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City Council Reduces Hotel Licenses

Daylight Saving Adopted—Increase in Light and Water Rates Recommended

A deputation of representatives from the three local hotels waited on the city council Friday morning, their object being to petition the council for a reduction of the licence.

The deputation, which consisted of Messrs. G. F. Budden, Geo. Peabody, and Bert Johnson, drew the attention of the council to the fact that while there was very little business doing at the present time, they would shortly be compelled to reduce their hours and make other changes to comply with the new legislation. They did not think that conditions at the present time warranted the high licence which was being charged.

The deputation withdrew after presenting their case, being promised the consideration of the council to their request. Later the subject was taken up again, and various suggestions discussed. There was a general feeling that the hotels were entitled to some reduction from the licence charged when conditions were more favorable to their business. It was decided at last to reduce the licence to $300, at which figure it had originally stood.

Ald. Duggan made a report in connection with the Water and Light department. He stated taht for some time past the plant had been operated at a loss of over $300 per month, and the committee had therefore decided to recommend a raise in the rates charged to consumers, every possible economy having been effected. The increases suggested were for Light, from 15c to 18c per kilowatt, and for Water from 15c to 18c per 1000 gallons, with a meter rent of 15c per month on both light and water and a meter rent of 25c per month on power meters.

These increases which were equivalent to a raise of 20 per cent., he thought would be quite sufficient to cover the deficiency.

Alderman Millie reported upon an investigation he had been making regarding the lighting at the Fire Hall, where he figured he could make a very big saving. He said the bill for water and light at the Fire Hall amounted to about $400 a year. This was something enormous, and he had had thought of a scheme whereby he could save $250 on this one item alone He proposed to rewire the Hall so as to allow all the big lights to be cut off during the night, leaving only one or two small lights burning.

Ald. Millie also drew attention to the need of a handrail on the steps leading to the upper storey.

After some discussion he was given authority to see to these matters.

Ald. Duggan stated that the Water and Light committee had made arrangements with the Kelowna Sawmill to supply sawdust for fuel at the rate of $10 per day. In answer to Ald. Millie, it was stated that under the new arrangement the Sawmill Co. would pay the city for all water and light used by them.

Ald. Harvey informed the council that the laying of the water pipe to the cemetery had been completed, and as soon as the connections were made the water would be available for the use of the public. There would be a tap each for the public and the English Church sections of the cemetery.

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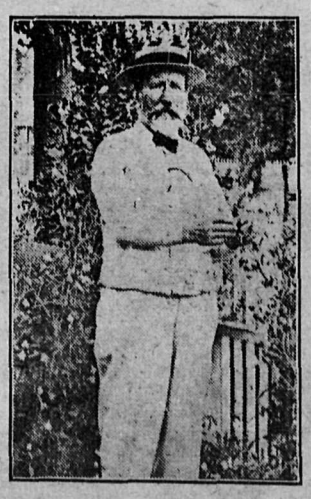

C. E. LAWRENCE,
Local secretary of the Western Canada Irrigation Association, Kamloops.

Farmers' Institute in New Quarters

Room in Board of Trade Building to be Open Every Day

The Farmers' Institute has now completed the alteration and rearrangment of the room rented from the Board of Trade. The main room which is entered from the sidedoor, is now open every day in the week for the use of members of the Institute as a general reading room. Here will also be found supplies of government bulletins on various farming subjects. A new travelling library has recently arrived, and the books can be taken out or exchanged every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon, on which days the secretary is in attendance.

In connection with the library department of the Institute, it has been suggested that there are many people who have good books, novels or otherwise stored away on their shelves for which they have very little use, and if these were given to the Institute they might afford pleasure to many. The Institute would be very grateful for donations of this kind, with a view to forming a good permanent library. It would be as well if donors of books would also enclose a card giving their names and the number of books sent in order that the secretary could acknowledge them if arriving when he did not happen to be in attendance.

The front part of the building has been divided into two offices. That on the left is to be used by the secretary of the Institute, while the enlarged office on the right is for Mr. Ben Hoy, who has now removed his headquarters as district fruit inspector from Vernon to Kelowna. Mr. Hoy's territory extends from Okanagan Centre to the Similkameen, and he has assistants at Kelowna, Summerland, and Penticton. Here Mr. Hoy will be pleased to receive enquiries from any orchardist who is seeking advice or assistance.

The Board of Trade room can be rented as usual for the purpose of holding meetings, etc., and enquiries should be made to the secretary of the Farmers' Institute, Mr. R. L. Dalglish any Saturday or Wednesday afternoon or phone 2501.

Mobilization Camp to be Opened June 5th

The central mobilization camp at Vernon will be reopened June 5th, according to an announcement by Col. Duff Stuart, district officer commanding. An advance party of the 121st Western Irish Battalion is preparing the consentration base for occupancy by the 7000 troops which willbe assembled there this summer, while a detachment of engineers are enlarging the water system and making other preparations of a special nature.

Col. Gregory, brigadier of one of the eastern forces mobilized at Petawawa, has been appointed commandant of the camp. His staff will be announced on his arrival from the Dominion capital. He will leave at once to assume his new duties.

The 121st will be the first battalion to go into camp at Vernon. It will be followed by the 158th Duke of Connaught's Own, the 131st, and 172nd in the order named. The 225th (Kootenay), and the 231st Seaforths of Vancouver will join the mainland troops in the Okanagan when their full establishments have been secured.

The 102nd, 103rd, 143rd, and the 11th C. M. R. Battalions will go to Sydney, Vancouver Island.

Four mischevious boys were brought before the magictrate yesterday on a charge of wilful damage at the curling rink. It appears they have been in the habit of playing with the "stones" and rolling them around on the concrete floor. This rough treatment has resulted in considerable chipping of the stones and damage to the handles, many of which have been wrenched off altogether. One of the boys was fined $10 and costs or ten days imprisonment, and the other $5 or nve days. The other two were dismissed with a warning.

Three of the same boys were also charged with wilfully doing damage to a bicycle. It appears that they set upon another boy who was riding his bicycle and pulled him off, damaging the machine. They were ordered to pay the $3.50 which was the bill for repairing the machine.

Work Will Start Soon on the Kamloops-Kelowna Line

C. N. R. Officials Make Important Statements During Visit to Kelowna Tuesday

That within two months work will be commenced on the projected Canadian Northern Railroad line from Kamloops to Kelowna, and that in all probability the line will be sufficiently completed to handle the crop of 1917, was the important announcement made Tuesday morning by Mr. M. H. McLeod, the general manager of the C. N. R., to a group of business men who had gathered in the Board of Trade room at the invitation of Mayor Jones to meet Mr. McLeod and his party.

The general manager, accompanied by chief engineer, T. H. White, and Mr. D. J. McDonald, the right-of-way agent had motored down from Vernon in the course of a tour of inspection of the territory through which the line will pass, arriving in Kelowna about 9 o'clock a. m. Mr. Price Ellison also accompanied the railroad men from Vernon.

As might of been expected, after the many disappointments which have been suffered by the people of the district, and the long drawn out delays in getting down to actual realization of their hopes, Mr. McLeod was questioned very closely regarding the intentions of the company.

He said that negotiations were now in progress for the sale of the bonds, and that when these were successfully concluded there was nothing to prevent the line going forward to completion. He himself was very strongly impressed with the need of the line which he looked upon as one of the chief fiedders of their British Columbia system.

He pointed out that by connecting up the Okanagan with the main line a good deal of new territory in northern Alberta and the Peace River district would be rendered available to fruit shippers, and made many enquiriet as to the present and prospective volume of tonnage from the district.

Later the party, accompanied by Mayor Jones took a motor trip over the benches, and through the principal fruit districts, and it was evident that the officials had their previous notions of the district greatly enlarged by what they saw.

Pioneer Railroader Passes Away Suddenly

James J. Hill, the great railroad magnate, and one of the builders of western America, died at St. Paul, on Monday, following an operation, which on account of his age, 78 years, he was unable to resist.

The history of Hill's life is the history of the development of the American northwest. Fifty years ago he was a dock clerk in St. Paul and practically penniless. He died a multi-millionaire. Lord Mount Stephen, Lord Strathcona, Herman W. Ellison, formed a trio which bought in the bonds of the old Minnesota and Pacific Railway, putting Hill in charge. This was the beginning of the great Hill railway system. With the completion of the Great Northern to the Pacific Coast, steamship lines to the Orient were established to provide a market for American goods. The development of the country through which the roads travelled was the great life work of his transportation genius. The construction of the north bank road to Spokane and Portland and subsequent establishment of a steamer line to San Francisco were the final great efforts of his life.

Hill's activity continued to the last. He held a business conference on his deathbead. Realizing that his illness was probably fatal, on Sunday he called several railroad officials to his bedside for instructions regarding the disposition of several pending matters. He also conferred with bank officials. One of the last gigantic deals in which he participated was the allies' loan.

Mr. Hill was a close personal friend of the King of Belgium, and did everything in his power to assist the King and the people of that stricken land.

McCUBBIN - FOREMAN

The wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse yesterday of W. A. McCubbin to Mrs. Foreman. The ceremony, which was a very quiet one, was performed by the Rev. A. Dunn. Later the happy couple motored to Vernon on their way to Banff, where a short honeymoon will be spent. Both bride and groom are well-known in Kelowna, and ahost of friends will wish them every happiness.

Lieut. W. R. Barlee Returned from the Front

Lieut. W. R. Barlee arrived home last Thursday for a well earned rest after his experiences in the trenches. The Volunteer Reserve was lined up to aid in the enthusiastic reception which was given by the crowd of citizens who assembled on the wharf to greet him, and when he stepped off the boat he had a busy time shaking the hands which were held out to him. Outwardly, Lieut. Barlee was looking well and none the worse for his experiences, but appearances are not always to be trusted, for though bronzed with the outdoor life he had led, the awful experiences he has undergone have left their mark on his nervous system, which has suffered considerably.

Lieut. Barlee left Kelowna early in the war with the B. C. Horse, afterwards transferring to the C. M. R. with whom he has served in the thick of the fighting. After some six and a half months of trench warfare he has found it necessary to have a rest, and has been invalided home for two months. It is unlikely that his presen state of health will allow him to go back to France for some time, however, and when his leave has expired it is expected that he will be given duty in Canada.

The pagoda at the rear of the Aquatic pavilion has been opened up for the season this week, and refreshments of various kinds will be on sale under the capable management of Miss Wallison.

Construction work on a 35,000 bushel capacity elevator will shortly be started at Kamloops. The structure will be put up by the Kamloops Farmers Elevator and Grain Association, which has recently been incorporated.

BIRTHS

PAISLEY.—On Friday, May 12th, at Greenside, Maybole, Ayrshire, Scotland to the wife of W. H. Paisley, a daughter.

STOCKS.—To Mr. and Mrs. L. Stocks, on Thursday, May 25th, a son.

Start Saving Daylight on Sunday Next

According to the decision of the city council after representations made by the Board of Trade, the Merchants' Association and others, all the clocks in the city will be advanced one hour from midnight, Sunday, June 4, till midnight, Sunday, October 1.

When you go to bed on Sunday night put your clocks forward one hour and you will have done all that is necessary.

W. C. T. U. Eleventh Annual Convention

Delegates Attend From All Parts of the Okanagan

The eleventh annual district convention for the Okanagan District, of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held in Kelowna on Thursday and Friday of last week, the public meetings being in the Opera House and the sessions in the Presbyterian Church. The principal speaker was Mrs. Gordon Wright, the Dominion President of the W. C. T. U.

The Okanagan Valley was well represented, and the following is the list of delegates:

Armstrong.—Mrs. Ball, Mrs. Simington, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Arnott, and Mrs. Thomas.

Vernon.—Mrs. Doherty, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Atkinson.

Kelowna.—Mrs. Swerdfager, Mrs. C. Wilson, and Miss Porte.

Naramata.—Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Hughes and Miss Noyes.

Summerland.— Mrs. Conway, Mrs. Kelly and Miss Dale.

Penticton.—Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Young.

Keremeos.—Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Keeler, and Mrs. Harrison.

The following Silver Medalists were also present to compete for the Gold Medal: Misses Brown and Angwin, and Master Fraser Lister, of Summerland; Mrs. Hunter of Vernon, and Miss Raymer of Kelowna.

On the arrival of the boat on Thursday afternoon the delegates were taken for a motor drive around the K.L.O. Bench, which they thoroughly enjoyed.

The first meeting, which was held in the evening in the Opera House, was well attended. Mayor Jones presided and welcomed the delegates to the city in a pithy little speech. He was delighted to welcome the delegates from the south end of the lake where the apricots were in bloom, and from the north end, where they produce the apple in abundance, and raise the famous Irish "fruit," the Perfect, Gem and Mortgage Lifter. He referred to the Prohibition Bill, which he said would be a great mortgage lifter. He was pleased to see the great step forward that the cause of women had taken in the last two years. No one showed a greater degeee of patriotism than the women of the empire, and the women of Canada are not behind those across the sea. They sent their boys to do their share of the work, the women endeavoring to carry on the work left by the husbands and sons who have gone to the front. We must look to the mothers of the country to take a deep interest in the schools. If they were in close touch with the teachers of the public schools, and took some interest in the educational life of their children, they would be able to promote the best interests of temperance, for the boy will not depart from the lessons of temperance learned at school when he grows up. He thought it only right to refer to the great work of the founder of the W. C. T. U., Miss Frances Willard, who did so much to promote the interests of the society. "You are near," he said, "to victory, see that you attain it. Your interest in the great temperance movement will need to be backed by every effort you can give it."

Mr. L. V. Rogers then gave an address on the economic side of the temperance question, and quoted statistics to prove that if the money invested in the manufacture of liquor were to be invested in any oeher manufacture, the producing power would be increased many fold.

After the singing of "O, Canada," the Mayor introduced the guest of honor, Mrs. Gordon Wright, Dominion President of the W. C. T. U., who gave a very interesting address on "Tokens of Coming Victory." Referring to the great war as being an instrument in bringing these tokens of victory, she said that it was a war in defence of the principles upon which our empire is founded: justice, liberty and freedom, and even more than that, the very principles of our Christian civilization. The mothers of Canada would not dare lay detaining hands on their boys in defence of these principles, which mean more than human life to us. Some of the tokens of coming victory mentioned were the Prohibition Bill just introduced into the provincial legislature, the prohibition of vodka in the Russian Duma, and the prohibition of the use of absynthe during the war in France. Every province in the east save one, was under the prohibition banner. Mrs. Wright then gave an interesting account of her investigations into the working of the prohibitory law in Prince Edward Island,

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Legislature Prorogued After Record Session

By-Election Fraud Investigation Committee Presents its Report

The Legislature prorogued Wednesday evening when the Lieut.-Governor gave his formal assent to the bills passed within the last month or two.

The session has been a record one, lasting three months, with approximately 85 sittings of the House, and 130 committee meetings.

The election writs are issuable July 5th, and as nominations are this year six weeks before polling day, the election cannot take place before August 20th. It will probably come about the first of September, unless some decision is made later for a postponement.

Premier Bowser is to go on a tour of Vancouver Island next Wednesday, and round about June 17th he will go north and over the G.T. P. He will tour southern B. C. some time about the end of July or early in August.

The report of the Vancouver election frauds investigation committee was presented yesterday afternoon. There was no discussion whatever. The committee finds that there was a conspiracy to carry on wholesale personation in Vancouver for the election of the Liberal candidate, and pluggers were brought in from Seattle and picked up in Vancouver at ten dollars each. They were paid by J. T. Scott or his workers. J. T. Scott was found to have prepared lists for personating, and to have prepared also pluggers' cards. It was found also that Scott was paid his salary by the Provincial Liberal Association, of which Mr. M. A. Macdonald, the Liberal Candidate, is chairman. It was found by the committee that detectives employed by by Macdonald and Scott, to watch the Conservatives, found that no illegal practices had been carried on by them. H. H. Pearce, one of Scott's workers, was induced to go to Seattle by motor car and was there kept practically in duress to prevent him from appearing before the investigating committee. The committee does not make a finding on "some of the personal relations of the Liberal candidate with those who carried on personation," meaning the Gosden-Macdonald fifty-dollar episode, as this matter is in dispute in the courts. It recommends that the Attorney-General's department continue the work of investigation.

Kelowna Volunteer Reserve

The attendance at Monday night's drill was very much better than usual but there were not sufficient men to enable company and platoon drill to be practiced, notwithstanding this a very pleasant and profitable evening was put in at squad and rifle drill.

To make up for the shortage of men the executive are seriously thinking of forming a section or two composed of ladies, if the ladies are willing. Sergt. Chaplin will agree to give a squad separate instruction until it is sufficiently advanced to join a general parade. The executive feel sure the Kelowna ladies would prove apt and industrious cadets, entering heartily into the spirit of the thing.

At the meeting after the parade, it was decided to hold a smoker in Raymer's Hall on Tuesday, June 6th, in honor of Lieut. Barlee, C. M. R. at which the lieutenant had promised to address the men on his experiences in the trenches. Music will be supplied and an admission of 25c. charged to cover expenses.

The ladies interested in the Reserve are kindly requested to contribute tea, coffee, cake, etc. All members and their friends are invited to attend.

The Crop and Orchard Competitions being organized by the Farmers' Institute have drawn a fair amount of entries, but not nearly so many as there should be from a district like this, and the secretary is therefore endeavoring to have the period for entries extended for another two weeks. Anyone desirous of doing so should therefor send on their entry at once and take a chance of its being accepted.

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All changes in contract advertisements must be in the hands of the printer by Tuesday evening to ensure publication in the next issue.

W.C.T.U. HOLDS ELEVENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

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which went to show that if properly the prohibition law made for the betterment of the community.

After an instrumental selection by Miss E. Jones, pledge cards were handed around for recruits for the "White Ribbon Army," and the meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

On Friday morning at 9 o'clock the ladies met in business session in the Presbyterian Church. An address of welcome was given by Mrs. H. H. Millie of Kelowna, to which Mrs. Hunter of Vernon replied. Mrs. Bird of Armstrong read a paper on "Anti-Narcotics," at the close of which Mrs. Wright gave some extracts from two letters written by boys at the front to their mothers in London, Ont. The extracts were as follows: And, mother, it is just terrible the way the women of Canada are sending tobacco and cigarettes to our boys. I feel so sorry for Canadian homes; so many of our Canadian boys have just become cigarette fiends, and then they will drink." The other letter was from a boy who smoked before leaving Canada: Mother, don't send us any more cigarettes. We three have sworn off smoking for the rest of the war, for we have seen the awfulness of its effects among our Canadian boys." Mrs. Wright incidentally mentioned that she was Vice-President of the Western Ontario Red Cross, and was the only one of the executive who protested against the sending of narcotics to the soldiers at the front. She, herself, is the mother of three boys in khaki, one of whom is at the front. Mrs. Wright also gave a very helpful address on "Our Presidents and their Responsibilities."

The afternoon session was largely taken up with the reports from the different Unions, greetings from sister socities, election of officers and reports of committees. Mrs. Wright also gave an address on "Influence of Women in Civic Life." Many have said that woman's chief place is at home, and this was true to a certain extent. But her kingdom was as far as her influence extended. Home was the holy of holies. A good woman's influence always tended to civic uplift and civic betterment. The day was passing in which women thought it nice to say they were against women having the franchise. It was a most womanly thing to go and cast her ballot for anything that tends to civic betterment. The home was the state in miniature, and if we safeguarded the home we need not be afraid of the state. Mrs. Wright referred to a statement made to the effect that after the war the race would degenerate, as all the best men would be killed off, and only slackers and physically unfit men would be left to be the fathers of the coming generation. In refutation of this, she said that there was an insistent call to the mothers of Canada to train their daughters in such a way that they will realize that life must mean something more than pleasure, and that they held in their hands the fate of future generations. Canada, in the days to come would not produce a race of degenerates, even if slackers were the fathers. Never in the same way has woman entered into such a kingdom of civic betterment. The fate of the nation may rest in their hands, so they must do all in their power to raise, even higher, the standard of womanhood and motherhood. Men and women together would make for home betterment, civic betterment and nation-wide betterment.

Mrs. Arnott of Armstrong then gave

a very interesting paper on "Mothers' Meetings."

The following resolutions were adopted during the session:

1. That we wish to place on record our appreciation of ehe command of our King, that all liquors be banished from his household.

2. That we are delighted at the splendid stand of the business men of our Province, and at their hearty co-operation in our war upon the liquor traffic.

3. That our members be requested to write the editors of all papers for which they subscribe, protesting against the advertising of liquor, tobacco and cigarettes.

4. That we deprecate the sending of tobacco, and especially of cigarettes to our boys at the front.

5. That we urge upon all temperance workers a renewed effort and vigorous campaign during this crucial period before the Prohibition Bill is submitted.

6. That our District secretary be requested to write the Provincial Government commending them for the stand they have taken in regard to the prohibiting of the liquor traffic.

7. That the local Unions urge upon women possessing the property qualifications for citizenship to exercise the same, also that those not owning property in their own name endeavor to qualify

8. That the secretary of our District and every local union be asked to write Sir Sam Hughes immediately, urging him to declare liquor out of bounds at the Vernon camp, and to discourage in every way within his power the red light districts; and further that our societies pledge themselves to cooperate withe the Vernon Union in any work they undertake for our soldiers; also that mothers, sisters and sweethearts deluge Sir Sam Hughes with letters, starting June 1st and have all letters reach him by the 15th, so that he will feel that the Vernon camp is on many a woman's heart. It should also be brought before the churches.

9. That the hearty thanks of this Union be extended to the Boy Scouts, the members of the White Shield, the young ladies who undertook the decorating, the gentlemen who so kindly drove the delegates through the district, the Presbyterian church, and all who have assisted in making this convention so successful; and further that we desire ta express our appreciation and thanks to Mrs. Wright, our honored Dominion President, for the inspiring words and unstinted efforts to arouse our valley to renewed efforts in fighting the legalized liquor traffic.

Plan of Work Committee

1. That we recommend that each Union see that more literature be distributed broadcast.

2. That each Union endeavor to take take up the department of anti-narcotics.

3. That the Unions help, in any way possible, in their own localities, to fill the needs of the laboring men by a rest room, providing games, good reading, and refreshments.

4. That we secure for our boys and girls posters, banners, pennants, and charts with suitable mottoes, to be hung on the walls of their homes, Sunday Schools, and if permitted, in the public schools, and that we strive to adopt the Auxiliary League in the Sunday Schools.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Arnott, Armstrong; vice-president, Mrs. Doherty, Vernon; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Swerdfager, Kelowna; treasurer, Miss Dale, Summerland.

On Friday evening an elocution contest for a gold medal presented by the W. C. T. U. was held in the Opera House. The contest excited considerable interest as Miss Pearl Raymer was one of the aspirants for the coveted honor. Mrs. Hunter, of Vernon, while withdrawing from the contest on account of the youth of the others, kindly consented to give her recitation. The judges were Mayor Jones and Mr. Gordon, principal of the Public schools, who awarded the prize to Miss Raymer. Mrs Gordon Wright made the presentation, and gave an address on "The Highest Form of Patriotism." The Rev. A. Dunn also gave an address, while musical items were rendered by Mrs. J. N. Thompson and Messrs. Geo. McKenzie and Drury Pryce.

"On the whole evidence it was shown that no part of the $75,000 paid to J. S. H. Matson, or the $30,000 paid to the late Mr. Harry Helmecken found its way into any channel or source of a political or public nature, or was used for political or improper purposes either directly or indirectly."

This is the conclusion reported by the Public Accounts Commission on the Songhees Reserve purchase.

Correspondence

THE REFERENDUM METHOD

To the Editor of the Record,—

Dear Sir,—As so little opportunity exists for discussing even the most important public problems, I would urge all who have thought over the principle of the "Referendum" to give us with your permission, some brief expression of their views in your columns, and especially those who as candidates are preparing themselves to represent public interests in the national council.

The chief merit of the referendum is its democratic character, in its appeal to all electors individually, and the educative effect resulting. Its' great demerits are its' cumbersomeness in use, and its total inapplicability to any save the simplest problems. This direct form of legislation appears to be successful in some municipal affairs, but rarely in national business.

The following conditions are surely necessary in any satisfactory vote by referendum:—

1. A desire for a referendum on any question should clearly be manifested by a large section of the electors.

2. The question submitted must involve no complications.

3. Justice to any distinct class of the population as regards grievances are not to be readily estimated by the whole electorate. Thus, when the working hours of smeltermen in B. C. were, a few years ago, reduced by law from twelve hours a day, this measure was decided in their favor by the pressure of humane progess. Referendum voting would become endless if representative government, (presumably expert work on national business) were to be set aside for every such question. Justice is longer delayed by such a method.

Our present referendum problems afford the following comments on the above conditions:

1. The direct reference to the electorate on the enfranchisement of women was not asked for by any portion of the community: probably not even by one individual. Legislation on the liquor question was undoubtedly desired, but whether the referendum on it was desired is doubtful.

2. The liquor question is extremely complicated, largely owing to past legislative bungling and to the liquor monopolies. The liquor bill is very complicated, though it does not meet the complications of the liquor problem.

3. Justice to women is scarcely to be expected from a referendum to men and boys.

Yours truly,

D. F. KERR.

Serbia's New Army

After crossing the Agean Sea without loss, the Serbian Army in full strength has been landed at Saloniki according to a despatch received by wireless telegraph.

Serbia's new army has been variously estimated as numbering between 80,000 and 100,000 officers and men. It was reorganized on the island of Corfu, which is approximately 700 miles distant by water from Saloniki.

The Serbian army totalled about 300,000 men at the outbreak of the war, but this force was greatly depleted as the result of an epedemic of typhoid fever and bitter engagements fought in an endeavor to check the Austro-German and Bulgarian invasion of Serbia and Montenegro. The remnant of the original armies have retreated through the Albanian mountains to the eastern shores of the Adriatic.

On reaching the sea coast the Serbians were transported to the Island of Corfu, where they were supplied with new rifles and clothing and efficiently equipped for further service on the Balkan battlefields.

There are 53 Sundays in this year. This will not occur again for a hundred and ten years.

Sir. Thomas White says that ultimately all the railways ofCanada may be nationalized. The suggestion does not look so startling as it would have done a few years ago. We are getting used to big figures.—Toronto Star.

Clean to handle. Sold by all Druggists, Grocers and General Stores.

Explodes Theory of Long-Inhabited Continent

A theory, based upon the discovery of a human skeleton in earth bed alleged to be of great age, that man had been present on the North American continent at a much earlier period than had ever been supposed, has been exploded by the results of a special investigation conducted by officials of the geological survey, which are published in the annual report of that branch just issued.

The discovery of the human remains which was made near Savona, B. C., caused a mild scientific sensation. It was made the subject of a paper presented to the Royal Society of Canada at its meeting last year, the claim then being made that the beds in which the remains were found were of glacial age.

If this claim had been established it would have given evidence ofthe presence of man long years years before it has been considered that anything in human form existed in North America, and would have upset many theories hitherto held on this subject.

The results of investigation, however dispose of the claim of any very great antiquity for the remains discovered. Mr. C. W. Drysdale looked into the geology of the locality where the discovery was made, while Mr. F. H. S. Knowles of the anthropological branch examined the skeleton. Mr. Drysdale's conclusion is that "the alluvial series in this section is clearly of recent and not glacial age."

Mr. Knowles, from an examination of the skeleton, although it is in a somewhat defective condition, has been able to deduce that it is of an Indian woman, well on in years, probably about five feet in height, who suffered from chronic rheumatism, led an active mode of life in her earlier years, and was accustomed to rest in a squatting posture as usual among primitive peoples. The verdict of this scientific coroner's inquest is that the woman may have been drowned in Kamloops lake and her body buried along with the normal accumulation of silts and gravels on the lake bottom.

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories, and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres will be leased to one applicant.

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 right 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.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to the Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion lands.

W. W. CORY.

Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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When Lloyd George was a young country solicitor in Wales, he was riding home in his dog-cart one day, and came upon a little Welsh girl trudging along so wearily that he offered her a ride. She accepted silently, and all the way along, although the future statesman tried to engage her in conversation, he could not get her to say anything more than "yes" or "no." Some days afterwards the little girl's mother happened to meet Lloyd George and said to him smilingly: "Do you remember my little girl riding with you the other day? Well, when she got home she said, 'Mamma, I rode from school with Mr. Lloyd George, the lawyer, and he kept talking to me and I didn't know whatever to do, for you know Mr. Lloyd George the lawyer, charges you whenever you talk with him and I hadn't any money.'"—Youths' Companion.

Owing to insufficient fodder, disease is spreading among the horses in Germany, and the country papers are full of official advice on how to check it.

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"Mike," said Pat, "how do yez tell the age of a fowl?"

"Oi can always tell by the teeth," shot back Mike.

"By the teeth!" exclaimed Pat. "But a fowl ain't got no teeth!"

"No," admitted Mike, "but Oi have."

Said the negro preacher regarding the white preacher who had consented to occupy the black brother's pulpit on the following Sunday:

"Gemmen an' ladies of the congregation, dis noted divine am one of the greatest men of de age. He knows the unknowable, he can do de undoable, an' he can unscrew the onscrutable!"

"Fishing is a sport in which rich and poor can meet on a common level." "That's right; in fishing it is not so much a man's assets which count as his lie-abilities."

Westbank News

(From our own Correspondent.)

W. Brown was a visitor to Kelowna Monday.

Mrs. H. Thacker and Mrs. C. Marren were among the Westbankers who were in Kelowna last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Blackwood were passengers on Monday's boat snd accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh on the first stages of their trip to Winnipeg.

Miss Ridell, of Kelowna, spent a few days in Westbank last week, the guest of Miss M. Clarke. Miss Ridell, who is interested in insect study, secured several fine specimens of swallowtail butterflies while in the district.

Cyril Gore left last Wednesday for Vancouver where he has enlisted in the artillery. Cyril has a brother, Fred, with the 172nd at Kamloops, and this double sacrifice from one family is typical of the generous way in which Westbank has responded to the call of duty.

On Monday last Westbankers were reluctantly forced to bid farewell to two very highly esteemed residents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Featherstonhaugh. Mr. Fetherstonhaugh has enlisted in the Strathcona Horse, Winnipeg, and Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, after a short stay in Winnipeg, will proceed to New York on a visit to her sister. Both during their long residence here have formed a wide circle of friends to whom their departure is a source of deep regret.

The familiar chug-chug of gasolene engines and numerous other signs of activity have attended the government spraying operations here during the past week. Although it is admitted the fruit is rather advanced to insure maximum results, yet the work has been done with much thoroughness, and it is considered very unlikely that the codling moth will develop here at all this year. Mr. Chesbro, of Kelowna, who has charge of the government work in this respect, has been kept busy superintending the three spray outfits and giving general assistance.

The following is a record of the class standing of the pupils of the Westbank townsite school for the month of May:

I. Primer—James Gellatly, Frank Short, John Basham.

I. Reader—Grace Hewlett, Arthur Johnston.

Snr. II. Reader—Lily Johnson, Grace Lake, Geraldine Campbell.

Jnr. III. Reader—Jeanie Brown, Herbert Hewlett, Marjorie Last, Willie Gore, Ruby Kunce.

Jnr. IV. Reader—George Brown, Harry Brown, Robert Hewlett, Russell Campbell.

Wilson Landing and Westside Notes

Mr. Munford of the road staff, passed through the district this week.

The first fruit of the season, the wild strawberry, is beginning to ripen at last. Mr. H. Chaplin reports his strawberry crop one month later than usual. Cherries promise a good yield, also apples.

We regret to hear of the death of Trooper Burchell Somerset, of 2nd C.M.R.'s, the youngest son of Mrs. H. Somerset, of Nahun, of which no particulars have at present been received. Mr. Somerset was a great favorite with all, he and his two brothers being amongst the brave men who are fighting for us at the front. The community extend their sympathy to his widowed mother and sister in their bereavement.

Rutland News

A strawberry and ice-cream social will be held under the auspices of the Presbyterian church on June 22nd.

Miss E. Gay is visiting Mrs. Gus. Macdonald at Okanagan Centre.

The United Farmers (Organization Association) will meet in the schoolhouse Monday evening.

A special meeting of the Rutland branch of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission will be held at the close of the Methodist service next Sunday evening. Those interested are invited to remain.

The Rutland Women's Institute will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, June 8th, at 3 o'clock in the schoolhouse. Mrs. Bond will give a demonstration of fireless cooking. A special request is that members be punctual.

Office Supplies

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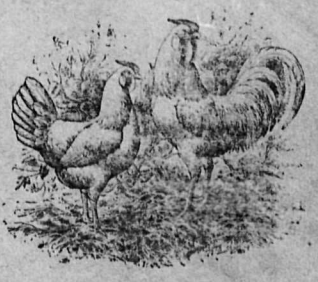

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TOWN AND COUNTRY NOTES

Messrs. Newby and A. Francis left for the east on Friday.

Mr. G. H. Dobie, general manager of the Okanagan Telephone Co., was in town Saturday.

Monday, June 5th, has been fixed as the day for opening up the big military camp at Vernon.

Mrs. Gordon Wright, the Dominion president of the W.C.T.U., left for the east on Saturday morning's boat.

Mrs. Young, who was the guest of Mrs. Millie during the latter part of last week, returned to Penticton Saturday.

The special service of music given at the Methodist church on Sunday evening was greatly appreciated and a crowded church showed the people enjoy the efforts of the choir.

Saturday, June 3rd (the King's birthday) is a holiday, and the stores will be closed. Don't forget to do your shopping to-morrow. The stores will be open until 10 o'clock.

There will be a meeting of the Benvoulin local of the British Columbia Organization Association on Wednesday, June 7th, at 7.30 p.m., in the Mission Creek school.

Messrs. J. F. Burne, G. Dunn and P. T. Dunn, who went to Vernon to represent the city in the action brought against it by the C.N.R., returned Friday and left for Vernon again Monday, the case being heard this week.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held on Thursday, June 8th, at 3 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Glenn. Election of officers to be followed by a social half-hour. As this will be the last meeting for the summer it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union wishes to thank all those who so kindly entertained the convention delegates in their homes; those who provided cars for the drive around the valley; all who took part in the various programmes; the young girls who acted as ushers; and all who in any way helped to make the convention a success.

Some time ago we printed a request from G. R. S. Blackaby (in the trenches) for a pair of socks. Here is what he writes in a letter we received Monday: "Thanks to your 'appeal' I have had sent me a splendid pair of socks together with a contrivance called a hold-all, which, needless to say, were most welcome." Perhaps the good lady who sent the articles will also see this notice intimating the safe arrival of her gifts.

Mr. W. E. Adams is a visitor at the coast this week.

Mrs. J. W. Jones returned yesterday from a visit to the coast.

Mr. Geo. S. McKenzie left this morning on a visit east.

Mayor Jones was a passenger to Summerland yesterday afternoon.

Miss Nora Castle left for Penticton to-day, where she has taken a business position.

A man named Edward Paret was before the magistrate Monday on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He was fined $5 and costs.

A man was fined last Saturday for riding his bicycle on the sidewalk. This still seems to be a common practise in spite of the fact that the condition of the roads give no excuse.

The local Canadian Patriotic Fund committee will be much obliged if those monthly subscribers whose payments are overdue, will kindly hand them in either to W. E. Adams, J. R. Beale or G. H. Dunn, as soon as possible.

The Rev. Dr. S. S. Osterhaut has been selected president of the Methodist conference in B.C. He is a native of Northumberland County, Ont., and was at one time stationed in Vernon, and is, therefore, well known to many Kelowna people.

In accordance with the changes made at the Methodist conference just closed, the Rev. E. D. Braden will take charge of the church at Kelowna, succeeding Rev. J. C. Switzer, who will for the next year be at Robson Memorial Church, Vancouver. The Rev. Gordon Tanner, of Rutland, will be moved to Kaslo, his place being filled by the Rev. Mr. Griffiths.

The regular meeting of the Kelowna Women's Institute will be held Saturday, June 10th instead of June 3rd, owing to the latter being a public holiday. Roll call to be answered by a flower. A number of ladies will give recipes for hot weather dishes. Everybody is welcome and attendants are requested to bring notebook and pencil.

The new time table on the C.P.R. system comes into effect Sunday. So far as we here are concerned, the principal change is in the time of the departure of the northbound train from Vernon, which will leave at 2.55, instead of 3.45 as hitherto. This eliminates some of the tedious wait which has had to be made at that point, and also makes better connection with the westbound main line train which will leave Sicamous at 5.38, or only thirteen minutes after the arrival of the Okanagan train. There will be no change in the lake boat service, nor in the Kettle Valley schedule.

The junior lacrosse team and several of the business men interested in the boys held a meeting this week to get things into shape for the opening of the season. The first match is to take place on Saturday, in the park, when the team from Armstrong will be down to try conclusions with the local boys. Before the Armstrong boys leave a meeting will be held for the purpose of drawing up a schedule and Messrs. L. V. Rogers and J. Pettigrew were elected a committee to see to this. Mr. Geo. Meikle undertook to act as cup trustee.

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ORDERS BY COMMAND FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10th, 1916

Duties: Orderly Patrol ·r week, Beavers. Next for duty, Wolves.

There will be no parades during this week, in order that all the Scouts who are school pupils will be able to give their full time to their studies, as the examinations are drawing near, and we certainly hope that no Scout will appear on the wrong side of the percentage column.

The concert will doubtless be over when this column appears, and we shall reserve any further comments on it until the next issue.

We quote below a portion of Mr. Heneage's letter to Scout-master Weddell, regretting his inability to be present at our entertainment this year:—

"D. McBradie, my assistant secretary has just come up to inform me that he has joined the 15th Artillery Brigade—two vacancies, an immediate decision necessary! I am glad of his decision though it puts me in a hole. Anyway I should have lost him next week or so as he was on extended leave from the R. N. V. R.'s, who, I know, are going to call up the men on long leave. Well, I leave you to imagine my position—I am held fast here until I can train someone to handle our office work during my absence; and this at the very time of the year that I should be on the move. If I had a railway pass I would give you a rush visit for the 1st. I can most honestly assure you that I want to be with you, and my disappointment is not one wit less than yours. No one enjoyed your entertainment more than I did last year, and I am the loser if I cannot be present this year. In three days I have temporarily lost the services of two Scout Masters, one Assistant Scout Master, and my own assistant, and so it goes on. I must ask the indulgence of all."

In a later letter received, Mr. Heneage states that July, August, and September will have to be his interior Mainland months this year.

NOTHING FOR THE MURPHYS

A freckeled-faced girl stopped at the post office and yelled out:

"Anything for the Murphys?"

"No, there is not."

"Anything for Jane Murphy?"

"Nothing."

"Anything for Ann Murphy?"

"No."

"Anything for Tom Murphy?"

"No."

"Anything for John Murphy?"

"No, not a bit."

"Anything for Terry Murphy?"

NO, nor for Pat Murphy, nor Dennis Murphy, nor Peter Murphy, nor Paul Murphy, nor for any Murphy, dead, living, unborn, native or foreign civilized or uncivilized, savage or barbarous, male or female, black or white naturalized or otherwise, soldier or citizen. No, there is positively nothing for any of the Murphys, either individually, jointly, severally, now and for ever, one and inseparable."

The girl looked at the postmaster in astoishment. "Please," she said, "will you see if there is anything for Bridget Murphy?"

"I've borrowed the neighbor's phonograph for this evening."

"Giving a party?"

"No, but by thunder, I'm going to have one quiet evening at home."

Gen. Joseph S. Gallieni, former minister of war for France, who was in command of the entrenched camp at the French capital during the first German rush, which was checked at the battle of the Marne, is dead at Versailles.

Bulgarian troops crossed the Greek frontier on May 26th, and occupied the Greek forts of Rupel, Dragotin and Spatovo. The Greek troops which had garrisoned these forts withdrew on the advance of the Bulgarians, who claimed permission from the Athens government for their act.

Mrs. Pankhurst, who has just completed a tour of Eastern Canada and the United States in the interest of the Serbian relief fund, is beginning a second tour in the interests of recruiting, beginning at Victoria, June 7th and will arrive in Revelstoke on June the 10th.

What the Occupation of Verdun Means to the Germans

American Writer Gives Reasons Why Verdun Was Chosen as German Objective

Why did the Germans choose Verdun as their objective? In the minds of most casual readers of history and of war news, Verdun is accepted as the bulwark of France, the gate to Paris, and the chief fortress of that great barrier which from Luxemberg to Switzerland defended the eastern frontier of the Republic. It was, all things considered, the strongest fortified place in Europe when the war came. Why, then, did the Germans elect to fight there?

The reason is simple. The first months of the war utterly eliminated fortresses from the reckoning. The rapid collapse of Liege, Antwerp and Maubeuge demonstrated that the fort had failed to keep pace with the gun. What was illustrated in the west in the early days was finally demonstrated in the east last summer, when the Russian fortresses followed the path of the Belgian and French. Accordingly the French, after the Marne, simply abandoned the forts of Verdun as defensive positions! They took the guns out of them, they moved them to new, concealed positions, and the forts ceased to have real importance. Verdun was only a point in the long trench line running from the North sea to Switzerland. The forts, save that they provided protection for reserves, lost all value. They entered into the system of trenches, and Verdun was defended by men and by guns and by ditches, precisely like Rhiems or Arras.

In the second place, Verdun was the most difficult place in the French line to supply with either men or munitions. Before the war two railroad lines of first importance met at Verdun—one, a double track line coming east from Paris in the direction of Metz; the other coming north along the Meuse valley from the Paris-Nancy line. When the Germans took St. Mihile in September, 1914, they cut the latter line. In the retreat from the Marne the Germans halted at Varennes and Montfaucon, and from these towns their heavy artillery commanded the Paris-Verdun line by indirect fire and it ceased to be available.

There was left to the French, then, only one narrow-gauge line coming north trom Bar-le-Duc, a light railway, incapable of bearing heavy traffic because of the grades. Practically then, Verdun is isolated, so far as railroad communication was concerned, and the army defending the Verdun sector was dependent almost entirely upon road transport, upon auto mobile trucks, or as the French say, camions. This transport was sufficient as long as Verdun was held by a relatively small force and was only a fraction of the great front, but would it be sufficient when the main attack was directed at this sector and the Germans massed two thousand guns and a quarter of a million men on a narrow front? Could France munition or supply an equal number of men and sufficient guns to meet the storm? The Germans believed not.—Frank H. Simonds, in the American Review of Reviews.

A despatch from Athens says grave trouble has broken out there following the news of the invasion of Macedonia by the Bulgarians.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF YALE
Holden at Vernon.

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Melville, Junior, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Thomas Melville, deceased, are required on or before the 2nd day of July, 1916, to send by post or deliver to George Archibald Melville, of Glenmore, Kelowna, B.C., Administrator of the estate, their full names, addresses, and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims, statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such above-mentioned date, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

DATED at Kelowna, B.C., this 1st day of June, 1916.

GEORGE ARCHIBALD MELVILLE,
Administrator of the said Estate.
27-31

"$18,000 per year might safely be place as the minimum amount that will be required to meet the allowances to which the Kelowna dependents of our soldiers are entitled."

"The total amount RECEIVED from the Provincial Branch until the end of April was $4,712."

"Kelowna's total CONTRIBUTIONS from all sources to date amounts to $1,004."

—Extract from Official Statistics

$4,712 Received

The Local Branch of the

Canadian Patriotic Fund

Needs *Your* Assistance

$1,004 Contributed

Are YOU making any personal sacrifice to help this Fund along?

Kelowna has contributed so far to the Provincial Fund only one-fifth of the amount received from it.

Everybody is requested to assist.

An authorised representative of the Patriotic Fund will shortly canvass your district for subscriptions, and will continue to do so periodically. Any sum will be gratefully acknowledged.

Please be at home when the representative calls!

WANTED!

FOR SALE

FOR SALE.—The prettiest home in Kelowna will be sold very cheap and on easy terms. Apply Box "E" Record. 26tf.

FOR SALE.—FEW TONS OF EARLY White Prize Seed Potatoes. Apply H. B. Burtch. 18tf

FOR SALE.—Ford motor car in good condition. Cheap for cash. Apply box "H" Record Office. 20tf

HAY FOR SALE, in stack, $13. Metcalfe & Stiell, Benvoulin. 28-9p

FOR SALE—If you want to start in the stock business, here is your chance 60 acres meadow land, close in, and 160 acres range where there is unlimited pasture, 4 miles apart. Any reasonable offer considered. Apply Box A, Record Office. 27-0

FOR SALE, Mare, about 1,400 lbs. Quiet, willing worker. Price $100 or would exchange for stock. Box K, Record. 28-9

TO RENT

COTTAGE TO RENT on Abbott Street facing lake. Commodious, three bedrooms. Apply Mantle & Wilson. 25tf

SITUATIONS VACANT

WOMAN WANTED ONE-HALF DAY a week for washing. Apply Record Office. x

GIRL WANTED, to assist with housework and care of children. Apply T, Record Office. 27tf

JANITOR WANTED, for Kelowna Hospital, duties to commence June 21st. Apply, stating particulars and salary required, to the Hospital Secretary, Kelowna. 28-0

WANTED, Ironers for steam laundry, experienced or inexperienced. Apply at once, Kelowna Steam Laundry. 28-9

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED, garden or other work. Several days weekly in town. Apply box M, Record Office. x

GOVERNESS. Teach two children three hours, help with housework. Box 512, Kelowna. 27-8p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO EXCHANGE 160 acre of land in Saskatchewan. Property fenced, running water, good transportation, part plowed, fair buildings, for small fruit farm. What offers. Apply Box 254 Kelowna, 46tf

TO LET.—10 acres orchard, 10 years old, in good condition with house, roothouse, and outbuildings. Also 5-roomed house to rent on Pendozi St. with stable. Apply H. H. Millie, Government telegraph office. 19tf.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—BUILDING lot situated in the most desirable residential section of Point Grey, Vancouver. Will sell cheap for cash, or exchange for stock or farm property in Kelowna. Apply P.O. Box 448, Kelowna. x

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—160 acres at South Okanagan. Have a clear title, free from all encumbrance, taxes paid up. Would sell cheap for cash or exchange for cattle. Apply P. O. Box 251. 1-tf.

FOR HIRE.—LARGE ROOMY, FIVE passenger automobile at current rate. Apply H. B. Burtch, 'phone 180. 22tf.

HORSES WANTED, for pasture. Good fences. Apply S. T. Elliott, Rutland. Phone 3108. 26-9p

PENTICTON

Divisional Point on the Kettle Valley Railway

Considerable activity, not a vacant house in town. More railway men coming in continually.

Have client with neat brick cottage, 24 by 26, cost $1200, together with lot on which house stands, cost $200, mortgage $600. Will trade equity for good second-hand car, Ford preferred, but would take a five-passenger model in good shape, and not big car.

Also have and would exchange vacant lots near lake shore, short distance from new C.P.R. hotel and station. Correspondence solicited. Write—

DYNES & SON

PENTICTON, B.C. 25tf

CITY COUNCIL REDUCES HOTEL LICENSES

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Other taps could easily be added if required. ...

Ald. Rattenbury suggested that the shade trees on the streets should be given a thorough watering, as they were liable to suffer from the continued dry weather.

Messrs. G. Meikle and L. E. Taylor waited on the council as a deputation from the Board of Trade in connection with the proposal to adopt the "Daylight Saving" scheme. The Board of Trade had passed a resolution favoring the scheme which had been fully endorsed by the Merchants' Association. They had also interviewed a great many people to ascertain their opinions on the subject, and they had all been very favorable to the idea. The council was now asked to take the necessary steps to put the scheme into effect.

Some question was raised as to the power of the council to make such a regulation, but eventually it was decided to permit the steam whistle on the power house, by which most of the clocks in the city were regulated, to be advanced one hour., the change to take place at the end of the present week.

Mention was made of some complaints which hade been made of piles of garbage still lying around from the "clean-up day." Ald. Rattenbury did not think the scavenger could have received any notice of these, as he had cleared all rubbish away as fast as he had been asked.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

S. D. Colquette, sal. for April	$135.00
E. Fowler do.	100.00
J. L. Wilson do.	95.00
F. Varney do.	80.00
F. Freeman do.	80.00
D. Hookham, hauling fuel	70.75
G. H. Dunn, clerk's sal.	150.00
F. V. Royle, April sal.	100.00
P. T. Dunn, April sal.	90.00
R. W. Thomas, constable's sal.	105.00
A. E. Nash, fireman's sal.	60.00
F. Swainson, foreman's sal.	80.00
G. Balsillie, work on parks, etc.	70.00
E. Weddell, magistrate's sal.	57.50
W. Sabine, sewer forem. sal.	90.00
A. R. Davy, scavenger's sal.	125.00
Dr. Keller, office rent	15.00
F. M. Buckland, rent police headquarters	25.00
E. Bongean, work on waterworks and streets	40.50
A. Mepham, work at cemetery	29.60
J. A. Bigger, April sal.	5.00
W. R. Trench, supplies	21.25
James H. Trenwith, supplies	19.75
T. Lawson, Ltd., supplies	15.01
P. B. Willits & Co., supplies	23.70
E. Weddell, inquest	5.00

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MRS. J. H. DAVIES
in Room No. 1. Oak Hall Block, between the hours of 2:30 and 5:30 p.m. on Saturday of each week, or any other day by appointment. 7tf

Okanagan Ambulance League

One hundred and twenty-three pairs of socks have been donated to the Red Cross as the result of the "Sock Day" on May 24th, and these were all packed and sent off from the rooms on Tuesday last.

We wish to thank the following for their contributions: Mrs. Croft, Mrs. Weeks, Rev. Greene, Mrs. Chas. Wilson Mrs. Muirhead, Mrs. Langille, Mrs. Dundas, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Morrison, snr., Mrs. Lefevre, Mrs. F. A. Taylor, Mrs. Collett, Mrs. Laidlaw, Mrs. W. Lloyd-Jones, Mrs. Bulman, Mrs. Mallam, Mrs. Weatheril, Mrs. J. Sutherland, Mrs. Lemon, Mrs. T. N. Morrison, Miss Reekie, Mrs. Faulkner, Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. M. A. McKenzie, Miss Watt, Mrs. Draper, Mrs. Gaddes, Mrs. J. Ferguson, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Erskine, Mrs. Boyce, Mrs. DuMoulin, Mrs. J. J. Campbell, Mrs. J. T. Campbell, Mrs. Govain, Mrs. F. Parker, Mrs. Carberry, Mrs. J. Hunt, Mrs. Mackness, Mrs. Hemming, Mrs. Whitehead, Mrs. Peabody, Mrs. Baldock, Miss Storey, Miss Harvey, Miss Spencer, Mrs Adams, Mrs. A. M. McKenzie Mrs. Shepherd, the Okanagan Mission for 15 pairs, and one anonymous donor.

Owing to the fact that Saturday is a holiday this week, the secretary of the Farmers' Institute will attend at the room on Friday instead. ...

The amending bill to the British North America Act, which extends the life of the Canadian parliament for a year, and which passed the House of Commons almost unnoticed, as a non-contentious measure, came before the House of Lords Tuesday.

Right Hon. David Lloyd George has been given full charge of the Irish situation, Premier Asquith has announced in the House of Commons. The minister of munitions was the unanimous selection of the British Cabinet, Mr. Asquith said. He appealed to all sections not to discuss the Irish question while Mr. Lloyd George was busy negotiating with the Irish leaders. The selection surprised the Commons. It is believed the men and munitions questions have been settled for the present.

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All kinds of Repairs
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Serious Conflagration at Vancouver

Vancouver suffered its first serious water-front conflagration last Sunday evening, when damage to the extent of well over half a million dollars was caused by an outbreak of fire in the Alberta-Pacific Grain Company's premises on Burrard inlet, which practically destroyed the elevator containing 90,000 bushels of wheat and then spread to the huge plant of the New England Fish Company, before he uames were finally got under control after one of the stiffest three-hour battles that the coast fire department has had for a couple of years. The fish company's plant was also practically destroyed.

The heaviest loss falls on the New England Fish Company. Manager Al Yager announced that after a careful stimaee of the damage, at far as was estimate of the damage he placed the loss at approximately $425,000.

Despatches emphasizing Germany's willingness to make peace, and denouncing the allies as wickedly responsible for the continuance of the war, are pouring through Holland for publication in other neutral countries. Berlin despatches report that not only Pope Benedict, but also King Alfonso of Spain and possibly the Swedish government are already seeking grounds for intervention in favor of peace negotiations.

NOTICE

Having fenced my range property between Mill Creek and Scotty Creek, owners of stock are warned not in interfere with the fences or to allow stock to trespass.

Shooting is strictly prohibited. Any person wishing to ride the range should apply to the ranch buildings and avoid prosecution for trespass. tf.

T. BULMAN

Glenview Dairy

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Phone 2302 JAS. B. FISHER

Africander Minstrels Coming Next Week

Playing to crowded houses at every performance, the Reese Africander Minstrels presented a big surprise at the Elite yesterday. They are much superior to the ordinary road show of the type, and as well as being snappy and up-to-date, their work is marked with artisticness.

The performance is in two parts, the first taking the form of a minstrel show and the latter being a vaudeville medley of southern dances and songs All have good voices, and in the darkey melodies these blended well together. There is no trace of coarseness in their work, the show being one that will please the children as well as the grown-ups.— Moose Jaw News, March 29th, 1916.

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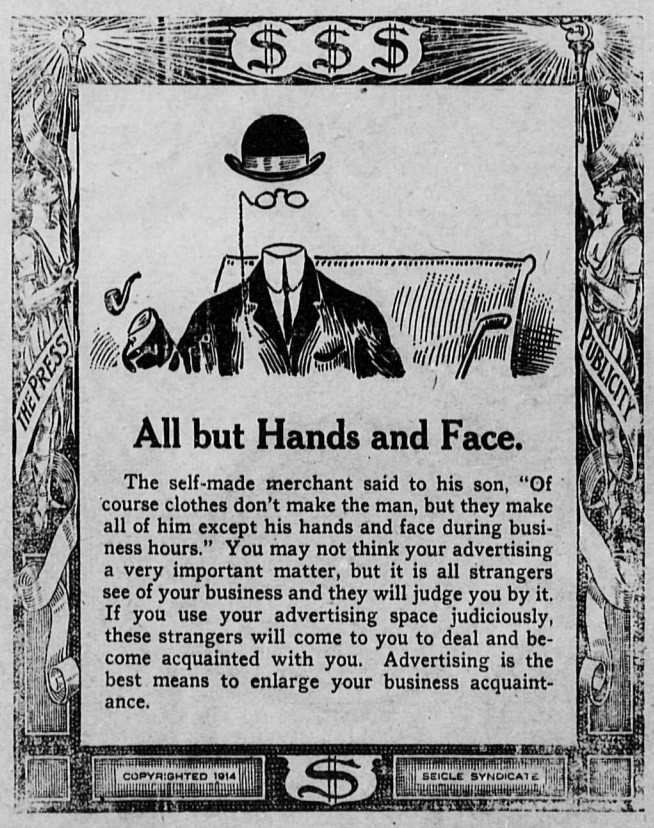

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The self-made merchant said to his son, "Of course clothes don't make the man, but they make all of him except his hands and face during business hours." You may not think your advertising a very important matter, but it is all strangers see of your business and they will judge you by it. If you use your advertising space judiciously, these strangers will come to you to deal and become acquainted with you. Advertising is the best means to enlarge your business acquaintance.