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The Greenwood Ledge

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Of Local Interest

Geo. Hambly of Beaverdell, is spending a few days in town.

H. J. Purkis left last week for Duncan, where he will reside.

Three deer were seen grazing on the School play ground last week.

Everything points to bumper crops in the Bridesville section this year.

G. Mellin of Duncan, was visiting his son, R. J. Mellin, on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Price and Miss Sylvia Price spent a few days in Nelson this week.

Tom Uphill, M.P.P. for Fernie, was a passenger on Thursday's eastbound train.

C. Callas, K. Skilton and Jesse Puddy left for the prairie harvest fields on Wednesday.

Geo. Hartley left this morning (Friday) by motor for a few days visit in Vancouver.

Mrs. F. Werner, of Colville, Wash., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Christensen.

Constable and Mrs. W. B. Stewart of Millardville, were visitors in town for a few days this week.

G. W. A. Smith returned on Thursday afternoon from a holiday in Victoria and Vancouver.

Miss Rose Pelter, of Cassidy, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Forshaw, Phoenix Road, for a few days last week.

Mrs. Bert Hopkins and two sons of Kimberley, are visiting Mrs. Hopkin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Christensen.

Chas. Tye of Hedley, is renewing acquaintances in town. He is accompanied by his daughter, Evelyn, of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keady left on Thursday morning for Oliver where Mr. Keady will relieve in the South Kootenay Power station.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Littlefield left for their home in Calgary today (Friday) after a few days visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. Walters.

There will be a special Service for Returned Men in the United Church, Greenwood, on Sunday, August 19th at at 7:30 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Chas. Patsworth is attending the Fair and visiting the different places of interest in Vancouver. He is the guest of Wm. Jenks on Lulu Island.

W. C. Kelly, well-known Summerland lawyer, is one of the nine British Columbia lawyers who have received their appointments as King's Counsel.

Miss Ruth Axam returned from the Coast on Wednesday and left for Nelson on Sunday, where she will spend the remainder of her holidays with her mother, Mrs. Thos. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keady, Miss Peggy Lakeland, Miss Alice Hingley and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrison and son, William, of Copper Mountain, returned on Wednesday evening from a motor trip to Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reid stopped over between trains on Thursday and Friday en route to spend a couple of weeks in Nelson, before returning to Greenwood where Mr. Reid will be in charge of the Superior School.

Archie Aberdeen is attending the Fair in Vancouver. The writer met Archie on Hastings Street in the Coast city and he says he is having a good time taking in the sights and meeting acquaintances from the Boundary.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sawrey and three children, Stanley, Marion and Kendell, of Allenby, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Forshaw, Phoenix Road, for a couple of days this week. The Sawrey family are former residents of Phoenix.

Geo. Grieve, of Seattle, a former member of the Bank of Commerce staff in Greenwood, is renewing acquaintances in town. George is now assistant cashier in the Brotherhood bank in the American city. He is accompanied J. D. Lewis, of the Bank of Commerce, Seattle. A number of years ago Mr. Lewis was in the Phoenix branch of the same bank when that place was the highest incorporated city in Canada.

BEAVERDELL BRIEFS

Duncan McIntosh left on Monday to visit his home in Vancouver.

Duncan Murray leaves on Thursday to spend a holiday with his sisters in Victoria.

Edw. Nordman has returned from a ten-day holiday spent at his home in Nelson.

Miss Muriel Esplen, of Vancouver, is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Nordman at the Sally mine.

Mrs. C. E. Nordman is spending a few days with her Aunt, Mrs. M. Anderson, in Greenwood.

Mrs. F. F. Clarke and Miss H. Clarke, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Lutner, of Eugene, Oregon, are he guests of Mrs. A. Lutner at the Beaverdell Hotel.

Mrs. Geo. Inglis and daughter, Irene, left on Wednesday morning for Vancouver where they will reside in future.

PACIFIC HOTEL GUESTS

Guests at the Pacific Hotel during the past ten days: Ed. Hollinger, Bridesville; Mrs. C. L. Carloss, Mrs. J. F. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Fraser and children, Osoyoos; E. S. Reynolds, Kettle Valley; W. R. Dunwoody, A. Boyce, Nelson; J. A. Macdonald, G. C. Mackay, Penticton; C. G. Callas, City; Chas. E. Bletsoe, H. N. Smith, J. Winn, H. B. Howard, Wm. C. Howard, L. J. Coles, Mr. and Mrs. J. Reid, Vancouver; Geo. A. Hood, L. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kibbler, Mr. and Mrs. Sims, Victoria; E. W. Shaw, Tom Allen, John Randall, E. Leveque, E. W. Hinrichs, Trail; A. R. Smith, H. W. Mead, Mrs. A. R. Smith, Miss Mead, Unity; B. W. Biddlecome, John Zunich, Chas. Egg, A. E. McDougall, Grand Forks; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bean, Natal; Alfred Fant, John Clare, Emil Fant, D. J. Murray, Geo. Hambly, Beaverdell; Edgar R. Bell, C. M. Hoar, H. W. Allen, Rock Creek; J. D. Lewis, Anyox; Geo. Grieve, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beain and daughter, Meridium.

Service in St. Jude's Church, Greenwood, on Sunday, Aug. 19th at 7.30 p.m.

BRYAN—MUDE NUPTIALS

A very quite wedding took place at St. Peter's Church, Monte Creek, on Wednesday, August 8th at 10 a.m. The principals were George Alfred Bryan, of Greenwood, and Eva, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mude, of Duck Range. The bridesmaid was Miss Lydia Hayes of Armstrong, and the groomsman Mr. C. J. Mude.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Stewart. Mrs. Kinear presided at the organ. After the ceremony a reception was held at he residence of Mrs. Martin.

The newly wedded couple, who were the recipient of many beautiful presents, left shortly after for a motor trip to Coast cities after which they will take up residence in Greenwood.

The Greenwood Ledge joins with a large circle of friends in extending congratulations.

MISS HARRIS INJURED IN AUTO CRASH AINSWORTH

Kaslo.—Miss Heather Harris of New Denver, is in the Victorian Hospital here, suffering a broken collarbone and other lesser injuries, received when the closed car in which she was riding went over the bank just south of Ainsworth on Tuesday.

The car, driven by H. A. Rose of Sandon, was the property of James Anderson of Kaslo. Mr. Rose and Miss Harris had been to Nelson and were returning to Kaslo. It is believed they turned out to pass a horse, going over the bank. The car rolled over three times.

Miss Harris received her injuries as the car was rolling down the bank. Mr. Rose escaped with a shaking. A stage took them to Ainsworth, and they came on to Kaslo by boat.

Miss Harris is well-known in Greenwood, having visited here frequently when she was in charge of the Kerr Creek school during the past term. Miss Harris has accepted the position of teacher in Division II in the Greenwood Superior School duties to commence on Sept. 4th. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Wide Discretion

"Well now what time do I have to git to work mornings?" asked the new hired man.

"Any time you like" responded the farmer, "so long as it ain't after half past four.

MIDWAY NEWS

Miss Joy Sharp returned from Vancouver, on Monday last.

Mrs. Joseph Richter is a patient in the Greenwood and District Hospital.

Mrs. Harold Erickson and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Moll in Rossland.

While on a motor trip from the Coast W. B. Stewart and family are camping in Midway for a few days.

Clay Nicholas of Anaconda, moved to Midway this week and has taken a position at the C.P.R. depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moll left on Monday for a short visit to Spokane, before returning to their home in Kimberley.

E. L. Steeves, of Westbridge, accompanied by Mrs. Steeves and daughter, of Vancouver, are spending a few days visiting friends in Midway.

Louis Bosshart of Long Lake, Greenwood, is spending a few days in Midway visiting his old-time friend John Zurfluh at the Midway Hotel.

100 NEXT JUNE

Archie Aberdeen one of the best known figures in the Boundary country, was in town at the week-end. Archie makes his home in Greenwood, and could tell many stories of the Boundary's past.

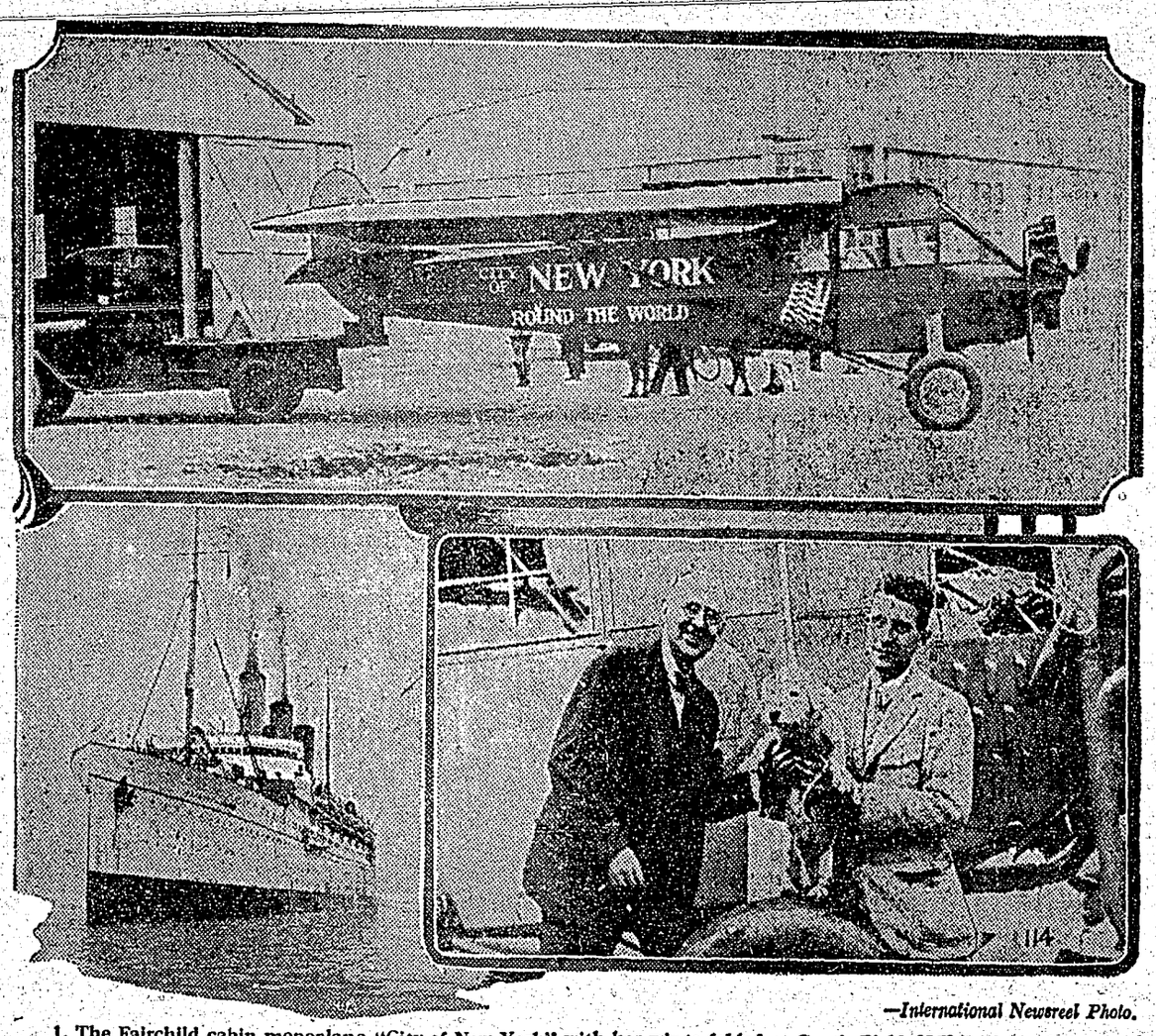
Though he will be 100 on the tenth of June next, Archie is still hale and active, and thinks nothing of doing a good day's work. He enjoys life, too.

He lives alone in a cabin. There is a cluster of cabins housing a picturesque group of old timers not so much younger than Archie, and a rare independent row they are. Archie is well known in this part of the country.—Princeton Star.

In Pamelas wardrobe a moth once appeared. Exceedingly hungry was he. He downed some sheer stockings and speedily cleared a bundle of choice lingerie, ate four evening dresses and then passed away, with a sigh of profound resignation.

An inquest was held on the following day. And the verdict was "Death from Starvation."

Circle the Globe



—*International Newsreel Photo.*

1. The Fairchild cabin monoplane "City of New York" with her wings folded at Curtis Field, N.Y., prior to being loaded on a trans-atlantic liner. 2. John N. Mears and Capt. C. B. Collyer, his pilot, with the dog mascot that accompanied them in this record dash around the world. 3. The Empress of Russia which carried Mears and Collyer across the Pacific with their plane "The City of New York" aboard. She was used by Mears in 1913 when he made his first world record.

Twice now, John Henry Mears has circled the world in record time. On each occasion the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Russia" has enabled him to beat all former records. Twenty-three days before his plane "The City of New York" landed at Curtiss field, L.I., Mears and his pilot, B. D. Collyer, flew 700 miles out to sea and landed aboard the ship that conveyed him to France. Arrived in Europe, he flew from Cherbourg to Yokohama and boarded the "Empress of Russia" at Kobe, where the white liner waited ready to dash across the Pacific to Vancouver. From Vancouver to New York was covered by Mears' monoplane, which he carried with him on board. In his first article Mears prophesied success for himself and his companion because "the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Russia" brought me luck when I broke the record in 1913 and I look on it as a good omen that she is to help me break the record again."

He succeeded in breaking the record even better than expected, the "Empress of Russia" bringing him in a day ahead of schedule, enabling him to hop across the continent in his plane and arrive at Battery Park, New York, 23 days, 15 hours, 21 minutes, and 3 seconds after he had left on his journey eastward. He sent the following telegram to Mr. H. B. Beaumont, of the Canadian Pacific Steamships at Montreal:—"Collyer and I want to express our deep appreciation for the splendid cooperation we have received on our trip across the Pacific on the "Empress of Russia." Getting the ship in to Victoria Friday evening ahead of schedule saved us a day and we are deeply grateful."

Dr. Kingston's Majority is 98

Official Count By Returning Officer George H. Gray Took Place on August 9th

Dr. C. M. Kingston, Conservative, was given an official majority of 98 over D. McPherson, Liberal, in the recount which was conducted by the Returning Officer, Geo. H. Gray, at Greenwood on Thursday, August 9th, of the ballots cast in the Grand Forks-Greenwood riding on July 18th.

The final count follows:

Poll	Kingston Conservative	McPherson Liberal
Beaverdell	38	40
Boundary Falls	8	17
Bridesville	29	26
Brown Creek	8	18
Carmi	3	16
Cascade	44	42
Christian Valley	9	5
Eholt	9	11
Fife	24	22
Gloucester	8	2
Grand Forks	394	318
Greenwood	86	109
Midway	45	45
Paulson	5	4
Riverside	56	38
Rock Creek	44	19
Westbridge	21	15
Totals	833	747
Absentees	55	43
Final Totals	888	790

Majority for Kingston 98.

The following is the result of the 1925 bye-election:

Poll	Kingston Conservative	McPherson Liberal
Beaverdell	7	29
Boundary Falls	10	23
Bridesville	29	34
Brown Creek	14	16
Carmi	3	9
Cascade	38	56
Christian Valley	1	8
Eholt	6	13
Fife	16	30
Grand Forks	432	352
Greenwood	86	154
Midway	61	43
Paulson	7	5
Riverside	43	46
Rock Creek	45	36
Westbridge	20	25
Totals	818	879
Absentees	11	21
Final Totals	829	900

Majority for McPherson 71.

WESTBRIDGE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. V. Favrin returned on Friday last from Vancouver.

R. J. McCutcheon, of Carmi, was visiting his family here on Sunday.

Andy Demaze, of Abbotsford, is spending a few weeks here visiting his Uncle, L. Clery.

Mrs. E. L. Steeves and daughter, of Vancouver, are spending a few weeks here visiting Mr. Steeves. Their many friends were pleased to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Heal and Harold Heal, of Raymond, Alberta, made a motor trip through here last week and were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith.

WILL ROGERS SEEN IN A BOILED SHIRT

Will Rogers, cowboy-humorist, appears for the first time in "my otherwise spotless career in or out of the movies," in a full dress suit in a scene in "A Texas Steer," the big comedy sensation to be show at the Greenwood Theatre on Saturday, August 18th.

"The trouble with these clothes," Rogers remarked as he surveyed the double-barreled coat and high hat, "is that you look great, but you ain't.

The costume, according to Rogers, who plays the part of Congressman, is what all duly elected Congressmen wear. Congressmen, Rogers characterizes as "local bandits sent to raid National headquarters for something for their own district. If they get enough they become statesmen."

"A Texas Steer," the old Charles Hoyt stage success, stars Rogers with Louise Fazenda, Lilyan Tashman, Ann Rork, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., George Marion, Mack Swain, Sam Hardy, Lucien Littlefield, William Orlamond, Arthur Hoyt and Bud Jamison in featured roles.

Distant

Magistrate—You say the plaintiff is a relative of yours?

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PLANT DISEASES & THE FARMER

(Experimental Farms Note)

The farmer is engaged in the fundamental business of feeding the world. Success in his chosen vocation depends upon many factors, important among which is the extent to which crops suffer from disease. Serious losses are experienced in Canada annually from the ravages of plant diseases; a condition which may be appreciably remedied by an application of control measures, as recommended by Plant Pathologists of the Experimental Farms Branch.

Until recent years the farmer, in ignorance of the nature of plant diseases, suffered very heavy losses from them, quite unconscious of the fact that his crops were affected. Or, it the presence of the disase was known, the extent of damage was udnerestimated. In this way a loss of forty or even one hundred bushels of potatoes to the acre was often overlooked. Today it is different. With the aid of easy accessible literature the farmer may acquaint himself with the symptons and control of the more serious diseases. In other words the farmer's power over organisms which injure cultivated plants was never as great as it is at the present stage of agricultural development. One by one life histories and habits of such parasitic organisms are being studied, and arme dwith this knowledge the investigator is devising means to prevent their destructiveness. It only remains, therefore, for the farmer to acquaint himself with the reliable sources of information and put into practice the recommendations which are based upon thorough investigations of the plant diseases peculiar to his particular locality. This information is available at the nearest branch plant pathological labatory.

In appreciating the importance of plant diseases the farmer must know that his responsibility does not end until his crop is marketed in a sound, disease-free condition. In these days of keen competition and diligent efforts to secure markets he secret to success is the manner in which we conserve the crops. This necessitates serious efforts on the part of every farmer to control plant diseases.

Why Buy a Home

A real estate salesman tried to sell a house to newly married couple. Said the wife: "Why buy a home? I was born in a hospital ward, reared in a boarding school, educated in a college, courted in a automobile, and married in a church; gets my meals at a cafeteria; live in an apartment; spend my mornings playing golf; my afternoons playing bridge; in the evening we dance or go to the movies; when I'm sick I go to the hospital and when I die I shall be buried from an undertaker's. All we need is a garage with bedroom."

KASLO'S GREAT BLAZE

(Nakusp Ledge, March 15th, 1894)

We saw Kaslo's great illumination. It was an American fire. It would have been more so, if it had occurred three days sooner. We knew it was an American fire from the rapidity with which it wiped Front street off the face of the earth. We were asleep at the time the alarm was given, but our faith was so strong in Kaslo's Fire Brigade that we merely felt the wall to see that it was not hot, and then went to sleep again. When the noise became loud enough to awaken the dead and the flames lit up the forward rigging of the hotel we concluded, that unless we wanted to go where everybody has wings that we would retreat gracefully as possible. Gathering up our garments we retired in a hurried manner, not even stopping to settle our bill, and in the broad, expansive back-yard we dressed ourselves and then went forth to view the greatest disaster that has befallen Kaslo. It was light as day. The dark place was under a man's eyes, who had been fighting. He looked like Chas. Mitchell.

The lurid flames shot upward, seeming anxious to kiss the stars, the smoke rolled in dense clouds towards the mountains, the firemen and citizens worked like heroes, and when Byer's store was blown up we thought Hades split open, and let the inhabitants out for a holiday.

During the excitement we saved 19 lives. We had a keg of Kansas cider on tap in a secluded spot—in the store of a man who did not advertise.

It was reported that 1000 bed bugs left town the next day for Three Forks singing, Driven From Home. This is a false rumor, as we have never yet seen a bed bug in this city, and have often felt lonesome because we could not wrestle with them before breakfast.

Quite a number of people took things that did not belong to them. The only thing we took was our time. It is wrong for people to take pork, ham, bacon and other articles that the owners saved from a fire. When a man saves his bacon he ought to have it.

Teamsters had a harvest in moving goods. Some of them charged prices that would make a Niagara Falls hackman blush two or three times.

The fire hit the city in a hard time. With silver below 60 cents it requires nerve to stand up and smile, and look at the ashes of your building with a sweet complacency of countenance. But most of Kaslo's people have more sand than the city has railroad iron, and they will live through all their troubles and wear a crown of gold some day. Silver must avdance in price, and when it gets along about $10 a pound the fire will seem like a dream of the past with more dynamite in it. In the meantime if the worst comes to the worst, you can all come to Nakusp. Our latch string is on the outside of the door, and inside you will find roast turkey that will make you think of home and mother.

We sympathize with Kaslo in her troubles. They have had a great deal to contend with in the past year and if we had a million dolars we would have a new deal and stake everybody who lost in the recent calamity. We will quit now and go and look for the million.

Anonymity

He—"How did you keep your donation secret?"

She—I sent an anonymous check."

Age of Opportunity

Oldtime mosquito (to young mosquito): "And to think that when I was your age I could bite girls only on the face and hands."

The Plural Sex

Mr. Newlywed—"Please, doctor, tell me at once—is it a 'him' or a 'her'?"

Doctor—"It's a 'them."

Sweet little Emily Rose,
Was tired and sought repose.
But her brother, named Clare,
Put a pin in her chair,
And sweet little Emily Rose.

Canned Tomato

"I contend," said the counsel for the defence, "that a tomato, however well aimed, could not have caused a black eye."

"But it was in a tin, sir," replied the witness.

ADVICE TO POULTRYMEN

(Experimental Farms Note)

The poultrymen of Canada spend many hundreds of dollars annually in purchasing chemicals and patent medicines, which, when administered internally, are guaranteed to rid their flocks of mites, lice, ticks, and other external parasites.

Attention is being drawn, in this connection, to U.S. Department of Agricultural Technical bulletin No. 60, which embodies a very exhaustive treatment of the subject of the use of internal medicines in the control of parasites. This bulletin by D. C. Parman, W. S. Abott, J. J. Culver and W. M. Davidson, is a record of controlled experimental work carried on over a considerable period and dealing with a large number of birds and great variety of medicines. The findings are briefly as follows.

1. On the whole there was a loss of body weight with the treated birds as compared to the controls.

2. During the tests no improvement could be noted in health or vigor of the treated hens, nor was any improvement noticeable after the completion of the treatment. On the other hand certain of the medicines used had a very deleterious effect upon the health of he birds.

3. No apparent dislikes on the part of the parasite to feeding on the medicated hens were noticed.

4. There was no adequate control of any of the species of lice from the chemical administered in the tests. This also applies, and to a more marked degree, to blood sucking parasites, ticks and mites.

The final conclusions derived from the results of the tests are "that the use of internal medications against external parasites is deterimental to the poultry industry in that it only involves useless expenditure but allows the parasites to continue their ravages when they might be destroyed by recognized methods.

Furthermore it seems safe to conclude hat any internal medication for the control of external parasites is without value for that purpose."

In view of the above results it is recommended that the poultryman refrain from using any internal medicines for the control of external parasites, relying upon he application of recognized methods of external treatment.

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Reports covering each of the Six Mineral Survey Districts are published separately, and are available on application.

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HERE AND THERE

Okanagan.—Word is received from Washington that the Okanagan project, during the last year, had a higher per acre yield of apples and a consequent higher acre return to the grower, than any government irrigation project in the United States. The local project, with 3,567 acres in apples, has a yield of 35,142,750 pounds, or 9,852 pounds to the acre, a yield which brought the growers a return of $1,030,854, or the high record price of $289 an acre. On the Yakima project the average yield was 9,602 pounds to the acre or at the rate of $246.16 per acre. The nearest approach to the Washington record was on the Sun river project in Montana, where the average was $153.33 an acre, followed by the Boise project, with a price of $148.

Ottawa.—The Department of Agriculture has issued a report showing how the Canadian "Moth" plane is combatting wheat rust—how the Canadian Air Force, the Federal Department of Agriculture and the pathological plant of the Manitoba Agricultural College at Winnipeg are uniting to fight the enemy. The report says: "The work consists mainly in the exposure of slides at different altitudes and at different locations. These aeroplane exposures attempt to collect from altitudes of from 1,000 to 5,000 feet the date of the earliest appearance of rust spores, the region over which they first appear, the rate at which the spore content of the air increases over various regions, the visibility of spores caught at these higher altitudes and the relation of certain environmental and climatic factors to the rate of development and spread of rust. Tightly stoppered bottles are used, containing wooden paddles to which are attached microscopic slides lightly smeared with vaseline. These slides are exposed for 15 minutes at varying altitudes; the slides replaced in the bottles and then returned to the Government laboratory at Winnipeg."

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 reulations 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 8,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 5,000 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 the 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 for first-class (arable) land is $5 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 given to established owners. Stock owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partly free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

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The value of the mining industry to the Province is in the distribution of money in wages, supplies, transportation services, etc. And in this respect, 1927 was a record year!

The 14,000 employees of the mining industry were paid wages totalling 23 million dollars . . . or nearly $1,700 each . . . the highest average for any Canadian Province.

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British Columbia mines approximately 40 million dollars worth of copper, zinc and lead, a year . . . more than the rest of Canada. In gold and silver, our production ranks second . . . in coal, third; our total annual mining production today being exceeded only by Ontario.

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Chattering drills sink deeper and deeper into the hills . . . heavy ores rumble through the concentrators . . . fortunes come tumbling from the treasure chest of British Columbia! What was once only imagined about our mining potentialities, is now proven knowledge. Mining has become our third largest industry . . . showing over 67 million dollars revenue a year . . . proof that prosperity flourishes in British Columbia.

Capital from Eastern Canada, the United States, Great Britain, France . . . seeks investment. Our great wealth of production, developing so steadily during the past ten years, has established confidence and aroused keen interest in British Columbia's mining future the world over.

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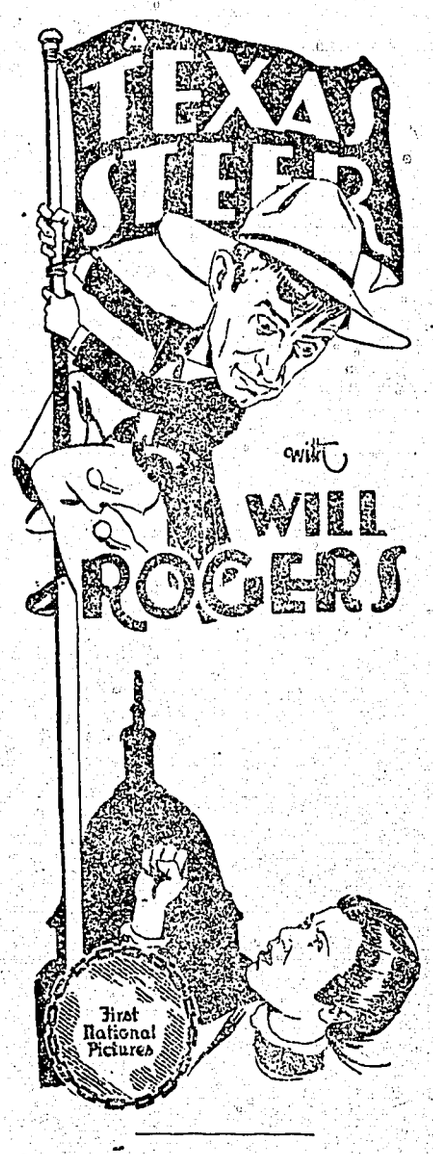
CARROLL GEORGE IS DEAD, BELLINGHAM

Carroll George, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. "Paddy" George, of Nelson; died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Bellingham, Wash., on August 5th, after an illness of six weeks. The funeral was held in Bellingham, on August 8th, Rev. Mr. Tuall of the Mehodist Church officiating.

Carroll George was well known in Greenwood having lived here when his parents were residents of Greenwood a number of years ago.



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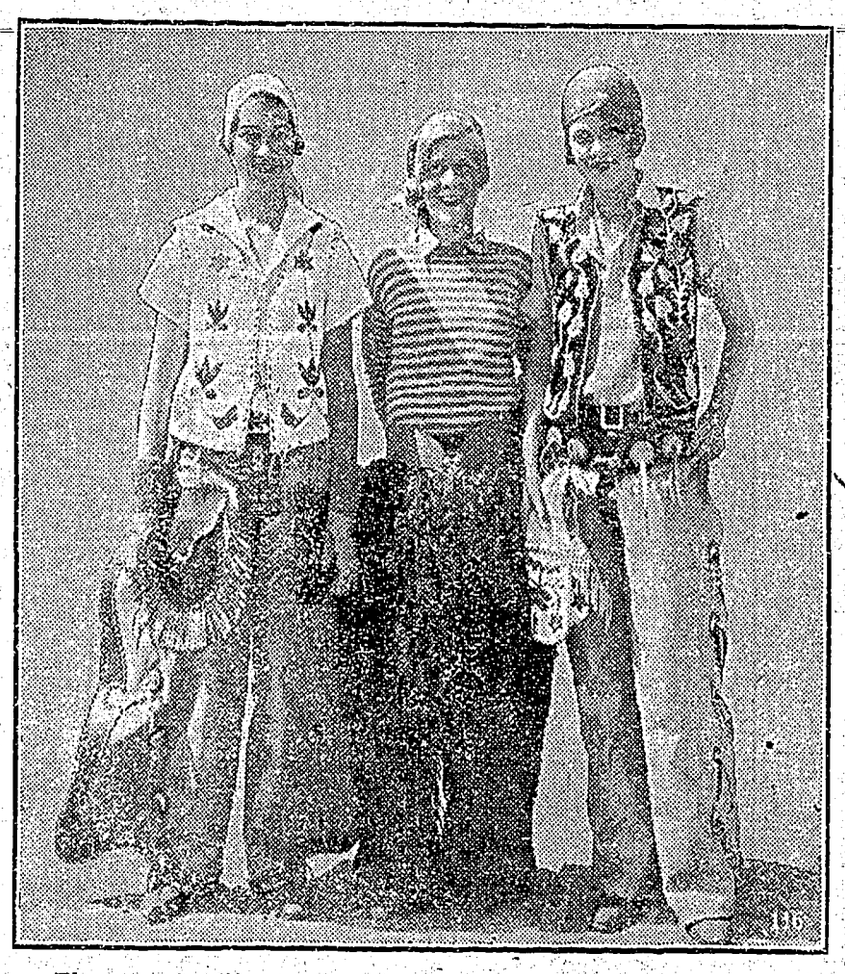

The annual riding and camping expedition of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies has many attractive features, but at the top of the list were undoubtedly the three charming maidens photographed above who took part in a 250 mile ride, joining up with the main group that visited the Lake of the Hanging Glaciers. They are Kitty Miskey, Betty McCullough and Betty Hall, all of Philadelphia.

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Business meeting at 7 p.m. to be followed by a banquet at the Midway Hotel.

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