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To My Friends and Patrons

Thanking you for past favors and hoping to see you all again in the near future. The Sunday Chicken Dinner is on as usual. Just come over the Hill to the Penticton Hotel where you will receive the same welcome as in the past.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Rev. W. R. Watkinshaw, B. A.

Greenwood

Sunday, April 27th.

Midway 11 a.m.

Communion Service

Greenwood 7.30 p.m.

Meeting of the Greenwood district Rod and Gun Club will be held in the old school house, Midway, on Friday, May 9th at 8 p.m. instead of April 25th.

Soccer Game

All roads led to the hockey grounds at Kettle Valley on Monday afternoon to see the much talked of football game between teams representing Greenwood and Kettle Valley. It is reported that what the game may have lacked in science was made up for in amusement. Weather conditions were ideal and some 200 spectators turned out to see the game, mostly in automobiles.

Greenwood did most of the attacking which is evidenced by the fact that the Greenwood goalkeeper was not called upon to stop any direct shots on goal, whereas the Kettle Valley custodian thrilled the crowd with his masterly display; disposing of some well directed efforts. The game ended without any score being registered.

Greenwood were best served by their full backs, Stilwell and Randall, and centre forward Cavaye. Those who caught the eye in the Kettle Valley team in addition to their goalkeeper were Gane and Jacques both playing in the half-back line.

The visiting team were highly pleased with the refreshments, so thoughtfully provided, and are unanimous in their expression that the Kettle Valley team and their supportors are ideal hosts.

The teams were: Greenwood—Taylor, Stilwell, Randall, Wallace, Muir (Capt.), Berg, Morrison, Andreas, Cavaye, Mowat and Henderson; Kettle Valley—Harpur, Pausey, Rock, E. Richter, Gane, Jacques, Wheeler, Wilson, Norris, F. Richter and Hatton.

Greenwood Skating Rink

BALANCE SHEET 1923-1924

The following is a detailed account of the receipts and disbursements during the season:

RECEIPTS

Donations	$ 22.50
Picture Show and Dance	86.85
Hockey, Broom Games, Carnival	132.50
Sale of Cloth	8.75
Season Tickets	97.50
General Admission	22.00
	$370.10

DISBURSEMENTS

Wages	$150.00
City of Greenwood	80.00
Rink expenses, wood, globes, etc.	33.95
Expenses re dance, hockey, carnival, etc., including ½ hockey proceeds to players, taxes, music, and advertising	100.65
Balance	5.50
	$370.10

Donations not previously acknowledged: A. Sater $10.00; R. Forshaw and J. Roylance, wood.

Meyers Creek News

E. Deveaux returned to Spokane last week.

E. S. Stroble, of Spokane, is shipping the balance of McArthur's 1923 cut.

Rum Bottle Bill is a new recruit to McArthur's mill in the capacity of tally man.

Calyx Delisle is moving his family in this week. He is elected official edgerman for this year's cut.

Valentine Luzner is getting to be a speed artist, some times travelling as fast as 20 miles an hour.

Frank Fritz, Henry Fritz and Ed. Cook the champion tie-hack of Meyers Creek, went to the dance at Malo on Saturday.

Meyers Creek and Midway were well represented at the dance at Malo, Wn., on Saturday night. A good time was had by all.

Ted McArthur returned home on Friday and is gaining five pounds a day. He says it is the air on Meyers Creek that does it. Thin people please take notice.

R. A. Roylance added a screen door to his dwelling house and says he has got the mosquitoes guessing now, but there is still one nuisance that has him stumped so far and that is a pond full of frogs of the musical variety. Will some kind person suggest a remedy?

A whirl wind passed across the town on Tuesday afternoon, causing the plate glass window in Mrs. Trounson's restaurant to be broken.

Midway Warbles

Mrs. Joe Johnston is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Erickson were in town for Easter.

Mrs. C. P. C. Rock was a visitor to town on Monday.

Doc. Griffin was in town for Easter with his family.

Mrs. Powers has returned to town from visiting Beaverdell.

H. H. Sawyer, of Carmi, B.C., was a business visitor to town last week.

Tommy Roberts was down from the "tall timbers" for Easter with his family.

Albert Maslonka, the "village shoemaker" is getting in his winter supply of wood.

A big crowd went to the picture show on Saturday evening. Lue Salter was there too.

Mrs. Mitchell and family are visiting at Boundary Falls during the school holidays.

Ed Hood has gone up to his ranch on the West Fork to do some ploughing for next year's crop.

Someone said that Bridesville is very "wet and moist" since the roads opened for motor traffic.

The Mayor of Chinatown is working hard these days. He says he is wiser now, but much poorer.

Midway will be well represented at the Social Dance in the Greenwood Masonic Hall on Friday, May 2nd.

Charlie Snyder has purchased a brand new smiling "Lizzie." He says she's a self commencer and a going hound.

Carl Thomet is home from Grand Forks for the Easter holidays. Carl is attending high school at the Apple Metropolis.

Someone whispered around that there would be a few more autos in town soon. There was a tie inspection last week.

William Coad was a visitor to town on Sunday. He claims to hail from Nova Scotia. He came in per K. V. freight.

Mrs. W. R. Dewdney and family of Penticton, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Dewdney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ferguson.

Seeding is getting general in the district, but under very unfavorable conditions, as the soil is very dry and greatly in need of rain.

Bill Thompson has quit using the catterpillar in his logging operations. Bill says it acts like a tie-hack loaded with "moonshine."

W. E. McArthur returned home last week. His many friends will be glad to know that he has practically recovered from his serious illness.

The ladies were out in force last Sunday displaying their new hats, some of which looked like the garden of paradise. No, not the ladies, the hats.

The Farmers were out in force last Saturday cleaning out their new home. Should any of them get overheated during the session the "cooler" is close by.

It is being whispered around that the Mayor of Rock Creek departed last week for parts known only to himself. He suffered a nervous breakdown sometime ago.

A big crowd went to the Banff Orchestra Dance at Riverside Hall on Tuesday evening. It is reported that one of the largest crowds of the season were on hand.

Someone said that Jack Crosby was trying to make a Ford out of Harry Borders old Chev. When completed it will be propelled by steam. Jacks says it will be ready for the 1st of July, 1932.

The natives have started to dig themselves in, in anticipation of the heavy political bombardment that is approaching. Instructors have been around teaching the natives how to form "fours" etc.

The "Rawleigh" man was in town last week on one of his periodical visits. He carries a large assortment of bottled goods. Some of the natives prefer the "Oliver Brand" of bottled goods.

Cold piercing winds continue to blow from the direction of Rock Creek and the natives are inclined to believe that more "ice-bergs" have appeared in that neighborhood; but Tom Hanson has left town.

The first ball game of the season will be played on the Midway diamond on April 27th at 3 p.m., between Republic, Wn., and Midway. This is the first of the League games and promises to be a scorcher.

The bootleggers excursions have now started for the season. They usually pass through the Burg at night after the electric lights have been turned out, and all good natives are in bed dreaming of the good old days of the "bar-room."

Another Card Party will be held in the Old School House, Tuesday, April 29th at 8 p.m. sharp. Don't miss this one as something good is promised and it will probably be the last card party this season. The proceeds are to be donated to the Midway troop of Boy Scouts.

Another successful Card Party was held in the Old School House on the 15th inst. A large party were present coming from Greenwood, Rock Creek and Myncaster. Mrs. C. J. Lundy had charge and is to be congratulated on the success of the evening.

A big crowd went to Ingram Bridge on Monday to see the football game, between Grand Forks-Greenwood vs Kettle Valley district. The game ended in a scoreless draw. The forwards did not have their shooting boots on, the backs and goal-keepers of both teams played a good game. There was a lack of combination in the forward ranks and some of the forwards had a tendency to wander. Someone whispered around that England, Ireland, Scotland and Sweden were represented on the field of play. Some of the old men were just getting warmed up when time was called.

Kettle Valley Notes

There will be no Service in the Anglican Church on Sunday, April 27th.

H. Paley Wilson has left the Valley for awhile, to visit his home in England.

Mrs. J. Thompson and family spent Easter with Miss Hindmoor of Nicholson Creek.

Already many have signified their intention on going to Greenwood on Friday, May 2nd, when Bush's orchestra will play at a big dance in the Masonic Hall.

Miss C. Sterling, who has been visiting with Mrs. W. H. N. Glossop for the past year, left on Wednesday mornings train for the Old Country. There are very many, who were priviliged to be her friends, that very much regret her departure.

The football match Kettle Valley v Greenwood on Easter Monday, an account of which is elsewhere, was very much enjoyed, at any rate, by the local players. It is hoped that at a later date there will be another match. Anyone wishing to play in a practice game to be held shortly, kindly mention it to B. Gane, Kettle Valley.

The Banff Dance held at the Riverside Hall on Tuesday night was a big success, fully 200 people being present and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The funds of the Womens Institute will be greatly augmented, and special mention should be made of the heroic efforts of the kitchen brigade, to satisfy the wants of so large a crowd.

Copper Mountain Will Not Operate This Spring

The Allenby Copper company, controlled by the Granby company, will not operate this spring and the remaining employees are being paid off, according to an announcement by L. R. Clapp, general manager of the Allenby Copper Co.

He gives as the reason for this decision on the part of the head officials of the Granby company, the chaotic condition of the copper market. The present advance in the price of copper, he stated, was the usual spring advance, but was not as great as was expected, and not likely to be maintained. Consumption was not keeping pace with production of the metal at present.

It was stated that as soon as conditions in the copper market justify it, the mines will be started up again.

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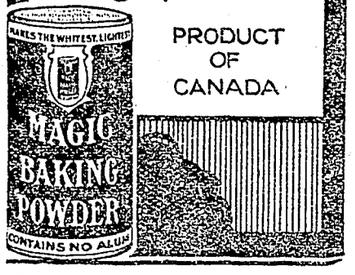

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Lighthouse Hardships

In Early Days Reserve Supplies Often Gave Out

As a general rule, a lighthouse keeper on the coast of Great Britain spends six weeks on duty, then two weeks ashore. But these spells depend to some extent upon weather, and in such a winter as the last one, one succession of westerly gales, some of the poor fellows have fared badly.

One man who went on duty on October 17th had to stay there until the middle of January before he could be relieved. Even then the crew of the relief boat had a most difficult and dangerous task. The relief men had to be hauled up by a rope let down from the lighthouse and the men who were coming off duty were lowered in the same way.

A reserve supply of food is always kept in a lighthouse, and in the winter of 1918 the two keepers of the Wolf Light were driven to fall back upon this. They were marooned for the record period of fourteen weeks. The only way to land men on the Wolf is by means of a hoisting spar. It is hardly ever calm enough for a boat to reach the rock.

In earlier days the authorities were not so careful. When Rudyard's lighthouse stood on the Eddystone its unfortunate keepers were often short of food and even lights. In the owner's diary for December 8th, 1729, is an entry, "It was a terrible day of perplexity, for the people on the Eddystone had no candles."

The worst case on record was that of the "Smalls" lighthouse in the Bristol Channel. In February, 1777, the men in this lighthouse were in such straits that they threw into the sea a corked bottle with a message saying "their water was near all gone, their fire out and their house in a most melancholy manner." The light had been out for sixteen days for want of oil and candles, "the which," the writer added, "makes us murmur and think we are forgotten."

When the men were at work erecting the Bishop, each had a rope well secured close at hand to which he could cling when a big wave was signalled by the lookout, but getting the men off when the weather turned rough was a most difficult and dangerous business. Often they had to be hauled by ropes through the seas, sometimes being completely under water for several seconds.

Even worse were the hardships of the builders of Skerry vore. A storm arose so quickly that the men on the rocks could not be taken off, and they were there for four days without food or water. Several were nearly dead when, with infinite trouble, they were at last rescued.

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To do any kind of work—and you know there is much to be done—is next to impossible if you are suffering from some form of female trouble. It may cause your back to ache or a pain in your side; it may make you nervous and irritable. You may be able to keep up and around, but you do not feel good.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine for women. It is especially adapted to relieve the cause of these troubles, and restore them to normal health.

W. N. U. 1521

A Valuable Possession

Custodians of Historical Tobacco Box Are Heavily Bonded

In Caxton Hall, Westminster, London, in a doubly-locked safe, in a strong-room reposes what is claimed to be the most wonderful tobacco box in the world.

More than 200 years ago it was bought for 8 cents at the Horn Fair, Charlton, by an overseer of the City of Westminster, and was used when he and his brother overseers met on festive occasions. It was then so small that it held only 3 oz. of tobacco. Today it is over 4 ft. high and more than a foot square and is insured for $35,000.

The secret of its value is that the original box is now enclosed in six others. Each box is cased in silver, and upon it is an engraved pictorial or written record of the most important happenings in the history of the last two centuries. One of the last engravings to be added is a representation of the burial of the Unknown Warrior in Westminster Abbey.

The owners of the box are the Westminster Past 'Overseers' Society, which was formed in 1713. Every year the society appoints two custodians of the tobacco box.

Mr. Councillar Jacques Abady, the present senior custodian, told a reporter that on appointment each custodian has to enter into a surety of $2,500 and also find two other sureties of $1,000 each. "If the box disappeared the custodians would have to forfeit $9,000," he said.

Oldest Standing Building

Ancient Structure Is More Than 6,000 Years Old

What is believed to be the oldest standing building in the world has been discovered in Babylonia by British and American explorers at Tell El Obeid, Babylonia, which lies about four miles beyond ancient Ur of Chaldies.

Wonderful carvings of men and animals decorate the walls, which according to the discoverers have moved Babylonian history back more than another thousand years.

The ancient building which has been painstakingly uncovered, is more than 6,000 years old, and its history is placed at a period as far removed from King Tutankhamen in the past as the present generation is removed from him in known history.

It is announced that the expedition had unearthed remarkable carvings of animals done in limestone, mosaics and even artificial flowers of stone. One of the choicest finds was a small golden scabarold bead inscribed with the name of the builder of the temple, King A-an-ni-pad-da of Ur, who reigned 4,500 years before Christ. This is the oldest royal jewel known.

What Spring Fever Is

Just a Desire to Do and See Great and New Things

Most of us mistake spring fever for a tired, care-free feeling, when a real analysis reveals it as a feeling of impatience for greater things, inspired ambition, and a devouring desire to get away to see and know all. Spring fever is a much maligned human experience. That spring-time desire for a new job, a new house and new scenes isn't indolence and lethargy as commonly conceived. It is nature's impetus for poets, artists, explorers, inventors, and all the rest of the world's dream children.—Kingston Whig.

Spoiling His Plans

Green (new to country life).—Where are those duck eggs I brought home yesterday?

Mrs. Green.—I put them under the hen.

Green.—Under the hen? Good heavens! And I wanted to hatch out ducks from those eggs.

Exacting

"Is the editor particular?"

"Nothing but. He raises a row if he finds a period upside down."

Even trouble gets disgusted with a lazy man in time and quits.

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When pains gather around the hips and lodge in the small of the back—when to stoop or bend seems impossible, when dizzy spells and bearing-down pains are ever present—that's the time to use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Irregularities disappear, vital energy is restored, back trouble is forgotten.

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Users of Strange Currency

Hundreds of Races Have Never Seen Real Money

Probably the most amazing coin in the world is to be found on Uap Island, among the Caroline group.

Here they use circles of limestone, with a hole in the centre through which a pole is passed to hold it up. These stones vary in size from 6 inches to 12 feet. Of course, a large amount of energy has to be expended to produce these, in fact, they are cut from a quarry on an island three hundred miles away, and transported by canoe! It must also be good-quality stone.

This coin never changes hands. The method used is this. A man buys from a friend, who takes him round and shows him the family stones, the friend chooses one, and it is his, but remains outside the house of the original owner; everyone knows his own coin so they can be safely left about. Then when the first man buys anything back from the original man, the stone returns to him.

They are so satisfied with this sort of trade that one man who carefully made a large Fei, as they are called, was returning home when his boat upset under the weight and dropped the stone to the bottom of the ocean. However, his men swore to the size, texture and worth of the stone and his family still trade on it as safely as if it were on shore. It would have been the biggest Fei on the island.

Money is such a usual article, that one would be surprised to find a people without it, and a people who did not understand the use of it. Yet there are hundreds of races who have very different ideas of the use of money from our own.

In Burma there is a peculiar way of judging a man's wealth, a rich man owns a large number of cylinders, a poor man is he who has none, no matter what actual stock or other vast possessions he may have. They also use small cannons for currency.

The Igaru people use broken rice for currency, this being a fairly constant percentage of their stock of rice. The Chinese in some parts use compressed blocks of tea.

Other interesting moneys are whales' teeth in Fiji, flying-fox fur in New Caledonia, and feathers in Santa Cruz. Gongs in Indonesia, and arrows in the Torres Straits. In Polynesia shells on a string are used by the fathom. On the Duke of York Island we find usury at 10 per cent. The strongest man on the island is the bank!

Prince Will Inherit Priceless Treasures

Gold Plate Which Belonged to King Edward is Invaluable

In preparation for the visits of foreign royalty, the wonderful collection of gold banqueting plate which is kept in Windsor Castle usually, has been taken to Buckinham Palace to be burnished. There are special strong rooms in the palace for this treasure; the metal itself is worth $5,000,000, without considering the exquisite workmanship and historic value of the plate. But probably the most wonderful treasure room in London is in Marlborough House, where is preserved the collection of gold plate that belonged to King Edward. Prominent among these glittering pieces are the gifts made to him when he visited India; some of them are almost priceless. Queen Alexandra desires, it is understood, that all of this collection shall become the possession of the Prince of Wales in due course.

Ancient Ring Found

A massive neck ring of solid gold, believed by experts to date back to 1200 B.C., was found recently on a farm in Norway. The ring, of artistic though barbarian design, has been placed in the museum of Christiania University. It is believed to have been buried as an offering to the gods.

The Man Knows

Mrs.—What is this Entente Cordiale I hear about?

Mr.—Oh, it's one of those fancy drinks they have over in France.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

"LITTLE FOXES"

By E. A. Henry, D.D.

Interesting Stories For Young Folks

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(Continued)

THE SOLDIER'S OUTFIT—SHOES

But when a shoe is worn out by hard service, that old boot is quite an honourable object.

The worn-out shoes of the dear boys who fought over no man's land, or marched through the enemy's barrage, or stood for us in the blood and water stained trenches, are relics of honour.

A Spanish lullaby sings about the angels so busy that they wore out their shoes, but when the little tattered angels got to the doorway of heaven they were given new ones.

"Little shoes are sold at the doorway of heaven,
And to all the tattered little angels are given.
Slumber, my darling baby."

That is the strange lullaby sung by some Spanish mothers to put their babies to sleep.

There was a man named Bunyan, who once had a wonderful dream. It was about a sinner who became a Christian and who travelled from earth to heaven. He was shown many wonderful places and saw wonderful things, and ahd wonderful experiences.

Among the places he visited was the House Beautiful, and in it he was shown a great many things, and among them his guides showed him "all manner of furniture which their Lord had provided for pilgrims, as sword, shield, helmet, breastplate, all-prayer, and shoes that would not wear out."

Was that not a wonderful thing to have? How pleased your dad would be if he could buy you everlasting shoes. Well, there are such, and I will tell you what they are.

(1) An old legend tells of a maiden whose footsteps left flowers blooming. Wherever she went, things were a little brighter because she went there.

I knew a little girl who was called Little Sunshine, because she was like a ray of light. She tripped around like a dancing sunbeam.

To clothe one's feet in merry sunshine is to get a covering that can't fade. There is no wear to sunshine. It is always fresh and bright and welcome. That is the kind of shoes your mother wears!

"She sings a snatch of a merry song
As she toils in her home from morn till night.
Her work is hard and the hours are long
But the little woman's heart is light."

No one ever has sore feet who wears shoes of sunshine.

(2) The Bible says it is a good thing to wear shoes that are called "the preparation of the gospel of peace."

I wonder what that means? It is not easy to say, but I fancy it means we should be always ready to preach the love gospel of Jesus.

"What!" you say, "I preach!"—Why sure! a preacher is not only a man in a pulpit on Sunday. He is one who delivers a message, and he does not have to always use his voice. Deeds talk too!

A young fellow was converted, so he said, by his mother's preaching—but she never did anything. She just lived so that when people saw her they thought of Jesus. He called it his mother's "translation of the Bible."

Our Bibles are changed from Greek and Hebrew into English. He said hers was changed from print into practice.

And those shoes that cover the feet with a Christ love message will never wear out.

There is a beautiful hymn we all love to sing. You can hear it on a Victrola from a trained quartette and it sounds wonderful:

"I love to tell the story,
More wonderful it seems,
Than all the golden fancies
Of all our golden dreams.
And when in scenes of glory
I sing the new, new song,
'Twill be the old, old story,
That I have loved so long."

You see it does not wear out. It is the new song and the old story. It is like the love of a mother that stays fresh and strong right up to heaven's gate.

And even a child can sing it, by just being like Him whose song it is.

The girl or boy who lives the sweet, loving Christ-like life and is like a little candle shining in the night, "You in your small corner and I in mine," has gospel shoes on.

There is a song we used to sing: "Brighten the corner where you are." A little girl in my congregation used to sing it: "Right in the corner, where you are"; and I believe if you and I can brighten the corner, right in the corner, where we are, we will be using shoes that never wear out.

During one year just passed not one fatal accident occurred in the air mail service of the U.S. Post Office Department.

BLUE RIBBON TEA

Ask for Blue Ribbon Tea and see that you get it—there is no other Tea "just as good." Try it.

Everybody Will Help

Committee of Seven M.P.'s to Assist H. B. Railway Campaign

The formation of a committee of seven members of parliament to assist in the campaign for construction of the Hudson Bay Railway, was announced by members of the "On-to-the-Bay" delegation, which interviewed the government assembly.

The members who have consented to act, according to the announcement are: C. O. Gauvreau and E. W. Tobin, Liberals; T. W. Bird, W. Ward and A. Knox, Progressives; C. H. Dickie and R. F. Preston, Conservatives. The delegation found "a desire to do all possible to help the west and none of the supposed bitterness of the east towards the west," according to the announcement.

Wide Market For B.C. Salmon

During January, salmon shipments from British Columbia indicated the wide purchasing field of this food commodity. Large and small consignments found their way to Australia, New Zealand, France, Holland, Port of Spain, Curacco, Valparaiso, Africa, England, Quatemala, Scotland, Japan, Egypt, India, Mesopotamia and several South Sea Islands. Over 100,000 cases were shipped during January.

Bingen-on-the-Rhine

Germany Said to Have a House That Is 1,200 Years Old

One of the oldest homes in Europe is the home of Count Matuschke Grieffenkalu, in the hamlet of Winkel, Germany, near Bingen-on-the-Rhine. The building is estimated to be at least 1,200 years old. It antedates any structure standing in Germany today, and it is said there are not many in all of Europe that has weathered more years than this old structure. Rhabans, Maurush, Archbishop of Mainz, who died in 856, is the first owner of the building, according to the records available. Count Greiffenkalu has asked scientists to interest themselves in the building in the hope of arriving at its age.

Horses and Automobiles

There are nearly as many automobiles in use in the United States today as there were horses at the time when automobiles were invented. That is one impressive fact in current statistics. There are now 15,221,183 automobiles, and in 1900 there were only 13,538,000 horses on farms and perhaps 3,000,000 more not on farms. Today there are 18,853,000 horses on farms and 1,706,000, or fewer elsewhere. And the number is declining.—Halifax Chronicle.

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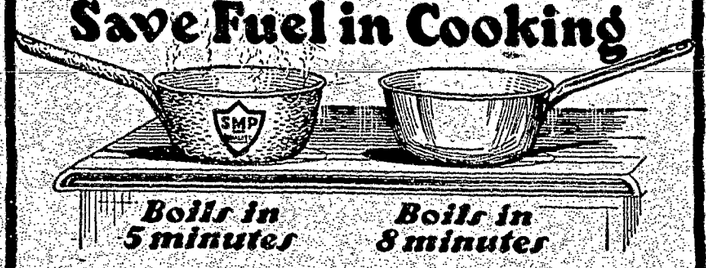

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SAYS PRESSING NEED OF CANADA IS IMMIGRANTS

Windsor, Ont.—Canada can, without any danger, absorb between 300,000 and 500,000 newcomers yearly, and steps should be taken immediately by the Dominion Government to secure settlers of a desirable type, E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, told the Board of Trade here.

Among other proposals made by Mr. Beatty was one that the Dominion Government float a $10,000,000 bond issue to be used in assisting settlers to go on the land. He strongly urged the government to co-operate with provincial bodies and semi-public bodies toward filling up the vacant lands in Canada. The government should forthwith put on a vigorous advertising campaign to attract settlers and capital to Canada, he said.

The country is suffering from too great railway mileage and too great overhead, Mr. Beatty continued. It was the same way with a number of manufacturers. There was a heartfelt demand for national economy, and much might be expected from a policy which would spread the burden of taxation over more shoulders. The sooner the unoccupied farm lands of the west were populated the easier it would be for the taxpayers of Ontario cities.

New Lignite Board Headquarters

Will Be Located In Regina, With T. M. Molloy As Chairman

Regina.—The Lignite Utilization Board of Canada, with Thomas M. Molloy as its chairman, will have its headquarters in Regina hereafter.

Mr. Molloy's appointment to the board, with that of Dr. Charles Camsell, deputy minister of mines, Ottawa, was the subject of a press dispatch from the capital received here.

Mr. Molloy and Dr. Camsell now constitute the board, replacing the old board whose members resigned some 10 days ago. This latter consisted of Dr. A. A. Ross, Montreal, chairman; J. N. Leamy, Winnipeg; and J. A. Sheppard, Moose Jaw.

Hon. John Bracken, Premier of Manitoba, has recently been in Ottawa in consultation with the minister of mines respecting the future policy of the Manitoba Government in respect to lignite utilization and whether that province, which recently withdrew from the lignite enterprise at Bienfait, Sask., will again associate itself with it and be represented on the board as now constituted. What the position of Manitoba in the matter now is as a result of these negotiations is still unknown here and on this depends much of the policy of the new board.

Prospectors Are Missing

Believe Men Buried Under Slide in Windermere District

Nelson, B.C.—R. W. Wahl and Emil Metzner, of Skookumchuck, are believed to lie under a slide at Copper Lake in the Windermere district. When they failed to come out on April 1, a friend investigated to find a slide between their cabin and tunnel.

They denned up in November and from the small amount of work done in the tunnel, it is believed they were buried in January.

Rewards Life Saver

Toronto:—Echoes of the German steamer Hammonia wreck in the Bay of Biscay on September 9, 1922, were heard when Mayor Hiltz in behalf of the German Government, presented an iron placque and certificate to J. Bohan, of Toronto, for having assisted in saving the lives of 365 of the passengers and crew on that occasion.

Admission Confirmed

Ottawa.—Confirmation of the cablegram received in Winnipeg to the effect that the Glasgow market is now open to Canadian store cattle, was received by the Dominion Livestock Branch here. The market has been closed for several months owing to the foot and mouth disease.

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Britain Willing To Discuss Disarmament

Premier Says General Conference of Powers is Desirable

London.—Prime Minister MacDonald, responding to a speech in the Commons by Major-General J. E. Seeley, former president of the Air Council, who advocated that the Premier call an international conference for disarmament, declared he would welcome an invitation by any other power to take up the whole question of armaments.

The Prime Minister, while emphasizing that a general conference on armament was desirable, declared it was of "greatest" importance that there be no reason for misunderstanding between Great Britain and France.

"It is most important that that should be so," he said. His statement on British relations with France was coupled with a reference to "this unfortunate air race that has already begun."

Sapiro Will Give Testimony

To Appear Before Royal Grain Inquiry On April 28

Winnipeg.—Aaron Sapiro, co-operative pool marketing expert, will positively appear before the Royal Grain Inquiry Commission, Monday, April 28, to be examined on the methods of operating his long-term contract wheat pool, according to a wire received by the commission from Mr. Sapiro in Chicago.

The telegram reads: "Have made arrangements to be in Winnipeg on April 28. Will report at Fort Garry hearing room of commission at 10 o'clock, or such other hour as you designate on that date. Please advise if satisfactory. (Signed) Aaron Sapiro."

The commission wired that the date mentioned would be satisfactory.

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Prisoner Starved to Death

The Hague.—A case which strikingly illustrates the infrequence of arrests in some parts of Holland, is reported. A man arrested about the end of March, in a little town near Utrecht, has just been found dead of starvation in his cell, the authorities having forgotten that they had a prisoner.

Berlin Loses Population

Berlin.—At the beginning of 1924 Berlin had a population of 4,004,000, according to official statistics. This is 15,000 less than a year ago.

Corporal Punishment In the British Navy

London.—Whipping of boys in the navy with a birch, for disciplinary purposes, will not be abolished,—declared Charles Ammon, Parliamentary Secretary of the Admiralty, in reply to a question in the House of Commons. Such punishment is inflicted by court martial for certain serious offences. When he went to the Admiralty, Secretary Ammon said, he made enquiries on the matter and he found there had only been six cases since 1917 of offences at all serious. Most of the flogged boys "made good," whereas in previous cases of imprisonment for offences the boys had "gone bad."

Heavy Stocks of Grain

Quantity of Grain in Canada, Except Rye, is Greater Than Last Year

Ottawa.—On March 31, 1924, the quantity of wheat in Canada was 202,493,000 bushels, as compared with 139,788,000 bushels in 1923, according to returns received by the Federal Bureau of Statistics. The following are the totals for coarse grains and flax.

Oats, 283,516,000 bushels, compared with 191,718,000 bushels in 1923.

Barley, 30,119,000 as compared with 25,429,000.

Rye, 8,526,000 as compared with 9,835,000.

Flax, 4,265,000 as compared with 1,742,000.

For all these grains excepting rye, the quantity at the end of the March, 1924, is greater than that of a year ago.

JAPAN HOTLY RESENTS THE U.S. EXCLUSION ACT

Tokio.—The Yorozu Choho representing the jingos, declares editorially that the action of the United States Congress in passing the exclusion legislation amounts to a challenge to Japan. It says the nation must prepare for whatever may come, even war.

The Kokumin demands the immediate resignation of the ministry.

Numerous public bodies, including the Associated Chambers of Commerce in Japan, the American-Japan Society, and the Japan Economic Society have called urgent meetings to discuss the immigration situation.

Officials do not deny the probabilities of unpleasant popular reactions, and it is fully expected that the opposition will make all possible political capital from the government's immigration defeat. The action of Congress comes as a blow in the heat of an election campaign throughout Japan.

Inflammatory campaign speeches, public indignation meetings, resolutions and bitter editorials, are all expected as an aftermath of Washington's exclusion legislation.

The government, however, is determined to take a vigorous stand against any policy of retaliation. It asserts it will do its utmost to curb popular indignation and maintain the fullest possibly friendly relations with the United States.

Washington.—The Senate put itself formally on record on the question of Japanese exclusion by re-adopting the Shortridge exclusion amendment to the immigration bill 74 to 4.

Group Settlement

British Settlers to be Located on C.N.R. Lands in Groups of Twenty Families

Ottawa.—British settlers are to be located on lands owned by the Canadian National Railways in groups of 20 families, under an arrangement entered into by the railway and the Overseas Settlement Committee of the colonial office, under the British Empire Settlement Act, it was stated in the House of Commons.

The Canadian National undertakes to have advanced an amount not to exceed £300 to enable the settler to purchase stock and equipment, and the British secretary of state guarantees payment of the full amount of any loss incurred through such advances, but the total guarantee will not exceed 50 per cent. of the total amount advanced to all settlers.

No Assize Docket at Saskatoon

Saskatoon, Sask.—When the spring assizes opened here, Chief Justice J. T. Brown, slated to preside over the court, found not a single case, either criminal or civil, docketed.

Sanatorium for Saskatoon

Saskatoon.—Construction work on the $184,000 provincial tuberculosis sanatorium to be completed here this year was begun this week.

Macmillan Party Safe

DONALD B. MACMILLAN

whose party, icebound in the Bowdoin north of Greenland, is still safe, according to a radio message which has been picked up.

Exports Only Temporary

Trail Smelter Can Handle All Ores Says Mining Official

Nelson, B.C.—Commenting on the phase of the coast agitation for a smelter based on the supposition that Trail Smelter has about reached its limit, an official of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada made the statement that the export of zinc concentrates and of lead bullion from the Trail Smelter to Europe is only temporary, and is strictly pending the completion of the power extension at Bonnington being made by the West Kootenay Power and Light Company, the Trail corporation's subsidiary. There is no thought of shutting off the handling of customs ore and concentrates.

Russia Taking Her Time

Will Not Enter Into Hurried Agreement With Britain

Moscow.—Russia will not be hurried into any agreement with Great Britain on the ground that the MacDonald Government might fall during prolonged negotiations, declared M. Zinoviev, chairman of the executive committee of the Third Internationale, speaking on behalf of that body.

"Substantial interest will be paid for substantial credits," said Zinoviev, "but Russia is not going to pay England a half-billion pounds because she considers England owes Russia more than this."

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To Popularize Frozen Meat

Paris.—Another attempt is in the making to induce Paris to eat refrigerated meat. Under orders from the prefecture, 142 stalls in the Paris open markets have been set aside for the sale of such meats. They will be held by individuals, co-operative societies and important dealers. The prices will be from 30 to 40 per cent. under those for fresh meat.

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Canada Is In Need Of More Publicity

Montreal.—"There is nothing the matter with Canada. What Canada really needs is a lot of publicity," said Lord Rothermore, well-known newspaper proprietor, in summarizing here his experiences during his brief stay in the Dominion. He added: "I am seriously considering, on my return to England, placing three or four 'star' newspapermen on the job of telling England something about Canada."

Japan Accepts Convention Rule

Will Send Emigration and Immigration Statistics to Labor Office

Geneva.—Japan has notified the League of Nations that Japan will abide by the decision of the fourth International Labor Convention, asking all nations to send emigration and immigration statistics to the International Labor Office.

The notification, however, makes reservations as to special accord to be concluded between states which are members of the league. The exact purpose of the reservation statement is not understood in league circles here.

Earthquake Disturbances

Earth Tremors Reported From Many Points Believed to be Submarine

London.—The reports from widely separated parts of the world of a great earthquake have received no elucidation here, but in the absence of definite news as to the locality or localities affected it is assumed that the phenomenon was submarine.

There were local shocks in Switzerland and Italy, but no serious damage was reported. There has been no recurrence in England of the tremors of April 5 and April 8. London itself is outside the area which occasionally feels slight shocks. These disturbances usually occur in the North Midland and eastern counties.

GERMANY HAS ACCEPTED THE EXPERTS' REPORT

Paris.—The German Government has accepted the experts' reports as a practical basis for a solution of the reparation problem. The reply of the German Government was handed to the reparation commission and there was much enthusiasm at reparation headquarters when it became known that Germany would collaborate with the commission in the settlement of this most difficult problem on the basis set forth by the experts.

France, Great Britain, Belgium and Germany now have announced their acceptance of the experts' reports and Italy's acceptance is expected soon.

Already there appears to be a distinction, if not a difference, between the interpretation of the German reply by the reparation commission and the German delegation. The latter says the acceptance means that negotiations will be necessary in which Germany will have an equal footing with the others. The British prime minister's acceptance is regarded here as virtually unconditional, while Premier Poincare's reference to the report needing touching up is held to be a forerunner of various reservations.

The differences do not appear to be such that they cannot be overcome and optimism is increased by the fact that a "speedy solution" is the keynote of the various acceptances.

The German reply to the reparation commission's communication is regarded in reparation commission circles as a real bona fide acceptance of the report as a basis for settlement of the reparations question and going fully as far as the commission expected.

B.C. Lumber For Britain

Victoria, B.C.—F. C. Wade, agent-general in London for British Columbia, will be asked to support a plan of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce to secure for British Columbia a share of the business offered by the contemplated building of 2,500,000 homes in the British Isles. The chamber aims to advance the claims of British Columbia lumber.

Women May Preach

Montreal.—The Presbytery of Montreal unanimously passed a resolution favoring the admission of women to all positions in the church on the same conditions as men.

South Africa exports ostrich feathers to the value of between $2,000,000 and $2,500,000 annually.

SOVIET TRADE DELEGATES BRING RED LITERATURE

Ottawa, Ont.—The Soviet trade delegation which came recently to Ottawa to secure government recognition in its mission for the development of trade between Canada and Russia were back here on a somewhat different errand. They were asked to do some explaining.

It appears that customs authorities going through cases of books addressed to the delegation and which supposedly were to be presented to private libraries, have discovered a very large proportion of Bolshevik propaganda literature.

Some of it is an attack upon Christ and the Christian religion. Other parts of the literature are in derision of the monarchial, or even republican, forms of government and of the countries where such exists, and in eulogy of communism. Those who have seen the sample declared them to be a peculiarly lurid "Red."

A part of the delegation was haled before some high authorities here and asked to explain the importation of such quantities of questionable matter. The explanation, it is understood, was that it was for private libraries, and, in fact, some of the works were text books on Russian geology and the like which might be acceptable for such a purpose. The explanation does not so satisfactorily cover the other literature and especially flaming posters in propagation of the Bolshevism, and authorities are now engaged in conducting a further investigation.

It is said that the delegation has been in touch with a sympathetic element in Winnipeg and other cities and generally their activities are being checked up.

While there is a willingness to trade with Russia, if they have the money—and it does not appear to be prolific—it is being made clear here, as it was to a similar delegation by Premier Ramsay MacDonald in England, that the dissemination of Bolsheviki propaganda is not to be carried on, under any camouflage of trade expansion or otherwise.

U.S. Immigration Quota

Washington.—Two per cent., upon the basis of the 1890 census, was approved by the Senate as the plan for the quota computation under the new immigration bill. The same provisions are in the bill passed by the House last week.

The census of 1890 was adopted, 47 to 32, and the two per cent. quota by a substantial majority, but without a record vote.

Second Free State Loan

London.—A second loan will be necessary to balance the 1924 accounts of the Irish Free State Government, says the Morning Post's Dublin correspondent. The loan, he adds, will be floated in the United States probably about mid-summer.

Will Recognize Greek Republic

Paris.—The French Government has sent instructions to its Minister in Athens to extend recognition to the Greek Republic as soon as he is officially notified that it has been established.

Turks Ratify German Pact

Constantinople.—The Grand National Assembly at Angora has unanimously ratified the treaty of friendship between Turkey and Germany.

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Around Home

The picture show will commence at 7 p.m. sharp next Saturday.

Nearly 100 attended Mass at the R.C. Church on Easter Monday.

Fred Christenson left this morning for Penticton on a business trip.

The Providence mine will ship a large car of high grade ore in a few days.

W. B. Crause and J. Walker, of Kerr Creek, were visitors in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. P. H. McCurrach and daughter, Margaret, are spending a few days in Nelson.

Matins and Holy Communion in St. Jude's Church on Sunday, April 27th at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Jeanne Clarke, of Carmi, has purchased a 1924 Superior Chev. car from D. McPherson.

Owing to a political meeting next Saturday the picture show will commence at 7 p.m. sharp.

Mrs. W. T. Clarke, of Carmi, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Crawford, at Cascade.

Miss V. McLoughry, of Rossland, visited her sister here over the week end on her way to Kelowna.

The cool weather did not hinder the Easter fashion parade on the cinder walk on Kimberley avenue.

The Pythian Sisters will meet on the first Friday in May and on the first Friday of each month following.

Edward and Ernest Johnson returned on Tuesday from Beaverdell where they had been visiting their father.

John Berg has shown a good example by erecting a picket fence around his house and lot on Government St.

Local K. of P.'s will journey to Grand Forks next Wednesday to meet the Grand Chancellor and the Grand K. of R. and S.

Miss D. C. Caldwell, of Kelowna, arrived in town on Friday to spend the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. G. B. Taylor.

BORN—At Mrs. A. J. Morrison's residence on Monday, April 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. C. DeLisle, of Midway, a daughter.

Anton and John Portmann, of Nicholson Creek, returned home on Tuesday morning after spending Easter with Mr. and Mrs. L. Portmann.

The Liberal-Conservative Convention for Grand Forks-Greenwood Riding will be held in the Greenwood Theatre on Friday, April 25th at 8 p.m.

Capt. S. J. Mitchell, of Vancouver, is spending a few days in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mowat, while on a his way for a visit to his home in Ireland.

Communion Service was well attended in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening. Nine young people became members of the Church by profession of faith; also two by certificate.

On Friday afternoon a strong wind blew over several electric light poles on Kimberly avenue, with the result that the power was shut off in town and at the Providence mine. The line was repaired by evening.

On the first of next month a first class mechanic will open up the garage in the Kinney building. This man comes highly recommended. as well as having his papers for electrical work from the City of Calgary.

At a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Greenwood District Liberal Association in Riverside Hall on Tuesday afternoon, April 22nd, delegates were elected to attend the Liberal Convention in Greenwood on Saturday.

Ed. Blundell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Blundell, of Greenwood, and Miss Minnie Slotter were married at the Presbyterian manse, Kimberley on Friday, April 4th. The happy couple have taken up their residence in Kimberley.

Considerable improvement has been made in the Presbyterian Church by the installing of pews. The Church was given a through cleaning last week by members of the Ladies Aid and this place of worship now looks more church-like than ever before.

Miss Lilly Pickthall will again sing by request at the picture show on Saturday. This talented young lady possesses a soprano voice of wonderful sweetness and has already captured audiences of larger cities. Dont miss this rare opportunity.

While cycling at the ball grounds at Rock Creek last week Eddie Clark had the misfortune to fall between a team of horses, one of the horses kicking his nose. He was brought to town and Dr. Wood gave him all the necessary attention. The nose was badly broken.

Bush's Melody Orchestra is making great preparations for the big social dance in the Masonic Hall, on Friday, May 2nd. Many people have signified their intention of being present and indications point to a big crowd and and undoubtedly everybody will have an enjoyable time.

Christian Valley Notes

Guner Lindgren has a bad attack of grippe.

Joe Christian returned last week from Westbridge.

Sten Peterson is working at Miller's tie camp.

Frank Christian has bought a horse from Joe Phillips.

Jack Christian has left for Rock Creek to get seed grain.

The roads are open now from the Valley to Westbridge.

Jack Cochran returned to the tie camp a few days ago after visiting his family.

A petition has been sent to Ottawa asking for a mail carrier, and that a post office be established here. That is our greatest hardship—not getting the mail until it ceases to be just mail—its history.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel and two sons of Rock Creek, came up to their ranches last week. They were accompanied by Henry and Francis Tanner. The residents of the Valley were glad to see them. The more settlers that locate here the better living conditions will be.

On Tuesday, April 29th, there will be a Whist Drive in the Old School House, Midway, for the benefit of the Boy Scouts. Come and spend a pleasant social evening and help the Scouts and their instructors in this splendid work.

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NOTICE

To Whom it may concern:—

On March 8th, 1924, at a Public Auction sale at Grand Forks, I was the highest bidder for the Providence Mineral Claim, Lot 618, in the Greenwood Mining Division, and am claiming delivery of title thereto.

I am not, and will not be responsible for any work done on such Claim, or any material delivered for use thereon, or for any improvements after this date.

Greenwood, B.C., March 27th, 1924.

JAMES KERR.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the statements made by Mr. James Kerr that he has purchased the "Providence" Mineral Claim are not correct and if Mr. James Kerr or anyone representing him is found on the "Providence" Mineral Claim, Lot 618, of the Greenwood Mining Division they will be prosecuted for trespass.

DATED at Greenwood, B.C., this 3rd day of April, 1924.

(Signed) WILLIAM MADDEN.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE

"BANANZA" Mineral Claim, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District.

Where located: In Fish Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett, Solicitor, as Agent for Timothy Sullivan, Free Miner's Certificate No. 57821, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under Section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of March, A.D. 1924.

I. H. HALLETT.

"Provincial Elections Act"

GRAND FORKS-GREENWOOD ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that I shall, on Monday, the 19th day of May, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court-House, Greenwood, hold a Sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the List of Voters for the Grand Forks-Greenwood Electoral District, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said List, or to the Registration as a Voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the "Provincial Elections" Act.

Dated at Greenwood, B. C., this 8th day of April, 1924.

P. H. McCURRACH,
Registrar of Voters for the Grand Forks-Greenwood Electoral District.

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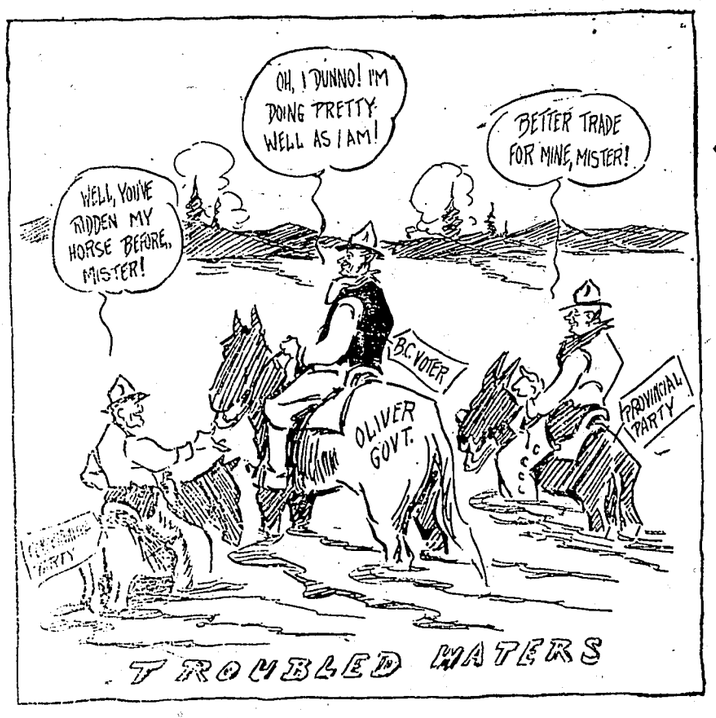

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SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

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

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.