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TOBACCO GROWING.

The Okanagan Valley having established its name as a fruit country, the tendency is to associate the name with fruit only, whereas we have a most profitable industry in tobacco raising. True enough, it is as yet in its infancy, but like everything else, must have a beginning. It has passed the experimental stage with honors, and is bringing good returns to the few engaged in it. This business was first instituted by Mr. Louis Holman, who visited the Okanagan in 1894. This gentleman was at that time a tobacco grower in Wisconsin, but the climatic conditions here convinced him that this country was an ideal tobacco growing one, and as an experiment he planted half an acre of land at Kelowna with Havana seed. The results more than fulfilled his expectations, and the second year seven acres were planted, which were increased later.

Conditions have proved favorable in every way, for the growing of the best grade Havana leaf, and the different varieties for the filler, binder and wrapper are being cultivated with the greatest success.

For a man with a small capital it offers an opening for making a good home and substantial income, and this, too, without having to wait a number of years. With a 12-acre farm in good condition, and with three or four years' experience, one might reasonably expect to clear $1,800 a year. The average yield of Havana leaf is about 900 lbs. an acre, which at the prices paid this year, 18c. per lb., would yield returns of about $160.00 per acre. The cost of preparing the land, planting, etc., is placed at about $60.00 per acre. This is the outside figure, $40.00 per acre being the estimated cost by those at present engaged in the business. Regarding climatic conditions, hail is almost unknown here, and there is practically no frost during the tobacco season. As stated before, this industry is yet in its infancy, there being only six or seven farmers engaged in it at Kelowna, and the total acreage being only about 43 acres. Last year, 32,000 lbs. of Spanish leaf were taken off the 24 acres then in crop. This year the crop is estimated at 38,000 lbs. of fine Havana leaf, this class of tobacco being a finer and higher quality than the Spanish leaf grown last year.

In visiting one of the large tobacco drying sheds on the farm of Mr. Lytle, a little way out of Kelowna, the writer saw 3,000 lbs. of first-class leaf, all of which had been taken off 3½ acres. Twenty employees were engaged in this shed, stripping the leaves and packing them ready for grading. The market is practically at the doors of the farmers, as Mr. Holman is ready to buy up all the raw leaf produced, and devoting himself to the grading and sweating processes, after which he ships to the factories at Montreal, Vancouver and Victoria. In 1907 Mr. Holman sent specimens of tobacco he had raised here to London, Eng., to be exhibited at the International Exhibition there.

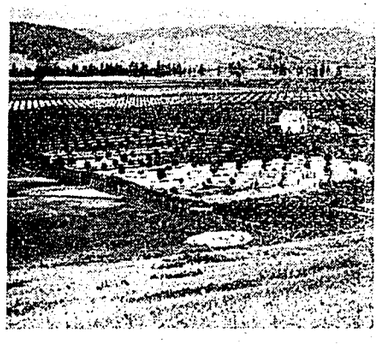
In speaking of this exhibit, the trade journal, "Tobacco," says:

"The display of leaf, manufactured tobacco and cigars from Kelowna, B. C., created attention and interest, and conveyed a very fair idea of the possibilities of British Columbia as a tobacco producing territory. Notwithstanding that tobacco growing is in its infancy, Mr. Holman, of Kelowna, succeeded in raising many fine specimens of plants, having leaves from two to three feet in length, while cigars made from Vuelta Abajo, Havana leaf, 1902 crop, were equal to many well known brands of imported Havana. * * There is a succulence about British Columbia tobacco that is absent from every other country's growth, and which creates a flavour that must be acquired to be truly appreciated. There is ample room in British Columbia for enterprising agriculturists if only they will direct their attention to tobacco planting."

This industry promises to be one of the main products of the Okanagan Valley. The successful growth and quality of the leaf is proved, and ready markets are assured, but we need more acreage in crop. Since this business has been conducted on commercial lines 340,000 lbs. of the best quality cigar tobacco has been exported from Kelowna, demonstrating the adaptability of our climate and soil to the culture of fine grade Havana.

TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Three years ago Kelowna had no telephone system, although there were about seven phones in operation by private individuals. Feeling this need, the city council granted a franchise to Mr. H. H. Millie to construct and operate a system. This gentleman constructed a system at first with a 50-point switch board, and in his own words "hardly expected to fill it in five years." At the end of the first year, however, another switch board of 50 points more had to be installed, and now another switch board of 100 points



is on order, to be installed as soon as ready, to meet the requirements of business. Lines are already connected up to 6 or 7 miles out in the surrounding country, and the fruit farmers are now looking upon the phone as an absolute necessity in their houses. At the end of this month, Mr. Millie expects to have 125 phones on the board. This system is also connected with the government long-distance lines both north and south. Lines are going up all over the country, and the demand for phones increasing every day. The rates for this convenience also compare very favorably with other cities, being only $2.00 and $3.00 per month.

SPOKANE APPLE SHOW.

Mr. F. R. DeHart left last Saturday for Spokane, Wash., to represent Kelowna Board of Trade at the International Apple Show, to be held there. Mr. DeHart is taking with him about 75 cases of apples of different kinds, all grown in Kelowna, to exhibit. There will be $35,000 in prizes distributed at this exhibition, and it will be attended by fruit growers from the world over. The first time out fruit was in competition with American fruit was last year, when it won the highest honors, viz.: a gold medal, awarded by the North West Fruit Growers Association. The main object in sending exhibits from Kelowna is to bring our fruit before the notice of the large buyers, who will be in attendance from Europe and the eastern cities. The results of this show, as far as Kelowna is concerned, will be published in our next issue. Mr. J. Gibbs will accompany Mr. DeHart in order to attend to re-packing the fruit.

RUTLAND NEWS.

The box social given in aid of the Methodist church at Mountainview on Wednesday, 25th Nov., was a great success, and the program was lengthy and varied, a large number of people taking part. The chair was taken by Mr W. F. Schell, who opened with a few introductory remarks. Each number on the program was rendered in very good style, and earned vigorous applause from the audience. The feature of the evening was the auction sale of the prettily decorated boxes, and Mr. Dilworth, in the role of auctioneer, did a very good business, the proceeds amounting to $42.85. Messrs. Schell, Brown and Charlton were the judges, and judging from their harassed expressions, found it very hard to make a decision on the array of prettily decorated boxes. However, the first prize was awarded to Miss Dilworth, 2nd to Miss Fleming, Miss Gladys Bird carrying off 3rd honors. At the close of the evening, some of the livlier spirits paid Mr. W. Craig a surprise visit, at whose house they ended a very enjoyable evening, dancing to the strains of Jack Copeland's violin.

CITY OF KELOWNA

A Happy Homeland, Where Nature's Gifts Are Lavishly Distributed.

KELOWNA, in the Indian tongue, means a grisley bear: but Kelowna on the map is one of the most enterprising and hustling towns in B. C. In fruit she generally captures the gold medal: in civic improvements, few towns of her age and size have spent more than $60,000.00. (Kelowna's record) this year.

The climate is also unexcelled even in the Sunny South, and eastern people and people from European Countries are begining to winter here in preference to California. About seventeen years ago, Kelowna, as an embryo city, first saw day light. The site of the town being opposite Bear Creek across the lake, which was at that time infested with grislies, the Indian name for the grisley bear "Kelowna," was chosen.

It was fifty years ago when the first white settler came into this (then unknown) country, when the Roman Catholic Mission was instituted, giving its name to this part of the valley; "Mission Valley," and bringing the civilizing power of the Christian religion to the aboriginies, the North American Indians. In the natural course of events, other white settlers followed, bringing herds of cattle with them, among whom we might mention Mr. Eli Lequime who came here in 1860 and founded the business which now bears his name.

Ranching was then practically the only pursuit, and cattle roamed over the country, which to-day has developed into thriving orchards and market gardens. It was however, not until the early ninties that this county began to develop, and among the earliest orchards to be planted for commercial purposes, were those of Messrs. Rose Bros. and Mr. J. L. Pridham in 1892, Mr. Crozier in 1893, and Mr. T. W. Stirling in 1894.

Coming here in the early part of the year 1893, the new-comer had perforce to walk afoot from the C. P. R. main line at Sicamous, to Okanagan Landing, on the partly constructed railroad. Arriving at the landing, he would board the old boat "Penticton," run by Lequime Bros., then the only mode of transport on the lake. This was latterly superseded by the C. P. R. boat "Aberdeen," which made her first trip in July 1893, and the same year saw the completion of the railroad between Okanagan Landing and the C.P.R. main line. The early timers were endued with that enterprising spirit, characteristic of the Anglo Saxon race, and it was not long before "things were doing." In 1894 the settlers organized the Agricultural and Trades Association, "to encourage and foster the agricultural and trading interests of the Okanagan and Mission Valley." In 1895 the first Shippers Union in Kelowna, was founded to attend to the marketing of the produce etc. That year saw the first shipment of produce from Kelowna, consisting of one car-load of hay, and one car-load of vegetables. This union was in turn, superseded by the present K. S. U., run on co-operative lines. A cigar factory started in 1896, using leaf grown here, as well as imported.

In the fall of that year, Kelowna held its first fair under the auspices of the A. & T. Association. About this time Lord and Lady Aberdeen visited this district, taking great interest in the valley, and buying some property in Kelowna. Real estate was very cheap then, and it is only ten years since Dr. Boyce bought a half interest in Kelowna townsite, paying at the rate of $15.00 per lot, some of which are now worth between $2000 and $3000 each.

And now, development went on at a rapid rate, so that to-day, the new-comer leaving the luxurious accommodation of the C.P.R. boat Okanagan, finds a city with all the modern equipments that he may have left back east. The professions are well represented in every branch, as well as the trades. The city contains a large graded public school and high school, churches for the following denominations, Episcopal, Presbyterian, Methodist, and Baptist, three first class hotels, two newspapers, a club and indeed every facility, for promoting the welfare of the citizens along religious, educational, social and commercial lines. The banking facilities are good, and are represented by branches of the Royal Bank of Canada, and Bank of Montreal. The real estate firms are numerous and are doing a brisk business, showing that the influx of settlers is considerable. As a health promoter this district takes first place, with an elevation of 1100 ft. above sea level at the lake. Good transportation in the near future is assured by the C. P. R., at present in operation at the north end of the lake, and the Great Northern Railway, which is constructing a road at the south end.

The G. N. R. intend also to augment the steamboat service. A scheme is afoot too, to construct an electric line between Kelowna and Vernon.

Situated as it is 40 miles down the Okanagan Lake, Kelowna occupies a position in the centre of the fruit growing country, and for natural beauty it is hard to excel what has been aptly described as the "Loch Lomand" of the Rockies. In closing we might borrow Earl Gray's words at the opening of New Westminster Exhibition---"Fruit growing in the province has acquired the distinction of being a beautiful art as well as a most profitable industry, and it offers the opportunity of living under such ideal conditions as struggling humanity has only succeeded in reaching in one or two of the most favoured spots upon the earth." Such a spot is Kelowna, "the City Desirable."

CITY COUNCIL

The City Council met in the Council Chambers on Tuesday at 9.30 a.m. Present, His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Curts, Gaddes and Sterling.

The minutes of the meeting on Nov 24th were read and adopted.

The following communications were received:---

From G. A. Hankey & Co., enclosing cheque in payment for the Granolithic Sidewalk Local Improvement Debentures. From the Packard Electric Co. of St. Catherines asking the Council to give one of their meters a thorough trial, and offering to enter into a contract to supply meters for the ensuing year, which was referred to T. W. Ashbridge, C.E. From G.A. Hankey & Co., enclosing cheque in payment for the $4000.00 Local Improvement Debentures, recently purchased by them. From A. J. Forsyth & Co., informing the Council that they were the successful tenderers for about 900 tons cast iron pipes, wanted by Vancouver City Water Works Dept. and asking to be placed on our list for receiving specifications, referred to T. W. Ashbridge, C. E. From the McGraw Electrical Directory, asking for full particulars regarding the Municipal Electric Plant. From Mr. J. L. Doyle, informing the Council that he will be pleased to write-up the insurance on the power house and contents, this was left for the Mayor to deal with. Mr. S. F. Burne, City Solicitor, was present, and gave legal advice upon the Voters' list.

On motion of Ald. Sterling, seconded by Ald. Gaddes, the following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee, to be paid if found correct.

Hinton Electric Co., Cash advanced to A. Taylor	$	20 00
Hinton Electric Co., Meter test Board		34 35
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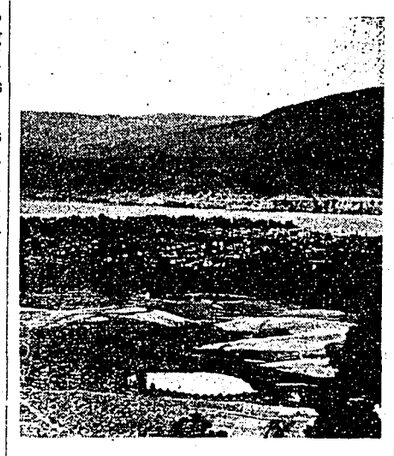
KELOWNA CANNERY

In the Kelowna Cannery we have one of the valley's infant industries, but one which in the very near future bids fair to become of greatest importance. The Kelowna Canning Co. is the outgrowth of an experiment made last season by Messrs. Fraser Bros. and Whitehead, when they installed in connection with their fruit packing business a hand cannery plant with a capacity of 1,000 cans per day.

It was a question of whether, owing to the higher prices of produce and labor, the business could successfully meet eastern competition. With the season's experience based upon an output of about three cars the promoters decided that it could be done, and encouraged by the ready sale and many flattering testimonials as to the quality of their goods they proceeded to organize a company with a capitalization of $15,000 to enable them to enlarge their premises and install a steam power plant with a capacity of from 5,000 to 10,000 cans per day. With this plant they were enabled during the past season to handle with ease all the produce offered, but anticipating an ever increasing supply they are now preparing to increase their capitalization that they may be able to keep pace with the valley's requirements.



This season as last they have found a ready market for their output, placing practically all of it in B. C. interior points.

In addition to the canning business the company have now in operation a complete, up-to-date aerated water plant, and are prepared to cater to the needs of the public with soda water and a full line of soft drinks.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Two cases were up at court on Monday. Both drunks. One case adjourned.

A party of settlers from Northern Alberta passed through Kelowna on Saturday on their way to Peachland.

Many people around here own gramaphones. Why not exchange records one with another and so have a constant change?

The Y. P. C. U. meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock in either the Presbyterian or Baptist Church, Kelowna.

Four boys were brought up before Magistrate Burne on Saturday for creating a disturbance. Reprimanded and dismissed. Also one man suffering from a super-abundance of spirits (distilled).

The paper chase was well attended on Saturday, and met at Mr. W. T. Cameron's residence. No casualties are reported, tho one gentleman dismounted rather hastily at a high jump.

Three undesirable characters honored Kelowna with a visit last week. Constable Hidson, however, promptly introduced himself to them and gave them two days to clear out. They have gone.

The engine for the electric light and water works plant has now arrived, and is being installed. The generator will be here in a few days.

The annual billiard handicap will be held this year in the pool room on Water Street. Will commence in about two weeks time.

There have been a number of petty thefts reported around town recently. Suspected persons are being kept under close surveillance.

On the 8th day of December the Oddfellows in the city of Kelowna and through the valley will meet in Raymer's hall for the purpose of organizing. All the brethren in the town and district are asked to be present at 8 o'clock p.m.

News has been received from Mr. R. M. Palmer, who is in charge of the B. C. fruit exhibits in England, that this Province carried the gold medal at Bath, and the silver gilt medal at the Crystal Palace, London. These are the highest awards in these shows.

CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS.

There have been many improvements made in Kelowna by the City Council this year, among which we might mention the building of 14,502 lineal feet of wooden sidewalks at a cost of $4,990.00. Then there is the concrete sidewalk on the south side of Bernard Avenue, stretching from Abbot to Water Street, at a cost of $879.50. On the north side of Bernard Avenue, a concrete sidewalk has been laid, extending from Water Street to some distance beyond the post office at a cost of $791.30. We might add that the sidewalks were partly constructed under the Local Improvement By-laws. Three bridges have also been constructed to facilitate traffic, at a total cost of $2,250.00, exclusive of filling in, etc., to bring the streets up to the necessary grades, and the purchase of a piece of land from Messrs. Grummet & Fletcher for street extension brought the total up to $4,929.83. For the financing of the bridge building and street extensions the city issued debentures last spring up to $5,000.00. Debentures up to $40,000.00 have also been issued to finance the electric lighting and water supply schemes, and work is going on apace to get these in working shape at an early date. The City Council has passed by-laws to dispose of further debentures up to $14,500.00 for school purposes. These, however, have not yet been put on the market. This brief summary contains the main feature up to the end of October last, and will give our readers an idea of how Kelowna is forging ahead.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES AT REVELSTOKE.

At the Revelstoke convention of school trustees last week, Mr. Robinson, Supt. of Education, was introduced to the delegates. In his opening remarks he touched upon the free text books, saying the Government had tried to be fair to all. He also pointed out that school trustees should pay their teachers well, and increase their pay when necessary.

The question of Union Jack vs. the Canadian ensign on the schools was brought up, and discussed at length. The following resolution was finally moved and passed: "Resolved that this convention respectfully requests the Minister of Education to supply the Canadian ensign free to any school in B. C. asking for same."

Another resolution was also passed, "That the Board of School Trustees in any city or rural municipality may be given full power to handle all school funds, submit by-laws, and generally administer school affairs, independent of the council, and in the same manner as the order of business of the city or rural municipality shall be administrative by the council."

Another resolution was passed to the effect that the Government should ascertain how many deaf and dumb persons were in the province, and, if expedient, should make provision for their education.

A resolution making thickly populated rural municipalities come under the same law as the cities regarding compulsory attendance.

The Government was thanked by resolution for free text books. A considerable amount of business was discussed, regarding the engagement of teachers, medical inspection of school children, etc., and altogether this convention has proven a success, many valuable suggestions having been made to the school trustees in attendance.

Kelownaite Wins $100 Prize.

Mr. A. Patterson is the winner of a $100 cash prize, awarded by M.W. Waitt & Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, piano manufacturers. Every purchaser of one of this firm's pianos is entitled to a coupon for each dollar paid, and is entitled to $100 prize if he or she should get the lucky number. Mr. Patterson bought one of these pianos from this firm's agent here, Mr. Jas. Wilks, and was fortunate enough to secure the winning coupon, No. 639.

Some prairie visitors to Kelowna were not a little surprised recently at seeing town residents playing lawn tennis. The idea of lawn tennis in the middle of November was, to them, something to write home about.

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SALUTATORY

In making our bow to the people of Kelowna and district, we would like right here to express our appreciation of the hearty manner in which we have been received into your midst. The hand of good fellowship has been extended from one and all, and as time goes on we hope to deserve this more and more. Our watchword will ever be "Kelowna," and anything and everything that will in any way benefit this enterprising city and district will meet with our support and co-operation.

Our first business is to supply the community with news, local and otherwise. A comprehensive news service however is not worked up in a day, but we are doing our best to organize a service which will make the Orchard City Record a welcome visitor to your homes each week's end.

The policy of the paper will be conservative, but strenuous politics we shall ever avoid, as being entirely out of place in a comprehensive community like this. We are under the patronage of no creed or party and we cannot sit on the fence, but we feel that honest convictions, temperate and broad-minded criticism will hurt the feelings of no right thinking citizen.

For the benefit of our advertisers, and in order to start the new year with a good big subscription list, we are mailing every person or family a free copy of the paper for one month. After which, if for any reason you do not wish to become a subscriber, kindly return to post offices marked "refused."

Those continuing to take the paper from the post office after the fourth issue are recognised as subscribers, and will kindly remit the yearly subscription of $1.50. It costs money to publish a newspaper, therefore an early remittance is respectfully solicited.

Kelowna is getting a large amount of free advertising at present through the Auction Sale of Lands being put on by the Central Okanagan Land and Orchard Co., for December 10th.

A number of Kelowna people kept up their prairie habits this week at the first appearance of a cold snap. Must ship those furs back east, they libel the country.

It was no side-track way-back town we undertook to write up, as will be seen by the number of energetic business houses whose write-up occupies our columns this week. Our batch of local news is consequently somewhat curtailed.

It has been recommended us by so many well-wishers both of the newspaper and the district, that a write-up of some of the best known ranches around would do a large amount of good, that we commence this week to put the suggestion to practice. Our greatest difficulty in this direction is the natural modesty of the ranchers themselves who are generally afraid of any appearance of "blow". But this should not be so, as their success does not belong to themselves alone, it belongs also to the district.

PUBLIC HOSPITAL

Among other public institutions in Kelowna, Kelowna Hospital stands pre-eminent. Incorporated under the Benevolent Societies Act, Kelowna Hospital Society stands out in eloquent testimony of the public spirit and generosity displayed by the residents of this community. To outsiders it denotes that co-operative spirit and charity which makes a community. This fine new building was built at a cost of $6,925.00, and is up to date in every respect. A steam heating plant has been installed at a cost of $1,775.00, and it is electrically lighted throughout. It is fitted with a septic tank at a cost of $620.70, and the completion of the basement, as yet unfinished, has been undertaken by the Hospital Ladies' Aid, at a cost of about $1,200.00. The public were enthusiastic in contributing funds for the building and fitting out this institution, and the voluntary donations were supplemented by a Government grant of $5,000.00. Among special donations might be mentioned that of Mr. Stirling who furnished the operating room with a specail table and appliances; the furnishings of the Matron and Nurses' quarters were the gift of Mrs. Stirling; Mrs. Taylor completed the dining room and one bath, and Mrs. Boyce completed the kitchen. One ward was furnished by Mr. D. Sutherland, another by Mr. F. Dellart, a third by the staff of T. Lawson, Ltd., and a fourth by the Kelowna Club. The Girls' Handicraft Club of Peachland furnished the Peachland ward. Mr. Margettson donated baths, and Mrs. Guy Lindsay blinds. The hospital contains one general men's ward, one general women's ward, one semi-private ward, and three private wards. Also one isolation ward for suspected cases. This institution is governed by a board of fifteen directors, and an executive of four members, viz:—President, Mr. Stirling: Treasurer, Mr. Weddel; Secretary, Mr. Garve, and Mr. Burns, lay member. It is supported mainly by voluntary contributions. The ladies in charge of the nursing stand high in their profession as regards both efficiency and experience. The staff is composed of the Matron, Miss McKillup; Head Nurse, Miss Clark; Assistant Nurse, Miss Wood, and the Janitor, Mr. Bevan. Opened on the 2nd April of this year by Mr. Price Ellison, our M. P. P., this institution has given every satisfaction to the public, and Kelowna is justly proud of one of her foremost institutions.

Still They Come.

A Vancouver syndicate with Mr. Albert McKillup at the head, has started the construction of a large canning fatcory, situate on the north side of Manhattan Beach, at an estimated cost of $50,000. Piles have already been driven for the foundation, and the buildings are in the course of erection. The factory will consist of three buildings, two 100x40, and one 40x60, and a complete plant for canning fruit, jam making and pickling will be installed. These people intend putting a large boat on the Okanagan Lake in order to handle produce from both sides of the lake. This factory will be running all the year round, and will be devoted to the manufacture of boxes for fruit packing, when the canning season is over. Although all inducements were made oy Vernon to this syndicate, to locate there, it was decided that Kelowna was by far the most suitable locality, on account of being a centre of the fruit industry, and also being a better shipping point. This will be a valuable addition to our city, and with the canning factory already in operation here, will be one of our leading industries.

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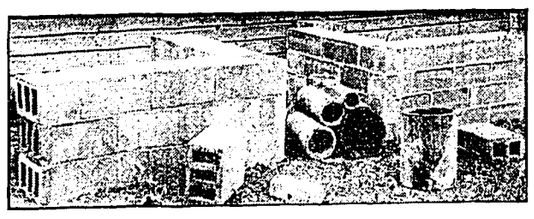

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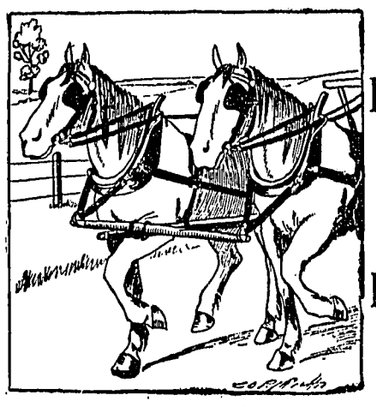

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New Stock! Cheaper Prices! Better Than Ever!

New Jams and Marmalade

Cross & Blackwell, Liptons and Wagstaffs

1 lb. Raspberries 1 lb. Strawberries 1 lb. Prunes 1 lb. Damsons 1 lb. Peaches 1 lb. Apricots 1 lb. Gooseberries 1 lb. Blackberries 1 lb. Marmalade	From 25c. to 30c. each
5 lb. tin Raspberries 5 lb. tin Strawberries 5 lb. tin Plums 5 lb. tin Damisons 5 lb. tin Peaches 5 lb. tin Apricots 5 lb. tin Blackberries 5 lb. tin Black Currants	From 65c. to 90c. each

New Currants, 3 lbs. for 25c.
Seeded Raisins, 3 lbs for 25c.
Full 16 oz. packets, cleaned by patent machinery and ready for use

Cheap Puddings for Xmas

3 lbs. best Japan Rice, for 25c.
3 lbs. best Tapioca, for 25c.
3 lbs. best Sago, for 25c.
2 lbs. best Vermecelli, for 25c.
2 lbs. best Macaroni, for 25c.
Best mixed Peel, Lemon, Orange and Citron, 15c.

Big Reductions

Choicest Hams, per 20c. lb.
Choicest Bacon, per 20c. lb.
Picnic Hams, only per 15c. lb.
Just the thing for Xmas

The largest and best assortments of Chocolates direct from the factories of such well-known firms as Cadburys, Frys, Rowntrees and Lucerna, at prices ranging from 5c up to $5.00.
Choicest selection of Crackers and Bon Bons in the City

Dolls Dolls Dolls

Look out for our free presentation choice selection, come and see them

Huntley & Palmers, Patersons, McCormicks, Perrins and Mackenzies Biscuits in endless varieties, 20c., 25c. and 30c. per lb.

We try to make a permanent customer with every sale

We carry one of the choicest and best selected stocks of Tea in the District and the rapid and consistent increase in our sales proves that the best never fails to please.
Delicious Tea, 50c per lb., rich, strong and pure
Choicest Black 40c., very delicate flavour.
A Blend of Indian Ceylon 35c.
A Great Favourite, commonly sold at 50c. a Tea for the Masses, 25c.
Blue Ribbon, red or white label 35c
Ram Lal Tea, Salada Tea, Maple Leaf Tea, Tetleys Tea.

We believe it always pays to sell the best

See our stock of Fancy Box Chocolates. We have the largest stock in the City.

We have the most complete stock of Groceries, Confectioneries, etc., in town.

Everything for Christmas.

We are Giving Away
Absolutely Free
With our Famous Bonus
TEA and COFFEE
At 50c. per lb.

Real Staffordshire China or Porcealine Cups and Saucers

Glass Tumblers
Glass Water Jugs
Glass Water Bottles
Glass Sugar Basins
Glass Tapers
Glass Celery Jars
Glass Cake Stands
Tea Pots
Beautiful Vases
Ornaments
Nick Nacks, etc., etc.
Remember this Tea or Coffee is well worth the money without the present.

FORCE 5c. package

Very Choice Fruit

New Prunes 2 lbs for 25c.
New Apricots, 2 lbs for 25c.
New Peaches, 2 lbs. for 25c.
New Cooking Figs, 2 lbs. for 25c.
We have been fortunate in securing a very choice selection of new Layer Raisins. See them before buying.
Our new Figs are now coming in, also new Sultana and Valentian Raisins.
New Shelled Almonds
New Shelled Walnuts
Also new Unshelled Nuts
Walnuts, Almond Nuts, Hazel Nuts, Brazel Nuts.

Our Pure Coffee

We have some of the finest Coffee the world produces

The Connoisseurs Delight

Rich, smooth grade, blended and roasted on the most up-to-date principles, try it and you will be delighted.

Braids Coffee
Chase & Sandborn Coffee
Empress Coffee
Victoria Coffee
Best English Chicory

Syrups

Edwardsburg, 5 lb., 10 lb. & 2o lb.
Pure Maple in 1 gallon, ½ gallon and 1-4 gallon
Lylas Golden Syrup, 2 & 4 lb. tins
Molasses, Fresh, sweet, good

P and S

Stock Food, Oyster Shells, Grits, Ground Bone, etc., etc.

Heinz

Ketchups
Sweet Pickles
And plain special Pickles
Horse Radish
Stuffed Olives
Plain Olives
Chilo Sauce
Mandalay Sauce
Sweet Midget Pickles
Baked Beans, etc, etc.

Lipton's

Marmalade
Strawberry Jam
Raspberry Jam
Greengage Jam
Plum Jam
Apricot Jam
Damson Jam
Red Currant Jam
Black Currant Jam
Lime Juice
Boiled Sweets or Candy

Lee and Perrin's Sauce
Blue Table Sauce
Rowats Sauce
Pan Yan Sauce
Holbrook's Pickles
Holbrook's Vinegars
C. and B. Vinegar
Pendray's Vinegar
Mango Chutney
Essence of Anchovie
Capers
Mapeline
Celery Salt
Table Salt
McLaren's Cheese, all sizes
C. and B. Pickles
Brasly's Pickles
Gillard's Pickles
Rowat's Pickles

Soups

Chicken
Ox Tail
Bouillon
Vegetable
Mock Turtle

Chewing Gums

Sen Sen
Pure Pepsin
Buman's Pepsin
Somerville's Pepsin
Kola-Nut
Adams Tutti-Fruti

All our Goods are reliable and satisfactory

Pure Kelowna Honey
Pure Ontario Honey
Pure Honey in Combs
Pure California Honey

Buy your bread at the STORE OF PLENTY where you always get good bread, 16 loaves for $1.00.

Only by sampling can you appreciate our
RICH AND PURE
Bonus Tea
A beautiful and useful present given with each pound. By sheer force of merit we have achieved a remarkable success.

Soap

Royal Crown
White Swan Soap
Golden West Soap
Sunlight Soap
Pears Soap
Tar soap
We carry a large assortment of Toilet Soaps
Gold Dust Washing Powder per 25c. packet
White Swan Powder 25c
Golden West per 25c packet
Pure French Castile Soap 35c bar
Washing Ammonia
Laundry Blue

We are sure we can give you satisfaction

Tobaccos

T. & B. Plugs
Myrtle Cut
T. & B. Sacks
Brier Plugs
Prince of Wales Plugs
Westover
Star
Pay Roll
Imperial Mixture
Capstan Navy Cut, mild & medium
Garrick Mixture
Three Castles
Old Chum
Meerschaum etc.
B. D. V.
a large assortment of Cigarettes

Cigars Cigars Cigars

Eugens, Vallens special Havana Cigars, 5 for 25c.

We are taking orders for our Rich Xmas Cakes, order at once to save disappointment
The steady growth of our Confectionery, Cakes, Tarts, Puffs, Queen Cakes, Savory, Macaronies speak for themselves.
Special attention given to the Icing of Christmas Cakes, bring your cake early to ensure the best satisfaction.
Expert makers of Wedding and Birthday Cakes

We have a large assortment of choicest No 1 grade Apples

Kings	Spitzenburgs
Jonathans	Newton Pippens
MacIntosh Red	Northern Spys
Greenings	Snows

at $1.50 per box

Jumbo Bananas per 35c. doz.
Oranges per 35c. doz.
Lemons per 35c doz.
Large Consignment of choice Jap Oranges
Malaga Grapes 25c per lb.
Cokernuts 15c each.
Onions 8 lbs. for 25c.
Potatoes 75c and $1.00 per sack
Carrots, Turnips and Cabbage.

New Salmon, 2 tins for 25c.

Flour Flour Flour

MOFFATS BEST makes the lightest, makes the whitest, makes the sweetest Bread. Try a sack and you will be delighted.
Bran, Oats, Shorts, Wheat, etc. on hand.

Delightful Fresh BUTTER, 3 lbs. for $1.00.

Tinned Vegetables

2 tins Peas 25c.
2 tins Corn 25c.
2 tins Beans 25c.
3 large tins Kelowna Tomatoes for 50c.

Tinned Fruits

Peaches per 25c. tin.
Pears per 25c. tin
Strawberries per 25c. tin
Raspberries per 25c. tin
Blueberries only per 25c. tin, etc.

You can always be sure of the best when you order from The Store of Plenty.

Tinned Meats and Fish

1 lb. tin Mutton, 25c.
1 lb. tin Beef, 25c.
1 lb. tin Corned Beef, 20c.
2 lb. tin Corned Beef, 35c.
Veal Loaf 15c and 25c per tin.
Duck, Chicken and Turkey, 35c.
Lobster 15c and 25c per tin.
King Oscar Sardines, 15c per tin or 3 for 40c, other makes 3 for 25c
Devilled Ham and Potted Beef 10c per tin, fine for sandwiches.
Lunch Tongue and Ox Tongue.

We never deviate in the slightest in the matter of quality from the highest standard.

Breakfast Foods

Rolled Oats in 10, 20, 40 and 80 lb. sacks
Carnation Flakes
Canadian Flakes
Grape Nuts
Force, Malta Vita
Toasted Corn Flakes
Quaker Rolled Oats
Quaker Puffed Rice
Quaker Wheat Berries
Wheatlets Cream of Wheat
Graham Flour, Oat Meal
Pastry Flour, fine and coarse
Corn Meal, Wheat Flour, etc.

McJannett, Marsden, & Hall

SUCCESS THE KEY NOTE OF KELOWNA'S BUSINESS MEN

Wonderful Growth of the District is Portrayed in Business Men's Story.

McJannet & Marsden.

The firm of McJannet & Marsden started business in this town in August, 1907, when they bought out the firm of Hitchcock, baker and confectioner. Since they began, business has grown by leaps and bounds, and the output from their bakery alone is between two and three thousand loaves per week, besides other confectionery. This firm enlarged their premises last spring, but business is steadily increasing, and they are now contemplating further extensions. In the confectionery department this firm makes a specialty of wedding cakes, their confectioner being an expert in this line. The grocery business, backed by many years experience in England and in this country, is one of the most complete in the inland towns of B. C., and Mr. Marsden himself is a master of tea blending, one of their best lines. Ladies shopping in Kelowna will do well to remember that there are comfortable tea rooms in connection with this store where afternoon tea may be had.

Knowles' Jewellery Establishment.

Coming here from Vancouver in 1905, at which place he was engaged with the well known firm of . E. Trorey, Mr. Knowles, jeweller, started in a small way in the building now occupied by Mr. Jas. Wilks His jewellery business, however, demanding larger quarters, he moved after two months to the handsome store which he now occupies. Besides carrying a full stock in the jewellery line, Mr. Knowles is ready to supply the needs of anyone requiring the services of a first-class optician. It is worth knowing that Mr Knowles does his own manufacturing to a large extent, and has an up-to-date plant in his workshops for the carrying on of his craft. He can supply his patrons with engagement rings, marriage licenses, and wedding rings, the purchaser only having to provide the bride. Watch his advertisements during the Xmas season.

Thomas Lawson, Limited.

In the firm of Thos. Lawson, Ltd., we have another proof of the phenomenal growth of this city. The founder of this firm, Mr. Thos. Lawson, was for seven years n the same line of business in Manitoba. Tempted by the mild climate, and bright outlook for the future from a business point of view, Mr. Lawson started up in business here ten years ago. The town was then in its infancy, and in beginning he opened a small store, 30x50 including warehouse.

For four years he was doing a steadily increasing business, when he was entirely burned out. Kelowna at this time began to develop, and starting up again, and keeping pace with the growth of the town, Mr. Lawson built up the business which now bears his name. This firm, along with other business houses of Kelowna, has been on the steady increase since starting, to be accounted for by the rapid influx of settlers, who are makng their permanent homes here.

The difference between the small store of T. Lawson ten years ago, and the large 70x80 store, besides several large warehouses, of T. Lawson, Ltd., of today is substantial evidence that there is something in Kelowna besides the name, and to talk with our business men, one would thing that such things as "trade depressions and financial stringencies" were peculiarities of a remote age, and not to be associated with the name Kelowna.

Kelowna Furniture Co.

It is a pleasure to visit so fine a display of furniture as one finds in the Kelowna Furniture Co.'s store. Entering on the ground floor we encounter an exhibition of tables, settees, bureaus, etc. seldom seen in any interior town in B. C.

A gallery running around the whole length and breadth of the building contains a choice assortment of goods of a lighter nature. On the second floor a reserve stock is kept of carpets, linoleums and general furniture, and it is the intention of the company to extend their building back to the lane at the rear of their lot in order to make room for more stock. Every business tells its own tale of the progressive spirit and prosperity of Canada's "Garden of Eden."

W. B. M. Calder.

Coming here seven years ago when the town was practically in its infancy, this gentleman made his first acquaintance of Kelowna. Twelve months later Mr. Calder started in business with the firm of Lawson, Rowcliffe & Co., branching out for himself in 1904.

The growth of this business is a high testimonial to the town as a business center. Beginning in a small store about 20x40, with a very small stock, Mr. Calder has, through courteous treatment of his patrons and supplying the best quality goods, built up one of the leading dry goods emporiums, second to none in inland B. C. In connection with this business, there is a dressmaking and millinery establishment, up to date in every respect. Mr. Calder has just returned from a trip down east, where he has been purchasing a large stock of fall and winter goods, with a special line for the Xmas season. Mr. Calder makes a specialty of boots and shoes of English, Canadian and American make, and would like his customers to bear this in mind. "Moderate prices and best quality only," is this gentleman's motto.

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PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS CARDS

J. F. BURNE
Solicitor,
Notary Public,
Conveyancer, etc.
KELOWNA, :: B. C.

CHAS. HARVEY
B. A. Sc., C. E., D. L. S., B. C. L. S.
CIVIL ENGINEER and LAND SURVEYOR
Kelowna, B. C.

R. B. KERR
Barrister
and Solicitor,
Notary Public.
KELOWNA, :: B. C.

W. T. ASHBRIDGE
CIVIL ENGINEER
Assoc. Mem. Can. Soc. C. E. Graduate Toronto University
Waterworks and Sewerage Systems, Pumping and Lighting Plants, Concrete Construction, etc.
KELOWNA, :: B. C.

S. C. RICHARDS, D.V.S.
McGill
VETERINARY SURGEON and Dentist
Lake View Hotel Kelowna

Dr. J. W. Nelson Shepherd
DENTIST
P. O. Box 146 'Phone 56
Office in Dr. Boyce's Building.
Barnard Ave.

COLLETT BROS.
LIVERY AND DRAY
Horses bought and sold on commission. Dray meets all C.P.R. boats. All kinds of heavy team work. 'Phone 20.

GEO. C. BENMORE
Orchard Work
Pruning, Planting, etc.
P.O., Kelowna.

JOHN CURTS
CONTRACTOR & BUILDER
Plans and Specifications Prepared and estimates given for public Buildings, Town and Country Residences
JOHN CURTS, KELOWNA

MISS L. STOREY
High-class
DRESSMAKING
Rowcliffe Block

TOYS TOYS

The Headquarters of

Santa Claus

Toys of all description

Christmas and New Year Cards and Calendars

Burnt Leather Souvenirs

Post Cards and Booklet Views of Kelowna

Christmas Presents of all kinds and all prices.

W. R. Trench
Druggist and Stationer

TOYS TOYS

Time For Winter Spraying

Do it Better
Do it Easier
More Economically

GET A

Fairbanks-Morse Power Sprayer

For practical demonstration see
E. NEWBY, Kelowna
agent for
Canadian Fairbanks Co.
Vancouver, B. C.

Buy Your Xmas Gifts From Knowles, The Jeweler

Because it is His Business to buy Goods for Presentation

We have collected the most complete line of **Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, Sterling Goods, Leather Goods, Fine China and High Classed Fancy Goods** ever shown in any town the size of Kelowna

Don't fail to see this Grand Display, you are as welcome to inspect as buy.

Grand Xmas Opening
Saturday, Dec. 5th, Orchestra

Watch Guessing Contest
Sat., Dec. 12th, $25 Watch Free. See Hand Bills.

Knowles, The Jeweler
KELOWNA, :: :: :: B. C.

CRAWFORD & CO.

HEADQUARTERS FOR HOLIDAY GOODS

Also Stationery and Office Supplies
Kodak Supplies, Books, Magazines, &c.

Chocolates, Smokers' Supplies, Musical Instruments, Phonographs and Gramaphones, Toys, Dolls, &c. . . . . .

Fancy China, School Supplies, Souvenir Goods, Post Cards, Xmas and New Year Cards . . . . . .

We are always pleased to have you to call and examine our stock, whether you buy or not

COME EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH

J. G. HINMAN
The New Century Shoe Shop

is getting in a fine line of factory boots.

Boot and Shoe repairing.

Specialty made of fine hand-made Shoes to order. Fifteen years' experience.

Corner of Water St. and Lawrence Avenue

Kelowna :: B.C.

The Great Majestic Range
McClary's Famous Sask-Alta Range
McClary's Famous Kootenay Range
Buck's Criterion Range

All these leading Ranges sold by

The Morrison-Thompson Hardware Co.

Sole Agents for Kelowna and District

C. Blackwood

Livery, Feed and Sale Stables : :

Commercial Driving a Specialty

Draying and Freighting

KELOWNA, :: B. C.
'Phone 25

S. T. ELLIOTT

Importer and Dealer in all kinds of

Agricultural Implements, Wagons, and Carriages

Headquarters for

Horse Blankets & Robes

Also Poultry Supplies including Beef Scraps, Dried Green Bone, Sea Shell

Warehouse on Barnard Avenue, Kelowna, B. C.

ADVERTISE IN
THE ORCHARD CITY RECORD

Splendid Showing of Misses' and Children's Dresses

NAVY BLUE SERGE (Sailor Style) trimmed with silk braids, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00

CHILDREN'S CREAM CASHMERE DRESSES, at $1.50, $2.00, $2.25

CHILDREN'S CREAM CASHMERE DRESSES, silk embroidered, at $3.00, $4.25

CHILDREN'S COL'D CASHMERE DRESSES, cardinal, pale blue, navy, etc., only $2.50

CHILDREN'S CREAM DRESSES, SILK, trimmed with fine valenciennes lace and insertion, only $3.50

CHILDREN'S CREAM DRESSES, SILK, trimmed with silk lace and insertion, only $5.00

In Fine Persian Lawn Dresses we show a number of pretty styles too numerous to mention, prices from $1.50 to $5.00

CHILDREN'S GOODS A SPECIALTY

The Kelowna Outfitting Store

W. B. M. CALDER

PROPRIETOR

Some member of the family may have an acute attack of toothache or neuralgia

Use a Hot Water Bottle

Cramps or Cholera morbus may appear with no medicine at hand.

Use a Hot Water Bottle

It may be necessary to keep a poultice or wet application warm for several hours.

Use a Hot Water Bottle

Several members of the family may be troubled with cold feet at one time.

Use Several Hot WaterBottles

We have several grades and sizes.

P. B. Willits & Co.

DRUGGISTS and STATIONERS

Kelowna, B. C.

SUCCESS IS KEY NOTE OF KELOWNA'S BUSINESS MEN.

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C. C. Josselyn.

Induced by the salubrious climate of the Okanagan, and the bright outlook for business in Kelowna in particular, Mr. C. C. Josselyn, General Grocer and Flour and Feed Merchant, opened up n business here in July, 1905. Flour and feed were his only lines at first, but sharing the prevailing prosperity with the other merchants in Kelowna, he opened out into high class groceries. Mr. Josselyn, during an interview, supported his fraternity in declaring this district to be making great strides from a business standpoint. As he says, with such a wealthy country at the back of her, Kelowna is bound to advance. In his own line Mr. Josselyn endeavours to supply the public with the best quality goods at a reasonable profit, and bases his success on that fact, together with the increase of trade of late years.

Campbell Bros., Electricians.

Messrs. Campbell Bros., proprietors of one of the two electrical works in Kelowna, came here from Winnipeg in 1906, where they had been engaged in a similar business. Kelowna had then no electric power station, nor had the city yet started to instal its new plant. These gentlemen, however, saw by the extensive building operations that the electric lighting system had to come, and taking time by the forelock opened an electrical engineering works, buying up Newby's bicycle shop at the same time. Their confidence in this place was rewarded as they expected, and shortly they were at work installing electric fittings in the various residences and stores, in readiness for the new city supply. It speaks well for Kelowna in having the various trades and professions represented so plentifully, and yet with competition each firm doing so well. Bicycle building and repairing is carried on here, as is general mechanical and marine engineering. During an interview, the manager expressed his convction that our city is yet in its infancy, and that no time is like the present to get a foothold here.

W. Haug, Cement, Coal and Wood Merchant.

One of the pioneer business men of Kelowna is Mr. W. Haug, our jovial cement, coal, and wood merchant. It was in 1892 when Mr. Haug first settled in this district to carry on his trade as a plasterer. At that time this townsite was not even surveyed, and a thriving city as we have today was not even thought of. Working his way up gradually, Mr. Haug first began handling a small line of cement, lime, etc., increasing and varying his stock as trade demanded. Until about three years ago Mr. Haug did practically all the plastering work in the Valley, when he threw it up to devote his attention to his business here. In 1906 he started manufacturing cement bricks by hand in a small building 24x75. This industry has grown to such an extent that he has had to erect a factory 45x120, where he manufacturers cement blocks, pipes, casings, gravestones and everything of a similar nature, for the retail trade. Mr. Haug is now perfecting a cement fire place, with a massive mantel-piece. This will be a very handsome structure when completed, and will be a welcome feature to those who know and appreciate the solid comfort of an open fire. Coal and wood are kept on hand, along with all requirements for masons, bricklayers and plasterers. Mr. Haug's ready smile and hearty greeting speaks volumes for the growing prosperity of his business.

Hudson & Dunn.

About two years ago Mr. Hudson, portrait and landscape artist, started a small business in Kelowna in landscape work. Inside of twelve months business demanded larger quarters, so he opened a studio in more roomy quarters on Pendoza Street. In September of this year Mr. Dunn went into partnership in the business, the firm now being known as Hudson & Dunn. All branches of the photographic art are carried on here to meet the demands of trade, and a visit to their studio is both highly interesting and instructive. These gentlemen, who are the first portrait photographers in the Okanagan Valley south of Vernon, have put in a stock of picture post cards, views of the valley, and Xmas cards, and residents of Kelowna having friends so unfortunate as to know nothing of this place are recommended to secure some of these views to send them.

Kelowna Saw Mill.

The lumber industry has been established in Kelowna now for the past fi. ee n years, and of late has assumed considerable proportions.

Thirteen years ago the saw mill and factory in this city was taken over by Mr. D. Lloyd-Jones, who is mainly instrumental in building up what is now one of the most important concerns in this city. Early this year, the business was formed into a limited liability company with an authorized capital of $100,000.00, of which $55,000.00 is paid up. About fifty hands are employed in the saw mill and camps, and the mill itself has a capactiy of 30,000 feet per day. It is worthy of note that all the lumber turned out of this saw mill is used up in the immediate vicinity, and the demand is ever increasing. The manufacturing department, indeed, is to be enlarged within the next month. Those who have experienced the recent financial depression in Eastern Canada will learn with interest that the general slackness was not felt here to any great extent. Mr. Lloyd-Jones, in speaking of the firm he represents, and the community in general, says that business did not decrease more than about 10%, and in saying so, only echoes what many other of our leading merchants say. This is a feature that might well be envied by many other towns in Canada, as "hard times" have been the lot of our Dominion, with greater or lesser severity, during the past year.

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DEATHS.

Mrs. Grummy, sister of Mr. J. Brodie, died on Sunday after an illness of some months' duration. The Rev. H. P. Thorpe held a service over the remains on Monday evening. The corpse was shipped east for interment on Tuesday.

Are You Looking for a Building Site?

If so why not get the best?

I have a number of half acre lots all set out to fruit tree, Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries and Peaches, some in bearing.

Two ten acre lots planted out to choice fruit that will bear next year.

One fine new brick house Corner Ethel and Laurier Avenue.

One fine new brick Cottage, corner Ethel and Sutherland Avenue.

Also a few choice lake shore lots and a quarter Section of heavy timber close to the City.

Will sell any of the above on good terms.

I carry the largest stock of Ornamental Trees and Shrubs in the Valley.

Call and see them

F. R. E. DeHART

KELOWNA WEST BANK

STEAM FERRY

Prices Quoted to Any Point on the Lake

L. HAYMAN

Box 66 **Kelowna, B.C.**

THE GREAT WEST WIRE FENCE CO., LTD.

Get Your **FENCES** Built Now

You will have no time to think of it in the Spring

Estimates given on farm and lawn fencing---erected complete with posts included.

Agent

A. E. CLARKE - KELOWNA, B.C.

BIG AUCTION SALE

OF CHOICE

Fruit Lands and Residential City Property

AT

KELOWNA

The Orchard City of the Okanagan Valley

The Fruit Lands we offer for sale comprises 3000 acres situated from one to six miles from the City of Kelowna (Population 1800) are cultivated and ready for planting, no stumps or timber to clear away, no mountain side to climb, a rich loamy soil suitable for the growing of all kinds of fruits and nuts. A Store, Post Office, School and Church on the property. A rural mail delivery throughout the Valley.

The City property to be offered is acreage and 50 foot lots situated in the choicest residential section, and but four blocks from public and high schools.

Thursday, December 10th, at 2 p.m.

The Company will provide vehicles to those who desire to inspect the property.

Terms of Sale of Fruit Lands

10 per cent of purchase price to be paid in cash. 15 per cent. in 30 days and balance in three equal annual payments, interest at 6 per cent

Terms of Sale of City Property

One-third purchase price to be paid in cash, balance in two equal annual payments. Interest at 7 per cent.

Railway Fare Refunded from all points west of Winnipeg to those purchasing property to the value of $1200.00 or more.

The opportunity of a lifetime to secure a home in the most favored fruit growing district of the famous Okanagan Valley.

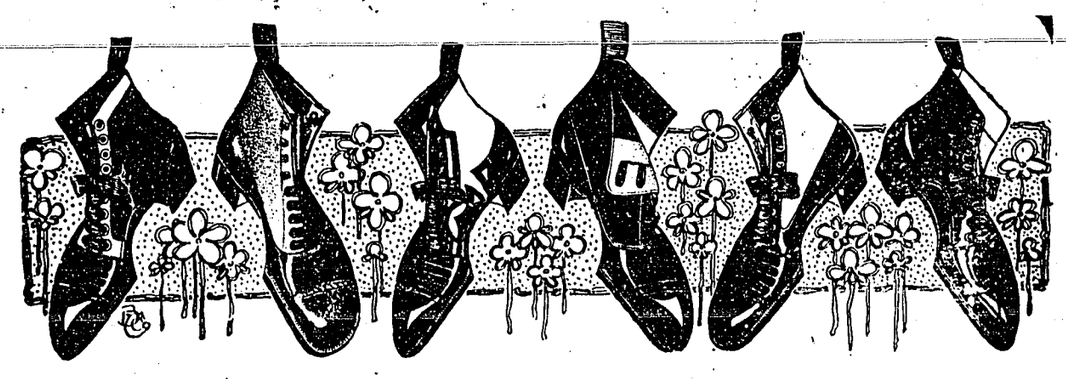
For further information and descriptive booklet, write to the

Central Okanagan Land and Orchard Co., Ltd.

KELOWNA, B.C. Or their Agents.

Our Sale Still Continues

The Stock has been reduced below our expectations. But is yet greater than we wish to carry. A great number left our store last week thoroughly satisfied with the goods received at our sale prices. But as our stock must be further reduced there is still a chance for those that have not had time to take advantage of our sale prices during the last month. As space is limited we have only room to quote the following lines this week which we trust will be sufficent to give you an idea of how our $6,000 stock is being sacrificed



Women's Patent Leather, 2 strap, a nobby evening or dress Slipper.
Regular Price $4.00
Sale Price $3.15

Men's Patent Leather Dancing Pumps, best make
Regular Price $4.25
Sale Price $3.35

Men's Patent Leather Oxfords same make as above
Regular Price $4.25
Sale Price 3.35

Women's Dancing Pumps in Tan and Black
Regular Price $3.75 and 3.00
Sale Price 2.95 & 2.40

Another line of Patent leather
Regular Price $3.00
Sale Price 2.35

Men's light Kid, regular Dancing Shoe
Regular Price $2.25
Sale Price 1.90

Women's 3 strap, Kid Slipper
Regular Price $2.25
Sale Price 1.90

Another line
Regular Price $1.75
Sale Price 1.40

We have still a large number of those $3.00
Sale Price $2.10
And
A number of others in Women's and Men's that will surprise you

Watch This Space To-morrow

J. M. Lang - Boot and Shoe Store

KELOWNA, B. C.

The Kelowna Land and Orchard Co.,

LIMITED,

Have for sale the following varieties:

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THE SPROULE RANCH, KELOWNA EAST.

Mr. S. Sproule first visited the Okanagan in 1898, having heard from one and another about its adaptability to fruit growing, as well as its unexcelled climate. Until this time he lived in Eastern Saskatchewan, where he was interested in wheat growing, also managing a branch business for the Massey-Harris implement company. After a short sojourn here and at the coast Mr. Sproule returned east, returning again to this district and taking up his residence at Okanagan Landing. In this place Mr. Sproule lived for three years, finally selling his property there and moving to his present location on Rutland's Bench in order to be near good schools. An interview with him will doubtless be of considerable interest to our readers and to others interested in this district.

"How long have you been living on your present farm, Mr. Sproule?"

"Five years. It was just rough, uncultivated land when I first came here, a little wheat growing going on, but no fruit trees of any kind. There were no settlers on the adjoining land in those days, except the old-timers who owned large tracts of land. They did not know then that the land was good for fruit, and raised mostly grain, hogs and cattle. All their fruit they had shipped in. Yes, if we only had better shipping facilities we would have the finest valley in the west for fruit."

Mr. Sproule put in ten acres of apples, plums, pears and peaches the first year he was here, fifteen acres more the second year, the third year planting another five acres, which made thirty acres of orchard out of the 160 acres which he bought from Mr. Rutland.

On being asked what he thought most profitable in the way of fruit, Mr. Sproule replied:

"Well, I think the safest and surest fruit for making money is winter apples, for this reason—if you could not sell them at once, you could keep them safely. Now suppose you had summer apples, you could not keep them. You would have to sell them right away, and if you had not a ready market they would simply spoil. Therefore you see winter apples are more to be depended on. Next to winter apples I think Italian prunes are more reliable. You can keep these around for some time without spoiling. With plums you can not do this, as they would spoil."

"What kinds of apples do you find give the best results?"

"Well, for summer, 'Red Astrachan,' then for fall 'Wealthy,' for early winter 'McIntosh Red,' for mid-winter 'Jonathan,'' for late winter 'Wagner,' 'Spy' and 'Gano.' Of course there are lots of others, but you know it would take a book to tell of them all. I know these are good, and I think they are the pick of all the rest for these seasons."

"You think the chances for a comparatively poor man are good here?"

"Well, yes. It just depends of course on the man. The chances are fairly good for a man with a small capital if he can apply himself to garden and orchard work. You might try to grow grain here, but you will starve. It is no place for grain, and cannot compete with grain growing countries at all."

Mr. Sproule went on to say that it is no use for a man to try prairie methods of farming here, giving the land a rough plowing, then rushing over it with the harrows. On the contrary it requires care and patience, and also continual watching to make fruit growing a success.

"What is the least amount of land necessary for a man to make a fair living?"

"That is another puzzling question, in this way. A man can make a living out of five acres if he had it in orchard and it bearing, but it might take 20 acres if he had no orchard but had it in something else. I would not advise a man to buy more than about 20 acres if he had to work it by himself. Of course, if he had it all in orchard, ten acres would be plenty."

"How do you find this compare with grain growing, such as they have it on the prairie?"

"The profits are much larger, for the amount of money and labour expended, and of course it is much lighter work, although it may be somewhat steadier. It requires more skill and generally speaking it would be better for a man intending to grow fruit to work out a bit with a fruit farmer and so gain experience."

"Have you been troubled with pests in the orchards?"

"No there is not much yet, and it is watched pretty closely. We have to spray regularly once or twice a year. There is nothing serious at all so far."

According to Mr. Sproule, it is no use for one just starting in, to expect to realize any returns from their apple trees until at least six years after being planted. Although they may begin to bear earlier than this, it is not in sufficient quantities to pay. This, however, does not apply to small fruits like strawberries, raspberries, etc., which may be grown to great advantage between the trees.

"There s a strawberry patch, said Mr. Sproule, pointing to a small patch of about one-eighth of an acre, "which netted me $100.00 this fall."

"Would you go back to wheat growing after living here?" was the next query.

"No I would not" was the emphatic reply, "and you could not buy me to go back to wheat raising at all. Not but what I think the prairie is a good place for a young man with a little capital, but I certainly would not go back to grain growing, after fruit. I have watched that industry very keenly for seventeen years. It is a great country alright, but after my experience at fruit-growing I would not go back."

The need of better transportation facilities appeals to this gentleman very strongly, and he dwelt on the necessity of either a railway or an electric line. On being questioned about the market, we learn that there has always been a good demand for fruit, at good prices. Mr. Sproule does not think that there will be enough fruit grown here to supply the Northwest Territories, particularly with the new country opening up in the Peace River district.

"How does irrigation compare with the non-irrigated lands?"

"Of course anybody would rather not have to irrigate, but where irrigation is not needed, the fruit is never so good. Generally speaking, the irrigated lands are far better. For instance, you take the Coast now; they grow good fruit there, but it will not compare with ours. And they have not the area in those districts where it is moist enough without irrigation to grow fruit very extensively."

Coming near home, we enquired how the Rutland Bench in particular was doing. "The Rutland Bench is practically only three years old, and by all we can see, it is going ahead in great shape. It is composed of three large sub-divisions of about 2500 acres, sub-divided into ten and twenty-acre lots. These are pretty well sold out, and quite a lot are settled on. Inside another year or two, they will all be settled on. We have now a store, post-office and Government school, and expect to have the telephone in by New Year's. This is one of the finest benches for fruit in the Okanagan, plenty of water, and practically no alkali. East of this Rutland Bench there is a syndicate being formed which will start bringing water on their sub-division, comprising an area of 10,000 acres. This will show you how this district is developing." According to Mr. Sproule, the Rutland Bench and K. L. O. is practically a piece of prairie with the Okanagan climate, compared to the Kootenay for instance or the coast. The Nicola he found pretty level country, but at a higher altitude and dry, too high in fact to get the water."

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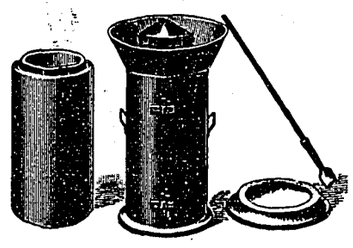

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Kelowna Manufacturing Co.

Among other manufacturing concerns in Kelowna, the Kelowna Manufacturing Co. must be mentioned. Opening up in August of this year, the firm has been kept at a steady run, turning out various kinds of woodwork. All work in the cabinet makers' trade is executed by competent mechanics, assisted by modern machinery. Shop and office fittings are paid special attention by these people, and their work gives every satisfaction. A large amount of their raw material is supplied by the local saw mills, thus saving exorbitant rates, as paid in some localities; for imported lumber. These manufacturing concerns are among Kelowna's most valuable assets, and the new comer cannot help but be favorably impressed with the district when he sees finished articles of manufacture made from the raw materlai, produced here.

Oak Hall Clothing Co.

Another large dry goods emporium in Kelowna is the Oak Hall Clothing Co., dealers in men's furnishings, boots and shoes. After about fourteen months' business in the Raymer Block, they too had to have larger premises and have now removed to the corner store lately occupied by the Morrison Co., hardware merchants. Since moving they have had to put in a large stock to cope with the ever increasing trade, which the steady influx of well to do settlers brings. This is exclusively a men's furnishings business, and the goods sold are of the highest class.

J. B. Willits & Co.

Among our professional men, the firm of J. B. Millits & Co., composed of Mr. J. B. Willits and Mr. S. A. McKay, prescription druggists, stands prominent. Coming here in 1903, they started their business at first in the building now occupied by Mr. Knowles, jeweller, moving in 1905 to the large corner block they now occupy. We have here one of the handsomest stores in the Okanagan Valley, with a large display frontage, and up-to-date fittings. Their dispensary is said to be, and with good reason, one of the best equipped in the Province. Previous to starting here, Mr. McKay was head dispenser in the firm of J. C. Gordon, which firm is one of the largest in Canada. In their stationery department, Messrs. Willits & Co. supply the highest class goods, and expect shortly to introduce a souvenir book of views of Kelowna, containing 20 5x7 views of Kelowna, the first of its kind in this city.

James Bros., Electricians.

Messrs. C. H. and G. F. James, registered as The Okanagan Electrical Supply & Machinery Co., have now been doing business in this town since Sept., 1907. Until recently Mr. C. H. James was chief engineer in the large Western Canada Flour Mills at Winnipeg, Mr. G. F. being second in charge at the same place. Mr. C. H. was also on the C. P. R. electrical staff at the Winnipeg depot. This firm carries a full line of electrical goods and appliances, and expect soon to go in for heating and water systems. They handle bicycle repairs and accessories, install gasoline lighting systems, and do general mechanical repairs. An electro plating plant is to be installed shortly, when all kinds of metal plating will be carried on. They are sole agents for the Ferro marine engine and Caille Perfection Marine Engine. They have also the agency for the Fleur de Lys dry battery, which is highly recommended. This firm is confident that a future of prosperity is assured, and are contemplating starting a wholesale business as soon as trade permits.

Morrison-Thompson Hardware.

The firm of Morrison-Thompson first started business two years ago as Morrison & Co. The rapid growth of this city creating more business, the firm was enlarged to Morrison-Thompson, admitting Mr. Thompson. We have here a large and up-to-date hardware store, with a full line of goods. Mr. J. B. Wallace is in charge of the steam fitting and plumbing department. This gentleman was one of the experts in the Pease Foundry Co., of Toronto, and his experience in steam fitting places him in a position to give every satisfaction to patrons. At the back of the main store we find roomy quarters for displaying their goods, with a gallery over-head in the course of erection This firm will shortly be erecting a warehouse 25x50 for the storage of stock. The present building covers ground 35x110 in extent. Special attention is paid to hydraulics. The business has been growing extensively since beginning, enabling the firm to carry strictly up-to-date stock. They have put n a special line of cutlery for Xmas, and are sole agents for the McClary Kootenay and Saskalta ranges, and also Buck's criterion range.

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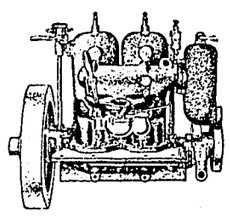

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Social and Personal

Mr. S. C. Cosens left on Saturday's boat for the Coast.

Messrs. Budskin and Acland, of Okanagan Mission, returned from Vernon last Friday.

Mr. Martin-Burrel, member elect for this constituency, passed through Kelowna on Tuesday.

Mr. Martin left for England on Tuesday for an extended visit.

Mr. Alex Waters, who is in the employ of James Bros., Electricians, left on Tuesday's boat for England, where he will transact some business for the firm returning to Kelowna after the early spring.

Mrs. O'Reilly, of Bristol, Eng., arrived in Kelowna last week and is staying with Mrs. G. Hassell.

Rev. H. G. Thorpe returned last Friday from Vancouver, where he had been attending the Baptist conference.

Mrs. F. R. DeHart and little boy accompanied Councillor DeHart as far as the coast last Saturday, where they will visit friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. B. James have moved from Cadder Avenue to the property they recently bought from Capt. Knight on the lake front.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Colquette of Golden arrived last Friday. Mr. Colquette has taken the position of assistant engineer on the city electrical works.

Mr. A. W. Dalgleish left for a business visit to Saskatchewan on Tuesday.

Miss Legitt, of Regina, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gaddes.

Mr. Sturtridge, of Calgary, accompanied by his wife and daughter arrived on Wednesday.s boat and intend locating here.

Mr. Brisbane accompanied by his wife and daughter arrived on Wednesday's boat to spend the winter in Kelowna. They will occupy Mr. Martin's house while here. Mrs. and Miss Martin intending to visit friends down east.

Mr. James Trenwith of Winnipeg arrived in Kelowna on Monday, and is engaged in the electrical works of Messrs. James Bros. Until recently Mr. Trenwith was engaged on the C. P. R. electrical staff in the east.

Mr. Frank Mawhinney is the holder of the 2nd. prize coupon, issued by the M. W. Waitt Piano Co. This entitles him to a $50.00 gramaphone. The local agent, Mr. Wilks, is jubilent over the good luck of his customer.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS

We regret that owing to lack of space, we have had to postpone Rutland news till next week.

It is announced that the British Columbia Legislature will meet on January 2nd, 1909.

The account of the lecture on Fruit Growing by Mr. Heatherwell will appear next week, owing to lack of space in this issue.

McJannet & Marsden's rig made things move last night, by running away, and getting mixed up with another rig, which unadvisedly got in its way.

Kelowna Public School Entertainment, advertised to take place on Dec. 11th, has been postponed, pending some alterations in Raymer's Hall.

The question of a public library for Kelowna was brought up at the Council meeting and it was suggested that the City Clerk should write Mr. Andrew Carnegie, enquiring on what conditions would he donate a public library to the City. No decided steps were taken in the matter.

A new arrival to our city is Dr. S. C. Richards, V. S., who landed here on Thursday, 19th inst. This gentleman has been practising his profession for many years in Saskatchewan and Alberta, and was for ten years in charge of the veterinary department of the Royal North-West Mounted Police stationed at Portal, one of the largest stock importing stations in the North-West. Graduating at McGill University, Dr. Richards took a post-graduate course in London, Eng. He was also for some time lecturer on veterinary science at the Agricultural College, High River, Alta. Dr. Richards is a valuable addition to our list of professional men, as with the large amount of stock in this city and vicinity the services of an experienced veterinary surgeon are absolutely imperative.

CITY COUNCIL

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G. McCurdy, removing tree from street	1 25
Canadian Fairbanks Co., Power House Fittings	46 30
A. S. Cox, rent of Office, Nov.	10 00
Canadian Westinghouse Co., Pole line supplies	198 92
D. Mills, Salary for November	75 00
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The meeting then adjourned until Tuesday, December 8th.

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