conditions the association would be justified in holding the fair this year, and the directors had called the members together to get an expression of opinion before taking upon themselves the responsibility ol incurring further expense.

Reviewing the present financial standing of the association it was stated that the present indebtedness amounted to $2370, including a sum of $1950 due the bank on the new building and debts carried over from last year. The annual government grant of about $800 would have to be applied in reducing this debt and would not therefore be available as in previous years, towards the expenses of the fair. It would be necessary to raise this $800 in some other way to ensure the success of the fair. Fears were also expressed by several speakers that the revenue from gate receipts, etc., might be less than usual.

Mr. M. Hereron with his usual optimism was strongly opposed to the idea of allowing the fair to be dropped and believed if an appeal was made to the farmers of the district for support there would be no difficulty in holding a bigger and better fair than ever, and coming out ahead financially.

Mr. J. H. Davies was also enthusiastically in favor of holding the fair and some form of sports.

The great success of the "Stampede" which took the place of the usual races last year was mentioned and the idea of having a similar program this year had many supporters.

The urgent need of cutting down expenses to the lowest point without impairing the attractiveness of the fair was fully realized, and it was upon that understanding that the ultimate decision to go on with the undertaking was reached.

The great increase in exhibits of live stock was one of the features of last years show, and the present prize list, which was already printed had been drawn up with a view to further encourage this branch.

Mr. DeHart said he had already had a promise from the Hon. Minister of Agriculture to officiate at the opening of the fair, and Mr. Ellison had also signified his intention of entering a number of his splendid herd of Holsteins.

But little interest was manifested in the auction sale of lands for taxes held on Tuesday the 18th inst., at Summerland. With the exception of one five acre lot which was bid in by a private citizen the properties were purchased by the municipality.

According to messages from Berlin, the German press is indignant at Great Britain's acceptance of Japanese support. The leading papers declare that Germany will retaliate by stirring up an Islamitic revolution in India, Egypt, Tunis, Algeria and the Soudan which will quickly bring England and France to terms.

Methods of Modern Fighting

The glory and romance of war is dead. It has become chiefly a matter of cold calculation, a bloody business of long distance slaughter, with no longer an opportunity for dashing personal heroism.

Never again can a Napoleon, looking down from a hill top, direct the movements of his army of 30,000 men as it manoeuvres under his eye on the plain below.

The modern general, directing a battle line 150 miles long —will never be within sight of his troops. Oyama the Japanese chief of staff, was 15 miles to the rear when that great battle was fought at Mukden.

Never again will a courier bearing orders from headquarters to division and corps commanders have two horses shot under him as he dashes across the battle front. Orders go out today from headquarters over the field telephone wires, which reach every brigade commander as he too sits in safety far back of the line of fire.

Never again will a battery ol field guns gallop madly into action, with the gunners sitting with cross arms on the caissons and the infantry cheering the rescuers.

Modern field guns are located out of sight over the shoulder of a hill three miles or more away. The gunners never even get a sight of the army they are fireing at. Their fire is guided by calculations carefully made by an expert mathematician who sits down in a hole in the ground and figures trajectories and curves and makes all allowances for wind pressure.

No Close Fighting

"Hold your fire until you see the whites of the enemy's eyes" is a heroic command that will never be given in a modern battle. Modern infantry dig themselves a nice deep ditch in the ground about two miles away from the fire of the enemy's lines. To the present day soldier the spade is almost as important as the gun. He gets down into his ditch so that only his eyes and the top of his head are in sight at all. And he looks across an apparently empty plain to where in the dim distance, he is told the hostile entrenchments lie.

Never in a modern battle picture will a solid column of charging men be shown, rallying round their cherished battle flag, which can be seen but dimly through the clouds of black smoke.

Flags Never Carried

There are no battle flags, no smoke and no charging columns on modern battlefields. The presence of a flag on the battle line would instantly reveal its location to the enemy. Smokeless powder has taken the place of the old cloud-belching explosive, and one may look over a modern battlefield, with 100 field guns in action, and not be able to locate a single one of them. As for solid columns of charging men, a modern infantry attack is a far different affair.

On almost any modern battlefield it will be found that each of the contending parties will have in its possession maps showing every most minute variation of the ground. It is likely that each commander will have copies of his enemie's field maps, as well as his own. One of the delightful features of modern warfare is the creation of an international spy system, through which the various nations attempt to obtain by bribery and theft the maps and war secrets of each other.

Methods of Procedure

On these maps there may be shown 300 or more yards in advance of the first trench occupied by the infantry a small brook running through a shallow ditch. The immediate object of the infantry is to move forward and occupy that new cover.

First the field guns—and nowadays a whole regiment of such guns, each of which can fire ten shrapnel shots a minute is the recognized artillery unit—do their best to smother the enemy's artillery fire and to drown his trenches in a flood of bullets.

Shrapnel Shells

Each shrapnel shell bursts into from 100 to 200 projectiles. Then, while this fire is at its height, the infantry gets up—a squad of two at a time—and runs, dodging and bent over, to the ditch through which flows the little stream. They take advantage of every little hillock. A rise of a single foot will afford fairly good protection for a man who lies flat on the ground. So, by fits and starts, they run and they drop behind quickly dug and shallow embank lines. All the time the field guns are firing a rain of shrapnel over their heads. It is this delicate task of the gunners to so etime their shells that they shall burst when they reach the enemy's lines and not before, else the bullets may kill their own infantry.

Perhaps by the time the infantry is within close striking distance of the enemy its field guns may have silenced his artillery. Then it may be possible to order a charge with bayonets over the last few yards, which will finally drive the foe from his trenches. On the other hand the enemy's guns fire may prove superior and the infantry may be driven back across the field it has crossed. But the skillful commander will have figured out the chances and weighed the cost beforehand.

Costs are Weighed

At Mukden, Oyama, the chief, who was never closer than fifteen miles to the battlefield, telephoned to Kuroki commanding the first corps of the Japanese army, who also was never under fire, and asked how many men it would cost to capture a certain line of entrenchments.

"Three thousand," was the instant answer.

"Too much," said the field marshall, as if refusing the offer of a certain bill of goods. The attack was not ordered. War is a matter of business nowadays and the price asked for this particular bargain was not attractive to the purchasing agent.

ROYAL YEAST
MAKES PERFECT BREAD

ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY MEETS AT KELOWNA

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susceptibility of the host plants they adopt in their new surroundings, these being more susceptible to injury than the food plant of the insect in its own country which have been subject to its attack for many generations and have become in same degree immune or resistant. It was also shown that plants introduced into a country fall an easier prey to insects attack than do allied forms native to the country which by constant attack of the insects have gttained some vigor to resist attack. Mr. Treherne impressed on his hearers the desirability the co-operation between entomologists and propagators, nurserymen and plant breeders that the question of disease resistance might enter more largely into the make up of the many new varieties of plants which are being bred for greater size hardiness and perfection of color, etc.

Mr. Max Ruhman next presented a review of "The Comparative Prevalence of Insect Pests in various parts of the Okanagan," giving a comprehensive account of the depredations, in different sections of many of our commoner insect pests.

Mr. Thos. Cunningham, provincial fruit inspector then addressed the meeting on "Conditions Relative to the Codling Moth" giving a history of the outbreak of this disease at several points in the province of recent years and the manner in which the pest was introduced, impressing the meeting with the full seriousness and value of the careful inspection and searching of all possible sources of infection from this disease owing to the trivial and unsuspected manner in which the disease has sometimes proved itself to be introduced. Mr. Cunningham touched upon the success which had so far attended his efforts in the eradication of the disease and concluded with a plea for the hearty co-operation of all who can assist in the prevention and eradication of the disease.

This paper was followed by its complement, "The Control of Incipient Infection of Codling Moth," by Mr. W. H. Lyne, assistant provincial fruit inspector, embracing a comprehensive programme of the various measures which have been and are being used in fighting this disease to eradication. Mr. Lyne also drew the attention of the meeting to the necessity for the most exacting care and thoroughness being used in the eradication of this disease and mentioned a number of ways by which the insects in various stages may avoid destruction during a campaign if vigilance is relaxed in any way. Mr. Lyne also called for the co-operation of interested parties.

Mr. H. H. Creese, Assistant Fruit Pest Inspector then followed with some notes anh samples, illustrating the "Practical Farm Manufacture of Combined Insecticides." Mr. Creese showed a number of interesting samples of new combination sprays which after further trial under field conditions would promise to be of considerable value in the spray calendar.

The next paper on "The Occurrence of the Malarial Mosquito in the Okanagan" by Drs. R. B. White and Seymour Hadwen, was read in their absence by the secretary, and recorded the capture in the southern Okanaga of the mosquito Anopheles Maculipennis, which is well known to transmit the bacilli of malaria fever. It presence" the writers claimed does not necessarily infer the existence of malaria, as in eastern Canada Anapheles Maculiphennis is comparatively common, though malaria according to reports is now of rare occurrence, while in England, in certain malarial districts the disease has disappeare whilst the mosquitos show no corresponding decrease in numbers.

A paper was next read by the secretary, entitled "Sprays of up-to-date Interest" contributed by Mr. L. L. Palmer, horticulturalist of the Coldstream Estate Co., Vernon, who was unable to be present. Much valuable data was presented, largely upon the use of crude, distillate and other oil sprays, and formulae were given for their manufacture, coupled with a few timely warnings of pitfalls for the unwary in the obtaining and handling of the various ingredients. Oil sprays are advancing in use in western America during recent years and Mr. Palmer's address should prove of good value to many prospective users of oil sprays in this valley.

Mr. Tom Wilson of the Dominion Fruit Inspection Department next addressed the meeting on the subject of "Insect Pollination of Plants," giving the results of a series of experiments, extending over several years, with apple blossom under cover of muslin bags, proving the almost invariable infertility and unproductiveness of blossoms not visited by insects.

Professor Wilson of the Oregon Agricultural College, Cornwallis, Oregon, though unable to be present kindly contributed a series of notes on "B.C. Aphids," including descriptions of a species new to science and one new to North America which Professor Wilson collected on a visit to British Columbia in the summer of last year.

The evening session was taken up with an interesting address by Mr. J. W. Eastham, recently appointed provincial plant pathologist. In the course of his address. Mr. Eastham discussed the part played by insects in the dissemination of disease, with especial reference to the part they play in the spread of fire blight, and led the meeting towards its final business, a general discussion of the whole subject of fire blight led by Mr. Thos. Cunningham, Mr. Max Ruhman and Mr. Ben Hoy, and entered into with enthusiasm by many of the members present and by local fruit growers.

The meeting was honored in the afternoon by a visit from Mayor Jones who, in a brief and cordial way expressed his great interest in the work of the society, and offered the City's welcome to the visiting members, and concluded in wishing the society a very successful meeting, and future welfare.

During the course of the meeting it was announced that Mr. Treherne was about to relinquish the secretaryship of the society, and Mr. Tom Wilson proposed that a sincere vote of thanks be passed to Mr. Treherne for the good services he had rendered to the society which when Mr. Treherne first came to British Columbia was suffering from suspended animation. Mr. Treherne pieced together the remains of the old Entomological Society and largely by by his efforts it has grown to be the strong, active and vigorous institution it is today.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Cunningham, who expressed his hope that Mr. Treherne would still find himself able to take active interest in the doings of the society, even should he be removed from the immediate sphere of its activities.

The resolution was carried unanimously by a standing vote and suitably acknowledged by Mr. Treherne.

After a vote had been proposed by Mr. Cunningham and seconded by Mr. Creese, and carried, thanking Mr. I. E. Taylor for presiding at the meeting, the assembly broke up after very successful day, at 11 p.m.

In British Columbia last year bounties were paid on 58 golden eagles, 232 cougars, 277 wolves and 1618 coyotes.

Nails are not used in construction of Japanese houses. The parts are joined together by an ingenious system of mortising.

The Toronto expresses are the main line trains to be discontinued according to an official announcement made by Mr. Peters. The trains will be dropped from the regular schedule on Sept. 27th, when the new time table comes into force.

The Bear Creek Hotel, at Revelstoke owned by J. B. Cressman and Miles Custer, was burned to the ground last Wednesday morning. With the hotel were consumed the contents including two pool tables and a stock of groceries. The only article saved was the cash register. Several people were asleep in the hotel at the time and all got out safely although they had not time to finish dressing. It is believed that the fire was of incendiary origin.

In the best society the luncheon goodies used are the kinds we sell.

That means that when you wish to give your family or friends a treat you show wisdom in choosing from our extensive stock. Our luncheon goodies add to your reputation as a hostess and give increased delight to your family. A selec- of all the best and most delicious is carried. You can pick delicacies here to please all tastes.

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Great Britain and France have agreed to advance to Belgium $50,000,000 each to enable the nation to meet the necessities of the war.

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Count Okuma the Japanese premier declares that it is Japan's intention to eliminate from China the route of German influence.

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The Daily Express estimates that 200 German vessels, valued at $300,000,000 have been captured by the British, French and Russian warships, and 500 remain liable to capture.

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If this war continues for any length of time there is a big possibility that British Columbia will experience a famine in some of the drugs which are used a great deal for common ailments and which are manufactured only in Germany.

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The news that six British ironclads are now guarding the eastern coast of Canada, with a view to protecting Canadian commerce is such as will give a feeling of relief to both Canada and the United States.

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Col. Hughes stated than an independent offer of men by the province of Manitoba was not acceptable at present juncture, but informed the premier that he would advise later as to how best assistance could be given. A similar answer has been given to the province of New Brunswick, which offered an independent regiment.

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The executive council has decided that all pre-emptors who are members of the militia, naval volunteers, reservists or who have volunteered for active service may be given leave of absence from their pre-emptions upon application for the time they may remain in active service providing, however, that such leave of absence shall not be extended for a greater period than one year.

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All the morning papers in London denounce the German attempt to levy $40,000,000 in Brussels. The Germans also ask $10,000,000 from the city of Liege. The papers declare that such an assessment is opposed to all ideas of modern warfare and is worthy of the robber barons of the middle ages. It is supposed that the demand was accompanied by threats to destroy the beautiful public buildings of the cities.

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The government is investigating the question of possible confiscation of German investments belonging to combatants in the present war which have been made in Canada, and which aggregate over $100,000,000. It was announced two years ago that the Kaiser himself had invested largely in British Columbia timber and mining property. His agent in Canada is Baron Alvo von Alvensleben, Lieutenant of the German army, and it is stated that the latter, who maintains extensive offices in Vancouver and other provincial centres, has invested during the last three years considerable German capital in British Columbia timber limits to the extent of $29,000,000. No definite confirmation of this is available from the Dominion department of the Interior, but officials are now probing the matter. Possibly part of Canada's war budget may be financed by the simple process of confiscation of German money now in Canada. That has already been done in Germany in the case of British investments there. Cancellation of all German and Austrian patents held in Canada is another likely step.

GERMANS IN CANADA WOULD AVOID FRICTION

Theodore Schmidt, president of the German-Canadian Provincial Alliance, has written a message to his countrymen in Saskatchewan, calling upon them to avoid all causes of friction in order that the Canadian government may not suffer embarassment during the continuance of the war.

"All Germans will agree with me," he says, "that it is almost unbelievable that two nations so closely related as Great Britain and Germany should be at war with one another. I think they will also agree that we should pray for a speedy end to the animosity which exists between the two greatest states in the world. Bitter indeed it is for us who love our new home, to see this war, for our hearts still continue to cling to our old home land where our cradles stood But this country is our adopted home and there can be no doubt that all our German friends sincerely wish the best for Canada."

An official statement was made a few days ago that deliberate attempts were being made by the enemy to spread abroad false reports of defeats and disasters to the allies, hoping to profit by the resulting panic.

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The Standard Oil Company, the United States Steel Corporation and the United Fruit Company have notified the American government that all the vessels of their fleet will be put under the American flag.

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Official sources confirm the reports that the Austrians lost 20,000 men in the three days' fighting on the River Drina and that General Leman, the Belgian commander of the forts at Liege is a prisoner of the Germans and en route for Cologne. General Lehman was, until recently, the head of the Belgian military school and is considered an authority on military engineering. He is known as a determined and resourceful commander. He is 62 years of age.

WAR GLORY

What a thin veneer is our civilization. All in a minute Christendom is shouting over an opportunity to smash every thing that has been so laboriously achieved, and to kill people who but now were peacable neighbors. We do not glorify the hangman, however necessary the task. It may be necessary to send men forth to slay, if so let us not do it with joy, and pride, but with grief. It is glorious, we are in the habit of saying, to be willing to die for one's country. Let it be granted. But we do not go forth with any such intention. We go to kill as many of the opposing force as we can—to sweep regiments with sharpnels and to sink ships loaded with human life; and we hope to boast of the same. Whatever is to be said of the necessity of war, it is barbarous—it is canine to delight in it.—Witness.

OLD COUNTRY CROPS GOOD

The harvesting of wheat is finished in some sections of England, and the yield is well above the average. The potato crop is very large, being sufficient, without any addition from imports, to supply the demand for a year. Advices are to the effect that the cargoes of wheat in American vessels which, sailing Monday for United Kingdom ports total 1,544,000 bushels.

Information as to the harvests in Germany and Austria-Hungary indicate that these countries will not have a sufficient production of wheat, barley, oats and corn to supply their own needs, and that they will have to make large importations to prevent suffering. The question arises as to where they will obtain the required supplies. Grain being a contraband of war when sent to hostile countries, it will not be permitted to enter Germany.

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Water Adminstration in British Columbia

An Address by Wm. Young, Comptroller of Water Rights, at the Irrigation Convention at Penticton

As the province developed since 1900, and large undertakings were launched, whether in irrigation or land, development of power, or construction of waterworks, it became more and more obvious that administration under the Water Clauses Act of 1897 was ineffective.

The Water Act of 1909, an attempt to overcome this ineffectiveness was good so far as it went but the difficulties that arose from year to year necessitated annual amendment until, I am told, the Water Act became the joke of the session. Those, however, who have made a close study of water administration, consider the amendments of 1913 and 1914 of far reaching importance for they not only provide that which the Act was lacking in, namely, administrative machinery, but created such order in the arrangement that now the procedure can be easily followed.

The Act of 1913 came in for much criticism, a great deal of it unmerited. Talk, however, is cheap, and the opinions expressed would fill volumes. Improvement only comes through experience and the Act of 1914 as it stands may be said to represent the effort of not only experience in British Columbia, not only the experience of many who have given a lifetime to water administration in America, but also the investigation of water laws of the Empire. We do not claim that the Act is now perfect; conditions have arisen and will continue to arise that will, from time to time require addition and possibly amendment to meet them.

The purposes for which water rights may be acquired are 14 in number as set out in the beginning of the Act, and, if you will read through the Act you will find that of these three purposes stand out with prominence.

Irrigation by Individual Community, Company, Municipality or Corporation — Power and Waterworks.

Around these the administration machinery is being built, such machinery being capable of taking care of the remaining purposes which are also important. A broad distinction in purposes however may be said to exist; purposes that affect the public interest and purposes that affect the individual. In the light of this we have the Water Rights Branch in a process of organization to effectually administer these great purposes in particular. Beginning March 1st, 1913, each step taken has been retained but it will require time to complete if the best results are to obtain.

Investigation of conditions during 1912 showed conclusively that before water rights throughaut the province including the railway belt could be administered with any satisfaction, old records, of which there were about 8000, would require investigation and adjudication thereon. Although a board of investigation was provided under the Act of 1909, effective work was not accomplished until after the amendments of 1913, and the acceptance of the amended Railway Belt Water Act of the same year. If any success has resulted from the efforts of their tribunal during the last two seasons, it is as much as anything due to the fact that before a hearing was held the board was in possession of engineers' reports and maps that set out the facts. These hearings were very different from those formerly held without such information. This work of making reports for the board since April 1st, 1913 has taken fully nine-tenths of the time of our district engineers. This season will see it complete, so that now our staff is gradually working into the duties of administration in its several phases. Before I leave this matter of engineering investigation, I would like to mention that it means the preparation of 8080 plans of various sizes of which 2000 are complete, and as respects the season of 1913, out of a budget for that year of $145,000,000 an expenditure of $90,000.00 the balance $55,000.00 less a surplus at the end of the year of $2.75 representing cost of administration.

Concurrent with the time the board was re-organized and its powers enlarged by the amending act of 1913, the office of Water Commissioner or Comptroller was confirmed with enlarged powers and to assist him, provision made for the creation of districts and the appointment of engineers with special powers.

With this basis established, what remained then was a system for administration that would be efficient and at the same time effective. Considerable progress has been made at the head office with a system particularly adapted for the business of administration. District offices have been opened, which with the specific powers conferred on district engineers, have in many districts proven of assistance to water applicants and users and that there might be uniformity of effort, and order of work was adopted comprising eight different lines.

Systematic and Continuous work in Stream Gauging — Study of the proper duty on water — The prevention of wasteful use of water — Policing the Streams — Economic distribution and delivery of water — Inspecting water systems to determine their efficiency and safety — Determination of storage possibilities — Investigation of water powers.

As already stated, practically nine-tenths of the time of the district engineers and field forces have been taken up with investigation of old records and in the circumstances the administration of water under the several heads could not be carried out during 1913 in the manner we would have liked. Now that this special work is about finished, the main work is gradually being taken up and already considerable has been done in one or other of the lines mentioned.

You will note that this order of work involves the three great purposes referred to, which are of greater or less importance according to the district. In this district that which is of greatest importance is irrigation, although other purposes have their place.

IRRIGATION

Administration of water for irrigation is undoubtedly the most complicated. Prior to the Act of 1914 there was no provision that would enable the officers to cope with conditions that existed, and in the circumstances their hands were practically tied. The Act of 1914 included new sections which comprise the basic principles that make administration possible. These are as follows:

Limiting the quantity to beneficial use, that is to say: the quantity of water used per acre shall be limited to such quantity as experience may from time to time indicate to be necessary for the production of crops in the exercise of good husbandry.

Rotation in use,—when a number of water users arrange a system of rotation that will best meet the requirements of growing crops and at the same time secure an economic use of water.

Consideration of the particular crop grown,—A provision which opens the way for adjustment that is in the interest of a community as a whole.

It is not the intention to take up your time here in an argument on what kind of crops should be grown; for example whether a man should grow timothy and attempt a second crop, or grow alfalfa securing several crops and with greater economy of water. I do not consider myself qualified to discuss such an important subject, but as respects these principles and their administration. I am reminded of a statement of Sir William Wilcock's in reference to control of use of water in the prevention of deterioration of the land, as follows:

"In this report the government is autocratic, and can and must enforce the regulations devised by its experienced advisors. It need not await the slow education of the great body of water users before adopting those practices which experience has shown are necessary for the general prosperity."

For the administration of those principles, the powers of the district engineers were enlarged, and in carrying out any rotation of water, they may arrange, when necessary, for the appointment of water bailiffs whose duties and authority are clearly set out in the act that there may be no misunderstanding.

Then there are other important features that permit of effective administration and enable organization that will mean not only development, but co-operation among farmers. These are:

Water users communities with or without limited liability — Mutual water companies — Public Irrigation corporations.

Time will not permit of reference to these, other than to state that with those basic principles that make administration of water for irrigation possible, they are the reply of the government to the resolutions passed at previous conventions of this association held in British Columbia.

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Water Administration in British Columbia

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Recent amendments to the act in this respect were few, but of great importance. It is no longer possible for a company to organize with the minimum of capital permissible in the Companies' Act for an undertaking requiring several millions of dollars for construction. Administration in the long run is now simplified by making it impossible for a speculative element to secure and hold a valuable franchise. And since the purpose of "power" is governed by the rules and regulations that provide not only for construction within a reasonable time but regulation during the time of operation.

The chief work of power administration begins with the operation period. For the present the determination of fees to be charged is occupying our attention. Under the rules and regulations they may be based on reasonable station output. This year we are taking this as the average daily horse power arrived at from the total annual output in kilowatt hours at the power house switchboard.

Hydro-electric power, however is a specialty and we will is due course have a section of our staff devoting its whole time to its administration and study. As respects the latter, the problem that is of economic importance is "to what extent should the Crown have interested?" We have the example of the Ontario hydro-electric, the progress of which we much follow, analyzing reports and criticisms pro and con. And there is the other side, the principle that all public utilities as natural monopolies be placed under regulation by the Crown.

The work of investigation of water powers will include all streams that promise power, be they small or large. The value of the small power cannot be overestimated; their investigation will be thorough, as reliable data on a small power may mean to some community in its vicinity, the establishment of an important industry.

WATER WORKS

The third great purpose to which I have referred as being of public interest is waterworks.6 There are some here who have lived in eastern cities and come through a scourge or two of typhoid. To you the importance of proper administration cannot be overestimated. Aside from the general office work in the issue of licences, we have kept an engineer and party investigating watersheds from which domestic water is drawn by centres of population. The order of wark is:

Determination of drainage area -- Extent of run-off or systematic stream gauging. — Timber cruising to determine how much is merchantable and whether or not the timber as a whole is a factor in the regulation of stream flow — Alienated timber — Alienated land, the purpose for which it is held — Other rights whether water or mineral and the use to which such are being put.

The value of the results to obtain from this work must become of greater importance from year to year, and with the co-operation of an active provincial board of health there should be available for the various centres of population, data that will be a guide in securing and guarding sources of pure domestic water. 6

CONCLUSION

I have referred to the duties of the district engineers as covering those great purposes. It must be obvious to you that it will be impossible for them to give every line of work laid down the attention it merits. For example, take "Duty of Water", a work that will demand the whole time of one man who must specialize in it. It is not the intention that the district engineers will be relieved of responsibility here, on the contrary their co operation is essential. Then again there is special work arising in the formation of irrigation corporations, a work on which the board of investigation and the comptroller and staff have a joint responsibility and although the prospective corporations now before us are being dealt with, a qualified man must be placed in charge of some phases of it. The administration, of power and waterworks require similar treatment. And what about stream gauging?

When the province took over from the Dominion the administration of water rights in the railway belt, the latter decided to continue on with its hydrographic survey. It was considered that it would be advantageous to the province if it could co-operate with the Dominion along lines similar to those in operation in the United States. An agreement was accordingly arrived at and so we have the B. C. hydrographers who are now gauging all the important streams south of the railway belt. These men have no administrative powers in respect of water rights, they are simply observers and recorders of stream flow and run off from year to year over periods that will give complete cycles for each stream. Our district engineers are to an extent relieved of this work, except in sections where irrigation is practiced and administration directly depends on it.

Now it may appear to some that since the procedure in acquiring water rights is fixed by law, officers empowered to issue and administer rules and regulations approved of by the Lieutenant Governor in council for carrying out the spirit, intent, meaning and purpose of the act, 'an order of work laid down, all that is expected of the officials is that they carry on the work of systematizing. There is however, a larger sphere that can only be appreciated by a vision of what British Columbia might be if its population was 4 million instead of 400,000. If the administration of water rights is to count for anything, the requirements of the different sections of the country must be anticipated. If this valley is to develop, hydrographic and topographic surveys are as necessary as land surveys. It will be of interest to some of you to know that within two years there will be a complete topographic surveys of this valley for the determination of watersheds the work now being well advanced. It is hoped that by that time every creek in the valley will be traversed and every reservoir possibilities investigated, stream gauging all the while being carried on.

Just another instance of the importance of anticipation. In the recent report of the agricultural commission reference is made to well drilling and in all probability it will be considered when parliament again meets. If the problem is to be intelligently dealt with, then the honorable the minister should have a report of what has already been accomplished in the province. By December it will be complete and will comprise an analysis the attempt of 15 years ago in the railway belt and complete information of some 200 wells in the Fraser River delta. Also general information of how this work is handled in other tail. Well drilling means large expenditure of money and far that reason, countries with figures of costs in detail. Well drilling means large expenditure of money and for that reason. If any policy is formulated it must be upon lines that will ensure the greatest success possible.

The success of any administration depends upon the principles laid down In the case of water rights, a knowledge of business, engineering and some branches of law is involved. Because of this, the principles enunciated by a recent writer particularly apply. There are: Decision, initiative, preliminary planning, subordination of detail, discipline and concentration to secure success.

Notwithstanding what may be your opinion of how far we have applied the first five of these, we have lived up to the last one in respect of the old records. As already stated this special field work will be practically completed this year. The success that has attended the board of investigation in its adjudication is encouraging. Out of 3000 decisions to date, but three appeals have been made and two of these are now in default. We are hopeful this measure of success will continue, and as respects administration a beginning has been made.6

THE MORATORIUM

Moratorium, a word much in evidence today, is little known for the simple reason that it has never hitherto been required. It is derived from the Latin aad in law means a legal title to delay the making of a due payment—hence ie has been extended to include any act of a legislature which suspends payment of legal debts. Britain—really London— has been long the great international exchange, the clearing house where the debts and credits of the world trade are balanced and settled.

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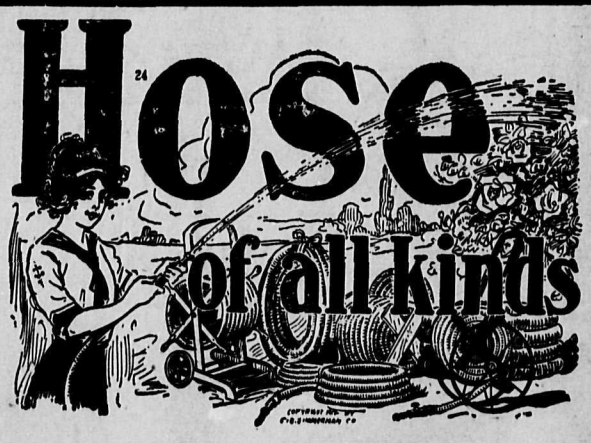

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TOWN AND COUNTRY NOTES

Mr. W. Easton paid a business visit to Vernon last week end.

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Miss Conwin returned to the city last week end after having spent an enjoyable holiday at the coast.

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Miss Corbett, of the school staff arrived home from her holidays on Saturday afternoon.

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Mr. Fred Nicholson, of Kamloops arrived on Tuesday afternoon on a visit to relatives here.

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Mr. Ray Patten left last week for Lumby, where he has received the appointment of provincial constable.

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Dr. Spencer conducted the services in the Baptist church on Sunday evening last.

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Miss Dorothy Hogarth left last Sunday morning for the old country.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Newby and Leo returned Sunday from the coast.

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Miss Anna Knight left on Monday's boat for the coast.

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Some new local films will be shown at the Opera House on Friday, including the departure of the local troops.

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Mrs. C. A. Wilson will not receive until the second Wednesday in October and only on the second Wednesday of each month.

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Mr. J. Meuser arrived in town Friday from Edmonton to spend a brief visit with friends. He left again on Sunday morning for Vancouver.

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Rev. W. T. Beattie will preach at Benvoulin on Sunday evening next at 7.30, taking as his subject "Glorying in the cross." A hearty welcome is extended to all.

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A motor party, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Teal and Miss Gladys Teal paid a visit to Vernon and Lumby last Sunday.

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In the Baptist church next Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. D. J. Welsh will speak on "Big Business'. The evening theme will be "Unconscious loss."

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The marriage took place yesterday at the Baptist church of Mr. Thomas Barrett to Miss Alice Jane Hamer, both of Kelowna. Rev. D. J. Welsh officiated.

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Valley contributions to the $100,000 Hospital Ship fund being raised by the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire in Canada, have been announced as Armstrong $250; Penticton $900 Kelowna $210, Vernon $963.90.

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Two German travellers are said to have tempted with a $5.00 bill the captain of one of the Okanagan Lake Boat Company's boats if he would fly the German flag from Penticton to Naramata. While the money was good Canadian currency needless to say this offer was not accepted.

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Thos. Buchanan, son of Dr. Buchanan of Peachland was fatally injured last week as he attempted to board a moving engine on the Kettle Valley railway where he was employed. He died shortly after his arrival at Penticton hospital, whither he was conveyed. The unfortunate young man was well known throughout the valley for his connection with aquatic sports, he having taken a prominent part on several occasions in the Kelowna regatta. He was recently made captain of the Penticton war canoe crew.

War will be declared in a few days upon grouse and deer.

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Through an error the name of Mrs. L. V. Rogers' sister, who is on a visit from North Bay, was given as Whitehead. It should have been Mrs. J. B. Stewart.

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The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold their first regular auxiliary meeting on Wednesday next in the S. S. Hall at 3 p.m. All ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to join the auxiliary and help on the missionary work. The regular day of meeting is the first Wednesday of each month.

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The Opera House is the scene of many stirring encounters these days, where anxious mothers meet to discuss the possible results of the voting in the popular baby contest. The entries have been numerous and the voting gets keener every day. So far none of the contestants have a big lead the tally being almost equal amongst the ten leaders, whose pictures are shown in Mr. Hudson's show case on Bernard avenue every day. All those receiving 100 votes by tonight, (Thursday) are to have their pictures taken in the "movies" and they will be shown on the screen on Monday night. The contest closes on Wednesday night when the final count will be made at the Opera House by the judges, three well known local gentlemen.

Rutland News

(From our own Correspondent.)

Mrs. F. B. Harrison has purchased Lot No. 22. of the second subdivision from Messrs. Duncan, Wallace and Patterson.

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The annual Harvest Thanksgiving service will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday, Sept. 6th, at 7.30 p.m. The church will be suitably decorated with fruit and flowers in season and special music will be rendered.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Bromage and family, lately of Cornwall, England arrived in Rutland last week and intend making an extended visit with Mr. Cownie.

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On Monday evening the Ladies' Aid have in hand a supper and program to be given in the school house on which they are expending a considerable amount of energy and which they hope will provide a thoroughly enjoyable occasion.

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A most successful and enjoyable ice cream social was held on the evening of Tuesday last week under the auspices of the young ladies of the Presbyterian church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dalgleish. The ground in front of the house was decorated with flags, bunting and Chinese lanterns, while in the background a huge Union Jack, kindly lent for the occasion gave quite a martial appearance to the festivities. After tea, cake and sandwiches had been partaken of, the following most enjoyable program was rendered:

Pianoforte and violin selection
Misses Dalgleish and Mrs. Leithead
Vocal solo. ....Mrs. Thompson
Piano solo .... Mr. Etter
Recitation .... Mr. Coventry
Solo .... Mr. Beattie
Speech ....Rev. Tanner
Solo .... Mr. G. Fuller
Piano solo .... Miss E. Jones
Solo .... Miss Griffiths
Piano solo .... Mr. Jackson
Solo .... Mr. Maguire

The evenings proceedings closed with three cheers for Mr. and Mrs. Dalgleish and the singing of "God Save the King."

A GOOD LITTLE DEVIL

At the Opera House next Thursday night (Famous Players Feature Night) Daniel Frohman presents the famous modern fairy play, "A Good Little Devil," in motion pictures with David Belasco's original all-star caste, including Miss Mary Pickford, who has added to her popularity as a famous film star the glory of a stage triumph and who returns to motion pictures in the role which won this new distinction. The play, "A Good Little Devil," is described as poetry and fantasy, mingled with reality, a human film echoing the cry of the world.

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Applications for the lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns shall be furnished at least once a year.

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W. W. CORY.
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

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it was impossible for the council to promise any improvements this year. The Public Works committee had laid off all their teams and any further work upon the streets this year would depend upon payment of taxes.

Alderman Rattenbury said that realizing the need for economy in every direction, several people had spoken to him is respect to the building inspector's salary. The question had been asked whether in view of the cessation of building operations, such an official was necessary, or at any rate, whether the salary attached to the position should not be reduced for a time. As the matter had been mentioned to him he felt obliged to bring it before the council.

The question was referred to the Building committee to investigate and report at next meeting.

Alderman Taylor, chairman of the Sewerage committee invited the members of the council to visit the sewerage disposal works that afternoon at 2.30, when the "Imhoff" tank would be blown off for the first time.

Mayor Jones reported that he had been informed by Mr. Crawford that the cost of the special war news furnished by him since the commencement of hostilities was too heavy for him to bear alone and that the service would be discontinued unless he received some monetary assistance.

The council after some discussion decided to contribute a sum, not exceeding one dollar per day until the next regular meeting.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

W. Haug, cement	$672.00
G. E. Ritchie, auto at fire	5.00
H. Maidment street work	6.90
C. P. R., freight	97.55
Dalgleish & Harding, auto at fire (2 times)	10.00
H. Herbert, waterworks	3.98
J. L. Wilson, power house	18.00
Kelowna Implement Co. supplies	86.40
Robertson-Godson Co. sewer supplies	99.75
Robertson-Godson Co. waterworks supplies	61.90
Can. Westinghouse Co., supplies	78.60
Office Specialty Mfg. Co.	9.20
Maysmith & Lowe, powerhouse supplies	9.65
Crane Co., supplies	84.33
Crane Co. W.W. supplies	26.73
McColl Bros. Co. supplies	42.50
C. C. Snowdon, potato scale powder	81.80
Can. Consolidated Rubber Co. 500 feet fire hose	525.00
Garlock Packing Co., supplies	17.93
Can. Gen. Elec. Co. supplies	1,501.19
International Engineering Wks. supplies	115.00
Fleck Bros. Ltd. power house supplies	17.14
Weddell & Gribble, legal fees	3.80
T. Lawson Ltd., supplies for fire department	89.60
Drs. Knox & Campbell, services	17.00
A. J. Jones, power house	47.80
Kelowna Carriage Works., work and supplies	55.95
Kelowna Courier, printing, advertising and stationery	552.00
Kelowna Growers' Exchange waterworks supplies	12.60
W. Haug, general supplies	227.72
Crawford & Co. stationery	23.20
W. R. Trench, stationery	42.05
G. Markham, cleaning	19.25
Kings Printer, prov. acts	2.00
P. B. Willits & Co. stationery	32.75
Etter & Simpson, sewerage supplies	2.00
D. D. Campbell, supplies	4.10
Morrison-Thompson Hardware Co., supplies	5.65
I. S. Chamberlin, work and supplies	55.35
Kelowna Garage & Machine Works, gen. acct.	5.80
Geo. Thomlinson, supplies	.65
Max Jenkins & Co., teaming	226.00
O. K. Lumber Co., Lumber	113.20
Kelowna Machine Shops, work and supplies	40.10
Dalgleish & Harding, supplies	22.45
T. Treadgold, work for fire department	2.50
James & Trenwith, supplies	198.61
W. M. Parker, water meter repairs	.68
H. G. Blair, gen. acct.	5.15
Dr. A. H. Huycke, services	20.88
D. Leckie, supplies	63.16
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PROPOSED FORMATION OF HOME GUARDS

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hall, but the matter had evidently aroused greater enthusiasm than they had anticipated. He was sure they all realized the great peril in which the empire was placed at the present moment from the war which was proceeding in Europe. Kelowna had already given many men to help in the defence of their country, and it was a matter for pride to see the readiness and enthusiasm with which they had responded to the call for volunteers. The latest war despatches were more serious than they had imagined and he was sure each one wanted to do his utmost to help. He had noticed that in Vancouver there was a movement on foot to form the basis of a volunteer "home guard" and the suggestion had been made to form a similar body here. He would call upon Dr. Boyce, who had approached the council on the matter to explain his ideas.

Dr. Boyce said he had talked with few of the citizens about taking steps for home defence in case of need, and they had thought it advisable to call a public meeting to discuss the matter. Accordingly he had, along with Mr. McLaren, got up a petition signed by some sixty citizens asking the council to call a meeting. He thought it would be a good idea to get some one to act as drill master and drill all who were willing, so that if a second call for volunteers was made they would have some material ready and so save time.

Messrs. Pooley, Dart, Stone, James, Dennison, Rogers, DeHart, Dr. Thayer, Capt. Brush and Major Perry took part in the subsequent discussion, but it was evident that it was impossible without further information to formulate any definite plan of organization. Numerous, more or less conflicting suggestions were made, the concensus of opinion being in favor of some body not attached to the regular militia, which, however could act as a feeder to the militia if more men were called for.

Ultimately a committee was appointed on the suggestion of the Mayor, consisting of Capt. Brush, Mr. Dennison, Dr. Boyce, W. H. Crawford, G. F. James, A. R. Pooley and E. M. Carruthers, to make enquiries as to a practicable scheme and report to a meeting which would be announced later.

The committee remained in consultation for some time after the public had dispersed and drew up a letter to Major Snyder, the acting commissioner of the R.N.W.M.P., at Vancouver, who was endeavoring to organize home guard there.

Major Snyder was informed that the meeting had been in favor of forming a semi-military body of special constables, much on the same standing as the Mounted Police for service in Kelowna and the immediate vicinity. Many citizens whose health or home ties would prevent them from volunteering for active service might thus give excellent help in effecting the security of their own country. The letter also asked for information as to the steps necessary to procure drill manuals and rifles.

Lieutenant Pyman was in town this week taking leave of friends before leaving for Valcartier, he having left the local squadron of B. C. Horse, to volunteer for active service. He and Lieut. Mathieson of Vernon, and 25 others from various points in the valley took train yesterday, and will in all likelihood be included in the next contingent for the front.

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The Gazette announces the decision of the British government to put into force the Declaration of London as though it had been ratified. This decision was taken in view of the fact that British, French and Russian navies are acting jointly and France and Russia had given notice of their intention to act in accordance with the provisions during the present hostilities. This means that neutral goods are not subject to seizure on the sea.

Dominion Fruit Inspector Johnson, of Ottawa was in Kelowna for a short time last week. In company with Mr. J. E. Reekie he visited many of the orchards of the district,, expressing very great pleasure and satisfaction with the condition of things in general.

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