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Hear Sapiro On Friday Afternoon In Empire Hall

BADLY INJURED BY EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE

Reeve J. R. Campbell Was Preparing to Re-cap Charge When it Exploded.

Frightfully wounded in the face by the explosion of a delayed charge of dynamite, Reeve J. R. Campbell is in the hospital, making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

For some time he has been making improvements in his home property and has been using dynamite for the purpose of loosening boulders and otherwise clearing up the lot. On New Year's Day, firing of snowballing and other fun, he decided to put two shots in the old bed of the creek, where he was doing some work, and watched by his daughter, Florence, the two shots were put into place and the fuse ignited.

One of these was discharged in due course, but the other did not go off and Mr. Campbell decided to leave it for a time. A little later, while near the house, there was a subdued noise, which he concluded was the detonating cap on the second charge and decided that all danger was past and that the cap had failed to set off the charge, and went back to the bed of the creek to investigate, Florence again accompanying him. It was just as he stooped to make the examination that the explosion occurred.

A large stone, which he had placed over the charge, was thrown up with terrific force and struck him in the mouth and left cheek. In addition to several flesh wounds, his lower jaw was fractured and teeth dislocated and cheek bone and nose broken.

Though so badly wounded, he did not lose consciousness and, picking himself up, was sitting on a rock nearby, when neighbors came in response to the alarm given by his daughter. Carried to the house on a stretcher, first aid was given by Dr. Andrew and Miss Hibbs, matron of the hospital, who had been hurriedly summoned, and later he was removed to the hospital where his wounds were given further attention.

Of excellent physique, he has been able to withstand the shock wonderfully well and latest reports are that he is making the best possible recovery.

CHURCH SOCIETIES IN JOINT DEBATE

The Baptist church was crowded Tuesday night on the occasion of the debate of the combined Baptist and St. Andrew's Young People's Societies. The subject, "Resolved, that Poverty Does More to Promote Crime Than Does Wealth," made the debate very lively. Carlyle Clay occupied the chair. Before the debate started Miss Snider rendered a vocal solo.

Dewey Sanborn, leader of the affirmative, opened the debate with very impressive and conclusive arguments, proving that poverty does more to promote crime than wealth does. Carleton Clay, leader of the negative, refuted his opponent's statements and went on to prove in an exceedingly persuasive manner that crime is more prevalent among the rich than the poor. The affirmative was further supported by Dawson Pirie and Ralph Harwood, both carrying weighty and decisive arguments. The other two speakers on the negative side, Alan Cross and Mack Laycock, introduced new reasons in supporting their stand. The five minute rebuttals concluded the debate.

Rev. W. A. Alexander gave a constructive criticism of the speeches. The decision of the judges, Messrs. S. A. Macdonald, J. A. Harris and Chas. Mitchell, gave the victory by a majority of a few points to the negative.

The provincial Game Act has been amended by altering the definition of a "farmer," and that word now applies to any one working not less than three acres, as far as that Act is concerned.

FINDS HOME BURNING IN EARLY MORNING

But for Dr. Windeler's timely return to his home early Tuesday morning, it probably now would be in ashes, with possibly more serious results.

It was about 3 o'clock when Dr. Windeler reached home from the G. W. V. A. dance and when he opened the door, he discovered the house filled with smoke. Starting to investigate, he opened the back door, the breeze through which quickly fanned the fire, which was at the hearth of the fireplace, into a blaze. It was not until the beams and floor beneath were considerably burned that the fire was subdued.

Mrs. Windeler and their little daughter were both asleep and quite unconscious of their peril.

An appropriation of \$400,000 was made at the last session of the B. C. Legislature for soldier settlement schemes, and it is expected that the bulk of this sum will be expended between Oliver and Osoyoos during 1923.

GROWERS HEAR R. J. HOGG ON ORGANIZATION

Member of Committee of Seven Speaks to Large Audience Here.

It was a mutually large gathering of fruit growers which crowded Parish Hall last Friday afternoon to hear the reports of Mr. G. J. C. White and Mr. R. J. Hogg, on the work of their respective committees. As the meeting was called under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute, Mr. A. McLachlan, president, was called to the chair.

Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, by Mr. G. W. Johnson, which were accepted, Mr. G. J. Coulter White, one of Summerland's representatives to the Kelowna convention, was called on to give his report, but stated that it was useless to go over it again, since it had been given fully in the press. However, there were a few points worthy of note, said Mr. White. The convention at Kelowna was a very representative one, there being delegates from the Kootenays, Kereomes and the main line, as well as from the Okanagan points. The gathering opened with heterogeneous ideas, but at the end of three days a remarkable unanimity of feeling showed that they were all earnestly striving to arrive at some feasible scheme. Many suggestions and schemes arose during the course of the convention, but these were left with the committee of seven to deal with.

Mr. R. J. Hogg, of Peachland, one of the committee of seven, explained what had taken place since the Kelowna convention. The work of this committee was to form a board of control and bring it into action and to introduce a plan for a unified selling agency. Although Dr. Macklin showed that the board of control proposition was not feasible, some of the committee did not feel like discarding it. However, if it is abandoned the idea of a selling agency will go with it and the committee will then go back to the people and submit a plan of co-operation. The committee at present is working on this plan, but as yet have arrived at no definite proposition. The meeting was then thrown open to discussion and questions were invited.

In reply to Mr. J. S. Campbell, Mr. Hogg stated that under our proposed plan the independent shippers would be paid for their interests and that the raising of capital for this purpose was not impossible. When questioned as to what was being done towards obtaining the services of Mr. Sapiro, Mr. Hogg said that the committee had not deemed it advisable to invite him to the Valley.

When questions arose of the attitude of the O. U. G. towards this movement, Mr. M. G. Wilson stated that the O. U. G. was behind them in

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IS WINNER IN NATION WIDE PRIZE CONTEST

J. S. Ritchie Gains High Position in Amateur Photography.

John S. Ritchie, one of our pioneer citizens, who has made amateur photography a hobby, is winning considerable success and no little notoriety in that line.

Mr. Ritchie has just received information to the effect that he is the winner of one of two prizes of five guineas in a competition open to professional and amateurs of all Canada. Similar prizes were offered throughout the different British nations by the Overseas League of London, Eng.

One of the prizes was for the best photograph of a boy or girl under 10 years of age, reading the Overseas League magazine. This was won by a citizen of Regina. The other was for the best photograph of a woman reading the magazine and for this Mr. Ritchie has been awarded the Canadian prize. The competition was open from May 24th, 1921, to May 24th, 1922, and the prize awards have just been announced.

Several of the countries entering the competition were not awarded prizes because, in the opinion of the judges, the photographs submitted were not of sufficiently high standard of interest or of sufficient executive merit.

The person photographed in Mr. Ritchie's prize picture was his youngest daughter, Miss Joanna.

TO ORGANIZE TOMATO MEN OF INTERIOR

Initial Meeting of Growers Held at Kelowna Makes Good Start.

At a meeting of tomato growers, held at Kelowna on Dec. 27th, at which 42 representative tomato growers were present, a provisional committee was appointed to draw up a constitution, to get in touch with tomato growers in other districts, to communicate with the growers' committee, and also to gather all the necessary information for the purpose of forming "The B. C. Tomato Growers' Association." All the tomato growers present pledged to become members of the association, according to H. Lyons, chairman pro tem, in a report to The Review.

Mr. Lyons writes further that the main objects of the association will be to promote and safeguard the interest of tomato growing industry in the province, to act as intermediary between the growers and canners.

The general tone of the meeting was most reasonable, and it was felt that there would be less disputes and friction between the growers and canners, provided only the canners reciprocate the reasonableness of the growers, manifested at the meeting.

A further meeting is to be held in the Board of Trade room, Kelowna, at 10 a.m. on Jan. 9th, to which all tomato growers in the province are cordially invited, and after adoption of constitution and election of officers the following questions will be discussed:

1. To put the tomato industry in the province on a more solid basis.
2. To find cost of production of tomatoes and to ask the canners to pay the growers the cost plus reasonable profit.
3. To ask the canners to fix the price of canning tomatoes for next season as early as possible.

It is earnestly hoped that all tomato growing districts from Kamloops to the boundary line send delegates to the meeting and to agree to stick together to make conditions more satisfactory to both the growers and canners.

Californian Expert to Address Fruit Growers on Co-operative Marketing.

Fruit growers and business men of Summerland, Naramata and Peachland, are to have an opportunity to hear Mr. Aaron Sapiro speak on the subject of co-operative organization of our fruit industry, tomorrow, Friday afternoon, in Empire Hall.

The Review wishes here to publicly acknowledge the good offices of Mr. R. V. Agur, local director of the B.C.F.G.A., by whose assistance we are able to make this announcement.

Learning that Mr. Sapiro was to arrive in Vernon today at noon and that arrangements had been made for him to speak at Penticton Friday evening, an effort was immediately launched to have Mr. Sapiro to speak here. Mr. Agur kindly offering to assist us in this, and just as this page is being made up, Mr. Agur phones us that Mr. C. E. Barnes, president of the B.C.F.G.A., has obtained Mr. Sapiro's consent to the proposal.

Mr. Sapiro will be in Kelowna Friday morning, and will leave there by special ferry immediately after lunch and is expected to arrive here about 3 o'clock.

The Review, upon getting this information, immediately arranged for a special ferry leaving Naramata at 2.30 and it is hoped that some arrangement can be made for many of the Peachland fruit growers to attend.

TO MANUFACTURE NITRIC ACID IN B. C.

Canada is to have a new and somewhat unique industry. Two years ago an American company established a small plant, costing approximately \$500,000, at Lake Buntzen, on the north arm of Burrard Inlet, near Vancouver, for the extraction of nitrogen from the air by electricity. Two years of operation have proved the practicability and commercial profit of the scheme, and now the company plans an elaborate extension of the plant, at an expenditure of between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000, to take care of the production of nitric acid. There is stated to be only one other such plant on the North American continent.

The extension of the present plant for the manufacture of nitric acid has been forced on the company by the recent increase to 600 per cent. in the United States tariff on nitrate products used in making dyestuffs, paints, inks and films, which the Buntzen Lake plant has been turning out. As the tariff shuts these products out of their chief market in the United States, nitric acid is to be manufactured, for which there is practically an unlimited market.

On account of the cheap power available, it is claimed that the Canadian industry can manufacture nitrates cheaper than they can be imported from South America, which has hitherto been the principal source of supply. In the past fiscal year Canada found it necessary to import from other countries nitrate of soda to the extent of 22,838,208 pounds, worth \$581,907, nitric acid to the extent of 71,643 gallons, worth \$11,456, nitrate of ammonia, 2,017,078 pounds, worth \$127,484, and other nitrates to the extent of \$71,806.

There are immense possibilities to the industry of manufacturing nitrates from the air in Canada. Nitrates form a very important ingredient in fertilizing crops, and Norway utilizes over 300,000 horse-power in manufacturing nitrates in this manner and exports some 60,000 tons of fertilizer. Nitrates form the basic material of other Canadian industries, and their absolute necessity in the manufacture of munitions is still an important national consideration. With Canada's unexcelled water-power resources the manufacture of nitrates from the air might become an industry of such proportions that the Dominion would take second place to no other country in this regard.

The British Columbia Historical Association has been formed with headquarters at Victoria. His Honor Judge Howay has been elected president, and Mr. Beaumont Boggs, of Victoria, secretary-treasurer.

ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE TO CONSULT EXPERT

Will This Week Lay Various Schemes Before Aaron Sapiro.

British Columbia growers' organization committee, in its second report to the growers, made through the press of the district concerned, states that the committee is pressing matters as quickly as possible while using all precaution against mistakes. The report follows:

Since our last report information has been received that Mr. Aaron Sapiro is arriving in the Valley on Thursday, Jan. 4th, under the auspices of the management of "Farm and Home," which journal is very generously bearing all his expenses. Your committee will have full opportunity of consulting with this expert on the various schemes now before them. The committee are working on the collecting of information bearing on these schemes, and the question of finance is receiving their particular attention.

While the committee is pressing things as quickly as possible, growers are asked to realize that hasty conclusions on the part of their committee at this time might be disastrous.

The growers should hold themselves free to take any united action that may be decided on.

F. E. R. WOLLASTON, Chairman B. C. Growers' Organization Committee.

VETERANS HAVE GOOD MARGIN FROM DANCE

More Than \$100 for Property Fund From New Year's Dance.

One hundred and seven dollars and eighty-five cents is the net proceeds realized by the G. W. V. A. from the dance given by that organization in Empire Hall on New Year's night.

The affair was very largely attended. The catering was done by the Women's Auxiliary to the G. W. V. A. Those in charge of the dance have requested The Review to express, through its columns, their thanks to those who assisted with donations for the dance. Among these are: The Summerland Groceries, the West Summerland Meat Market, the Premier Hotel, Frank Cross, the West Summerland Restaurant, and "The Man Who Saves You Dollars." They also wish to thank the public for their wholehearted support, which enables them to show the splendid credit balance noted above.

The funds will be added to the property fund of the association.

FINDS COW SHOT.

Every day for four weeks, F. G. Haddrell had been out searching for a valuable Jersey cow that had been put out on range at Garnett Valley. Last Thursday the Clarke boys came across the carcass of the cow, which had been shot presumably by a hunter. Mr. Haddrell naturally feels very much annoyed, not only because of the loss of the animal, but because he feels that the person who shot the cow, doubtless thinking it was a deer, should have informed the owner and saved him the many weeks of searching, especially as the animal had been advertised as lost.

A supplementary vote passed at the session just closed at Victoria allows the sum of \$2,000 to be expended in aiding the marketing of B. C. fruit. This means that the necessary expense of bringing in expert advice from points outside the province can be met without drawing on funds provided by the fruit growers themselves.

RELATIVES SUFFER IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

That his father, brother and the wife and son of the latter were in a bad automobile accident a few days ago, is the information received here by R. E. White.

The accident occurred while the party were driving through Sedro-Wooley, a town about midway between the boundary and Seattle. The car was driven by Geo. W. White, who had in the front seat with him, his wife, while Mr. W. E. White and the small boy were in the rear seat. Their car was struck almost broadside by a large limousine, driven by a woman, who attempted to cross in front of them at right angles.

The little boy escaped without injury, his mother suffering lightly. Mr. White, Sr., was badly cut about the face and otherwise shaken up, but it was the driver who suffered most, he having sustained a fractured skull, broken shoulder, fractured ribs and other injuries. Latest information is that he was to be examined for internal injuries.

NARAMATA HAS CHRISTMAS TREE FOR CHILDREN

Citizens Unite in Big Treat for Children of Community.

If the latest Dominion census had been as thoroughly taken as that just made of Naramata children by the convenors of the community gathering, held on Thursday evening, there would probably be no mystery concerning a missing two million. One hundred and twenty olive branches were recorded among the ninety-five families now resident here and every one of them, little and big, received a liberal selection of gifts, distributed by Santa Claus Horswill from the Christmas tree, which reached from floor to ceiling of the Naramata Hall. The building was filled to capacity with parents and friends, including visitors from Summerland and Penticton, and the very interesting program given by the children was received with good humored appreciation. The proceedings opened with carols, sung by the school children, and these were followed by a series of numbers comprising songs, recitations, piano selections, duets, drills and dances. The second part was taken up by a play entitled "The Toy Shop," in which certain dolls lived over on the bargain counter, come to life and recite their troubles to the dreaming Bobby and Betsy, who have fallen asleep in the shop. A further selection of carols closed the program and left the way clear for the coming of Santa Claus.

Mr. Robert King acted as chairman, and at the close referred to similar gatherings in the early days when, although all residents met together, they did not fill the building. He looked forward to the community gathering as a permanent institution. Mr. Irwin moved a vote of thanks to those who had carried out the work entailed and this was cordially endorsed by the meeting.

A great deal of credit is due to Mrs. D. McKay, who took an active part in obtaining contributions, and worked untiringly throughout. The purchasing committee, Mrs. Nuttall, Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Kenyon, with Mrs. Green as buyer, are to be congratulated on the generous scale of the gifts, which was surprising. The entertainment committee included the school staff together with Mrs. Horswill, Mrs. Manchester, Mrs. Cross and Mrs. Walters, the latter of whom presided throughout at the piano, while Mrs. Cross was an efficient director. The stage managers were Miss Dorothy Robinson and Mr. Earle Hughes. Mr. C. C. Aikins kindly lent the lighting apparatus from the Little Theatre, and this added greatly to the stage setting. Decorations were in the hands of Mr. Smith, Leslie Smith and the C.G.I.T.

Following is the program of the evening: Carols by the school children; recitation, Robert Robinson; (Continued on Page 6)

COMMITTEE TO TAX GROWERS ON ACRE BASIS

Money Will be Received by G. Y. L. Crossley and The Review.

That a small assessment, based on acreage, should be made on each fruit grower, for the purpose of raising some money for the financing of the work of the growers' committee in connection with the plans for re-organization, is the conclusion reached by the special committee on finance appointed at the last meeting of Summerland growers.

Below is a copy of the report of the committee, which has been submitted to The Review for publication:

To the Growers and Business Men of Summerland:

Your committee, the undersigned, were elected at the public meeting in the Parish Hall, Dec. 29th, with the object of devising means whereby the expenses of the growers' committee might be met.

After careful consideration of this serious necessity, your committee has decided that an assessment on an acreage basis, at the present time, is the only feasible one. To cover Summerland's share to date, it has been decided to request each grower to subscribe as his share, ten cents per acre, with a maximum share of 20 acres. At the same time, realizing that the business men are vitally interested in this matter, your committee would invite their subscriptions up to \$2. Your committee cannot in any way guarantee that the sum so raised will be all that Summerland will be called on to pay. But they think this should be sufficient for a beginning.

The importance of the work of the growers' committee cannot be too strongly realized by every member of the community. A repetition of the chaotic marketing conditions of the past two years would be far more expensive to the community than the contribution of the small sum for which they may be asked.

Through the public spirited action of The Review Publishing Co., space will be given each week for a subscription list in which the names of all the subscribers will be published. Subscriptions will be received at the office of The Review, Summerland, or at G. Y. L. Crossley's office, West Summerland.

With the short time available, promptness of payment is doubly valuable.

R. H. HELMER,
W. V. B. WEBB,
G. Y. L. CROSSLEY.

MILD WEATHER IS HARD ON TRAFFIC

Continued mild weather, following two weeks of frost and snow, has put the lakeshore road in frightful condition. Motorists using the road between Summerland and Penticton describe it as being almost impassable. Some who have gone over it once could not be induced to try it again. Portions of the road between here and Peachland are said to be even worse.

When about a half-mile south of Van Hise's on his southbound trip on Monday, E. A. Agur jumped off the road with his big car, landing some distance away on the shore and about four feet below the level of the road. One tire was burst and damage done to the radiator. It was with considerable difficulty that the car was got back on to the road.

Only two Indian Army officers, so far, have purchased orchard land at Osoyoos, in spite of a special trip made to India by Major Clark for the purpose of inducing as many as possible to settle on the provincial government's irrigated lands in that section.

If folks only knew it they would make a hit quicker by pretending to ask for information instead of trying to give the same person pointers for his business.

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 goods at less than the proper price, the newspaper will furnish letters to
 be posted in the store stating the correct price, but goods may not be sold at
 the price printed and the difference charged to the newspaper.

Thursday, January 4, 1923.

TAXING FRUIT TREES.

This is a subject which is being much discussed these days
 in Naramata and wherever orchards are planted in territory
 outside organized districts. Writing in the Penticton Herald
 on the subject of taxes, "Autolycus" treats the new provincial
 tax on trees thus:

No one likes paying taxes, but most people realize that
 they are a necessary feature of civilization, being the price we
 pay for the many benefits we receive. Whenever a new tax is
 levied we scrutinize it closely to see if it meets our ideas of
 what is legitimate, and if it does not there is a prompt flood
 of protest. In most cases our protests are wrong, but every now
 and then the gentleman who has to go through the agony of
 making up his budget for the year oversteps the limit of human
 endurance, in which case he very soon hears about it. There
 are also occasional instances of a really unjust tax being intro-
 duced so quietly and modestly, as it were, that the taxpayer
 does not know what is coming to pass until it has happened. A
 case of this description is to be found in that miracle of inepti-
 tude known as the Fruit Tree Tax. It is only used in the assess-
 ment of orchards in districts not yet incorporated, and is there-
 fore but little known. The Grand Forks Gazette refers to a
 doubling of the amount of farmers' taxes, but I understand
 that in some cases a much greater increase than that has been
 made by this same tree tax. It goes without saying that thou-
 sands of trees so taxed have not produced any crop whatever,
 that being the natural inference to be drawn from the fact that
 the tax applies to young trees which cannot possibly bear fruit.
 It seems to me that here we have a glaring example of taxation
 which cannot be justified, and should be repealed.

ORIGIN OF THE APPLE.

In telling the story of the origin of the apple, the Domini-
 on Horticulturist, Mr. W. T. Macoun, states that the varieties
 known to commerce today are the products, mainly of chance,
 of the past three hundred years. Seedlings grew up along the
 fences or roadsides or occasionally were planted. The best of
 these were propagated and thus, one by one, often at long in-
 tervals, important varieties were added to the list. Today
 many workers are scientifically breeding new apples, and it is
 expected that there will be a much greater change in the popu-
 lar varieties in the next fifty years than there has been in the
 past fifty. This suggestion is not difficult of belief, when it is
 stated that no fewer than seventy-one varieties of apple have
 been used as parents in the breeding work of the Horticultural
 Division at Ottawa, and that the number of combinations made
 from these runs into the hundreds. It is the custom of the
 Division of the Experimental Farms Branch over which Mr.
 Macoun presides, not to offer any variety for sale until it has
 been tested beyond peradventure. At present there are four
 varieties of midseason apples and one winter variety that are
 being offered for sale, and will be until they can be obtained
 in the ordinary course from the nurseries. These are the
 Melba, Joyce, Patricia, and Pedro, and a seedling of Wealthy,
 the Mendel, the latter being a winter variety.

British Columbia is becoming a factor in the Canadian egg
 market. Up to the 14th of December, ten carloads of British
 Columbia eggs had been shipped east this fall.

New Year Messages to the Boy Scouts

The following message to the Boy
 Scouts of the Dominion has been
 sent out by Dr. James W. Robertson,
 chief commissioner for Canada:

There are in the world today some
 2,000,000 Boy Scouts—of every
 color, race and creed. All these boys
 are "Brother Scouts"—pledged to "a
 good turn every day"; brothers in
 the pledged recognition that "every
 Scout is a brother to every Scout";
 brothers—of France, India, Australia,
 Czechoslovakia, Brazil, United
 States, China, South Africa, Great
 Britain, Ceylon, Canada—brothers
 all, taking the same tests, obeying
 the same Scout law, reading the same
 Scout book, learning together to
 "play the game" fairly, squarely and
 honorably.

It has often been repeated that
 peace on earth can come only with
 the realization of the "Brotherhood
 of Man." Scouting is a world bro-
 therhood of boys—tomorrow's men.
 Scouting, of course, does not al-
 ways realize its ideals. Leadership
 sometimes fails. But the standard of
 Scout leadership is rising steadily;
 the principles are always clear to
 those who will learn.

As believers in world peace, let us
 therefore do our bit toward bringing
 "peace on earth, goodwill toward
 men" by renewing our pledge as
 Canadians and Scouts, to do our best
 to—

Do our duty to God and the King;
 To help other people at all times;
 To obey the Scout law;
 remembering especially at this sea-
 son the Fourth Law—

"A Scout is a friend to all, and a
 brother to every other Scout"—at
 home, next door, the world over.

Be of good cheer through the
 year. How? How, if there be no
 grand or gracious or inspiring sur-
 roundings to our life? Where?
 Where, if there be lonesome work
 in the field, dreary chores about the
 stable or house, drudgery in the
 factory, rivalry in the office, strife for
 gain in the store, dullness in the
 school, and no charm in the home?
 When? When, if there appears to
 be no time for more than doing our
 bare duty and seeking after plea-
 sures and show?

Have we forgotten the Christ? A
 manger-cradle was not a grand or
 gracious or inspiring setting in which

to start. And now His festival com-
 memorates the supreme success of
 His life.

The makings of good cheer are in
 diligence; in good work for useful
 ends; in fair play; in patience; in
 helping others; in a good turn every
 day; and in following high ideals of
 duty. It gives lustre to the fine Art
 of Living.

The fine Art of Living includes all
 honorable occupations—yours and
 mine. It brings beauty, truth, and
 goodness into every field and stable
 and factory and office and store and
 school and home, while the pilgrim
 through life works and plays and
 worships with others for the com-
 mon good. He knows that nothing
 can spoil sunshine and that clouds
 carry refreshing rains.

Be of good cheer through life.

New Year's Message From the Provincial Commis- sioner:

I desire to send greetings and good
 wishes on behalf of the Provincial
 Executive to all District Commis-
 sioners, Scouters, Workers, Scouts
 and Cubs wishing each and all suc-
 cess, prosperity and every happiness
 in the coming year.

The past year has been marked by
 splendid growth, both in added num-
 bers and in fuller appreciation of the
 true Scout spirit.

The potentialities of the young are
 latent and they only need proper
 direction to make life successful—
 not the success measured by wealth
 and power, but real success, which is
 otherwise known as happiness, and
 true happiness comes of the practice
 of good will and service for others.

The Boy Scout guiding principles
 are loyalty, brotherhood, courtesy
 and service. These all stand for
 good citizenship, and our movement
 seeks in various ways to build a sys-
 tem of character development that
 will stand the world's test in training
 and moulding the youth of our land
 into a manhood physically strong,
 mentally awake and morally straight
 and pure.

In carrying on this work I appeal
 for the active assistance, kindly sym-
 pathy and faithful co-operation of
 everyone interested in the welfare of
 our land and given the support I
 know the boys will show their cour-
 age in doing their part to make 1923
 a banner year for Scouting in this
 province.

R. ROSS SUTHERLAND,
 Provincial Commissioner.



FRIDAY

Furnish No Fuel—Where no wood
 is, there the fire goeth out; so where
 there is no talebearer, the strife
 ceaseth.—Proverbs 26: 20.

SATURDAY

The End of Enmity—When a
 man's ways please the Lord he mak-
 eth even his enemies to be at peace
 with him.—Proverbs 16: 7.

SUNDAY

Salvation—If thou shalt confess
 with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and
 shalt believe in thine heart that God
 hath raised him from the dead, thou
 shalt be saved.—Romans 10: 9.

MONDAY

How God Loves—For God so loved
 the world, that he gave his only be-
 gotten Son, that whosoever believeth
 in him should not perish, but have
 everlasting life.—John 3: 16.

TUESDAY

The Tender Shepherd—He shall
 feed his flock like a shepherd: he
 shall gather the lambs with his arm,
 and carry them in his bosom.—Isiah
 40: 11.

WEDNESDAY

The Richest Fruitage—The fruit of
 the Spirit is love, joy, peace, long-
 suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,
 meekness, temperance; against such
 there is no law.—Gal. 5: 22, 23.

THURSDAY

An Old Man's Testimony—I have
 fought a good fight, I have finished
 my course, I have kept the faith.
 Henceforth there is laid up for me a
 crown of righteousness.—2 Timothy
 4: 7.

Always getting into hot water will
 eventually cook your goose.

Movie star starts divorce suit be-
 cause wife threw iron at him. New
 way of pressing a suit.

Singing lessons may make people
 fat; but not those who hear them.

Sometimes a politician can't tell
 the people where he stands because
 he is on the run.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SUMMERLAND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1922.

REVENUE.	
General Tax Levy	\$18,465.55
Penalties	1,831.59
Trade Licenses	1,205.00
Dog Tax	136.00
Poll Tax	305.00
Public Aid	154.26
Miscellaneous—	
Rents	263.20
Reservoir Ice	214.20
Police Court Fines and Costs	163.20
Government Grants—	
Liquor Control Act	1,264.83
Motor Licenses	934.11
Pari Mutuel Tax	387.32
Sundries	59.50
	3,786.92
	\$21,384.32

EXPENDITURE.	
Roads Maintenance	\$ 4,611.36
Sidewalks Maintenance	309.86
Grants—	
Public Aid	602.25
Hospital	500.00
Street Lighting	526.75
Public Health	59.75
Election Expense	177.07
Administration of Justice	915.96
Advertising	171.33
Assessment	500.00
Assessment Appeals	166.45
Legal Advice and Expenses	75.40
Interest	584.54
Cemetery	34.86
Council's Indemnity	1,450.00
Workmen's Compensation	225.13
Fees, etc.	336.23
Dog Tags	4.33
Poll Tax Expenses and Refunds	81.75
Insurance	156.00
Fire Protection	111.67
Delegates' Expenses	32.00
Found Expense	59.04
Sundries	50.13
Expenses By-law No. 176	25.90
Tax Sale Costs, etc.	43.25
Overhead Charges (Proportion)	1,640.07
Depreciation of Assets not covered by By-laws.	792.17
	8,259.78
	7,101.07
	\$21,384.32

Statement "C" referred to in our report of even date.
 CREHAN, MOUAT & CO.
 Chartered Accountants and Municipal Auditors.

OPERATING ACCOUNT FOR PUBLIC UTIL- ITIES, 1922.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Profit and Loss Statement for the Year Ending 31st Decem- ber, 1922.

To Discounts	\$ 962.20	By Gross Earnings	\$10,021.51
Maintenance	1,800.92	Rates levied	
Operating	1,951.14		
Electric Current pur- chased	2,577.86		
Debiture Interest	1,614.00		
Sinking Fund	1,479.19		
Balance, being profit	136.20		
	\$10,021.51		\$10,021.51

NOTE:—Proportion of Overhead Charges—Salaries, Office Expenses, Post-
 ages and Telegrams, Printing and Stationery, included in above
 charges.

IRRIGATION AND DOMESTIC WATER (Combined)

Profit and Loss Statement for the Year Ending 31st Decem- ber, 1922.

To Discounts	\$ 820.88	By Gross Earnings—	\$26,152.24
Irrigation Maintenance	10,250.36	Irrigation	5,650.74
Irrigation Operating	4,853.24	General Water	5,650.74
Domestic Water Main- tenance and Oper- ating	5,874.51	Domestic Water Users	9,790.83
Debiture Interest	19,296.50	Balance, Provided out of Taxes	8,205.60
Sinking Fund	8,703.92		
	\$49,799.41		\$49,799.41

NOTE:—Proportion of Overhead Charges—Salaries, Office Expenses, Post-
 ages and Telegrams, Printing and Stationery, included in above
 charges.

F. J. NIXON, Treasurer.
 Statement "D" referred to in our report of even date.
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MUNICIPAL SCHOOL BOARD.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Year Ending 31st December, 1922.

RECEIPTS.	
Total Tax Levy, School Purposes, 1922	\$24,237.32
Less Arrears Outstanding	5,324.50
Total Taxes Collected	\$18,912.82
Less Interest on School Debentures	1,361.00
Less Sinking Fund on School Debentures	1,823.66
	3,184.66
Taxes Available for Education	15,728.16
B. C. Government Grants—	
Salaries	7,888.00
Conveyance	2,473.75
Agricultural Education	39.00
Library	50.00
	10,450.75
High School Fees	1,000.00
Night School Fees	215.00
	1,215.00
Proportion of Poll Tax	223.25
Material Sold and Sundries	32.97
Total Available Cash for Education	27,650.13
Cash Advanced by Municipality	4,913.00
	\$32,563.13

DISBURSEMENTS.	
Teachers' Salaries	\$20,184.00
Night School Salaries	117.00
Conveyance	6,056.25
Secretary	180.00
Medical Health Officer	200.00
Caretaking	1,344.50
Fuel	987.05
Manual Training	81.32
Agricultural Education	420.00
Furniture and Equipment	578.99
School Supplies	405.98
Rent	650.00
Repairs to Buildings	362.67
Library	108.85
School Garden	49.28
Insurance and Advertising	357.25
Postage	50.00
Telephone	43.50
Miscellaneous	386.51
	\$32,563.13

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.	
School Estimate for Taxation, including Sinking Fund and Interest	\$23,134.66
Balance Unexpended 1921	833.04
	\$24,017.70
Government Grants Paid	10,450.75
Government Grants Outstanding	554.37
	11,005.12
High School Fees	1,000.00
Night School Fees	215.00
Material Sold and Sundries	32.97
Poll Tax	223.25
	36,494.04
Amount expended, including Sinking Fund and In- terest	35,747.79
	746.25
Over Levied	1,052.66
Balance Unexpended	\$ 1,798.91

S. F. SHARP, Chairman.
 J. H. Bowering, Secretary.
 Statement "E" referred to in our report of even date.
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Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to \$5 an acre; second-class to \$2.50 an acre.

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only lands suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residences, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and must make improvements to value of \$10 an acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of \$300 per annum and records same each year.

Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of \$10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record and obtain pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as home-sites; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company. Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land not exceeding 40 acres may be purchased; conditions include payment of stumpage.

Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of road to them. Right of one-half of cost of road not exceeding half of purchase price is made.

PRE-EMPTOR'S FREE GRANTS ACT.

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces.

The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from one year after the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers or pre-emptors recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LAND.

Provision made for insurance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who fail to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase interest and taxes.

Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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Peachland Doings

A Weekly Chronicle Furnished By Our Local Representative.

Class standing in the entrance class in the Central School for the month of December: 1, Wallace Mackenzie; 2, Edward Williams; 3, Henry Wilson; 4, Jack Hyde; 5, Alymer Cousins; 6, Maud Fridge; 7, Gordon Morrison; 8, Gerald Elliott; 9, Isabella Taylor.

The class standing for the term ending Christmas, 1922:

Per cent. Alymer Cousins, 74 per cent; Maud Fridge, 72 per cent; Edward Williams, 70 per cent; Henry Wilson, 70 per cent; Gordon Morrison 69 per cent; Jack Hyde, 68 per cent; Wallace Mackenzie, 66 per cent; Alex. Fridge, 64 per cent; Gerald Elliott, 63 per cent; Lizzie Topham, 61 per cent; Isabella Taylor, 61 per cent; Edgar Bradbury, 61 per cent; James Clements, 60 per cent.

Mr. Joe Morsh returned home from University at Vancouver on Saturday morning to spend the Christmas vacation with the folks on the ranch.

Miss Jean Dryden and Miss Gladys Edgcombe, who have been taking training at the Coast, came in on Saturday by stage to spend Christmas at home.

Francis, Eddie and Danny Cousins and Lorne Shaw, who have been employed at a mill near Brookmere, came home by stage on Saturday to spend a week or two at home.

Excitement was rife among the younger generation of Peachland at the general store on Saturday afternoon, when Santa Claus arrived in a very realistic reindeer equipped outfit, complete even to the horns, and after greetings, proceeded to treat each of the girls and boys to a prize package of pop corn, which was very graciously received by all.

By special request, Santa and his outfit posed for some snapshots while the crowd, including many grown-ups, formed a background for the picture.

Miss Whitman and Mr. Black, former high school teachers, are guests of Mrs. Needham, expecting to spend the Christmas vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Law, of Pentiction, motored up with Rev. I. Page on Sunday to join local members of the family for Christmas.

Mr. Gilbert Thornber, of Summerland, was a visitor to the Baptist service on Sunday, having accompanied Mr. Page by auto.

Mrs. Allan McDonald and Miss Verna Boyer, of Pentiction, were last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McCall.

Last week was a very busy week for many Peachlanders, especially in the social and entertainment line.

Two Sunday School Christmas functions were held, that of the Anglican and also the Baptist. Both took the form of a supper, followed by a short program and the usual tree excitement.

The Anglicans held theirs in the Municipal Hall, while the Baptists held theirs in the basement of the church.

Councillor R. H. Huston has been laid up since before Christmas, suffering from a severe cold.

Ed. Morsh is a holiday visitor to his home here after the fall teaching term.

Miss Flossie Clement left on Wednesday of last week for Vancouver to complete her business course.

Cecil Brown, H. McCall and W. Morsh and son, Paxton, were visitors Wednesday in Kelowna.

Mrs. J. Michael returned on Wednesday from Kelowna, where she is spending the winter months, and is making a short visit here with the tenants of her house, Mr. and Mrs. Chidley.

Wednesday evening saw quite a number of our citizens journey to Pentiction to attend a Masonic gathering. Some returned by auto after the function ended, others by boat in the morning, while Mr. E. Cudmore took the K. V. R. train at Pentiction for a short visit to Vancouver.

Mrs. Cameron, who spent a few weeks in town earlier in the winter, returned on Wednesday from the Coast, where she has been visiting, and will remain here indefinitely with her sister, Mrs. E. Cudmore. Mr. Cameron is staying at the Coast for a time.

Mr. Ian Sutherland left on Wednesday morning for Black Lake, P. Q., to take charge of the concentrating plant and mining operations for the U. S. Ferro Alloys Corporation, of New York, for the production of chrome concentrates used in the manufacture of Ferro chrome.

Ferro chrome is largely used now in the making of steel alloys. He expects to continue with these operations indefinitely, which might indicate more prosperous conditions of trade.

Mrs. Sutherland will remain in Peachland for the balance of the winter and probably join Mr. Sutherland in the spring.

Members of the Peachland L. O. L. No. 408, and their friends met in the Municipal Hall on Thursday evening for social evening together. A pleasant social time was spent, after

which a short program was given, followed by light refreshments, served by the lady friends. The refreshments were of the usual high quality and enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorland and son, Hugh, and Mr. J. E. Kerr, left on Thursday evening for Pentiction to enjoy a few days' visit and participate at the New Year's festivities as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McDougall.

The crack shots of the town, and district had plenty of opportunity to try their target skill during the past week with a chance for a turkey in the bargain. Local butcher, Wm. White, conducted two turkey shoots, one Thursday and one Saturday.

The shooting on Thursday would not compare very favorably with the Bisley team and, we are sorry not to be able to report a bull's-eye during the afternoon, although there were eight birds shot for. The following is the result: 1, Jas. Kay; 2, Will Kudelka; 3, W. L. Williams; 4, J. Wilson; 5, J. Wilson; 6, W. L. Williams; 7, (which was a 22 rifle contest at a shorter range, mostly boys), Eddie Williams; 8, Frank Verey.

Saturday's shooting was much better, Cecil Brown and Frank Verey each making a bull's-eye, and the following is the result of the afternoon shoot: 1, Mr. Macmillan; 2, H. Miller; 3, F. Verey; 4, H. Miller; 5, Wm. Hewlett, of Westbank; 6, Wm. Buchanan, Jr.; 7, Cecil Brown; 8, F. Verey; 9, Robt. Williams—this latter being a combination contest, three of the big rifles being shot at the full range and three 22 rifles being shot at a shorter range. It was one of the 22's which took the bird, which in this case was a duck. The range for the first day's shooting was about 80 yards, while for the Saturday shoot, the range was 125 yards, which possibly accounts for the better shooting. While there were only two bull's-eyes made the second afternoon, there were many closer shots and more inners on Saturday.

Major Crehan and Mr. Tripp, auditors, spent a day in town last week in connection with the audit of the municipal accounts.

Mr. Thos. Elliott is busily engaged raising and putting a foundation under his town house, where it is possible he may move into to reside.

The High School concert, held in the Municipal Hall, on Friday evening was a decided success. It was well patronized, the hall being well filled and the many comments since the concert go to prove that the audience was well pleased. The program was as follows: 1, "O Canada"; 2, Shadographs (a) "Training a Husband, (b) "A Waiter's Revenge"; 3, vocal duet, Miss Brenda Edgcombe and Miss Ruby Cousins; 4, "The Mortgage," an illustrated story; 5, "The Awful Fate of John Brown's Body"; 6, a musical sketch; 7, song, "A-Roving," by Miss Mildred Robbins and Miss Edith Jones, the school joining in the chorus; 8, "Surgery Up-to-date"; 9, reading, "The Minister's Mistake," by Miss Ivy Law; 10, "An Untruthful Song (local hit) by Robert Williams and Edgar Taylor, the school joining in the chorus; 11, comedy, "The Black Hand"; 12, "God Save the King." The proceeds of the evening amounted to \$41, and will probably be used for the school library. Mr. Macmillan, the teacher, and the pupils deserve great credit for the splendid program. This, with the concert given by the public school last week, proves that there is coming talent in the school well worth cultivating. Many people have remarked since: "Why bring in outside companies to entertain us when such praiseworthy numbers can be gotten up locally. Better keep our money at home," they say.

Mr. and Mrs. Logie, of Pentiction, were over night visitors last week at the home of Rev. T. A. and Mrs. Sadler. They left the following morning to continue their auto trip through to Kamloops.

Master Ray Harrington spent last Saturday in Kelowna.

Mr. Wm. Hewlett, of Westbank, was in town on Saturday and while waiting for the return stage, picked off one of the turkeys at the turkey shoot.

Mr. W. D. Miller, with his wife and family, motored into town on New Year's Day to spend the day with Grandma and Grandpa Miller.

A masquerade dance was put on in the Orange Hall on Thursday evening by the management of the hall, Mr. J. Kudelka & Son. The music was furnished by the Lockwood orchestra, of Summerland. The prizes awarded for the costumes were as follows: Ladies' best fancy costume, Miss Alice Hohensee, as "Gypsy Maid"; gentlemen's best fancy costume, Mr. John Zold as a "Quaker." All present enjoyed themselves. Refreshments were served at midnight.

Enough snow having fallen, Mr. W. D. Miller has renewed operations at his logging camp, expecting to be able to haul if the weather keeps favorable.

On New Year's night Mr. and Mrs. Kudelka and family entertained a number of friends at a social gathering in the Orange Hall. A very

Correspondence.

To the Editor of The Review: Dear Sir,—Referring to the letter from "Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up," in which he attacks "Fruit Grower" and myself, I wish to correct any false impression that may arise from the letter of "Fruit Grower, 3, 4 and Up." I take exception to the statement that I am making a personal attack on Mr. Powell, because I am not. I have nothing against Mr. Powell personally. But I do not agree with his views in regard to the O. U. G., and I think if his letter of Nov. 30th was worth writing, it ought to be worth defending. He did not know "Fruit Grower's" name when he wrote the letter, and I cannot see why he could not defend it without the name.

Being a fruit grower and depending on the fruit industry for my livelihood, it is very natural that I should have a fellow feeling for the fruit growers' interests, and I think it is "Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up" who, while masquerading under the cloak of good fellowship to Mr. Powell, winks one eye at the deplorable condition of the O. U. G. and fixes the other, perhaps, on those same loose purse strings, whereof he speaks with such familiarity.

I must say that a perusal of the letter of "Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up" does not justify his description of himself as an intelligent onlooker.

FRUIT GROWER (2). Peachland, B.C., Dec. 30, 1922.

Our Co-operative Problem. To the Editor of The Review: Sir,—In some quarters a merger has been suggested of the O. U. G. growers with or into those bodies of growers who are outside that organization. There are objections to this. Among others is the fact that a large body cannot well merge into a smaller body, or into a number of smaller bodies until these latter have become united as a whole, and not even then unless the newly-formed unity is larger than the elder one. The growers who sell through the independent houses are not united, and it is therefore impossible for the O. U. G. to merge with or into them without the O. U. G. becoming disintegrated. This would mean that the new condition of affairs would be worse than the present. On the other hand great prejudice exists in many minds against the O. U. G. As to whether that prejudice is well or ill-founded this is not the time to discuss. To do that would not produce good results, it would probably widen the gap between the parties, whereas the object to be attained is to close it. The only way to bring about a merger is for the lesser bodies, that is, the growers who ship through independent houses, to merge into the existing co-operative organization. It is at this point where trouble would arise. But surely with many men of common sense on both sides, men whose interests are identified, it should not be impossible to overcome all difficulties. With a view to this, the O. U. G. might be asked to state in writing clearly the stand they are willing to take, and the compromises they are prepared to make towards a general coming together. Also, let those outside the O. U. G. get together and by any means they like—whether by committee appointed from among themselves, or otherwise—let them in like manner place their position in black and white. The two documents could then be interchanged between the parties for consideration by each, allowing, say a week for doing this. In this way the O. U. G. and the independents would become possessed of each other's viewpoints, and a working basis might be provided upon which, with an all-round conciliatory spirit, could be reared a structure which would be a lasting benefit to all.

Should this ensue, those now outside the existing organization would be incorporated into the respective locals and have an equal voice in the appointment of representatives on the Central board. The personnel of the newly-constituted Central board might be entirely different from that of the present; new blood would be infused, and probably improved methods of conduct adopted. The name of the organization could be changed, and thus remove what might be a source of irritation to those who now associate the name O. U. G. with what is unpleasant.

THOMAS POWELL. Peachland, Dec. 27, 1922.

pleasant evening was spent in music and games.

Mr. R. J. Hogg left for the north on Tuesday morning on fruit growers' committee duties.

A wise judge has decided that a woman who has not faithfully performed her household duties is not entitled to alimony with her divorce. If all women would perform their household duties faithfully, there would not be so many looking for divorces.

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UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the powers of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage dated the 12th day of April, 1921, and made by John Wilkinson, the lands therein mentioned, that is to say, Block 12, Map 161, Summerland, B.C., will be sold by private treaty.

The Mortgagees are informed that the said lands contain 9½ acres, with a house.

Tenders for the purchase thereof will be received by the undersigned up to and inclusive of the 31st day of January, 1923.

For further particulars and terms of sale apply to

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778-81

TENDERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to December 31st, inst., for the purchase and removal from the Government wharf of the temporary building now being used by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

The successful bidder will be required to remove the building within ten days from the acceptance of his bid.

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PASSING EVENTS

LOCAL, PERSONAL, SOCIAL & OTHERWISE

Our Stocktaking Sale commences January 10th. Don't forget. Summerland Grocerteria. 778

Norman Board is having built in the rear of his meat market an ice-house with a capacity of about 80 tons.

Miss Ethel Salis, who has been teaching near Lytton, is spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents.

Capt. P. S. Roe is unloading two cars of coal, one of Drumheller lump, the other Galt nut. Phone your orders to 13. 778

News has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Tees, now of Vancouver, former citizens of this place.

A number of young people were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garnett, by the Misses Garnett, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Board entertained a number of friends on New Year's Eve, when the passing of the old year was celebrated.

In an exciting basketball game between Scouts and ex-Scouts, last night, the latter were victors with the close score of 23-19.

Alex. McLean, of the municipal staff, has gone to Myren Camp, where he will be employed for a few months with the Summerland Lumber Co.

Miss Mona Winter was hostess to about thirty friends at a most delightful dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Winter on Wednesday evening.

Rev. W. A. Alexander and Mrs. Alexander have as their guest Mr. John Hewitson, of Craik, Sask. Mr. Hewitson is a representative there of the International Harvester Co.

Their Okanagan friends will be interested in the news of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayward, of Vancouver. The mother was formerly Miss Madeleine Elsey, of Summerland.

Mrs. Edgar Gould has had with her during the holidays, Miss Ethel Ross, teacher in the high school at Milner, B. C., and a former acquaintance of school days in Ontario and later on the prairies.

Tomorrow, Friday, the Summerland Scouts will go to Kelowna, where three teams of local Scouts will play basketball against Kelowna Scouts. They will be the guests, overnight, of the Kelowna boys.

Jack Conway motored down from Vernon last week-end and returned on Tuesday. Mrs. Conway who, with her little daughter, had been here with relatives since before Christmas, went back with him.

His many Okanagan friends will be interested in the news that Public School Inspector Arthur Anstey, formerly of this district and more recently of New Westminster, has been appointed assistant master of the Normal school in Vancouver.

Dr. J. S. Pirie has closed his office here for the time and will spend the next six weeks or two months in Vancouver, where he will be in charge of an office. Dr. Pirie left here on Monday and plans to open another office here upon his return.

The annual meeting of the Summerland Farmers' Institute and members of the B.C.F.G.A., will be held in the Parish Hall on Monday, Jan. 8th, at 2 p.m. Election of officers and other business. C. W. Traves, poultry instructor, will address the meeting. 778

The secretary of the Vernon Board of Trade has received advice from the Department of Public Works that the Ellison "cut-off" road will be completed next spring, but that the much needed connecting link in the Peachland-Princeton route will not be proceeded with.

Rev. Z. L. Fash, the newly appointed pastor of the Summerland Baptist church, and Mrs. Fash, are expected to arrive here today. On the way from the East, they have visited his father in Edmonton and their daughter, who is a high school teacher at Red Deer.

Word has been received here of the marriage in Calgary, on Christmas Day, of Ernest L. Fanchon, of Summerland, to Miss Marjorie Allen of Calgary. The bride and groom are expected to arrive in Summerland within the next few days. After March 1st, they will reside on the Walter property on the bench south of town. The groom is well known to many of the younger people, having come here with his mother and Mr. C. Rovers more than two years ago.

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Mrs. T. J. Garnett accompanied Arthur McRitchie to Seattle when he left here last Saturday to return to that city.

Miss Edith Bristow left this morning to return to her school at Nakusp, after spending the holidays at her home here.

Major M. J. Crehan, head of the well-known Vancouver auditing firm, spent Friday here in connection with the final audit of the municipal accounts.

The C. P. R. office staff are moving today from the Government wharf to their new office in the C. P. R. station, recently built on the site of the fire of last July.

A. C. Paterson will leave next Monday to return to Lethbridge, where he is employed with the Ellison Milling Co. He has been spending the holidays with his family here.

ST. ANDREW'S S. S. CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The annual Christmas concert of St. Andrew's Sunday school was held in the church, Thursday, Dec. 28th, when the junior members of the Sunday school gave a real treat to the large audience in attendance. A varied and lengthy program of drills, action songs, tableaux and recitations had been arranged, each item bringing forth hearty applause, and reflecting much credit on those who gave so much time and thought to the preparation of the evening's entertainment.

Choruses by the school, drills, including a dumb bell drill by the C. G. I. T. girls, and recitations by several of the scholars were well received, while a very pretty series of tableaux in silhouette, brought forth much favorable comment.

A striking effect was shown in the solo, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," by Marjorie King, with pantomime by several girls.

But the best event of the evening was the performance by six wee tots, of an action song, "Coming Thro' the Rye." Three boys and three girls, all in quaint old-fashioned costumes carried this out with much enthusiasm and courtly actions, everyone pronouncing it the most original item of the evening's performance.

An amusing sketch was carried out by a number of the older girls, while the costume song, "The Maids of Loo," by three young ladies, was quite noteworthy.

After the closing chorus by the school, Santa appeared and presented all the kiddies with bags of candy and nuts, as a reward for their splendid entertainment.

SUMMERLAND WEATHER REPORT

Below is a report furnished by the Dominion Experimental Station here for the week ending Tuesday:

	Max.	Min.	Rain	Snow	S.S.
Dec. 27-49	38	trace	.....	0.0	
Dec. 28-38	34	.....	.....	0.4	
Dec. 29-38	29	.....	.....	3.4	
Dec. 30-37	29	.....	.....	5.0	0.3
Dec. 31-39	32	.....	.....	5.0	0.4
Jan. 1-43	32	.....	.....	0.5	
Jan. 2-44	30	.....	.....	0.7	

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Callaway wish to give public expression to their appreciation of the great kindness shown them by the people of Summerland, following the serious accident suffered by their daughter, Clara, who, fortunately, is now well on the road to restored health. 778sp

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SUMMERLAND

PUBLIC NOTICE

A Meeting of the Ratepayers of the Municipality will be held in the

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ON

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH., 1923

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For the consideration of Municipal and School Matters.

F. J. NIXON,
Municipal Clerk.

26th December, 1922.

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Coming Events

Notices under this heading are inserted at 3 cents a word. Each repeat, 2 cents a word; minimum charge, 50 cents. Contract rates on application.

Members of the Women's Auxiliary to the G.W.V.A. will meet in the club rooms, Thursday, January 11th, at 2.30 p.m. 778

The annual meeting of the West Summerland Women's Institute will be held on Friday, Jan. 12th, at 3 p.m., in the Parish Hall. Election of officers for 1923. 778

CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual Christmas concert given by the Baptist Sunday school, was held on Thursday evening, Dec. 28th.

A good audience greeted the youthful performers and enjoyed their efforts thoroughly. The program, under the efficient leadership of Miss Dale and Miss Harwood, reflected great credit on all concerned.

The girls of the junior and intermediate classes furnished choruses. The smallest class of wee boys told very eloquently who Santa is. Small girls and boys gave recitations and solos, and all sizes helped in a little Christmas play, which was the dream of a weary little school boy over his homework after a visit from the sandman. His teacher presided while the pictures in his story books came to life, Santa Claus ending things up happily by carrying off the many children of the old woman who lived in a shoe after their home wore out.

The Junior Bible class were responsible for the decorations and beautiful tree and the senior class and teachers contributed home-made candy to fill bags enough to go round when the tree was stripped.

A hearty vote of thanks was given the young ladies of the program committee and all went home feeling they had had a real Christmas treat.—Cont.

Provincial royalties on pelts have been recently introduced so as to make them similar to those of other western provinces. They are: Bear, 40 cents; beaver, \$1; fisher, \$1.50; silver and black fox, \$5; cross fox, \$1.50; red fox, 75 cents; marten, \$1; mink, 25 cents; muskrat, 5 cents; otter, \$1; racoon, 10 cents; skunk, 10 cents; wolverine, 50 cents, and weasel, 3 cents. Bounties have been enacted for coyotes, wolves and cougar of \$2, \$25 and \$40, respectively, and it will not be necessary in future to surrender the skins of these animals, the royalties on them having been abolished.

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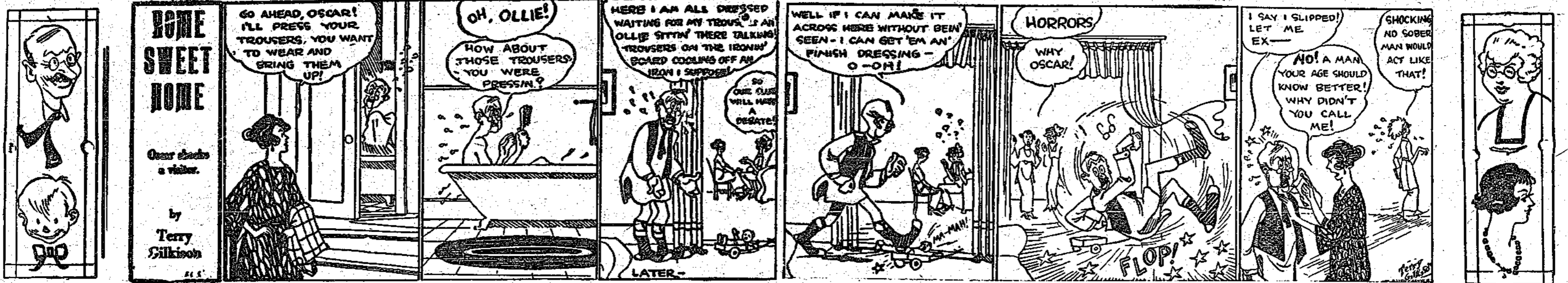
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CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SUMMERLAND.

WATER ACT, 1914.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the District of Summerland has applied to the Board of Investigation under the Water Act for an order empowering it to charge during the year 1923, the increased rates which by order of the said Board, dated the 28th day of February, 1922, it was authorized to charge for irrigation water during the year 1922.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all objections to the said application must be filed in writing with the Chairman of the Board of Investigation under the Water Act, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., on or before the 31st day of January, 1923.

Dated at Summerland, B.C., this 26th day of December, 1922.

F. J. NIXON, Municipal Clerk.

"POUND DISTRICT ACT"

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 of this Act, notice is hereby given of the resignation of James Hayward as Poundkeeper of the Naramata Pound District and of the appointment in his stead of GERALD ROE, of Naramata, B. C.

The location of the pound premises is as follows: Map 519, D. L. 210, Block 9, Lot 8, Townsite of Naramata.

D. WARNOCK, for Minister of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, Victoria, B. C. Dec. 21st, 1922. 778-9 777-8

GROWERS HEAR R. J. HOGG ON ORGANIZATION

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every way, but as an organization they were taking no action. They were leaving the growers to go ahead but will fall in line at once if 90 per cent of the growers are obtained.

Mr. G. J. Coulter White asked Mr. Hogg where the difference would be between the O. U. G. and the new organization and wherein would there be an improvement. Mr. Hogg said there was a decided feeling against the O. U. G., especially in the north end of the Valley, where they would have nothing to do with it, but would be willing to go in with a new organization. Again, on the prairies the O. U. G. has a bad name as a selling agency. Although the committee has not yet arrived at a definite system it was thought that all property would be owned centrally. In reply to the question as to how far into the market the organization would control the apple, Mr.

Hogg said they would have to work through existing channels, for they could not hope to control the wholesale and retail end of it. The jobbers must be part of the system and they are not men to wreck the market. When the specific case of the Nash people was brought up, Mr. Hogg said he thought the Nash people would be willing to sell out their packing interests and attend to jobbing alone.

Mr. James Ritchie asked if experts had ever figured out the possible consumption of apples on the prairies and it was stated in reply that each person should eat three boxes a year.

Mr. Hogg was given a hearty vote of thanks for attending and explaining the developments to date.

In case of a new convention the meeting decided that Mr. White and Mr. Croil be sent again as delegates from Summerland.

The question of finances arose and a committee comprised of Mr. R. H. Helmer, Mr. G. Y. L. Crossley and Capt. Webb was appointed to deal with the matter.

NARAMATA HAS CHRISTMAS TREE

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song, Rhoda Cargill; pianoforte duet, Alice and Doris Cross; action song, eight little mothers; vocal duet, Florrie Lyons and Mary Young; drill; Mrs. Coates' class; recitation, Eileen Horswill; dance, Alice Walters and V. Lawrence; song, Robert Symons; play, "The Toy Shop," characters, "Betsy," Lois Walters; "Bobby," Robert Horswill; Masked Doll, Alice Cross; Pierrot, Howard Routh; Drummer Boy, John Aikins; Sailor, Kathleen Robinson; Rag Doll, Keith Iverson; Soldier, Avery King; French Doll, Alice Walters; Father, N. Haneke; Storekeeper, L. Young.

Mrs. Simmons is home from Vancouver, where she has been during the illness of her son from typhoid. She reports that her boy is now practically recovered, but still very weak.

Mrs. Kennedy is visiting friends in Victoria for a few weeks.

Mr. Lawrence returned on Tuesday morning from a short trip to Vancouver and reports business in that city as being very dull.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayner and family are back in town after their sojourn in North Vancouver, where Mr. Rayner was teaching during the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hughes are on a visit to the Coast, as is also Dennis Callard, who has recently been staying with Mr. Bartlett.

The Robinson home was the scene of a surprise party on New Year's night, about twenty young friends forgoing their usual making an unlooked-for but welcome call on the Misses Gwen and Dorothy Robinson and their brother. The evening was spent in music and dancing and a pleasant time passed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyons inaugurated the New Year with a social gathering comprising Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Leslie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Tanner and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weaver.

The Badminton Club flourishes, holding frequent sessions, in which the events of the tournament are being played off. It is hoped that the Oliver Club will visit here early in the year.

At the regular meeting of the Naramata Women's Institute, held Jan. 2nd, plans were discussed relative to 1923 activities. The general opinion of the meeting was favorable to the suggestion, that new work to be undertaken should co-ordinate as much as possible with the duties of standing committees, particularly the committees on education, neighborhood needs and child welfare.

Many suggestions were presented by the members present which, when acted upon, should provide valuable material with which to make each monthly program interesting and helpful.

Following the business session, the following delightful numbers were given: Guitar selections, "Battle of Sebastopol at D'Angurra," "Longing," Miss Alice Myers; recitations,

"Cuddle Doon," "The Road to Mandalay," Miss Gordon; piano solo, Mendelssohn's Prelude in E Minor, Miss Myers.

Those who oppose kissing the strongest on the grounds that disease germs are spread that way, probably wouldn't object very seriously to a little inoculation by osculation.

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12.30 p.m.	Vernon	3.00
1.05	Okanagan Lndg.	2.15
1.35	Okanagan Lndg.	12.00 noon
3.55	Kelowna	8.45 a.m.
5.15	Peachland	7.20
6.15	Summerland	6.20
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The Trade License Fees for the first half of 1923 are payable.

MONDAY, JANUARY 15th.

Dog Tax

All owners of dogs in the Municipality are notified that the above tax for 1923 is due and payable on the 2nd January. The tax is \$2.00 per dog if paid by

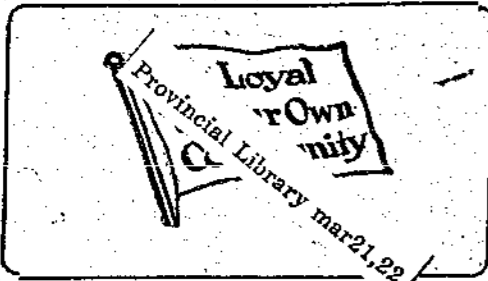
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SEEK TO URGE ALL ABANDON INDIVIDUALISM

Local Growers Pass Several Resolutions at Annual Meeting.

The members of the Summerland Farmers' Institute and local members of the B.C.F.G.A. held their annual meetings, jointly, on Monday afternoon. A proposal to combine these two and the Agricultural Association in one organization, which might also include other local bodies, such as the Good Roads Association and the Board of Trade, was advanced by J. Tait.

Under his plan, there would be one president and a paid secretary for the combined organization, but he thought that the several bodies might also retain their identity, under separate officers. This created quite a discussion, but no definite action was taken beyond requesting the new directors to meet representatives of the other organizations and discuss the subject.

The Farmers' Institute elected directors as follows: J. Shepherd, R. S. Jackson, J. S. Campbell, J. T. Washington and C. J. Huddleston. Mr. C. W. Traves, provincial poultry expert, gave some valuable information by answering questions of enquiring fruit growers.

A vote of thanks to the secretary for his good services was unanimously carried. The retiring president, A. McLachlan, occupied the chair.

Mr. McLachlan continued in the chair during the session of the B.C.F.G.A., when J. Shepherd was elected delegate to the annual convention and R. V. Agur was again nominated as a director of the provincial organization.

Three important resolutions were presented at the meeting and carried with little discussion. That part of the third resolution noted below, referring to the need to make those who held aloof from co-operative organization feel uncomfortable, brought question as to how this might best be done, and was debated somewhat.

Resolved, that we express our appreciation of the action of the Provincial Government and Legislature in pressing upon the Dominion Government the necessity for putting in force, early in the season, measures to prevent the dumping of fruit from outside, on our home markets, and we urge that this matter be kept before the Dominion authorities in due season this year.

Resolved, that the executive of the (Continued on Page 2)

WILL ABOLISH H. SCHOOL FEE

Ratepayers Give Strong Disapproval to Charge Imposed by Board.

At the annual meeting of the ratepayers of Summerland, held on Saturday afternoon, a resolution asking the school board to abolish high school fees was adopted almost unanimously. The resolution was presented by J. W. Harris, who made a strong plea for equal privileges to all children.

The fee now being imposed, he declared, is the means of barring some children from school and he asked why any boy or girl in Summerland should be compelled to pay, while the boys and girls in other parts of the province were given free education up to the doors of the university. It was not good business for Summerland.

The statement showed that only about \$1,000 was collected through fees. This was not much to the municipality, but means very much to many of the children and their parents.

Some would answer by stating that exemptions were given in cases of necessity but he pointed out that this was charity and should not enter into the giving of an education to our children.

A new argument on the subject was advanced by him in which he attempted to show that the parent paying high school fees did not enjoy the benefits of provincial grants to the high school. The cost is about

LOCAL G. W. V. A. IS LIVE ORGANIZATION

An enthusiastic meeting of the Summerland Branch of the G.W.V.A. was held in the new club rooms on Rosedale avenue, Wednesday evening.

Many matters of more than local interest were discussed and acted on, including the eviction of settlers from the Camp Lister district by the provincial government, and also the question of making Armistice Day, November 11th, the day of annual thanksgiving for the Dominion, because the signing of the armistice was certainly the event of two decades for which Canada and the whole world should be thankful.

Work on the new hall, as suggested by the house and grounds committee, was authorized, and it will not be very long after the next snowfall, before the association will have very comfortable and adequate quarters, which will have a marked effect on the late spring and summer social activities of this district.

There were about twenty members present, who enjoyed the coffee and refreshments provided at the close of the meeting by the association committee.

Two new members were welcomed and three applications received.—Cont.

CAMPBELL IN BY ACCLAMATION

Several New Candidates in Field for Council and School Board.

Reeve J. R. Campbell was re-elected on Tuesday by acclamation, to the position of chief magistrate of the municipality. His being the only name proposed, Returning Officer Nixon formally declared him elected. In the same way Wm. Ritchie was re-elected to the Board of Police Commissioners.

For the four seats on the council, there are seven candidates, all four members of the 1922 council being candidates for re-election. These are J. A. Kirk, R. Johnston, Wm. Ritchie and H. Scott. The new candidates are H. Bristow, G. Thornber and E. F. Sanborn. Both Mr. Bristow and Mr. Thornber have served on the council in previous years.

For the two vacancies on the School Board there are five candidates. Here again, the retiring members are seeking re-election, these being Wm. Ritchie and J. A. Darke. The new candidates are Mrs. Dorothy A. O. Solly, Capt. W. V. B. Webb and J. W. S. Logie.

Balotting will take place on Saturday of this week.

\$80 per pupil. Paying a land tax of \$30 and an annual fee of \$50, the parent was paying for his child's education in full. He did not want to add to the tax, but thought that savings could be effected to make up this \$1,000 without increasing the school rate. He disapproved of agricultural education for girls, and to cookery lessons.

There were some, he said, who objected to giving a boy or girl a high school education. Our children complete public school at the age of from 12 to 15 years and they should continue on in the high school; otherwise, what would you have these young people do?

Several others spoke in support of the resolution and it is evident that there is much dissatisfaction with the present policy.

Chairman S. F. Sharp, of the school board, presented a report covering the work of the school board during the past year ending with the cost of the new building and showed that expenditures have been kept well within the limits of the by-law. Next year the board propose to proceed with the improvement of the grounds and with the painting of the present high school building. Much of the former work he hopes will be done by voluntary labor.

Mr. J. L. Logie asked for information with respect to the high school fees and did not understand why only \$1,000 had been collected from 60 or more high school pupils, with a fee of \$2.50 a month and for part of the pupils during the fall term, \$5 per month. The chairman was unable to explain the apparent shortage and retired to consult the secretary, but when he returned was unable to give information beyond stating that there were a number who had not paid.

Aaron Sapiro Says Only One Way for Okanagan to Attain Success

Growers Must Organize, He Tells Big Summerland Audience, Along Lines Now Being Adopted by American Farmers—In Very Eloquent and Forceful Address He Lays Before Growers Simple Plan of Organization for Grading, Packing and Marketing—Advertising to Consumer is Key to Demand for Okanagan Products.

Positively condemning any plan of organization that would include both shippers and growers, Mr. Aaron Sapiro, in a very convincing and eloquent address before a crowded house, on Friday, urged immediate action towards organization of growers only along purely co-operative lines, and outlined methods of organization and financing that were being generally adopted by producers of many commodities, including tobacco growers, cotton growers, many lines of fruit, the egg producers of California and others.

The method of financing is simple, unique and calls for no capital from the growers. Here in the Okanagan, he would have all growers unite in one organization, take over the present co-operative concern and its affiliated local unions and those buildings and equipments of independent shippers that would be needed by the organization.

Preferred and common shares would be sold. The common shares would control and be available only to the growers. Preferred shares would be guaranteed as to interest and would be divided into five series; payment of the purchases from concerns would be made with these preferred shares.

If a shipper would not accept these in payment and it was still thought advisable to buy him out, preferred shares would be sold to business men to provide the cash. Mr. Sapiro's plan would be to retire each year one of the five series of these preferred shares, making a small deduction per package to provide the capital. In this way the growers would own absolutely the whole equipment at the end of five years.

Empire Hall was filled to capacity at 3 o'clock, when Mr. Sapiro and party arrived from Kelowna, and for nearly two hours he held his audience as if spellbound, while he poured out figures, stories of what others had accomplished and convincing arguments in support of his declaration that the Okanagan faced ruin, and that it would be a place of deserted orchards and farms, unless the growers acted at once and organized along proper lines. He predicted that within 60 days the plans of organization would be presented and accepted by the growers.

Picturing in a way that brought much laughter, the attitude of the buyers and shippers, the world over, to the growers, Mr. Sapiro told of the experience of producers in California and of their ups and downs before finally reaching efficient organization. It took twelve years of sore experience before a California banker pointed out that the producers must organize along commodity lines, rather than in locals.

He told of many tricks adopted by the shippers, who, while pretending to endorse organization, played one group against another, and used the big producers, whom they favored, to discredit co-operation. Finally, they were shown how the only remedy was the long-term contract. Efforts were made by shippers to link up with the producers to form a monopoly and stick the consumers, but each time it was the grower who got stuck. This plan he compared to the lion lying down with the lamb; each time it is attempted, he predicted, the lamb will end up in the belly of the lion.

California growers have now learned that the only way is for the growers themselves to unite, but without any idea of sticking anybody, giving the consumers fair prices, while at the same time obtaining satisfactory prices for the growers.

Their growers have now learned that they have more in common with each other, and to stick together has given them their first chance of prosperity. They have finally organized twenty-two co-operative marketing associations, handling \$260,000,000 to \$300,000,000 worth of produce each year.

SKELETON OF SAPIRO'S MARKETING PLAN.

(1) Grade the fruit so that every package will be known to contain exactly what it is marked, and the consumer will have confidence in the trade mark.

(2) The package must be attractive and convenient.

(3) Extend the markets by time, place and intensifying use.

(4) By advertising, educate the consumer to the daily use of your commodity.

(5) Have such control of the produce of the Okanagan that no point of consumption will have an over-supply, while another point may be short.

(6) Prices should be made at the point of consumption, not at the point of production.

This business is handled by the farmers and their hired experts. Even in the black year of 1920, net profits were made in spite of the excessive freight rates. It is a question of the right method of marketing.

Other United States farmers are organizing on this California plan. "The Okanagan, problems," said Mr. Sapiro, "are not peculiar, and as we have solved our problems, you are going to solve yours."

Asking what organization means, he described it under three heads. First, the aim; second, the method; third, the personnel. Where are you going?—What vehicle are you using? And who is the driver?

The aim is to stop dumping and to substitute merchandising. "You have dumped through shippers and broken your own prices by dumping, instead of having the buyer come to you. A California farmer would say that every time you sell as individuals, or consign through shippers you invariably break the market of your own produce. We have put merchandising in its place."

Merchandising has six steps, which cannot be carried out by the individual. First, grading and packing. "We pay attention to the consumer; the consumer demands our commodities because we keep up the quality and the retailers must stock the lines the consumer demands."

Mr. Sapiro would put the best apples under one brand, and the poorer varieties in another. As an argument against the statement that orange producers might organize, he where apple growers would fail, Mr. Sapiro told of how egg-producers of Central California had organized and obtained top prices for their eggs throughout the whole country. One breed only, Leghorns, was permitted. Members must buy day-old chicks from professional hatchers. In this way only infertile eggs are produced. Regular deliveries and efficient grading assure quality. The result is, this organization sells 600 carloads of eggs in New York city alone, at a price two to four cents per dozen higher than obtained by Long Island producers. Why? Because their "Nulaid" brand is absolutely guaranteed as to quality, size and grade. They sell in London because of the guarantee. They are merchants, not dumpers.

Speaking of the package, he told of the ascent of the box over the barrel, because of which one-third of the apples of New York were allowed to rot in the orchards, while Pacific box apples were paying 75c freight and taking the market. But New York growers were waking up and recently have adopted an ideal package for the New York housewife, to contain one dozen apples.

Markets must be extended by time, place and intensifying use. Time—the shipper does not have to sell all the crop; only what he buys or takes

on consignment. The grower has a different idea. "California growers were told there were only fourteen towns in which they could sell oranges. It took them seven years, from 1904 to 1911, to cover the country, when they were selling in every city in Canada and the United States, except Florida. They did not take the shippers' word for it, but went out to find the market and we have never failed to find a market for any organized commodity. You have not begun to find a market for your produce."

When in Toronto recently, he visited ten stores. In seven he found Hood River and other American apples, but no Ontario apples; three of them handled Ontario apples, and in one of these there were found B. C. apples. "Why are American apples in Toronto? Why in Canada at all at your exclusion? The American farmer does not want to make money at your expense. When our apples cross the line they do not enrich our growers, but a couple of shippers only. Why should California apples be going to Australia? Why California and Washington apples to London? Those markets belong to you. We get good prices in British countries and in the British Isles. Those are your markets. Do not let us take them from you. You have not begun to scratch your markets."

"Why should the shippers go out and search for markets, when by a little telegram to Edmonton they could make the same profit? You ought to store your good keeping apples and watch the markets, and when the price goes up take them out and make a real profit out of your labor, money and hazards. Store your apples near where they are going to be eaten.

"Extend your markets by place and time by intelligent storage at strategic places. "People are actually eating less apples in Canada today than a few years ago. By advertising, persuade every person to eat an apple for breakfast, one before lunch, one for dinner and one after prayers at night. Make everybody eat more apples. It will do them good and give you a chance to make a little profit. Educate the public to use apples every day instead of occasionally."

In support of this, Mr. Sapiro told of what had been accomplished by the raisin growers. Raisins had been a commodity used in any quantity only at Thanksgiving and at Christmas. They have now become a staple article. In 1912 a 60,000,000 pound crop was a calamity. In 1918, 240,000,000 pounds were produced and growers were getting six times the price and the consumers were paying very little more. Through advertising they had increased consumption one thousand per cent. in nine years.

Mr. Sapiro advised Okanagan growers to get a real co-operative brand and advertise to the prairie farmers not to buy any other brand. "Make trade by advertising it to the consumer. You do not need to worry about retailers or jobbers. Your only trouble will be to supply the demand. Make people want your stuff all the time and make it a staple and not a luxury.

"See that every town gets what it can take and no more, no less." Mr. Sapiro described how the distribution of oranges was handled from one point. They might have ten cars rolling to their agent in Baltimore, enough to supply the market. They would learn that five cars were rolling from Florida. This would result in breaking the market. Instead, five of the California cars would be diverted, one to each of as many cities.

"I hear that Edmonton was offered last fall more apples than it could eat in 15 years. This is dumping de luxe. You've got to fix things (Continued on Page 6)

MAJOR MEGRAW PASSES AWAY

Vernon, Jan. 5.—The death occurred here this morning of Major A. Megraw, inspector of Indian agencies for the southwest district of British Columbia. He was 65 years old and suffered a paralytic stroke several weeks ago, from which he failed to rally.

Major Megraw had been for five years in the service of the department of Indian affairs, and prior to that had been connected with the newspaper business of the province. For a time he was editor of the Vernon News, and of the Hedley Gazette, and had been identified with several other newspapers in Ontario in his earlier days.

In Masonic circles he was a popular figure, having been master of three different lodges. He was a man of considerable literary attainments and was a great reader, being regarded by his associates as remarkably informed on all matters of general interest.

Major Megraw was twice married but had been a widower for many years. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. S. E. Hamilton, of Vernon, and several brothers and sisters in Ontario.

RATEPAYERS AT ANNUAL MEET

Reports Made by Heads of Several Committees—Some Resolutions.

It was not a very large gathering of ratepayers that assembled in the Riato theatre last Saturday afternoon at the request of the reeve and councillors to hear the several reports for the past year.

Municipal Clerk Nixon made a brief review of the financial statement and compared figures with those of previous years. Notwithstanding a reduction of two mills in the tax rate, the revenue was \$698, over that of 1921. Government grants were higher by \$2,558 and \$600 more was collected for trade licenses. The lower mill rate reduced the revenue by \$2,329. Municipal expenditures were about \$1,000 over the total for 1921.

The electric light department showed a net profit of \$136, and Mr. Nixon described this as the most satisfactory department of all. The electric light users are paying for maintenance, operating, interest on investment and retiring capital invested. The utility cost the ratepayers not a cent. Power consumption exceeded that of 1921 by 50 per cent. and in addition, the people now have decent street lights. Electric light maintenance was \$229 less and operating \$1,300 below that of the year before. The debenture interest and the sinking fund were each increased \$600.

The irrigation and general water department showed a lower deficit than in any year since 1914. The deficit being \$8,200, as compared with \$19,000 in 1921. Higher rates had increased the revenue by \$5,000, while maintenance charges were \$2,900 less and operating \$2,200 less. These lower charges were possible because the municipality did not have to operate the Trout-Creek Point pumping plant.

Domestic water maintenance and operating showed an increase of \$1,723. This was due, largely, to the expense of winter service last year and to increased repairs on pipe lines.

For the third time in succession, the year had closed without the municipality being in debt to the bank. The sinking fund was also in a very healthy condition, being only 2.4 per cent short, as compared with 2.9 per cent in 1921 and 3.9 per cent in 1917. Outside the bonded indebtedness, the total liabilities of the municipality were \$3,000.

There were 75.5 per cent of 1922 taxes collected, as compared with 81.5 per cent. last year, and 82 per cent in 1920. Irrigation rates were not so well paid, 71 per cent, being collected, while in 1921, 83 per cent were received. Domestic water general rate collections were 74 per cent; in 1921, 82½ per cent. Water users paid 85 per cent of their rates as compared with 96½ per cent the year before. Electric light rates were the best paid, 98.2 per cent being taken in, as against 96.2 per cent in 1921 and 91.4 per cent in 1920.

There were 245 electric light (Continued on Page 6)

COMMITTEE TO RECOMMEND SAPIRO'S PLAN

Would Bring Scheme Into Early Operation—Calling General Meeting.

Report No. 3, of the British Columbia growers' organization committee follows:

In their last report your committee stated that they expected to consult with Mr. Aaron Sapiro on the various schemes then before them.

These schemes were, control board, central selling and co-operative packing and selling. Mr. Sapiro placed himself very fully at the disposal of the committee on each of the three days he spent in the Valley. He discussed the schemes outlined, and in accord with his public statements he condemned a board of control as unsound in principle, and unworkable in practice. He further condemned central selling as being merely a partial measure, and unsound unless combined with co-operative packing. On the other hand he very strongly recommended the adoption of co-operative merchandising as being the only scheme which has successfully solved the problems connected with the marketing of perishable crops.

In these circumstances, and as your committee believes, that Mr. Sapiro's recommendation, which is in general accord with that previously given by Dr. Macklin, has met with the approval of the great majority of the fruit growers of the province, they have decided that it will be in the best interests of the growers to proceed at once to draw up a scheme for co-operative marketing on the lines laid down by Mr. Sapiro, to the extent of taking all preliminary steps necessary to bring such a scheme into effective operation as soon as possible.

In this work they have the advantage of the advice and experience of Mr. Oliver, Mr. Sapiro's partner, who is now in Vernon in consultation with the committee.

At the same time they realize that it is desirable to give the growers, through their accredited representatives, the earliest possible opportunity of definitely accepting or rejecting the above plan of co-operative marketing, and they have therefore decided to lay this scheme before the grower delegates, who meet at Kelowna on Jan. 20th, to decide the whole question of the future policy of the industry.

F. E. R. WOLLASTON, Chairman.

TOMATO MEN ARE ORGANIZED

Would Include Summerland—One Contract for All Canneries.

Kelowna, Jan. 9.—The tomato growers of Kelowna district met today in full session, well over 100 being present, the only other district represented being Summerland.

The object of the new association is to co-operate more fully with the canners, to regulate production and price paid to grower. The districts to be asked to join up with this association are Keremeos, Oliver, Summerland, Westbank, Vernon and Kamloops and any others who intend to grow in some quantity.

It is desired, that the Summerland tomato growers get together at an early meeting to decide on what acreage will probably be planted this year, so that the association can be advised.

It is understood that the canners will, in all likelihood, contract only with members of the Tomato Growers' Association.

It would be wise to get full information as to what is going on in the tomato world before any tomato grower signs up any contract.

Cannery contracts will be presented by the association to the various cannery companies. This will be a uniform standard contract for all, and not, as now, each having their own form, worded accordingly.

Advertising is a good investment—just as plate glass windows are. Advertising sells more goods to more persons than shop-windows do.

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Thursday, January 11, 1923.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

We would strongly advise every one of our readers, who can arrange to do so, to attend the B. C. F. G. A. convention next week at Kelowna. Every fruit grower is welcome, and you will get a world of information.
 The program for Thursday afternoon is particularly attractive. Professor Clement will give an address on "Competition," which will be followed by a general discussion on British Columbia fruit problems. Then immediately after the convention, there will be the important meeting of delegates on the subject of co-operation.

MR. AARON SAPIRO—WHO IS HE?

Optimism and hope follow Aaron Sapiro's trail like the luminous fifty-million-mile appendage that follows after a comet.
 Aaron Sapiro is the product of a Jewish orphanage. He had no heroic ancestors to give him a bulging brow.
 But beneath that little hard hat is a brain that works in oil.
 He is not a "human dynamo," beloved of interviewers. He is not an explosive force that always threatens to blow up or die out altogether with a few coughing crackles.
 He is more like a compass pointing smoothly, efficiently, eternally, always to the north. Sapiro has a brain that always points out the right thing to do.
 He is always right because his fundamentals are right. He is always right because he can see all of a subject at once, not just a part of it. He has the rare gift of understanding the relation of one thing to another.
 He was right when he installed a co-operative marketing system in California that made prune-growing a profitable business instead of a drudgery, when he took tobacco and cotton-growers out of their paupers' cabins, out of their squalor and starvation and made them useful citizens, contributing to the wealth and happiness of the world.
 These people know Sapiro is right. And big bankers in New York know he is right. They are willing to back his judgment to the extent of forty or more million dollars at any time.
 "There is always money for anything that is right," says Sapiro.
 And when Sapiro says that the business men and fruit-growers of British Columbia must co-operate to save the fruit industry, there is nothing in all reason left to do but co-operate.
 That is the comet's tail that Sapiro has left shining across the sky.
 Co-operation between city and country, and common-sense business methods will bring the fullest prosperity to agricultural British Columbia. And to quote Mr. Sapiro's own words, "Isn't that interesting?"—Vancouver Sun.

WOULD ABANDON INDIVIDUALISM

(Continued from Page One)
 B.C.F.G.A. be requested to see that the proper departments at Ottawa are informed in good time as to when it will be necessary to put the regulations in force to stop the dumping of outside fruit on our markets, and show the necessity for and urge prompt action to help prevent repetition of the great losses of the past year.
 Whereas, fruit growers producing a staple article for common consumption and very necessary for the health and happiness of the people at large are not in a speculative business and do not demand excessive prices but such as will enable them to pay expenses, comfortably provide for their families, and contribute to the common weal.
 And, whereas, it has been found that in order to market their fruit so as to obtain a reasonable price, it is necessary to co-operate and protect one another for the common advantage.
 And, whereas, except this co-operation is entered into by practically all of the growers a small minority may wreck the prosperity of all.
 Therefore, resolved, 1st—That we express our determination to stand by the principle of co-operation and do everything possible to make it a success, if the proposed plan is acceptable to a large majority of growers.
 2nd—That we will seek to urge all to abandon individualism and to co-operate, and if need be, make those who hold out against it to feel uncomfortable.
 3rd—That the B.C.F.G.A. ask parliament of the Dominion to recognize the lawfulness of producers from the soil combining for the pro-

per and just handling and sale of their commodities and the fixing of prices that will give them fair returns.
FARMERS' INSTITUTE INTERESTING MEETING
 Trout Creek Farmers' Institute annual meeting was held at the Trout Creek school on Monday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A. McGown; vice-president, F. R. Gartrell; directors, H. R. McLarty, E. Mountford and Thos. Joy; secretary-treasurer, Geo. W. Johnson.
 At a previous meeting the secretary had been instructed to write the live stock branch of the department of agriculture at Victoria, regarding the testing of dairy herds for tuberculosis and correspondence from the deputy minister and the chief veterinary inspector was read, in which it was stated that Dr. Ilsley, the district inspector, will visit Summerland in the near future. Any one requiring their cow tested is advised to get in touch with the secretary.
 Mr. Hodge had complained re damage to his property from beavers damming up the stream and causing floods. This matter was taken up with the Game Conservation Board and Mr. Hodge has been authorized to trap a number of the animals.
 Mr. C. W. Traves, the provincial poultry inspector for the interior, was present and on the conclusion of the business, he gave a very interesting and instructive general talk on poultry. Mr. Traves has a very easy manner and as he remarked, his discourse was directed principally with the object of inviting questions, and in this respect he was very successful.

FREIGHT WRECK AT VERNON STA.

Smashup in Front of Depot Destroys Freight Office as Well.

Crashing through the Canadian Pacific freight shed office, tearing down the roof, smashing an empty box car to matchwood and putting three cars across the main line track with their roofs just underneath the station eaves, five cars did much damage at the Canadian Pacific buildings at Vernon, shortly after 7 o'clock on Wednesday night of last week.

The Vernon News tells the story thus: A number of cars had been unhooked from the way-freight coming from Sicamous and were being shunted to the freight warehouse doors when the train rolled down the grade squeezing them between the standing cars. Fortunately no one was injured.
 "Andy" Patterson, the conductor in charge of the train, was at the brakes on top of one of the cars when he saw that something had gone wrong. He at once applied the brakes but the oncoming train was gaining speed every minute as many of the cars were loaded with coal, and bumped into the shunted cars with terrific force, knocking three of them across the main line track and pushing another into the freight office, while a fifth was cut in two.
 When the car went through the wall of the freight office the roof went with it and last night part of the shed was open to the sky.
 Mr. Patterson by great presence of mind, after doing everything possible to avert the smash when he saw that he was likely to be hurt, turned and ran along the top of the cars back towards the engine, jumping from car to car as they twisted and turned during the impact. The lantern which he was carrying, remained on the roof of one of the cars, and last night was resting under the station eave, just where he had left it.

The wrecking crew was at once informed and with all possible haste left Revelstoke for Vernon, arriving here during the night when the wreckage was cleared away.
 Supt. Macnabb who passed through the city yesterday afternoon, was at Sicamous last night and came down with the special train this morning. The trainman and railway officials were unable to explain just how the train got out of control, but it is presumed that weather conditions and slippery tracks was largely responsible.
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SCOUTS WINNERS AT KELOWNA

The Summerland Boy Scouts basketballers made a successful invasion of Kelowna on Friday, Jan. 5th, returning home on Saturday. Three teams made the visit, limited in weights to 105 lbs., 130 lbs. and open.

The first game played was the lightest weight, Summerland represented by Scouts N. Solly, I. Solly, T. Harris, W. Thornber and H. Wilson, who by a very creditable display, showing good training and combination, easily disposed of the Kelowna five by a score of 18 to 6, the scorers being Scouts N. Solly, I. Solly 6 and T. Harris 3.
 The intermediate weight team found the going harder and lost 15-20, though the help of Scout L. Whiteford in the second half enabled a lead by Kelowna of 16-7 in the first half, to be reduced to a much narrower victory. Scouts R. Purves, 9, and J. Harris, 6, scored for Summerland and showed good form. Kelowna checked very closely in this game and were very much quicker on the ball. The Summerland team was Scouts J. Harris, R. Purves, A. Wilson, C. Chisholm, M. Laycox and L. Whiteford.
 In the final game Summerland was represented by Scouts I. Harris, J. Smith, G. Blewitt, E. Wilson and K. Walden; Kelowna by Scouts B. McArthur, L. Cunningham, C. Cunningham, J. Aitken and Gordon Meikle.
 Superior combination and the outstanding defence work of Scout Blewitt gave Summerland a lead of 15-6 in the first half, I. Harris, 9, and J. Smith, 6, shooting accurately for Summerland. Scouts Walden and Wilson, though not scoring in this half, did a host of good work in a well balanced team. Too much success in this half caused too many chances to be taken in checking and Kelowna pulled up to a result of 24-17, Scouts McArthur, L. Cunningham and Gordon Meikle showing to good advantage for Kelowna, whilst I. Harris, 2, J. Smith, 2, K. Walden 2, and G. Blewitt, 3, scored

for Summerland. Summerland won by better combination and general good team work, but were again much slower on the ball and a little too open in guard.

After the game the Kelowna ladies gave a most enjoyable supper to the teams and all the visitors were made welcome for the night in Scout homes in Kelowna, returning next morning after a very enjoyable visit. Kelowna will play a return series on January 26th, unless zero weather occurs, and it is hoped that a good attendance may be on hand to see the games and welcome the visitors.

GIRL DIES FROM SLEEPING SICKNESS

High School Student of Boundary Country Succumbs to Strange Disease.

The Grand Forks Gazette says: Harriett Eveleth, the 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Eveleth, of Ferry, Wash., died last Sunday evening a victim of sleeping sickness. This is the first death of that nature that has occurred in this part of the country.
 Deceased had been attending high school in Spokane and as a result of not feeling well she quit school two days before the vacation and came home on Wednesday of last week. On the way home on the train she slept practically all the way, but was aroused and taken off the train at Ferry by her parents in a stupor. Dr. Wood, of Greenwood, was called on Friday and, he being away, Dr. Kingston was summoned on Sunday morning.

The sleeping sickness is said to have claimed a good many victims in Spokane and most of the cases have proved fatal in from five to nine days.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon at Ferry, the Rev. W. R. Walkinshaw of Greenwood officiating.

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Acknowledgement of receipt of the following contributions to the expenses of the growers' committee on organization is made by the local special committee on finances:
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 Further contributions will be received by G. Y. L. Crossley and at the Review and will be acknowledged next week.

BERT LYTELL AS SAFE CRACKER

"Alias Ladyfingers," which is coming to the Rialto theatre this week, presents a new sort of crook play with Bert Lytell as the star. It is an artistic ensemble of love and crime so cunningly interwoven as to make a powerful drama.
 In this story of Jackson Gregory's as adapted by Lenore J. Coffee, the orphaned child of a family of wealth is trained by a notorious safe breaker to follow that line of precarious livelihood. The youth becomes an expert, and because of his slim and delicate hands, is known as "Alias Ladyfingers."
 He is much wanted by the police who learn that he is being sought as the heir of his rich grandmother. The youth, knowing nothing of his relationship, visits the home of the old lady intent upon plying his professional talents, and is informed by her of the relationship. So far from welcoming the chance to live in peace and security with the girl of his love, he determines to work-out his own salvation.
 Mr. Lytell portrays the character of the crook with dramatic power, while Ora Carew, as the trusting sweetheart, is altogether delightful.

Those who pursue wealth to the exclusion of health are depriving themselves of many years in which they might enjoy the pleasures derived from a judicious outlay of the former.
 There has been considerable discussion of late as to what part of a husband's salary a wife should have. When certain lines have to be drawn

to insure the wife and family its share, there are likely to be other things that are causing just as much trouble.

RE ESTATE OF ISAAC BLAIR, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the late, Isaac Blair, who died at West Summerland, B.C., on the 12th day of November, 1922, and probate of whose will has been granted to Ernest Edward Hutton and William Ritchie, the Executors named in said Will by the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Probate, are required to send such claims, with full particulars, and duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of February, 1923, and that after that date the Executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties respectively entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.
 Dated this 9th day of January, 1923.

W. C. KELLEY,
 Solicitor for the Executors,
 West Summerland, B.C.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SUMMERLAND.

WATER ACT, 1914. NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the District of Summerland has applied to the Board of Investigation under the Water Act for an order empowering it to charge during the year 1923, the increased rates which by order of the said Board, dated the 28th day of February, 1922, it was authorized to charge for irrigation water during the year 1922.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all objections to the said application must be filed in writing with the Chairman of the Board of Investigation under the Water Act, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., on or before the 31st day of January, 1923.

Dated at Summerland, B.C., this 26th day of December, 1922.
 F. J. NIXON,
 777-80 Municipal Clerk.

KETTLE VALLEY RAILWAY TIME TABLE

In Effect Sept. 22.

EASTBOUND	
DAILY	
No. 12—Leaves Vancouver	19.30
West Summerland	7.05
Nelson	22.55
WESTBOUND	
DAILY	
No. 11—Leaves Nelson	21.05
West Summerland	12.07
Vancouver	23.00

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

DAILY—EXCEPT SUNDAY
 Effective Sept. 17, 1922

SOUTH		NORTH	
10.20 a.m.	Sicamous	5.30 p.m.	
11.20	Enderby	4.15	
11.45	Armstrong	3.45	
12.30 p.m.	Vernon	3.00	
1.35	Okanagan Lndg.	2.15	
LAKE			
1.35	Okanagan Lndg.	12.00 noon	
3.55	Kelowna	8.45 a.m.	
5.15	Peachland	7.20	
6.15	Summerland	6.20	
6.25	Naramata	6.05	
7.35	Penticton	5.30	

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FRUIT GROWERS' MEETING
 will be held in the
ST. ANDREW'S HALL
 on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, Jan. 13th, 1923,
 AT 2 O'CLOCK.
 Meeting is most important as further delegates are asked to be elected to represent growers at convention to be held on the 20th inst. at Kelowna.
 Also a "Provisional Director" will be chosen for Summerland District.
AT 4 P. M.
 It has been arranged that a meeting of Tomato Growers of Summerland will take place, when details of forming an association will be taken up.

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Correspondence.

To the Editor of The Review:

Dear Sir,—I am surprised beyond expression at Fruit Grower No. 3, 4 and Up's exalted opinion of himself as an intelligent onlooker. No person that can read the English language could, by any possible stretch of imagination, think that I was making any personal attack on Mr. Powell in either of my letters.

Mr. Powell is a man for whom I have the very highest respect and whose friendship I am privileged to enjoy, although I cannot see eye to eye with Mr. Powell in respect to the policy or system of the O. U. G.

I do not doubt the statement of Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up with regard to Mr. Powell's generosity, although, never having applied to Mr. Powell for aid, I cannot speak with such authority. But I venture to prophesy that, unless some new and better system of marketing our fruit (which I called for in my letter of Dec. 7th) is immediately forthcoming, Mr. Powell's purse strings will, in all probability, have to be applied to again. And it is a shame that industrious, hard-working people, such as we have in Peachland, have to go in want, for lack of a proper method of handling their fruit, or else depend on the looseness of Mr. Powell's purse strings, which is the only relief suggested by Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up, and which, I claim, is a very poor argument in favor of the O. U. G.

Our intelligent friend, moreover, has failed to make any provision for the growers of Summerland, Naramata, Westbank, Kelowna, etc., who are not so fortunate as to have Mr. Thos. Powell in their midst. The zeal of Fruit Grower 3, 4 and

Up, in his defence of Mr. Powell, has so far outrun his intelligence that he does not confine himself to the truth. Besides being intelligent, our friend may also lay claim to being inconsistent, for while he condemns what he is pleased to term "De Valera methods of striking from ambush," he is not above adopting them himself.

However, if this would-be defender of Mr. Powell has nothing better to put forward in favor of the O. U. G. than the looseness of Mr. Powell's purse strings, then we are of the same mind, and further correspondence on the subject is unnecessary.

FRUIT GROWER. Peachland, B.C.

To the Editor of The Review:

Dear Sir,—Does your correspondent, who signs himself Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up, wish to convey the impression that he is writing in behalf of all the growers except Fruit Grower and Fruit Grower (2)? Because, if so, I wish to inform that gentleman (?) that he is exceeding his authority, as I for one, do not approve of anything contained in that singular document, to which he has had, at least, sufficient intelligence to refrain from attaching his name, for his letter is amusing on account of its foolishness.

I would like to say that I heartily agree with Fruit Grower that the present system of marketing our fruit must be stopped and some system put forward which will prevent the shipping houses from cutting prices and consigning our fruit, as we all do not wish to be dependent on Mr. Powell's generosity.

I may say that I heard a great many of the growers in this district speaking about Fruit Grower's first letter and I heard no such unfavorable opinions as Fruit Grower 3, 4

Naramata News

Current Events of Town and District

Mr. George has moved into his new house on the ranch purchased from Mr. Dicken, the building having been put up in record time. Mr. Hockin, of Penticton, was the contractor.

A surprise party of young friends visited the home of Miss Alice Myers on Thursday evening and had an enjoyable time.

Katherine and Robert Robinson left for Seattle on Wednesday to join their mother, Mrs. Campbell Robinson, in that city. The youthful couple travelled unaccompanied, but will be met in Vancouver by their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robinson returned from the coast on Friday, after an absence of a week or two, during which part of Vancouver Island was visited. J. M. prefers Okanagan weather to the kind sampled farther west.

F. C. Manchester has been confined to his bed for the past few days with an inflamed shoulder, which prevents any active work, and has been quite painful at intervals. The adjourned annual meeting of the board of trade has been postponed until he is about once more.

Miss Alice Myers returned to Vancouver last week to resume her college studies.

and Up is pleased to pass upon it. Neither did I hear any anxious inquiries after the name. But after reading the letter of Fruit Grower 3, 4 and Up, I can quite believe that he is more interested in the name than he is in anything that will make for the betterment of the fruit industry.

ANOTHER GROWER. Peachland, B.C.

WHAT IS SLEEP?

Although more necessary to life than food, we must confess that up to the present the exact cause of sleep is not definitely known.

Careful observation has made us familiar with the physical condition of the body during sleep, and from this it would appear that it is a condition of debility.

Thus, although no physical or mental function is absolutely absent, all the normal activities of the organism are appreciably lowered. The blood pressure is lowered, the heart beats more slowly, respiration is slower and less deep, and the amount of air inspired by a normal man during sleep is only one-seventh of that used during similar periods of quiet wakefulness.

The chest and limbs usually increase in size during sleep owing to changes in the circulation which facilitate the passage of fatigue products into the blood stream.

There is certainly an increased vascularity of the skin, which is often flushed, and the brain left with less blood is comparatively anaemic. It is owing to this increased action of the skin that we are so easily chilled during sleep.

It is when we come to consider the state of the cells in the brain during sleep that we are baffled and conjecture must take the place of certainty.

The grey matter of the brain is composed of numerous cells which are connected and linked together by fine nerve fibres. These cells receive sense-impressions from all over the body, and, after interpreting them, send out controlling messages for the proper working of the various organs.

When we try to realize that in a normal brain there are more than 9,000 millions of such cells, all linked up together, we gain some idea of the complexity of this wonderful nervous mechanism.

Each of these cells is provided with fine branching fibres which, on account of their tree-like appearance, are called dendrites—from the Greek word "dendron," a tree.

It is believed that these fine, branching fibres have much to do with sleep, but the exact way in which they accomplish it is not known.

It is thought probable that they either retract, leaving a space which cuts off nerve currents, or, conversely, that they become more intimately connected, causing a general diffusion of nerve energy. Either of these conditions would favor and induce sleep.

It is, however, as well to remember that the real changes may, after all, be in the nerve cells themselves, for when a tree begins to wither the earliest signs are noted in the smallest branches, although the set of mischief is probably in the root.—A Physician in London Daily Mail.

At Prison Gates.

Warden—What's your name and occupation?

Prison—My name is Spark; I'm an electrician, and I was sent up for assault and battery.

Warden—Hey, guard! Give this man a nice dry cell.

NOTICE

Municipality of Summerland

To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality aforesaid that a poll has become necessary at the election now pending for the same, and that I have granted such poll, and further, that the persons duly nominated as candidates at the said election and for whom only votes will be received are:

Table with columns: Surname, Other name, Whether for Councillor or School Trustee, Abode, Rank, Profession or Occupation. Lists candidates like BRISTOW, JOHNSTON, KIRK, etc.

of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Given under my hand at Summerland, B.C., this 8th day of January, 1923.

F. J. NIXON, Returning Officer.

DONATIONS MADE TO HOSPITAL

Donations received at the hospital during December; as noted below, are gratefully acknowledged by the matron: Mrs. Hayes, 2 boxes apples; Mr. Baker, 1 sack potatoes; Mrs. Brock, magazines; Dewey Sanborn, half venison; Miss Sinclair, 12 qts. fruit, honey; Mr. Rines, cider, carrots; R. V. Agur, 2 boxes apples; 1 sack vegetables; Mrs. Pineo Young, 2 dozen eggs; Mrs. Pacey, 2 quarts fruit; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell, 3 quarts fruit and jelly powders; W. C. T. U., Jap oranges, chicken, 7 qts. fruit; Finlay Monro, hind of beef; Mr. Devitt, oysters; Mr. Downton, Turkey and duck; Mr. Klingsell, apples; Mrs. Isaac Blair, 1 box vegetables, 2 boxes apples, 14 pts. fruit, 2 qts. pickles.

TRANSPLANTING BEAVERS.

Transplanting beavers from one locality to another proved highly successful in Okanagan county, according to Clay Fruit, chairman of the Okanagan County Game commission, who has conducted a series of experiments along this line during the past few years.

Along the Okanagan river beavers have become a nuisance in many localities where they have been allowed to propagate without interference, and have become destructive to orchards. In these cases they have been trapped by the game commission and taken further back into the mountains and planted in mountain streams, where they immediately go to work constructing dams, which soon become a big factor in water conservation.

Just recently new colonies of beaver have been planted on the south fork and north fork of the west branch of Salmon creek, west of Concoully. Each foundation colony consists of one male and two females. The animals were taken from the Okanagan and Twisp rivers at points where they had begun making depredations. Chas. Haley, of Tonasket, in the employ of the game commission, caught the animals and conducted them to their new homes, where it is expected they will soon become engaged in their usual work of dam construction and make themselves at home.

Mr. Fruit states that the commission has transplanted some seventeen beavers within the past year.—Okanagan Independent.

NEWSPAPER "ADS."

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SYNOPSIS OF Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to \$5 an acre; second-class to \$2.50 an acre.

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only lands suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residences, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and must make improvements to value of \$10 an acre including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted an intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of \$300 per annum and recovers each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of \$10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as home-sites; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company. Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land not exceeding 40 acres may be purchased; conditions include payment of stumpage.

Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price is made.

PRE-EMPTOR'S FREE GRANTS ACT.

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LAND.

Provision made for insurance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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Peachland Doings

PEACHLAND RATEPAYERS HOLD MEETING

Citizens Manifest Lively Interest in Affairs of Municipality.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Peachland was held in the Municipal Hall on Saturday afternoon. The financial report for the year just closed was read by Municipal Clerk W. M. Dryden. Before the discussion of the report the question was asked by one of the ratepayers as to whether or not a tenant in the municipality had any privileges in the meeting. The reeve, who occupied the chair, answered that to the best of his knowledge a tenant would have no vote.

Miss M. Smith rose to register a complaint against municipal use of liquor money which, she said, "was only blood money, anyway." The reeve explained that it was through no action of the municipality that this money was received, but that it was sent by the government. Miss Smith then asked if this money could not be handed back to the government, as she thought it was not the kind of earnings we needed, to which the reeve replied that it would be the first time he had heard of money being thrown back to the government. Miss Smith finished by saying: "Then I would rather throw it in the lake."

The question was then raised as to the present value of the C. N. R. stock shown in the statement, and it was explained that the amount entered in the statement was the par value and that being a recent investment there had been no interest payments accounted for.

Miss Smith rose to take exception to the fire chief being paid and thought that in some other places it was not done. The reeve answered that it had been the custom for some time and as the chief has considerable duties to perform in connection with the care of the equipment and oversight of the hydrants and the arranging of a volunteer brigade and drilling, the council has been paying a small remuneration of \$25.

Councillor Harrington, chairman of the roads and bridges committee, in speaking of the amount expended this past year, made some comparisons with former years to show that the council had not been at all extravagant during 1922. This comparison was not approved by some of the ratepayers, who pointed out that in some of the years referred to the municipality had had a larger portion of the lakeshore road to keep up than at present and that some extra necessary expenditure had to be made on account of slides, etc. As the municipal road question is usually a live one at annual ratepayers' meetings, this one was no exception. If the chairman of that committee comes with any idea of receiving no criticism on roads and bridges he is most surely disappointed.

Mr. A. D. Ferguson took exception to the Mill Hill road which, he said, was in a very bad condition and had been for some time and the settlers out that way had to haul their fruit over it. He said all they wanted was fair play, but considered that portion of the road did not get it. He thought the roads should be more closely inspected.

A question was asked, "Is the asset 'roads and bridges' in the statement not too high?" This was satisfactorily explained by the clerk.

Councillor McBean, of the electric light and water committee, gave a written report which summarized as follows: Condition of the pipe line is not satisfactory and until it is relaid with proper grade and protected from frost, freezing will be a yearly occurrence. There are long sections of the pipe uncovered and also two dips in the line which cause a slowing up of the water, helping the freezing. The trestle is showing signs of decay and will have to be renewed soon. The pipe was laid on the bottom of the box, preventing protection being given; sawdust was piled on sides and top only.

The filling of the dam with gravel in the spring is due to not having a large enough drain. The present drain is a 24-inch pipe, not large enough to carry the gravel and rocks brought down by the flood. The capacity of the dam is a three-hour run for the plant when no water is flowing into the dam. Repairs to power house were ordered by the inspector, and were renewing of water wheel frame and putting guard on belt. New bearings and collector rings were got for the A. C. generator.

The pole line is in a very unsatisfactory condition. Several sections have been condemned. The New Townsite line was ordered to be re-wired as the wire is too small. The wire is No. 12 and No. 14. The law demands No. 6 and No. 8 and no bare wire is allowed on any system that is less than 7000 volts. The line down to Allan Wilson's was condemned on account of the poles. If cedar poles were procured, alterations could be carried out with very little increase in the operating and maintenance charges. Cedar poles could be landed in Peachland at \$3.75, if taken in 100 lots.

Asked as to the advisability of securing Kootenay power, the reeve explained that the question had been before the council. The company had not offered any particular inducement and the change meant scrapping our own plant, and the council thought it unwise and inopportune to act in this direction.

Coun. McGirr, chairman of the municipal property, health and police, in his report mentioned improvements at the Municipal Hall, such as the cement walk, water installed at back door, etc. The cemetery had been in a very ragged condition, but considerable improvement had been made during the year. Trees had been planted around the fence line and fluming. The Women's Institute had shared this expense and afterwards put in a water pipe and tap. As far as health duties were concerned, he stated that owing to this being such a healthy place there was little activity on this question. A few complaints of objectionable conditions were promptly attended to. One matter was a complaint re supposed contaminated water, but after an investigation and a sample of water being analyzed, it was found there was no ground for fear. The case where assistance was given to Mr. and Mrs. Pinneke was a necessary act on the part of the municipality, with the consequence of quite a little outlay of cash. This debt, however, is being assumed by the daughter and son-in-law in Alberta.

Miss Smith raised the question as to the possibility of rescinding the motion passed at a former ratepayers' meeting authorizing remuneration for the councillors and reeve. The reeve explained that as the new council at that time, so advised, put through a bylaw effecting the payment of the indemnity to the councillors and reeve, that a resolution at a subsequent ratepayers' meeting would not be sufficient to deal with the question. There followed considerable discussion as this question had been before the ratepayers for some time and had been discussed at former meetings, held for that purpose. In fact, at a former meeting of ratepayers a resolution had been passed asking that the indemnity be cut off in view of the very serious financial stringency. Mr. Fridge put the question to the reeve and councillors as follows: "Does the council intend to stand for re-election, and if so, does it intend to stand for indemnity?" In answer to this and speaking also on behalf of his colleagues, Reeve Lang stated that it was the intention of the council to stand and also to uphold the indemnity question. He explained that if the times were as hard as was pointed out, there was all the more reason for the council to get remuneration for it was harder for them to give their services free. He said they had gone into all phases of the question carefully and with this explanation were willing to leave it to the ratepayers, and if they preferred to elect a new council on the non-remunerative ticket they would step down willingly and abide by the ratepayers' decision. Representatives from the various wards corroborated the reeve's statements, bringing out many arguments in favor of indemnity. On the other hand several arguments in favor of non-indemnity and at times excitement ran high, but time and space will not permit of dealing at more length with the meeting and although some of the discussions have been touched in brief and some not brought out at all, your correspondent has tried to give as full an account of the meeting as space will permit.

The school matters as brought out by the financial statement, and the discussion on same, will follow later.

PEACHLAND VOTES FOR CO-OPERATIVE

A meeting of the Peachland fruit growers was held recently in the Municipal Hall at which there was a fair attendance, to hear Mr. R. J. Hogg's report of the progress made by the committee of seven, elected at the convention held in Kelowna. Major Hardisty presided. Mr. Hogg reported that the committee had had several meetings and had also heard Dr. Macklin's views on co-operation. He stated that Dr. Macklin was of the opinion that a board of control for 1923, as suggested at the Kelowna convention, was unworkable. Mr. Hogg felt, therefore, that the

growers of the district should again be consulted, as he was not sure that all the members of the committee were in favor of proceeding with the central selling agency scheme. The chairman called upon those present to express their views clearly on the matter, with the result that all present favored a permanent co-operative organization in preference to any temporary arrangement. Messrs. J. T. Long and Major Tailour were elected to represent the growers of the district at the next convention.

GROWERS FEAR CODLING MOTH

The annual meeting of the Westbank-Peachland district of the B. C. F. G. A., was held at Peachland last Wednesday. There was a fairly good attendance. Mr. R. S. Gore was nominated as director for the ensuing year in place of Mr. Powell, retired. Mr. Howlett was appointed secretary. The delegate chosen to attend the annual convention at Kelowna is Dr. Wm. Buchanan. Mr. Gore presented a petition from Westbank praying the Federal government to take such steps as will effectually prevent the entrance into Canadian territory of cars from Codling moth infested areas. The petition was endorsed by the meeting. On motion of Mr. H. Hardy, seconded by Mr. J. Wright, it was unanimously decided to hold the next annual meeting of the local district at Westbank.

Mrs. H. Williams was a visitor to Kelowna on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Dryden and daughter, Jean, were visitors to Kelowna on Wednesday.

Mr. W. E. Morsh and son Paxton, spent Wednesday on a business trip to Kelowna.

Joe Morsh left on Thursday evening to return to Vancouver to continue his course at the university.

The regular monthly meeting of the Peachland L. O. L., No. 48, was held on Tuesday evening. After regular lodge meeting an initiation meeting was held.

Mr. Black left on Thursday evening for Burnaby and Miss Whitman to return to her school at Kaslo, after having spent the vacation here, guests of Mrs. and Miss Needham.

After a pleasant Christmas and New Year vacation spent here with her parents, Mrs. Cartwright and her husband, on Wednesday, returned to their home at Okanagan Landing.

Mr. Arthur Day, of Kelowna, representing the Kelowna Sawmill Co., last week visited the site of logging operations at the W. D. Miller camp, where timber is being gotten out for the Kelowna mill.

One auto load went from Peachland to Kelowna on Thursday evening and two the following afternoon to Summerland to hear Mr. Aaron Sapro address large gatherings on "Co-operation," and were all greatly pleased.

The Cousins Bros. and Lorne Shaw left by auto on Wednesday to catch the K. V. R. at West Summerland to return to the scene of their logging operation near Coalmont, after a couple of weeks spent at their respective homes here.

Miss Illyva Murdin and Miss Gladys Edgecombe left by stage on Friday for Victoria, via K. V. R. Miss Edgecombe will continue her training at Normal. Miss Murdin, having resigned her position as teacher in the Central school here, goes to complete her Normal training.

Mr. E. Cudmore returned home last week after a short business trip to Vancouver. He and Mr. Drake, the members of the Peachland general store firm, have decided to dissolve partnership. Mr. Cudmore is assuming all interests, the dissolution taking effect as from the first of the year, but Mr. Drake will probably remain and assist for a couple of months.

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Blank forms upon which to submit applications may be obtained from the District Foresters at the above named places, or from the Department of Lands at Victoria, B.C.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C.,
January 4th, 1923. 779-84

MORTGAGE SALE

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the powers of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage dated the 12th day of April, 1921, and made by John Wilkinson, the lands therein mentioned, that is to say, Block 12, Map 161, Summerland, B.C., will be sold by private treaty.

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PASSING EVENTS

LOCAL, PERSONAL, SOCIAL & OTHERWISE

Miss Edna Secrest, of Oliver, spent the holidays visiting friends in Summerland.

A car of coke is now being unloaded by Smith & Henry. Get your order in at once. 779

J. Tait attended an organization meeting of tomato growers at Kelowna on Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sallis, at the hospital, on Thursday, January 4th.

Baird Iverson, a former pupil of the Peachland Central school, high school division, spent a day in Peachland last week.

Miss Dewar of the hospital nursing staff left on Friday morning on a visit of four months to her former home in St. George, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Traves were visitors to Summerland last Monday. Mr. Traves is the government poultry expert for the interior.

Miss Lena Snider returned to Vancouver on Saturday to resume her teaching duties. She had spent the holiday season here with relatives.

Mr. Basil Steuart returned last week from Vancouver, where he and Mrs. Steuart have been since Christmas. Mrs. Steuart will return later.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McWilliams, of Enderby, were visitors to Summerland this week. Mr. McWilliams was for many years a resident here.

Recent issues of Vancouver dailies are carrying the advertisement of the Royal Financial Corporation offering Summerland 6 per cent. bonds, due in 1924 at 98.76.

Not for a long time have there been as many attractive bargains offered our readers by advertisers as are given this week. It will well repay readers to study these advertisements.

Reeve J. R. Campbell is making splendid progress toward recovery from his recent severe accident. He hopes to leave the hospital by the end of this week, but will have to visit the institution daily for some time.

Different animals of the forest or hills, are from time to time reported to be making Giant's Head their place of abode. This week a deer has been seen there and has been down to, and even across, Giant's Head road.

Vancouver papers are carrying a small advertisement for Okanagan apples, over the name of Fred Tetsall Co. Mr. Tetsall was associated with the Lawler Fruit Co. here during the past season.

A subscriber has drawn our attention to the fact that 1922 embraced 53 Sundays and according to his calculations, this will not occur again until 1933. The last time an extra Sunday came into the year was 1916.

Miss Ethelwyn Sallis left here last week-end to return to Gladwyn, near Lytton, where she is teaching for her first year in the public school. She spent the Christmas vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sallis.

Major Daniels, proprietor of Canyon Ranch, Trout Creek Point, who was here on a brief visit to his family, left last Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Daniels, to return to Regina. Mrs. Daniels will be away for about a month.

Mrs. A. J. Beer, on Sunday, attended the memorial service in the Revelstoke hospital, when a tablet in memory of her sister, Miss Anna D. Lister, former matron of the hospital, was unveiled. Mrs. Lister and one of the boys went up from Nanaimo to be present at the unveiling.

The Summerland Poultry Association, dormant for several years, is being revived. Not since the change in the government policy, which deprived Summerland of its poultry show grant, has there been much organized interest taken in poultry. The hen is being more generally recognized by fruit growers as a profitable adjunct and more and larger flocks are likely to be kept in this district.

J. H. Bowering, secretary of the school board, informs The Review that for the last school term there were due and payable for school fees \$788.50. Of this \$642.50 is paid, leaving \$146 to be collected. Statements have been rendered to all delinquents and with notification that payment must be made by Jan. 15th. There has been but one exemption, an exceptional case and for the three months ending Dec. 31st, totalling \$7.50.

Mr. Willis Walter went down to Vancouver last week for a short visit.

W. Johnston left by boat on Monday morning for a brief business visit to the prairies.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Henderson were visitors here from Vernon over the week-end.

August Casorso, of Casorso Bros., Kelowna, was a business visitor to Summerland this week, arriving here Monday night.

Allan Clement, young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clement, was operated on at the hospital on Tuesday afternoon for internal trouble.

FEDERATIONISTS HAVE CANDIDATE

The Summerland local Federated Labor Party met in annual meeting on Monday night, when the following officers were elected: President, T. H. Riley; vice-president, Percy Grange; secretary, Norman Earle; treasurer, J. W. S. Logie; auditor, Bert Bryant. The first four comprise the executive. Twelve members were present.

For the first time the organization has a candidate in the field for municipal honors, J. W. S. Logie, who has been nominated for the school board.

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTES.

Sunday schools of Summerland, Naramata and Penticton, who last year held a series of institutes in the several towns, have planned to hold another series this winter.

The first of these is being held today at Naramata; the institute at Penticton will be held on Jan. 24th, and the Summerland institute on Feb. 1st.

X-RAY IS PAID FOR

At the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Hospital Auxiliary, on Monday, the secretary reported the receipt of a cheque for \$1148, this being the hospital's proportion of the cheque received by the municipality from the provincial government, out of the provincial liquor profits. The receipt of this cheque has enabled the directors to pay the balance due on the X-Ray equipment.

Miss Waterman was appointed to the nursing staff, in place of Miss Dewar, who was given four months' leave of absence.

SUMMERLAND WEATHER REPORT

Below is a report furnished by the Dominion Experimental Station here for the week ending Tuesday:

	Max.	Min.	Rain	Snow	S.S.
Jan. 3-43	30	.....	.5	3.5	
Jan. 4-37	322	0.0	
Jan. 5-40	32	15	1.2	
Jan. 6-44	34	4.2	
Jan. 7-40	34	3	0.4	
Jan. 8-40	32	.09	0.0	
Jan. 9-37	30	0.0	

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The annual meeting of the Summerland Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Andrew, on Friday, Dec. 19th, at 3 p.m. Election of officers for 1923. C

The Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 16th, in the Parish Hall, at 3 o'clock. At the close of this meeting they will hold their annual meeting and election of officers. All ladies interested are asked to be present. 779C

SNOW IN HILLS DELAYED TRAIN

Sunday's trains, both east and west, were several hours behind schedule.

The coast train due here at 7 o'clock, came at about 10.30, having made the trip by way of Spence's Bridge, the diversion being due to a slide in the Coquahalla. The train from the east reached here six and a half hours behind time. The delay was occasioned by heavy snow in the hills back of Kelowna.

The westbound train ran into such heavy snow in the hills back of Kelowna that it was necessary to send a locomotive up from this side to help it out. This train, which carried a good many Summerland passengers, was also routed by way of Spence's Bridge and did not reach Vancouver until about 10 o'clock in the morning instead of 11 the evening before, as it on schedule time.

SUMMERLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Z. L. FASH, M.A. B.D., Pastor
10.30 a.m., sermon, "The Unspeaking Gift."

7.30 p.m., sermon, "Our Infirmities"
11.45 a.m., Bible School.
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"POUND DISTRICT ACT"

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 of this Act, notice is hereby given of the resignation of James Hayward as Poundkeeper of the Naramata Pound District and of the appointment in his stead of GERALD ROE, of Naramata, B. C.
The location of the pound premises is as follows: Map 519, D. L. 210, Block 9, Lot 8, Townsite of Naramata.

D. WARNOCK,
for Minister of Agriculture,
Department of Agriculture,
Victoria, B. C.,
Dec. 21st, 1922. 778-9

SAPIRO SAYS ONLY ONE WAY FOR VALLEY TO ATTAIN SUCCESS

(Continued from Page One)
so that you do not break your own markets.

"Now, the price depends on the supply at points of consumption and not at points of production. It is the fruit that is consumed that brings us the money, not the fruit that is on the trees."

In a jocular way, the speaker ridiculed the marketing situation of last fall, stating that the wires that had been sent out to Edmonton, Calgary and Winnipeg, "made the dealers think that the Okanagan was chuck full of apples. They did not think of other markets for those apples. The result, red ink for the growers, but the shippers still ride in good cars. Every time the price is made at the point of production, there is loss to the grower. Only farmers sell on the plan of supply at the point of production. Why produce great wealth from the soil and then get 8 per cent. of that wealth? It was a new day in California when the farmers learned to co-operate."

On the subject of technique, the speaker advised organizing by commodity with locals to grade, pack, etc. Organize farmers only, and only those who have the same thing to sell. "Keep your storage incorporated separately from your shipping. Have one man, one vote, and district directors."

"California growers have abandoned the fly-by-night co-operative plan. They now use long term contracts of from five to fifteen years. They know that in the long period they will be able to build up their business, and it needs years to build up the co-operative spirit." Their contracts are enforceable in court. Commodities are pooled and marketing costs only deducted; "not mutual in name only, but in fact." If the commodity is to be stored, provision is made in the contract for financing the grower.

Speaking of the method of organizing and financing, Mr. Sapiro told how the tobacco association had bought six and a half million dollars' worth of buildings and equipment from 117 shippers, the grower buying the preferred shares by paying one-fifth of one cent per pound of tobacco handled. "We do not want the Okanagan shippers to lose their plants, but you have paid for them over and over again."

On the subject of management and again referring to California, the speaker said: "We have no amateurs in our co-operatives. We say that here is the biggest and best business in California; where is the biggest and best man to handle it? But we do not let him run it. We have directors and executives, under whom the manager works. Why, the big banks tell us that our business is run as efficiently as is the Standard Oil Company. We pay our prune manager \$25,000. It is not fair to demand good prices for our apples and not be prepared to pay good prices for brains."

"Okanagan growers are now paying all the salaries and office expenses of the shippers. You might just as well pay them to work for you as against you. We go to the other side and get a big square man, a practical man with experience and vision to manage our affairs."

Mr. Sapiro said he could remember the time when California schools were being closed, their churches closed and everything neglected because the people could not pay. Small boys and girls were working in the orchards. "After learning co-operation they are getting 48c out of the consumer's dollar, whereas they used to get 8c. The California growers carry five times the life insurance they did in former years and can feel confident that they can meet the premiums. They can now spend their time producing, while the co-operatives do the selling."

"California now has the best rural roads and is credited with the best rural schools, churches and libraries in the country. We have the highest paid teachers and preachers, and have shown that they can change the face of the rural districts if given

the chance. We have built up a better and sweeter form of living. Co-operation has raised the whole level of living.

"You people are going to do it now. You are at the crisis and you will not go back to the shippers. They will always fail, and if we were in the shippers' place, we would do the same. Our fight is against the institution. There is only one thing to do to save yourselves. Organize one big co-operative in this valley without capital stock."

"I hear some one say that he is not going to give up his independence; which one of you has ever had any say as to prices? If you want to have a say, stand with your fellow grower in real co-operation. I am not talking out of guess work. My firm represents co-operative organizations handling \$600,000,000 worth of produce in a year.

"If you organize, all the shippers on earth cannot keep you from prosperity. If not, you will abandon your farms and be looking for jobs. Your experience here is exactly like ours in California. When you are sick you do not commit suicide; you call in the doctor. If you really believe what I tell you, you are going to have merchandising and the only one way is by co-operation. We have not done a thing in California that you can not do."

"Your committee is going to present a plan, hoping to take in all locals and the big co-operative concern. I leave it to you to get in 90 per cent. of the growers. You are not going to let the 80 shippers keep you apart any longer. Co-operation is the way out. It has stood every test of marketing conditions. If you adopt this plan you will make of this valley a true paradise. I hope in five years to come back and be able to say that you have done even better than California."

Replying to questions on the subject of selection of directors, Mr. Sapiro declared he would rely on the good judgment of the fruit growers and cited the seven men that had been selected as a special committee as proof of their wisdom. He had had a fairly good chance to learn to size up men and he had never butted up against seven men more fitted to lead than these. "If you have sense enough to pick such a committee, you can pick out right directors. But never have them meeting once a month. Have an executive and pay them. Have them meet once or twice or oftener each week. They must dominate with the aid of the experts. This has been the blunder of the one big co-operative you have in this valley. The executive must be on the job. If you choose as well as you have the committee of seven I would stake my all on your success."

To a question from Mr. Higgin, the speaker said that he would organize all commodities paralleling. Here all fruits and vegetables should be included, but berries should be separate. Berry growers here should go in with those at the Coast.

To another enquirer: "We never sell to a retailer, but to jobbers and wholesalers. We consign to our own agents in London and sometimes auction in New York. Our methods vary in accordance with the needs of each community. We never sell to consumers. That can't be done. There are legitimate middle men in the channels of trade. To these we sell, but never to a speculator. I feel you need brokers who are not determined to break the growers to the advantage of the city man; but I do not know the prairie end of your business to speak positively. Get your apples tied up by contracts. If you get 90 per cent. of the growers signed up and organize, I will be glad to give advice on the best marketing plans with the assistance of the best brains in California. Get your apples tied up and get consumer demand by advertising. Then you won't need to worry."

The chair was occupied by G. J. Coulter White, one of the Summerland members of the growers' committee, and on the platform with

him were Byron Oliver, business partner of Mr. Sapiro, and W. A. McDonald, editor of the Farm and Home.

Both of the visitors spoke briefly, Mr. McDonald making reference to the capable committee of seven, whom, he declared, with the knowledge of fundamentals now before them, can solve our marketing problems and he asked for their backing of every grower. "If you don't, well, there's no 'if' about it; you've got to support them."

RATEPAYERS IN ANNUAL MEETING

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users, and of that number, from 38 in the winter time, to 147 in July kept within the minimum monthly charge.

The municipal debenture liability is now \$560,000; against this, there is in the sinking fund \$99,000.

Objection was made by J. L. Logie to the incompleteness of the report published in The Review. He thought the whole report should have been given to the ratepayers before the meeting. He also protested against the cost of administration of justice, \$900, and compared this with the fines collected, totalling \$163.

Chairman Johnston of the roads committee, made a brief verbal report, stating that \$4,700 had been spent on the roads, being all of the appropriation that had been collected. Magnus Tait wanted to know how much of this had been spent in the Trout Creek point district, but the information was not available. Dr. Lipsett did not think there had been \$500 spent on the front section, but Councillor Johnston doubted this statement, pointing out that there were over fifty miles of road within the municipality. To an enquirer, he stated that the municipality had set \$250 as the maximum amount to be expended last year on the trunk road through the municipality. This meant that the provincial government would only spend \$750.

Councillor Ritchie, chairman of the electric light committee, in answer to an enquirer, stated that the municipality had fixed a maximum of \$60 to be expended on any one extension. He did not think that an increase in rates was advisable and thought that a very great increase would need to be made to make the desired extensions pay.

O. E. Mann thought that there were not enough street lights, especially in some of the main roadways and at certain corners. It would be most unfortunate to wait until an accident happened before providing these lights.

A. E. Smith attacked the policy of the council with respect to the light service, declaring the rates should be raised high enough to pay for extensions to all citizens.

T. P. Thornber, municipal electrician, pointed out that the extension serving Mr. Smith and two others, only used twenty-five kilowatts, whereas the municipality had to pay for thirty-eight, the difference being line loss.

Coun. J. A. Kirk, chairman of the water committee, went very fully into the work of the past year and the situation at the present time. Domestic water extensions, he said, should be self-supporting. Users should pay continuously, whether water is used or not. Under this plan as many extensions as possible should be made but plans and all information should first be available. Much of the work during the past year had been done under contract and this had been found very satisfactory. He told of the installation of the new winter pipe line, which would save the municipality considerable money during the winter.

Reviewing the progress of the reconstruction commenced in 1919, Mr. Kirk stated that the money markets had permitted a continuance of the work during the past summer and gave the reasons why metal fluming was being more generally used in this work. Much of the trestle work has been completed and the metal is on hand and he predicted that for the first time in the history of the municipality, the mains will, by spring, have ample capacity for our needs. The by-law had provided \$5,000 for storage; \$5,800 had been spent. Garnett Valley dam had been raised three feet, improvements made at headwaters of Trout Creek

described in detail by Mr. Kirk and a dam had been put on Deer Creek Lake. Mr. Kirk referred to the work that had been done by Engineer Dufresne, under the direction of the government, whose report provided much valuable information, including the capacity of our reservoirs, the amount of water tributary to them and details of construction necessary to improve the dams, etc.

Reports showed that the present storage capacity of Trout Creek was 1666 acre feet, making a half acre foot from that source to which should be added the natural flow, giving approximately one acre foot during storage season.

The speaker told of the action of the department in requiring recording devices at the head of our sources of supply and of the fixing of two and a half acre feet as the amount of water to be diverted by the municipality, this being one and three-quarter feet up to storage, and three-quarter feet from storage. Pointing out the importance of this order, Mr. Kirk said that our main canals have been built to carry a much greater supply. The new council should try to have an amendment made to this order, as we have many acres requiring much more water.

Referring to the resolution presented by the ratepayers a year ago, with respect to measuring boxes, Mr. Kirk said that 36 boxes of a pattern had been installed, but he did not consider them efficient measuring devices. Six other measuring boxes had been installed and were proving efficient. He believed the general installation of these would create a revolution in our method of distribution.

Coun. Johnston gave some details as to the work done at headwaters. Captain Creese pointed out that the duty of water in the South Okanagan project was four acre feet, and introduced a resolution to the effect that in the opinion of the meeting the two and a half acre feet is not sufficient for this district, and pointing out that the watersheds tributary to the system would furnish a greater supply, that would otherwise go to waste.

Mr. Helmer told of the results of experiments at the Farm. Much of our soil would require more than the two and a half acres, and our soils should be classified for water purposes. One Farm orchard, in the best soil, required three acre feet. "How much more will an orchard in poor soil take?" he asked. The motion was carried.

J. L. Logie complained of the removal of the fire hydrant opposite Hotel Summerland, and asked by whose order it was done. He was told by Mr. Nixon that it had been dead since the water power line went out of business. Mr. Nixon said that the hydrant near the C. P. R. wharf was being moved up to be connected with the domestic line at the hotel corner. Mr. Logie declared the service was very unsatisfactory and hoped there would be on the new council, someone interested in giving the district better service. He said there had been no hydrant at that corner for months.

After a lengthy discussion on the subject of measuring devices, a resolution proposed by H. H. Creese was adopted, urging the council to give every possible consideration to the installation of measuring boxes on each individual lot.

A motion of sympathy to Reeve Campbell and his family, because of his recent accident, was heartily endorsed.

SUMMERLAND GETS ANOTHER VOTER

There has been some change made in the basis of representation at the growers' meeting, to be held at Kelowna on the 20th, and Summerland has been asked to send three delegates, with power to vote.

In another column in this paper a public meeting is being called for January 13th, to elect the additional representation and select a provincial director.

It is urged that the delegates be posted on the wishes of the growers by next Friday, to act in the convention to the best advantage of the industry, as their deliberations may indicate. It has been found impossible to call a general meeting at a date earlier than the 20th.

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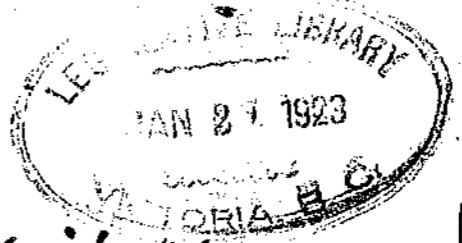
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ATTITUDE OF O. U. G. TO NEW ORGANIZATION

Meeting of Shareholders Pass Resolution Favoring One Organization.

Growers' Committee Given Assurance That They Are in Sympathy With Work.

At a largely attended meeting of the shareholders of the Okanagan United Growers, held at Vernon on January 16th, and which was called to consider the request of the Growers' Organization Committee, asking that the O. U. G. should go into liquidation, the following report of the directors to the shareholders was adopted:

To the Shareholders, Okanagan United Growers, Limited:

Gentlemen,—This meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the position occupied by the Okanagan United Growers, its locals and grower members with relation to the movement for reorganization of our marketing system.

After the notices had been mailed the following letter was received from the Growers Organization Committee:

"In continuation of two interviews they have now had with your directorate, the Growers Organization Committee have given the subject of how the O. U. G. can best assist in furthering the movement of reorganization very considerable thought.

"The committee, as you know, are going to a growers' convention on the 20th inst., where they intend outlining a policy of co-operation, feeling that the growers will adopt their recommendation.

"This scheme involves the formation of a new association, built on co-operative lines, and not allied with any in existence at present.

"The committee feels that since your directorate have expressed themselves willing to do anything to further and not hamper the proposed reorganization, they can with confidence rely on you to comply with the following request:

"That you will call a meeting of your shareholders in accordance with your articles, for Thursday the 18th inst., or Friday the 19th inst., at the latest, and lay a resolution before them embodying a definite assurance that the O. U. G. as a body corporate will in the event of the fruit and vegetable growers deciding to form a new co-operative association enter into voluntary liquidation and so clear the way for the new organization. This, of course, would also carry with it the necessity of your assigning your interest in all crop agreements.

"A copy of this resolution passed at such shareholders' meeting must, to be effective, be in the hands of this committee not later than 5 p.m. on Friday the 19th inst.

"The committee feels that by your adopting this action you show an earnest of good intention, which will strengthen enormously the confidence of the growers as a whole.

"Such a resolution as proposed would require the endorsement of the shareholders at two consecutive meetings; if one meeting is held prior to the date of the convention, should then the convention fail to adopt the co-operative scheme, it would, of course, not be necessary for your shareholders to go further.

"Please acknowledge this letter, stating the action taken."

Your board wish to make it very plain that both personally and as your representatives we are unreservedly in sympathy with the effort to unite all growers in one organization whether or not it means the elimination of the Okanagan United Growers, and are prepared to give cordial support to all efforts of the committee toward that end, provided we can do so without sacrifice of the interests of the growers whose trustees we are.

In considering the question submitted in this letter it is necessary that not only our shareholders but also every grower member should realize its bearing on their personal and financial interests. The O. U. G. and its Locals have created a large vested interest all of which has been paid for by the co-operative growers. The O. U. G. has a reserve of \$160,000, contributed by its mem-

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TOMATO GROWERS FORM ASSOCIATION

Tomato growers of this district met on Saturday afternoon and formed the Summerland Tomato Growers' Association. Following are the officers elected:

President—F. R. Gartrell.
Vice-President—Sam Uzawa.
Sec.-Treas.—Magnus Tait.

Directors—A. McLachlan, G. Tada. The meeting was called immediately following the fruit growers' meeting, by Jno. Tait, district field inspector. Mr. Tait told of attending the meeting of tomato growers at Kelowna on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, when an association was formed, with a large membership. That association has made the request that the tomato growers of the south end of the Valley organize and co-operate with them. It is proposed that the joint association inter-act on the business for tomato growers in the way of arranging prices, signing contracts, etc., with the canneries.

The statement was made that the canneries favor dealing with the growers through the association only. At Saturday's meeting the officers were instructed to gather as much data as possible and present it at the Board of Trade meeting to be held next Tuesday, the board to be questioned as to what has been done by that body toward having a cannery operating here next season.

Mr. Tait explained that it was the opinion of the tomato growers at Kelowna that a separate association must be organized at once in order to deal, this year, with the canneries, but that it was the opinion of the Kelowna meeting that this business could be handled by the Valley co-operative organization, once it is functioning.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE ELECTS OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the West Summerland Women's Institute, held at the rectory on Friday, Jan. 12th., the following officers were elected for 1923:

President—Mrs. G. J. Coulter White.

1st Vice-President—Mrs. W. C. Kelley.

2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Helen Pares.

Directors—Mrs. Windeler and Mrs. H. B. Mair.

Sec.-Treas.—Miss Cartwright.

It is hoped there will be a large membership this year as it will be an especially important one for the two institutes—the Okanagan and North Thompson district conference being held in Summerland early in May.—Cont.

SAPIRO SCHEME ENDORSED BY SUMMERLAND

Delegates to Organization Meeting Instructed of Support California Plan.

Summerland delegates to the growers' organization meeting, to be held at Kelowna on Saturday, go with definite instructions to support the Sapiro plan of organization.

At a special meeting of growers, held on Saturday afternoon in St. Andrew's Hall, attended by about 150 orchardists, a resolution endorsing the Sapiro plan and instructing the representatives to support the scheme, was carried unanimously.

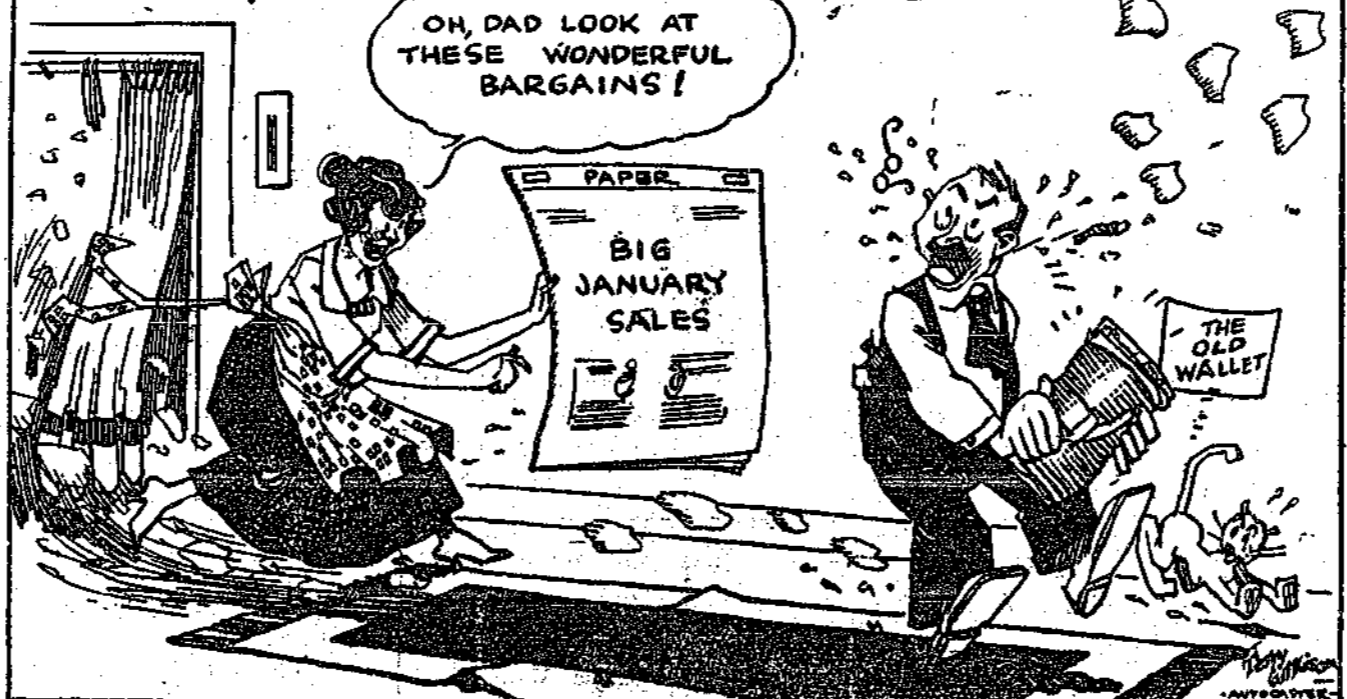
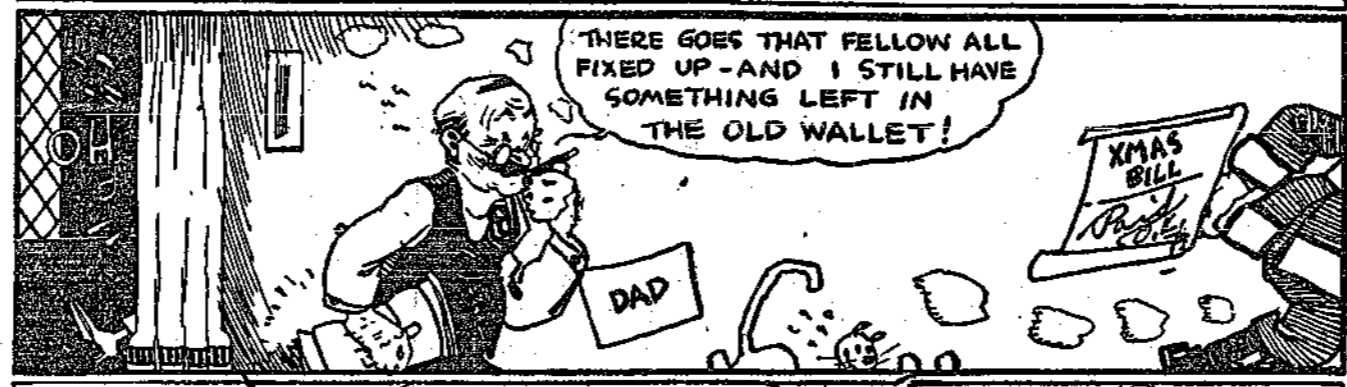
An earlier resolution, pledging the support of the community provided 90 per cent. of the growers were signed up, met with considerable opposition and was ultimately rejected.

R. V. Agur was appointed additional representative from Summerland to the Kelowna meeting, Summerland's representatives being G. J. Coulter White, T. Croil and R. V. Agur. The first named was also nominated provisional director of the proposed new organization.

R. H. Helmer was appointed to the chair and as chairman of the committee on finances, stated that a tax on the basis of ten cents per acre had been agreed upon, a maximum of 20 acres being fixed. Non-fruit growers would be asked to contribute, with a maximum of two dollars. At the request of the chair, G. J. Coulter White briefly referred to the progress that had been made which, he stated, had been fully covered in the local press, and drew at

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At This Time o' the Year



MANY QUESTIONS PUT TO SAPIRO

Overhead Expenses in Relation to Turnover and Other Subjects Dealt With.

Overhead expenses in their relation to the total turnover, has ever been a live question among fruit growers. This and a number of other subjects were dealt with in answers by Mr. Sapiro to growers' questions put to him here and at other points where he addressed the fruit growers on marketing problems of the Okanagan.

Some of his remarks, not already dealt with in our article of last week are given below:

A Questioner: Can you give us some idea of the percentage of overhead expenses to run co-operative marketing?

Mr. Sapiro: You bet I can. If a concern is handling more than \$5,000,000 worth of products per year your overhead should not be more than 3 per cent. If handling more than \$10,000,000 worth the overhead is not more than about 2 1/2 per cent. For \$20,000,000 or more between 1 and 1 1/2 per cent; big co-operatives run about 1 1/2 to 2 per cent. If the turnover is less than \$5,000,000 it depends on how much advertising you do. If you do real advertising at the start it may run as high as 5 per cent in such cases. But even 6 per cent is nothing compared to the advantages you get out of it. Our general rule is to try to keep our advertising about 1 per cent. of the total turnover, but in the initial year if you start some special campaign we make it 2 per cent.—never more if we can avoid it. You have, however, no special problems in this district; you think you have, but the shipper is your problem—your overhead should be light.

A Questioner: Have you still got shippers in California?

Mr. Sapiro: Sure; that evil is always with us. If we could only get 100 per cent. of the growers we could eliminate them. Someone has said all men are animals, of different types—we have some mules. (Loud laughter and applause.) Some stick outside just because in earlier days they said they would stand alone and would not join. But we have 97 per cent. of the berry growers of Central California, 92 per cent. of the raisin growers, 80 per cent. almonds, 88 per cent. prunes. In 1920 we returned prune growers an average of 8c per lb. when outside growers got less than 2 1/2 cents per lb.—yet some still stayed out—you can't account for taste. (Laughter.) If you get anything more than 50 per cent. I consider you ought to make it go, and then grow. You should have 80 per cent.; I cannot conceive myself of your getting less than 90 per cent.; but with 50 per cent. you can make it go.

A Questioner: Can you tell us why we have to put an anti-dumping

clause on for B. C. to stop apples flooding into here from across the line?
Mr. Sapiro: I have spoken of California only. Can you show me any California apples or pears dumped across the line? I am counsel for the pear association and we did not dump any. My firm is counsel for organizations handling over \$500,000,000 worth of products annually. If Oregon or Washington shippers and jobbers are dumping here, keep them out; we shall be glad of it. Has it occurred to you that the dumping may be done by shippers? There are shippers just as tricky there as here. Some Washington shipments might be dumped into Vancouver by shippers, but not by organized shippers; such dumping does the American grower just as much harm as it does you.
A Questioner: What is wrong with the O. U. G.?
Mr. Sapiro: I am consulting with the growers' committee and would prefer not to answer that question here.
A Questioner: Were most of the growers personally interviewed to get them to join up?
Mr. Sapiro: Yes, you have to see the man himself—or his wife. (Laughter.) Anyway you have to get his signature, and naturally you do not want him to sign until he understands it.
A Questioner: In dealing with the question, Mr. Sapiro did not touch on Orientals. Do you take them into your organization?
Mr. Sapiro: We take anyone in California who wants to join, but there is very little chance of Japs joining because Japanese in California cannot own farms, cannot buy farm lands. In berry growers we have some Japs. Usually they prefer to form their own organizations and sell in ways best known to themselves. In berries Japs have been as good co-operative supporters as have whites. We always open the door and allow anyone to join who is a bona fide grower—and no one else.
A Questioner: How about officials and managers of these organizations. Do they have to hold stock in the organization or have they any interest in them?
Mr. Sapiro: We prefer them to have no stock whatever. They have no interest in the organization except as hired men; no voting power, no relation except to serve as technical experts hired by the directors of an organization confined to growers solely; it is easier to get rid of them if they are failures if they own no stock. The president and executive must be grower members; there are only rare cases where a man is both an officer and a paid manager.
A Questioner: Some people here think we would not have time to organize to market our crop in 1923. Could we organize in time?
Mr. Sapiro: Absolutely, yes! If a thing is right the time to do it is always now. The only problem is whether or not you could get enough buildings to take care of your 1923 crop. I believe owners of existing

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S. S. INSTITUTE BIG SUCCESS

First of Series of Three to be Held in South Lake Towns.

Special features of note in the Sunday School convention, Naramata, on Thursday last, were the wealth of information possessed by the Rev. E. R. MacLean, the optimistic note sounded by Rev. H. E. Livingstone and the high quality of the music provided during intervals of speech making. Mr. MacLean seemed to have a wonderful array of statistics always ready and was never at a loss in answering questions. The Rev. Mr. Livingstone, speaking after a rather interesting discussion as to methods of popularizing the Sunday school, took the view that any atmosphere of pessimism was altogether out of place, and referred to the official records of a world-wide roll call of thirty million scholars as one which could by no means be considered inadequate. He reminded his audience that the Sunday school was an institution of comparatively late growth in church history, and referred to its inception by Robert Raikes less than a century and a half ago. His speech created a considerable impression, and was a decided antidote to a certain apologetic element which seemed to be in the air.

The community singing was efficiently led by the choir, which also finely rendered Thomas Smith's anthem, "O, Worship the Lord." Special numbers were later given by Mrs. Wilcox and Mr. G. W. Weaver, both of Penticton, the "Ave Maria" by the former, and the "Seremata" by Mr. Weaver being especially worthy of note.

Among other speakers were Rev. W. A. Alexander, Rev. Mr. Perley, Mr. Gilbert Thornber, Miss Hancock, Mr. Aikenhead and Mr. Irwin, the latter dealing very fully with a great number of questions which were handed up for elucidation.

The Naramata Ladies' Aid had solicited the support of many church members in providing supper for the thirty odd delegates who attended, and the result was entirely satisfactory.

Captain Languedoc acted as chairman throughout, while Mrs. Languedoc presided at the piano with her usual skill.

A matrimonial agency offers to supply a man with a wife for \$5. It costs less to get into trouble than it does to get out again.

An ideal statesman, someone has said, is a man who knows how to keep his ear to the ground without lying down on the job.

No woman cares to play second fiddle; nothing less than the title of first assistant violinist will satisfy her.

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GET FINE CONCERT BY RADIOPHONE

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Andrew have been getting some long-distance stuff through their radiophone recently. Last Friday night, Troy, N. Y., was heard very distinctly, particularly during testing work between that station and CFCN in Calgary. More than an hour was occupied by the two stations in calling and testing. The conversations from both ends was heard here perfectly clear. The distance from here to Troy is nearly 2,500 miles. The distributing station in the Eastern States was that of the Rennelear Polytechnic institution.

On Tuesday night, with a few friends, they listened to the formal opening program broadcasted from Hale Bros.' new station at San Francisco. Some of the numbers were heard with remarkable clearness and there was some particularly good talent on the program. The accompaniments on the piano were as clear as if in the same room. This broadcasting station has just been installed by the big 'Frisco department store at a cost of \$25,000.

It is not unusual for Mrs. Andrew, who usually handles the radio set, to pick up waves from St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit and even as far away as Fort Worth, Texas. Practically all the stations in Western Canada have also been heard.

Capt. P. S. Roe was also listening on the Hale Bros.' program and pronounces the music the best he has heard in years, that which came in between 10.30 and 12 being particularly clear.

NEW OFFICERS OF HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary, held at the Parish Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 16th., at the close of the regular monthly meeting, the following officers were elected for 1923:

President—Mrs. H. A. Solly was returned by acclamation.

1st Vice-President—Mrs. F. W. Andrew.

2nd Vice-President—Mrs. R. C. Lipsett.

Rec.-Secy.—Mrs. W. J. Robinson.

Treasurer—Mrs. G. H. Inglis.

Corres. Secy.—Mrs. A. Stark.

House Committee—Mrs. R. C. Lipsett and Mrs. R. E. White.

Purchasing Committee—Mrs. A. Walden, Mrs. W. C. Kelley, Mrs. T. P. Thornber, Mrs. F. W. Andrew.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$381.51, as compared with a balance on hand last January of \$77.09. The total taken in during the year 1922 was \$887.65.

BOARD OF TRADE ELECT OFFICERS FOR NEW YEAR

Endorses Request of G.W.V.A. to Hold Thanksgiving Day on Nov. 11th Each Year.

Pointing out some of the activities for the success of which the Board of Trade was responsible during the past year, W. C. Kelley accepted the presidential chair at the annual election of officers at the Parish Hall, on Tuesday evening, and asked the co-operation and support of all citizens during the year. A. MacLachlan was elected vice-president, and P. Knowles, secretary. An unusually strong executive, consisting of Messrs. Solly, Huddleston, Winter, Roe, Helmer, Crossley and Morkill, was also appointed to office.

J. C. Freeman occupied the chair and both he and the retiring secretary were accorded a hearty vote of thanks for their work in the past, on the motion of C. J. Huddleston. During the meeting seven new members were elected.

A letter from the G. W. V. A. asking the support of the board to a request being made to the Dominion government to hold Thanksgiving Day on Nov. 11th each year, created quite a discussion, and C. B. Winter moved its endorsement. Rev. H. A. Solly and W. C. Kelley thought that the merging of the two events into one would tend to minimize rather than accentuate the significance of Armistice Day and were of the opinion that matters should remain as they are, but on being put to the vote, the motion carried.

Another request from the same organization that the board officially

endorse their petition to the government to delay action in connection with the Camp Lister settlement until full enquiry had been made, was on the motion of W. C. Kelley, endorsed and carried.

Merritt Board of Trade asked that they be supported in urging the government to construct a direct telephone line from the coast to the interior, and this suggestion was approved.

Rev. H. A. Solly made a suggestion as to the consolidation of some of the organizations, and W. C. Kelley proposed a conference with other executives to that end, and C. J. Huddleston referred to the previous meeting of the B. C. F. G. A., when this question was taken up. The matter was finally left to the new executive to handle and report.

The financial statement submitted by Secretary Elliott was adopted, and T. H. Riley appointed auditor for the current year.

F. R. Gartrell, on behalf of the tomato growers of the district, asked the board to use their best endeavors to obtain a cannery at this point, and was informed that a committee was now working on this matter, but had not yet completed their report.

A. B. Morkill moved that the motion sent forward by the Kelowna Board of Trade re the amendment to the 1915 War Tax Revenue Act be endorsed, and after an explanation by him of what was sought, endorsement was approved.

BRISTOW IS ELECTED TO NEW COUNCIL

Wins by Majority of Nineteen Over Coun. Scott—Large Vote Was Cast.

Mrs. Solly Takes Place of Trustee Darke on School Board.

There is but one change in the personnel of the council as the result of the elections held on Saturday, H. Bristow taking the seat of H. Scott. Mr. Bristow received 130 votes and Mr. Scott 111. Coming between them was G. Thornber, who received 118 votes.

The number of votes cast was very satisfactory as compared with last year, 288 voters having cast their ballots as compared with 256 the year before.

There were two vacancies on the school board and both trustees, Messrs. Ritchie and Darke were up for re-election. Mr. Ritchie was returned, but Mrs. Solly will take Mr. Darke's seat on the new board.

An analysis of the voting for the council shows a marked unanimity on the part of the ratepayers to retain the services of Councillors Ritchie, Johnston and Kirk, all three of whom had an almost even vote. Coun. Ritchie led with 195, Coun. Johnston taking 190 and Coun. Kirk 188. It was over the fourth seat that there was division of choice.

Mrs. Solly led the polls in the contest for the school board, there being five candidates for the two seats.

The result of the balloting is as follows:

For Council.	
Ritchie	195
Johnston	190
Kirk	188
Bristow	130
Not Elected—	
Thornber	118
Scott	111
Sanborn	84
For School Board	
Solly	136
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Not Elected—	
Logie	99
Darke	88
Webb	70

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F. R. Gartrell, on behalf of the tomato growers of the district, asked the board to use their best endeavors to obtain a cannery at this point, and was informed that a committee was now working on this matter, but had not yet completed their report.

ROYAL ANNE CHERRIES BRING BIG PRICE

About Christmas time, a year ago, a small quantity of Royal Anne cherries arrived in New York from Chili and sold at \$8.25 a box of 22 lbs. net. Regardless of the price, which was due to fresh cherries being a novelty at that season, it would seem that Canada could land cherries in Great Britain in good condition during our season if Chili can ship to New York with its product en route about three times longer than required for a shipment from Ontario to England.—Can. Horticulturist.

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Thursday, January 18, 1923.

OUR FRUIT SHIPPERS

Sapiro, during his recent visit to the Okanagan, said some very hard things about shippers in general. Some of his criticisms may have been applicable to the fruit shippers of the Okanagan Valley, but some of it, as applied to our shippers, would have been unfair and unduly severe. Some of it may have been unworthily complimentary.

His remarks would indicate that shippers of California had been able to co-operate to the disadvantage of the growers. Failure on the part of some of our Okanagan shippers to co-operate with their competitors has brought about disastrous results to Okanagan growers.

Speaking generally, shippers of the Okanagan have not made great fortunes. Most of them have speculated and in some years made good money and at other times have paid the grower more than they netted from the fruit purchased. It is to be supposed that they always made a fair profit on fruit handled on account of growers.

SHIPPERS WOULD ENFORCE CO-OPERATION.

Efforts made to have the shippers co-operate through the B. C. Traffic and Credit Association and to compel the shipper members of that organization to adhere to its rules have failed miserably. As has been said, these rules were in the nature of a "gentlemen's agreement," and some to the shippers were not gentlemen. Result, keenest and suicidal competition by those members unscrupulous enough to take advantage of the knowledge of his competitor's business, gained at association meetings.

So serious has such competition been, that an appeal to the growers to enforce adherence to association rules, even to the extent of using the boycott, has been proposed.

The power of united action by the growers was duly recognized. So critical for the shippers has the situation become, that many of them will be glad to sell out.

HOW ABOUT DISTRIBUTORS ?

The past method, it would seem, is disastrous to the grower and to the shipper. How about the distributor?

At a recent meeting of the Western Canada Fruit Jobbers' Association it was urged that should a scheme of co-operation go into effective operation in the Okanagan, it would mean the dawn of a new and better era in the fruit growing and marketing industry of British Columbia. It would mean greater stabilization of the market and the elimination of consignment shipping, which several speakers declared to be the great curse of the industry. The uniting of fruit growers in one organization for the purpose of distributing and marketing fruit grown in British Columbia, through an accredited source, instead of consigning as at present, was advocated.

WOULD BENEFIT ALL.

Apparently Mr. Sapiro's plan would be of direct benefit to all. He would have the growers employ the best brains among

the shippers to work with them and, as he says, not against them, as in the past. The growers would, in this way, have the benefit of their experience and the shippers would be on remunerative salaries instead of taking big chances in a competitive market.

WANTS CLOSER TOUCH WITH OKANAGAN.

Vancouver is moving to get into closer touch with the Okanagan, judging from an editorial in a recent issue of the Vancouver World, which complains of the lack of direct telephonic communication between the Coast and the Interior. After pointing out that one may telephone from Vancouver to New York or San Francisco, but cannot hold direct conversation with towns of the Okanagan, the World declares that this is something that must be remedied in this year 1923.

How this may be done is described as follows: There is a telephone system running for 80 miles up the Fraser Valley from Vancouver. There is a telephone system throughout the Okanagan Valley. Between the two systems, for a distance of 131 miles from Chilliwack to Ashcroft, a telephone line is operated by the Canadian National Railways, and for the remainder of the gap, between Ashcroft and Kamloops, the Government Telephone Service has a pole line carrying a telegraph wire. With poles up for nearly the whole way, it should be a comparatively simple and inexpensive matter to bridge the gulf of silence between the B. C. Telephone system in the Fraser Valley and the existing system in the Okanagan Valley. It would connect up Ashcroft and Kamloops en route.

The Interior and the Coast require more links. It will help business when merchants and growers in the Interior of the province can call up the wholesale houses by telephone; it will make holidaying on the Okanagan Lakes more attractive when hubby can be called up and reminded to put the milk bottle out or hurry the next cheque along. Such an extension would knit the province more closely together with commercial and social ties. The need of it has been felt for many years past. The cost has been estimated in the neighborhood of \$55,000, so that the expense is trifling compared with the great service it would make available.

HISTORY REPEATING IN OKANAGAN VALLEY

Former B. C. Fruit Man Gives Ontario Growers Outline of Co-operation Here.

E. F. Palmer, head of the Vineland Experimental Station, Niagara Peninsula, Ontario, a former British Columbia man and brother of Mr. Palmer, of the Summerland Experimental Station, gives his views of the Okanagan situation in an interesting article in Canadian Horticulturist thus:

"The Okanagan United Growers, Ltd., the central co-operative in the Okanagan Valley of British Columbia, was born of adversity some years ago. In the first flush of its formation, the O. U. G. handled the bulk of the Valley's fruit crop. With succeeding years, however, and with the occasional errors of judgment incident to the management of any large business, many growers became dissatisfied, broke away from the central and either sold independently or formed small local co-operatives of their own.

This movement away from the central was hastened by poor returns from large shipments of apples made by the O. U. G. to New York City in 1921. In reality these shipments while constituting a loss in themselves, were a real benefit to B. C. growers as a whole. Relieved of these shipments, the usual markets were able to absorb at fair prices the remainder of the crop. However, the ones to benefit most by the sacrifices of the O. U. G. were the small co-operatives and independent ship-

pers who were not strong enough financially to risk new markets and therefore sold their output in the usual markets. B. C. as a whole benefitted from these New York shipments, but not the members of the O. U. G.

"By 1922 defection from the ranks of the O. U. G. had progressed to the point where, in place of handling the bulk of the Valley's crop, the amount was reduced to a little better than one-third.

"The result has been chaos. The past season has been disastrous to B. C. apple growers. Two of their best growers, who were detailed to investigate marketing conditions on the prairies have returned to the Valley, and instead of placing the blame for existing conditions on the jobbers, they have brought forcibly to the attention of the growers the fact that it is their own house which must first be put in order. The season's poor returns have been shown to be due in large part to competition between the various co-operatives and independent selling agencies, with each organization trying to unload its own pack on a market weak in consequence, with demoralization of prices throughout.

"However, the disastrous season has apparently worked some good. The growers realize that ultimate salvation does not lie in further tearing down the central organization, faulty though it may have been at times. They have already started to build up the central into a much stronger and more complete organization than it ever was, so that it may really act as a stabilizer to the industry. Co-operation has not been at fault, merely its administering."

NARAMATA IS SOLIDLY FOR SAPIRO PLAN

Growers Give Delegate Signed Endorsement of New Scheme.

Will Revert to Farmers' Institute—Other Naramata News.

Naramata.—A special meeting of Naramata growers was called for Monday afternoon by the local B. C. F. G. A., the chief business being the appointment of a delegate to the forthcoming convention at Kelowna. Before taking up that matter, the meeting was called upon to decide as to the wisdom of continuing the local organization as a separate body, and it was finally decided to put an end to it, and to revert to the Farmers' Institute as in the past. The gathering then resolved itself into a growers' meeting, and discussed the matter of the new organization as proposed by Mr. Sapiro. The scheme advocated by the California expert was unanimously approved, and Mr. H. B. Morley was chosen as delegate, with Mr. W. S. Young as an alternative. A round robin, emphatically endorsing the Sapiro plan was signed by practically all the growers present, and handed to Mr. Morley as his authority at Kelowna.

Before closing the growers' meeting, a resolution was passed authorizing the delegates to the provincial B.C.F.G.A. to bring up the matter of a slip dock at Naramata, and to request the aid of the association to secure this needed improvement. It is understood that the C. P. R. had promised that the slip should be built as soon as the completion of that built at Okanagan Centre, and it was felt that the promise should be redeemed.

The meeting then resolved itself into a Farmers' Institute gathering, and the following directors were elected: Messrs. Nuttall, Irwin, Littlejohn, Walter and King.

Mr. Nuttall acted as chairman throughout.

A fairly numerous audience assembled in Naramata Hall on Wednesday evening to witness the moving picture entertainment staged by two men from Vernon. This company has inaugurated a fortnightly series of shows in those districts of the Valley which have no permanent picture theatre, and propose to visit Naramata at regular intervals. The pictures shown at this initial visit were well up to the average, and received general approval. Mrs. F. C. Manchester was an efficient pianist during the evening.

Frank Hughes is on a short trip to the Coast.

Mr. W. A. Mackenzie, M.L.A. (Similkameen) was a visitor to Mr. Horswill last week.

Mr. J. Smith met with a painful accident on Saturday while pruning on the Lyons' ranch, falling from a ladder and dislocating his collar bone, in addition to fracturing a small bone beneath. He was taken to the Summerland hospital, and his injuries treated. He is doing well.

We have to correct an error in last week's notes. Mrs. J. M. Robinson did not return with Mr. Robinson as reported, but remained in Vancouver and has since been ill, but is reported much better.

At the vestry meeting, held on Sunday after the Anglican service, Messrs. Languedoc and Horswill were appointed church wardens, with Mr. J. Smith, secretary, and Mr. Rayner as delegate to the Anglican conference.

A council meeting of the Board of Trade was held at the home of the secretary, F. C. Manchester, and several matters of interest dealt with, including a proposal to be submitted to the government concerning road-work, the rates charged for electric light, and the question of the long overdue slipdock. The annual meeting of the board was fixed for the first Monday in February, when a review of the year's work will be presented.

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If your advertisement says you have all wool goods and you've only 68% wool, the time will come when you will be found out. When that time comes all the advertising in the world won't save you. The public will call your middle name "Fake" and view you with mistrust.

The streets of Bagdad are lined with beggars, men who tried to live by trick and failed. Back of these beggars who crowd the curb are long lines of little stalls where tricksters ply all the arts of trade. Everyone views the other with suspicion and every customer looks upon the tradesman with suspicion. There is no such thing as a stabilized commodity among them. There are no great department stores in Bagdad, no great clothing merchants, no hardware houses that carry the trademark stamp that assures you that what you get is all it is claimed to be.

Here in this country, our manufacturers, men of character, put integrity into their product. They advertise the product for just what it is—that, no more, and no more. So you go into a store here or a thousand miles from here and ask for the commodity that YOU KNOW. You know about it. You don't even have to have it unwrapped; you are willing to take it in its original package with the seal unbroken; trade unsight, unseen. This you do because it has been advertised.

Every merchant who does not advertise or who cannot advertise honestly will always conduct a business of Bagdad-booth proportions. He will always be a little shop keeper,

doing a dinky little business. He's the fellow who always offers you "something just as good."

Just as the local merchant will always remain the little merchant, if he does not advertise honestly, so does the manufacturer remain a little manufacturer, conducting a little business, if he attempts to distribute a commodity without advertising. Advertising will build his business in proportion to the public need which he meets and the reliability of his own statement about that which he has to sell. No business can grow great without advertising and it will grow great only in proportion to the amount and character of the advertising which it does. No business can grow great without honest advertising.

YOU—you and me, just average buyers. What shall we buy? Shall we buy of the Bagdad merchant and take the stuff without the sterling stamp?

The intelligent purchaser buys through his merchant the commodities that are NATIONALLY ADVERTISED because he knows that experience has taught the business builders that a false statement about their goods means death to their business.

Your Bagdad merchant will size you up and charge you what he thinks he can get. You can dicker and barter with him. He's a many priced man. He begins on a high price and reluctantly comes down step by step to meet you.

That's what your little shop keeper who does not advertise will do. He is not a fixed price man. That is what he does with the substitute, the "just as good" article.

Go to the reputable merchant, ask for the nationally advertised commodity, the manufacturer has stamped the price where you can see it, and there you get PROTECTION.

If you are an intelligent buyer you will buy of the local merchant that advertises because he is the fellow who is willing to stand or fall by the public printed statement he makes.

Be WISE and buy the nationally advertised commodity from the local advertising merchant and leave it to the foolish to buy at Bagdad.—By Richard Lloyd Jones.

PEACHLAND HAS INTERESTING MUN. CONTEST

Result Interpreted as Endorsement of Indemnity to Reeve and Councillors.

Reeve, Councillors and Trustees All Re-elected—Other News of the Week.

Peachland was all excitement on Saturday over the municipal elections, more real interest being taken in the elections this year than has been taken for some time. The principal issue was the matter of indemnity to reeve and councillors and on the strength of this, two wards were being contested as well as reeveship. The standing reeve and councillors were again in the field, being opposed by young men who stated at the time of their nomination that the opposition was only on the remuneration question. They stated to the electors: "If you want a paid council, vote for the present member, but if you want a non-paid council, vote for me." The policy of the old council has been sustained in a very decisive manner by the electors from the fact that the old councillors and reeve were returned with considerable majorities. The council now stands as it was for 1922, as follows: Reeve, Grant Lang; Ward 1, R. H. Huston; Ward 2, R. Harrington; Ward 3, S. J. McGirr; Ward 4, George McBean. There were three school trustees aspiring for two seats, the old members, Mr. M. N. Morrison and Mr. O. Keating being returned with a good majority. After the announcement of the election results the elected and the defeated candidates were called on for a few words to the electors, quite a representation of whom were present in the Municipal Hall. The elected candidates thanked the ratepayers for their show of confidence and the

defeated candidates, in a few well chosen remarks, showed that they could take their defeat cheerfully. The defeated candidates for reeve and council respectively were J. Wilson, A. E. Henderson and B. F. Gummow, and for school trustee, Miss M. Smith.

Mrs. Vicary, of Summerland, spent a couple of days in town last week, returning home Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. McKinnon spent Saturday on a visit up the lake.

Miss S. R. Craig, from near Brandon, Man., is now on the Central School staff, in the intermediate department. She follows Miss I. Murdin, who is completing her Normal training at Victoria. Mr. Harris, of Summerland, is continuing as principal; Miss B. L. Noble, in the primary; Mr. A. Macmillan in the high school, and Miss A. Elliott in the Trepanier school.

After a pleasant visit here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore, Mrs. Lincoln left last week to return to her home in Seattle. Her husband spent a portion of the holiday here as well, but returned earlier.

Road Foreman S. H. Murdin, with a small crew, is doing some necessary repair work on the Peachland-Summerland road and is getting it in shape as fast as possible.

Mrs. Fulton, of Westbank, was a visitor in town last week.

Miss Jean Dryden left last week to return to Vancouver to continue her business course. She went south by stage to take the K. V. R. train west. Her mother accompanied her on the auto trip.

Mr. J. H. Hyde spent two days in Vernon last week.

Rev. Isaac Page, of Penticton, spent a day in Peachland last week, conducting the annual business meeting in the Baptist church. The business of the afternoon was conducted in record time and after that the ladies treated to light refreshments before the pastor had to leave to catch the boat for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tailour, of the Trepanier Townsite, were out of town visitors for a couple of days of last week.

PEACHLAND RATEPAYERS' ASSOCIATION

Citizens Discuss Civic Affairs in General at Public Meeting.

A public meeting of the ratepayers of Peachland was held Jan. 12th, in the Municipal Hall, attended by a very large representation of the electorate. The purpose of the meeting was to adopt by-laws and constitute and complete the organization of the Ratepayers' Association. President Evans took the chair and Mr. Townsend took his place at the table as secretary. Mr. Edgecombe, chairman of the committee on bylaws and constitution, read these and they were unanimously adopted. After this the chairman called a short recess for the purpose of enrolling new members, of which there were quite a number. The fee is 50c and those eligible for membership are voters, tenants and members of the family of the age of 21 years and over.

The question arose as to what business should be taken up and it was intimated that many came with the idea that several matters were going to be taken up, some of them possibly of none too pleasant a nature, such as threshing out some rumors of movements not considered by many to be in the best interests of the municipality. The chairman considered this should not be allowed to enter into the business of the Ratepayers' Association, or anything else that might tend to create any ill-feeling among the membership; and for that reason he advised closing the meeting of the association and letting the ratepayers appoint a chairman and have an open meeting for the purpose of discussing matters of interest. This was decided on, and those present elected the

chairman to remain in the chair for the open meeting.

Many matters of interest were discussed, and as is customary at such meetings many points were hashed and rehashed, which had been already well done before. At times the discussion was somewhat heated, somewhat personal, sometimes in "lighter vein." Time and space would not permit of an attempt to give a detailed report of the discussions, but out of it all some good resulted, in that some rumors which were in error were checked and many points of interest made clearer, and although some parted, not perhaps quite such good friends, others parted better friends, and all better prepared for the polls.

Just before the close, Reeve Lang read a letter to the ratepayers dealing with the question of taxation. Having heard remarks such as "We should never have formed into a municipality," and "We should disband as a municipality and go back under the government," he thought it might be interesting to hear something about taxation in other districts. The letter referred to the Naramata district and proved quite a surprise to Peachland taxpayers. The reeve stated that the letter would be on file in the municipal office and any ratepayers would be able to see it at any time.

Rev. T. A. Sadler motored to Westbank on Sunday to conduct the regular service in the schoolhouse there. He was accompanied by the Misses Noble and Craig and Robt. Williams.

Mrs. Chas. Cooper returned on Monday morning to her home at Kelowna after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cudmore.

Bert Keating left on Monday morning to return to his post in Kelowna, after spending the week-end at home.

Mr. Alex. Macmillan, teacher in the Peachland High School, and his pupils who recently furnished a Peachland audience with an entertainment treat, motored to Westbank on Saturday evening and staged the same entertainment to an audience in the school there. There was a good turnout, the proceeds being \$21.15, which, after deducting the transportation expenses, were divided between the Westbank school and the Peachland High school, to be used for school libraries.

Mr. Harris spent the week-end at his home in Summerland.

D. A. Cameron, of Calgary, field man for the Massey-Harris Co., paid a short visit to local agent H. E. McCall this week. He took the stage from here for Summerland.

Scout Master Wm. Buchanan has recently resumed scout activities and has made arrangements for the rental of the building formerly used by J. Kudelka & Son, as a garage. The master, with the assistance of the scouts, has cleaned it up and they are fitting it for use as a scout hall.

Messrs. Carswell and Baxter, of Vernon, put on a moving picture entertainment here last Thursday evening. It had been a considerable length of time since Peachlanders had the privilege of attending a movie at home and judging by the full house, it met with considerable favor. The pictures shown were well spoken of by the audience. These gentlemen have a license which permits them to show six nights out of the week in the Okanagan and they intimated that it was their intention to make fortnightly visits. They show only in towns and districts where there is not already a picture house.

Mr. H. Hardy was a passenger north on Friday morning for a short visit out of town.

RISK LIVES TO FILM OLD INCAS STRONGHOLDS

When Nat Ross and his company of Universal players and cameramen decided to shoot Montezuma's famous castle in Arizona for the exteriors in some of the scenes in "The Galloping Kid," starring Hoot Gibson, they didn't know what they were up against.

But when Hoot Gibson's chestnut mare, "Babs," started a landslide and broke two of her legs, necessitating her being shot, there was a realization why the place had never been filmed before. The huge adobe castle is a crumbling mass.

Despite the dangerous setting he had to work with, Hoot Gibson is said to do the best work of his motion picture career in "The Galloping Kid," his latest Universal starring vehicle, directed by Nat Ross, which comes to the Rialto Theatre this week.

Playing opposite the star in the leading feminine role is Edna Murphy, the versatile little Universal player who has scored so successfully in other Gibson vehicles. Others in the supporting cast are Lionel Belmore, Leon Barry, Jack Walters, Percy Challenger and Steve Clement. The story is by William H. Hamby, adapted to the screen by A. P. Younger.

RE ESTATE OF ISAAC BLAIR, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the late, Isaac Blair, who died at West Summerland, B.C., on the 12th day of November, 1922, and probate of whose will has been granted to Ernest Edward Hutton and William Ritchie, the Executors named in said Will by the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Probate, are required to send such claims, with full particulars, and duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of February, 1923, and that after that date the Executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties respectively entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall then have been received, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1923.

W. C. KELLEY,
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West Summerland, B.C.

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12.30 p.m. Vernon 3.00
1.05 Okanagan Lndg. 2.15

—LAKE—
Okanagan Lndg. 12.00 noon

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3.55 Peachland 7.20
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6.15 Naramata 6.05
6.25 Penticton 5.30
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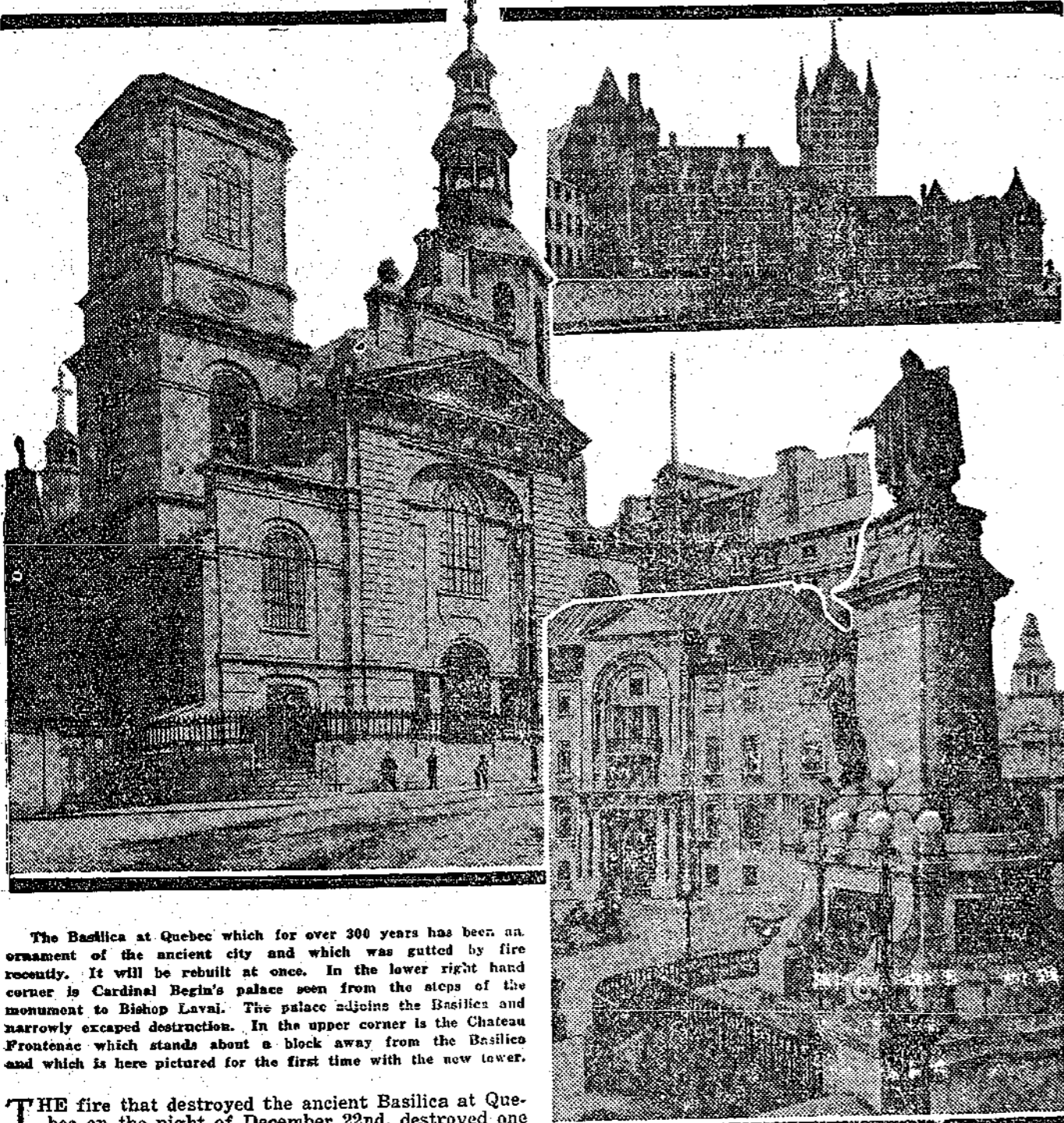
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Canada's Historic Loss



The Basilica at Quebec which for over 300 years has been an ornament of the ancient city and which was gutted by fire recently. It will be rebuilt at once. In the lower right hand corner is Cardinal Beaulieu's palace seen from the steps of the monument to Bishop Laval. The palace adjoining the Basilica and narrowly escaped destruction. In the upper corner is the Chateau Frontenac which stands about a block away from the Basilica and which is here pictured for the first time with the new tower.

THE fire that destroyed the ancient Basilica at Quebec on the night of December 22nd, destroyed one of Canada's ancient landmarks that had long years ago assumed a place in the affections of the Canadian people quite irrespective of creeds. To Quebec city the loss is irreparable, and the Christmas season in that city has been to some extent marred by the disastrous event. English, French, Catholic and Protestant dwellers in Quebec Province alike feel the loss of this historic old building with its association with Canada's romantic past. The building itself spoke of other days. Its architecture was characteristic of Quebec city, and all who had visited it carried away a memory of a quaint old building, richer in historic interest than in architectural beauty, but none the less of great charm and an ornament to the city quite in keeping with the surroundings.

The ancient edifice dated from 1647 and occupied ground in the vicinity of the first parish church in Quebec, Notre Dame de la Be-couvrance erected by the founder of Quebec in 1633. The first Mass in the Basilica was said on Christmas Day, 1650, but it was not until 1656 that the church was consecrated by the first Bishop of Quebec, Mgr. De Laval, and opened for

public worship. It underwent a restoration in 1745. The church suffered considerable damage in 1759 as a result of the bombardment of the city by Wolfe's Artillery. Since that date it has undergone numerous alterations and additions. Mgr. De Laval, who died in 1708, was buried in the crypt of the Basilica, but in 1788 his remains were transferred to the seminary chapel. Fully 900 persons sleep their last sleep in the crypt of the cathedral. They include the remains of four Governors of New France, church dignitaries, high military officers, judges, and many other prominent people.

The Basilica was one of the finest edifices of its kind in the Dominion and contained many very precious relics of the past as well as paintings by some of the leading masters of the French, Dutch, and Italian schools. Many religious treasures, vestments, ornaments and sacred vessels were also contained in the Basilica. Some of the stained glass windows were among the finest and most artistic on the American con-

tinents, and the interior decorations which had been completely renewed recently at a cost of nearly \$90,000, were particularly artistic.

Among the pictures were a Saint Paul by Carlo Maratta, and a Christ by Van Dyke. The vestments were probably more gorgeous in adornment than anywhere else in America. Many of them were gifts from the French kings. The church is in the see of the Archbishop of Quebec. In 1874 Pope Pius IX. elevated it to the rank of a Basilica Minor.

It is, of course, to be expected that a large and more beautiful Basilica will arise on the site of the old building, and that it will continue to French history in Canada. The tombs of the early governors and others will still remain, and other historic relics and paintings will take the place of those lost. So that except for the building itself the loss may in some measure be replaced. It was later announced that most of the historic vestments had escaped the fire.

SYNOPSIS OF Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to \$5 an acre; second-class to \$2.50 an acre.

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only lands suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residences, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and must make improvements to value of \$10 an acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted interim certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of \$300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of \$10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesteads; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company. Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land not exceeding 40 acres may be purchased; conditions include payment of stumpage.

Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditionally upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price is made.

PRE-EMPTOR'S FREE GRANTS ACT.

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers or pre-emptors recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LAND.

Provision made for insurance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, securing rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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Correspondence

To the Editor of The Review:

Dear Sir,—Throughout the fruit-growing areas of British Columbia there are numbers of small and medium sized grower shippers who have been for years doing a prosperous and perfectly legitimate express trade, particularly in small fruits and truck. Their method is to ship direct to consumer customers on the prairies.

It cannot be said of these grower shippers that they have contributed toward the demoralization of the markets during the recent years, because they issue price lists, and in return receive cash with their orders. As a rule, also, the prices they ask are considered mutually satisfactory.

These grower shippers consign little, if any, fruit or truck during the whole season, and very few of them, even of late years, have fallen into the error of co-operating with others to make car lots for the purpose of consigning same to a near market for sale.

It frequently happens, however, that these same grower shippers do not grow sufficient varieties of fruits, etc., to supply the needs of their customers, consequently they need to purchase the deficiency from other growers. The price they pay for these fruits is considered satisfactory by the growers thus favored, and payments are made promptly without unnecessary delay.

These same payments, I beg to say have, of late years, been notoriously welcomed by the growers.

I wish to point out, therefore, that these grower shippers are no menace to any organized co-operative effort. They have not contributed toward the prevailing low prices, as they are in no wise guilty of underselling their products. Considering these facts, I wish to ask, Sir, with your courtesy, through the medium of your paper: What is to be the attitude of the organizers of the proposed co-operative movement toward this class of grower shipper, and toward those growers who wish to continue to sell in a perfectly legitimate way, a small part of their crop to such growers shippers?

I know there will be a loud outcry at once from the rabid co-operators, who have not yet considered the high ideals of real co-operation. Their cry is: "Co-operators must have no truck nor trade with independent grower shippers." Others say: "Let all true co-operators boycott the grower shippers and make it hot for them." Now, Sir, if the ultimate aim of the new organization is to secure 100 per cent. of the growers eventually to sign up, why antagonize a large number of growers and grower shippers by harsh drum-tight measures at the beginning?

The recognized chief evils of the fruit business today are: Poor distribution, consignment and lack of co-operation. And, may I add: The inability of large numbers of people on the prairies to purchase fruit, as they are considered luxuries which they can do without.

The first of these evils cannot be laid at the door of the grower shippers. The last, I need hardly point out, is an economical difficulty. The questions of consignment and lack of co-operation I will mention briefly as I proceed.

The co-operation needed today is: a union of forces for the purpose of remedying all the evils and hindrances to successful growing and marketing of fruits, etc.

Grower shippers, such as I refer to, deny that they have contributed very largely to either of these evils.

They complain that the unbusinesslike competitive methods of large packing houses have done great injury to their perfectly legitimate methods, by consigning large quantities of fruit, and causing them to be thrown upon the markets, and then distributed through the country at ruinous prices.

Grower shippers will be a unit in desiring the success of this co-operative effort to stabilize the markets and prices.

I believe also that the smaller grower shippers, at any rate, will desire to co-operate with the co-operators.

But, will the organizers of the movement make it possible for them to do so, and still carry on their legitimate business?

If so, the result will be beneficial two-fold: (1) It will secure many growers as members who desire freedom to sell some of their products privately to grower shippers.

(2) It will secure the co-operation of a large number of grower shippers who can not, for obvious reasons, join up entirely with the new movement.

May I suggest that when the organizers of the co-operative movement meet to decide upon contracts, that they allow some elasticity by providing as follows:

1. Members may be allowed, upon

application, to sell portions of their crops to such grower shippers who have signed as honorary members.

2. Grower shippers who have been such for at least three years may be allowed to become honorary members of the co-operative movement.

3. Grower shippers who are honorary members of the association may be allowed to purchase quantities of fruit, etc., from members of the association.

4. Grower shippers who are honorary members of the co-operative association, bind themselves to refrain from shipping either fruit or vegetables on consignment.

5. The co-operative association agrees to purchase, at ruling prices, whatever marketable surplus of fruit and vegetables grower shippers who are honorary members may have at their disposal, thus obviating the necessity of grower shippers disposing of such quantities by consigning to the public markets.

It might be well to remember that

most grower shippers are not using the system for their health alone, consequently they will continue at the business in the usual way whether the new co-operative will allow them to co-operate with them or not.

Unless some such elasticity of contract is allowed, a large number of growers admit they will be forced to stay out of the movement, as they absolutely must have some hard cash to handle early in the coming season.

It would surely be a mistake to force so many away from active participation in the great co-operative movement, because they sorely need some cash earlier possibly than the co-operative could hand it to them.

I will admit in closing, that some grower shippers, having no other means of disposing of their unordered surplus, have consigned quantities to various markets. That is why I have suggested in point 5, that the co-operative should agree to purchase their surplus quantities at ruling prices, and thus secure such grower shippers as assets and co-operators, instead of forcing them to become competitors.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your courtesy, I am, Sincerely yours, OLIVER E. MANN.

Making the Crooked Straight

The presiding elder arose to commence Sabbath service, the congregation came to attention respectfully; respectfully for various reasons—some out of reverence for the God of their fathers, some out of respect for the institution itself, and some, well, some because they wanted to stand in with the congregation or officials of the church (for reasons of their own).

On this particular occasion the presiding elder, having performed the preliminaries, resigned the "reading desk" or pulpit in favor of a visiting preacher—a young man, known to most of the congregation as a traveling evangelist, whose outspoken and uncompromising exposition of the scriptures had brought him into sharp conflict with the Orthodox church officials.

The young preacher opened the "book"—then with an impulsive gesture, laid it on the desk. "Woman, come here!"

Even the more lethargic of the congregation was now wide awake—something unusual was toward, a diversion—yes! There goes the woman—old lady with a bent spine—well, gossips said that he had cured cases like that—only it was always in some other town—now they would see for themselves—really, quite glad they came.

The old lady having by this time advanced to the "reader's desk," the preacher addressed to her some words which she, poor thing, did not hear, or else could not understand; he then stepped down and gently assisted her. Slowly, half fearfully at first, then with increasing confidence she straightened and stood—face streaming with tears of thanksgiving—cured!

Now, all this was quite "irregular," the elders of this particular church being strongly opposed to any departure from their own narrow ideas of Sabbath observance. To them, healing was a week-day job and any man who broke their rules was anathema. The presiding elder therefore arose and rapped for silence.

"Ahem! There are six days" (his voice became finely sarcastic) "six whole days in which men ought to work." He paused, for effect, then—we will, in future, do all our healing in those six days; we will not desecrate the Sabbath in this shameful way again, (this last sentence in a voice of finality). Poor, narrow, man, he could see nothing but an encroachment of his age-old privileges.

The silence which followed his dignified statement was almost painful, but those of the congregation whose gaze had travelled to the face of the young preacher, were astonished at what they saw.

They had formed their opinions of this young evangelist. Mild mannered and kindly he had seemed, now he was changed into a veritable thunder cloud of indignation, and as men wait with bated breath for the thunder crash, so they waited, and so it came.

"Thou!—hypocrite!" The elder shrank, as from the fury of a storm. "Thou, hypocrite. Do not you all let out your cattle and horses, and lead them to water on the Sabbath?" "Why, then, should not this woman be let out from her deformity on the Sabbath?"

The lesson teaches us, above all things, to avoid getting into an ecclesiastical rut. If we have been getting up at a certain time, putting on certain clothes, attending certain church services, reading certain passages of scripture—and going to bed feeling justified, then we are like the Pharisees of old, they, too, were

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Applications for permits to graze livestock on the Crown range within each grazing district of the Province of British Columbia, must be filed with the District Forester at Cranbrook, Fort George, Kamloops, Nelson, Prince Rupert, Williams Lake, Vancouver and Vernon, or with the Commissioner of Grazing, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., on or before March 15th, 1923. Blank forms upon which to submit applications may be obtained from the District Foresters at the above named places, or from the Department of Lands at Victoria, B.C. G. R. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands. Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., January 4th, 1923. 779-84

SUMMERLAND BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Z. L. FASH, M.A. B.D., Pastor 10.30 a.m., sermon, "God's Invisible Forces." Junior Sermon, "The Automobile Brake." 11.45 a.m., Bible School. 7.30 p.m., sermon, "What Does Looking to Jesus Mean?"

IMPOUNDED. On 15th, one dark brown mare; white streak on face. Neckstrap and cowbell attached. No brand visible. If not claimed by January 27th, will be sold at public auction at 2 p.m. D. C. THOMPSON, Poundkeeper. 780

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SUMMERLAND WEATHER REPORT Below is a report furnished by the Dominion Experimental Station here for the week ending Tuesday: Max. Min. Rain Snow S.S. Jan. 10-36 33 .08 0.0 Jan. 11-35 28 0.0 0.0 Jan. 12-35 26 0.0 2.8 Jan. 13-36 25 0.0 2.9 Jan. 14-33 25 0.0 0.0 Jan. 15-41 29 0.0 trace 0.0 Jan. 16-44 33 0.0 0.0 Messrs. G. Thornber, C. P. Evans, G. I. Gray and G. F. Sinclair, of Summerland; Messrs. H. B. Morley and W. S. Young, of Naramata, and Mr. M. G. Wilson, president of the Summerland Fruit Union, went up to Vernon on Tuesday morning to attend a meeting of the shareholders of the O. U. G., returning Wednesday evening.

PASSING EVENTS LOCAL, PERSONAL, SOCIAL & OTHERWISE

Mrs. T. J. Garnett has returned from a short visit to Seattle.

Miss Lena Vipond, of Penticton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Leslie.

R. E. White is spending the weekend at the Coast on a short business visit.

Mrs. J. Lawler left by K. V. R. train last Friday for a visit to Vancouver.

Keep in mind the special Discount Sale at A. Milne's, continuing for another week. 780

Mr. A. S. Powell returned on Saturday from Vancouver, where he has been spending the holidays.

The government pile driver has been here for several days making repairs to the government wharf.

K. S. Hogg returned on Sunday morning from a brief visit to Vancouver, where he had gone to see his father.

V. M. Lockwood, whose announcement appears elsewhere in this paper, has opened a barber shop in Hotel Summerland.

A largely attended card party and dance was held in the "Better Ole" on Wednesday night, all present reporting a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Watkin, of Peach Orchard, who have been residents of Summerland for some time, left by train on Wednesday for Vancouver, where they expect to reside.

A phonograph with about twenty-five records, adapted to the work, has recently been installed in the Penticton school for the purpose of assisting in the instruction of singing.

For some time A. B. Elliott has been buying his flour, etc., by the carload and stated to The Review recently that during last year he had brought in and distributed eight carloads.

One team of High School boys and another of High School girls are planning to go to Kelowna Friday afternoon where they will play basketball against teams from the Kelowna High School.

Mr. Ernest Farnham, of Summerland, and his bride, nee Miss Marjorie Allen, whose marriage took place in Calgary on Christmas Day, came in on Friday night's boat and will make their home here.

Allan Clement, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clement, who was the subject of a major operation recently at the hospital, has so far recovered that he was able to be removed to his home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Gartrell were surprised by a number of their friends on Thursday evening last, when the evening was spent in games and dancing until the wee sma' hours of the morning. Even then everyone was loath to leave. It was one of our real old-time parties back home again.—Cont.

According to reports received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Marshall, Jimmie Marshall, one of our Summerland boys now a student at the Agricultural College at Guelph, has made a very creditable showing at the recent Christmas examinations. Jimmie ranks first in a class of twenty-nine pupils, with a total average of 87 per cent., his lowest mark in any subject being 74 per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Farnham were guests of honor at a reception and aluminum shower given them by the staff of Walters, Limited, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boothe, last Saturday night. The gifts were presented by little Miss Edna Baker and Master Bobby Barkwill, while the former recited "A True Lover's Knot." About thirty-five guests were present and spent a very enjoyable evening in games and music.

Gordon Lott, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Lott, had his arm run over by a heavy truck on Monday, but escaped without a broken bone. Geo. Henry, of Smith & Henry, was driving along the road near Victoria Gardens, and had passed a number of little ones on their way home from school on Monday afternoon, and it would appear that some of them, the Lott boy among the number, had taken hold of the truck. The accident occurred just as Mr. Henry was turning off the road and the little fellow evidently had jumped from the truck at the same time, but slipped and fell. The rear wheel of the loaded truck passed over his forearm and hand. He was immediately taken to the hospital, where the injured member was dressed and though the flesh was considerably torn, it was found that no bones were broken.

The first (statutory) meeting of the 1923 council is being held this afternoon.

Mrs. Nisbet came in on Saturday night from Vernon, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Dennison.

Mr. Willis Higley, for some time a resident of Summerland, left last week for Seattle.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. McLachlan on Tuesday morning at the Summerland hospital.

Mr. John Tait is spending a few days in Kelowna, having gone up the lake on Thursday morning.

His many friends will be glad to learn that George Gartrell is steadily improving from his recent serious illness.

Mr. F. M. Broddy, local manager of the Dominion Bank, returned Wednesday morning from a short business visit to Vancouver.

Three basketball games are arranged for tonight in the College gymnasium, two between local boys' teams and the third a game between two local ladies' teams.

A farewell dance, in honor of Mrs. J. Lawler and of Mr. W. Wilson, of the staff of the Bank of Commerce, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, last Friday evening. About thirty guests were present and all report a very enjoyable evening.

Penticton fruit growers have instructed their three delegates to the convention at Kelowna on Saturday to support the scheme for co-operative marketing as outlined by Mr. Aaron Sapiro. At a meeting of about 80 Penticton growers a resolution supporting the Sapiro plan was signed by 72 growers.

"But where shall we sell the eggs?" This is one question that enters into every conversation on the subject of extending the poultry industry in this district. It may come first or last or in the middle, but it is always there, and it must be answered before the coming hatching season.

Business men, professional men, and many farmers agree that even in years of good fruit prices, a supplementary industry bringing income during the winter months is a vital necessity, and is the only means of preventing the borrowing on future prospects which has invariably taken place in the past.

It has been conclusively proved that poultry raising is the work that fits in best with the orchard; indeed, the combination is perfect, for the orchard provides two of the most vital needs of the hen, shade and green food, and the hen provides that indispensable requisite of the tree, fertilizer, in addition to her generous gift of eggs and the most delicious and nutritious of meats.

Some of the largest producers have been watching the local egg situation closely in the hope of discovering a practicable method of centralizing the egg trade and relieving the natural uneasiness which attends the dealer who buys on a falling market.

The main requirement seemed to be a live wire, who lost no time in finding a market for the produce turned in to him, and who lost little, if any, money doing it.

We think he is right here in our midst, equipped for handling in the most economical and efficient manner as big an egg trade as Summerland can supply for some time to come.

Who is he and how is it proposed that he shall do it, also how producers can obtain their feed, litter, etc., at the lowest possible margin of profit, will all be revealed to those who are sufficiently interested to attend the meeting in St. Andrew's Hall, West Summerland, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 23rd, at 8 o'clock, further notice of which will be found in the advertising columns.

It is hoped that a report of the Provincial Poultry Show and convention at Hastings Park will be submitted at the close of the business meeting.—Cont.

"MAN TO MAN" AT RIALTO THEATRE Steve Packard came back from Tiva-Tiva in the South Seas with a dusky-skinned "daughter" of ten years, about whom he said nothing.

He had a bad reputation at home to start with, having left the Arizona range after serving time that his father should have served. His father's death and his inheritance of the ranch was what brought Steve back to face the hiss of "jailbird" and "good-for-nothing."

"You're no good and never were," said his grandfather, old "Hell-fire" Packard. "You're a jailbird and that

kid shows what you've been living like—and I'm going to run you out!" Steve took charge of the ranch and went with grim lips to the task of fighting enemies that included his own kin.

"Were you married to that girl's mother?" asked Terry Temple, the girl of the next ranch, who had been the only one to speak decently to him.

"No-o," he said slowly, turning his face away.

"You're just like other men! And what's worse, you're a Packard and the lowest of the lot!" she flashed at him.

And her smile had meant the world to him.

The "lowest of the Packards" faced a lone fight, and he went at it "Man to Man" in the Universal-Jewel feature of that name, which brings Harry Carey to the Rialto Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 23 and 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO COMMITTEE FUND

Table listing contributions to the committee fund. Includes names like H. S. Sharman, K. S. Hogg, W. H. Hayes, G. Carr, C. N. Higgin, J. S. Campbell, H. H. Creese, W. L. McPherson, W. T. Broad, Wm. Ritchie, Jas. Hermiston, E. E. Hatton, G. S. Drewitt, R. S. Monro, J. McKenzie, G. F. Sinclair, W. H. F. Welsh, G. A. Marshall, D. Taylor, C. H. Taylor, E. F. Sanborn, Ivor Clarke, W. E. Rines, Magnus Tait, E. Thomas, N. Verity, C. H. Tate, Ben Saunders, E. Randall, H. Lumsden, A. J. F. Anderson, A. G. Munn, A. M. Temple, A. McGown, R. T. Russell, C. H. Gayton, A. J. McGregor, Agur Estate, H. L. Gallagher, V. J. Nicholson, T. Virtue, A. McLachlan, M. W. Coode, W. M. Jenkinson, Geo. Graham. Total received \$91.65.

DOUKHOBORS ARE CAUSING TROUBLE

Grand Forks authorities are having trouble with the Doukhobors of that district. The Gazette says:

"There is trouble on the boards of the Doukhobors. Some weeks ago School Inspector Danielson took notice of the fact that the Doukhobors were simply making a joke of the local schools which had been erected for Doukhobor children, only a nominal number of children attending. He notified the Grand Forks School Board that the school in question was within their district and that he looked to that board to see that the regulations with regard to attendance of pupils was observed.

"The school board got the names of the guardians of the children and brought eight of them before Magistrate McCallum, who fined each \$25. It should be noted that the School Act provided that any adult in the community may be regarded the guardian of any pupil. The magistrate stipulated that they could have until Dec. 26th to pay the fines.

"Last Tuesday distress warrants were issued with the object of collecting the fines, but it is understood some delay is being taken in their execution until reply is had from Victoria.

In the meantime Peter Verigin visited the community yesterday and held a protracted session with the community and as a result of which the community have addressed a letter to the school board condemning its actions, those of the magistrate, the school teachers and anybody and everybody else that could be conveniently worked in. The letter declares that the Doukhobors have not taken the oath of allegiance and are free to do as they please in this country and might properly be regarded an ultimatum to the government that the Doukhobors refuse to recognize them. Verigin, the "foxy grandpa," has not signed the letter; it is simply signed for the community. The next move has not been determined as we go to press and for that reason the actual contents of the letter are not being made public.

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The Summerland Hospital Society THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Society will be held in the PARISH HALL, West Summerland, at 8 p.m., on THURSDAY NEXT, January 25th, 1923. Business: To receive the reports and accounts of the Board of Directors for the expired year, to appoint three Directors to act on the Board for the ensuing three years, and an auditor for the coming year, and generally to take into consideration the position and prospects of the Society. THOS. H. RILEY, Secretary.

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The O. U. G. representing its members and also many individual members, has an investment in a by-products plant, which was undertaken only after repeated demands of our growers for some provision to care for the lower grades of fruit. This investment, if not directly profitable, has been of undoubted value in keeping off the market large quantities of fruit which would otherwise have been sent to the markets and further demoralized prices on the higher grades.

Our Locals have incurred heavy liabilities and their members have made great sacrifices in the effort to provide proper facilities for the handling of their crops, and for storing and insuring their fruit against loss from frost. No growers shipping through independent shippers have made similar sacrifices.

All of these investments and the values created by the large body of growers who have been associated with the co-operative association are of vital importance to them, and your board, while they are acting as trustees of the growers' property, are responsible for safeguarding their interests, and do not believe that the question of liquidation should be considered, nor that any action should be taken which would depreciate the value of these various assets, until an organization is formed, which, in the opinion of the growers, will function satisfactorily, and assurance given that their interests, financial and otherwise, will be fully protected.

Your directors have given this question careful study and have confidence that all of these matters can be handled with perfect equity to all growers, and in a manner to equalize the investment without the employment of any large amount of money. A plan was outlined to the growers' committee, suggesting the formation of a holding company to take over and hold title to all plant and equipment in the industry, and a plan for finance, which has been highly approved by bankers and which we have since learned is practically identical with the famous Corquendale plan so strongly recommended by Mr. Sapiro. This plan could be made to cover and protect all the interests to which we have referred, without imposing a burden on anyone. We hope and trust that this will be done, but up to the present time your board has had no intimation from the committee that their plan includes any consideration of their interests. It is true that such a statement at this time might be premature on their part, but until such assurance is given we consider that the co-operative grower would be ill-advised to take any action likely to prejudice his interests.

Assurance given to the Growers' committee that all connected with the O. U. G. and its Locals, are heartily in sympathy with their work and will endorse any satisfactory co-operative organization that may be formed, provided their interests are fully protected, should be sufficient

without taking action which may prejudice the financial investments of our growers, without their consent, which, in our opinion, neither directors nor representative shareholders, have a right to do.

Your board would further report that prior to the adoption by the Growers' Committee of a definite plan of co-operative organization, certain conversations were had with other shippers, looking to arrangements which would materially strengthen the position of the co-operative organization, in case the committee was unable to find a satisfactory solution of the organization problem, in time for the coming season. At the same time your board believed that anything they might accomplish in this direction would be of assistance to the committee, in case of success. The Growers' Committee was promptly and fully advised by us of such conversations, and the attitude and motives of this board made plain to them, as we have been desirous at all times to avoid any action which might hamper their work.

Signed on behalf of the board,
 J. T. MUTRIE,
 President.

After thoroughly discussing the matter the shareholders passed the following resolution:

Resolved,—That this meeting is strongly in favor of the formation of one large co-operative association, having due regard to the assets of the Okanagan United Growers, Limited.—Carried unanimously.

Whereas, the Okanagan United Growers, Ltd., has developed through a period of years on sound co-operative lines, and

Whereas, by reason of certain conversations, it has been shown that common ground is possible amongst shippers in the establishment of one co-operative organization, and

Whereas, the aims of the Growers' Organization Committee are identical with our own;

Therefore, be it resolved, that we take such steps as may be necessary to join hands with the said committee in the working out of the common ideal and to this end an invitation be extended forthwith to the Growers' Organization Committee to confer with the Board of the Okanagan United Growers, Ltd.—Carried unanimously.

That the report of Directors as presented be adopted.—Carried unanimously.

SAPIRO SCHEME ENDORSED BY SUMMERLAND

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tention of the meeting to the three proposals which would be submitted by the committee of seven at the Kelowna meeting:

- (1) Board of Control.
- (2) Selling agency under growers.
- (3) Mr. Sapiro's proposition.

Further money being required to meet necessary expenses, the finance committee was instructed by a resolution to make further appeal for funds.

J. Tait reported the collection taken at the first meeting was \$27.39. Of this \$20 had been paid for delegates' expenses and the \$7.39 had been turned over to the new growers' committee fund.

Before adjourning, the meeting, by resolution, requested the delegates to the Kelowna convention to call a meeting and give a full report of the proceedings.

Good Enough for a Girl. A father and mother, says a British weekly, had brought their month-old twins to an East London church to be christened. All went well until the rector asked, "And what is this child's name?"

The father drew himself up and replied, "Haig Pershing Foch Marne Mons Lloyd George Clemenceau Jones."

The rector gasped. Then, taking a deep breath, he turned to the mother, who was holding the other child. "And the name of this?" he asked.

The meek little woman smoothed her dress and whispered, "Maud."

If life hands you a lemon be glad that it was not a hard-boiled egg without salt.

MANY QUESTIONS PUT TO SAPIRO

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buildings would be willing to set in and transfer most of the plants. If they are not willing I hereby offer to get money from some interests I am acquainted with in the United States to help you people to erect and equip the plants you need. Even if you could not organize this year I would be strongly against any mixed organization of growers and shippers. We have tried that on a number of occasions and it never worked except to kill co-operation completely for years, which was the shippers' game.

A Questioner: Would it be possible to carry out an organization with less than say 75 per cent. control?

Mr. Sapiro: Except for finance, which is separate as I have indicated, yes. We have started with 40 per cent, and with 45 per cent, and made a real success.

The orange growers had only 48 per cent; until the last seven or eight years the orange growers had not above 60 per cent. and right today they only have 68 per cent.—but they dominate the market. It is merely stating an obvious fact to say that if you have only 50 per cent. signed up you have as much as all others can possibly have. The United States Steel Corporation does not make half the steel rails of the United States, but it dominates the

situation because it has single control of its proportion. Get a good brand of apples and advertise that brand as your brand, let the prairie farmers and other consumers know it, and you can make a success with less than 50 per cent. of the apple crop if you handle it right.

A Questioner: Do you pay salaries, or salaries plus commission?

Mr. Sapiro: It is unwise to pay commissions; pay your men straight salaries. Commissions for one thing complicate your overhead. Get the best men you can; if they do not give their best service kick them out.

To a question on the subject of canneries Mr. Sapiro replied: Canning is for canneries. We believe in handling the good raw material, then sell—to the man who cans, among others. Let us run our own business before we try to run other people's businesses. Stick to your own line. I would never erect a cannery to handle tomatoes except under very unusual conditions. Grade your tomatoes and sell them. Afterwards, if necessary, consider starting your own canneries.

Love in a cottage isn't so bad if you have some groceries.

It might be well for visitors to remember that a welcome soon wears out.

The ugly duckling sooner or later has occasion to thank her stars that she isn't a goose.

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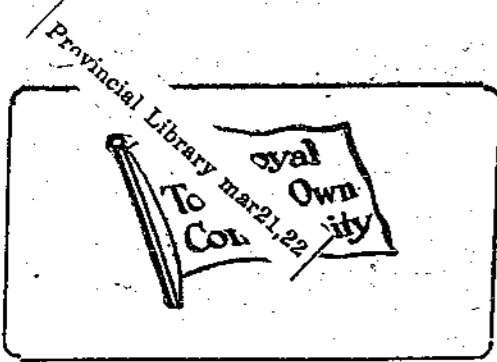
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FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

Much Business of Importance to Industry is Transacted at Thirty-third Annual Gathering Held at Kelowna.

Kelowna.—The thirty-third annual convention of the B.C.F.G.A. held here on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday last was dominated by a spirit of unanimity and determination of tree fruit men to sink their individuality and to get together on every possible point. While not faced with the same crisis at present, the men from the Coast, berry growers and vegetable growers, exhibited a lively interest in the movement among the growers of the interior, realizing that if the tree fruit growers could solve the problem of individuality and come together on true co-operative lines, they also could overcome the difficulties which they see before them in a like manner.

So apparent was this determination on the part of the tree fruit growers that comment was freely made by delegates from the Coast on the intelligent way in which they were facing the situation.

It was estimated that there were fully 170 to 190 delegates in attendance. The short attendance on the day of opening was credited to meetings of the O. U. G. directorate and the U. F. B. C. in Vernon on Tuesday and Wednesday, and to the Stock Breeders' and Dairywomen's convention at New Westminster on Wednesday. In addition to members of the executive and delegates, Hon. E. D. Barrow, minister of agriculture; J. W. Jones M.L.A. for South Okanagan; and K. C. McDonald, M.L.A. for North Okanagan, were amongst those present; as well as a large number of Dominion and provincial officials of the departments of agriculture and horticulture as well as members of the association.

All of the serious matters before the convention were tackled in a business-like manner, although when the resolutions committee's report was before the gathering for consideration there was a tendency to drag, and in some cases to enter into discussions on details of lesser importance than the main issue.

To Chilliwack in 1924.
D. A. Budge extended an invitation for the 1924 convention to be held in Penticton. Invitations were also received from Grand Forks and Chilliwack. After a brief discussion, Chilliwack was selected, it being felt that in view of the probability of the berry growers organizing as a commodity under the control of the proposed central co-operative organization, it was very desirable for the tree fruit men to learn at first hand some of the problems confronting the berry growers.

At a special meeting of the directors on Thursday evening, E. Foley-Bennett was elected vice-president for the ensuing year. L. E. Taylor of Kelowna, is the new president.

The features of Wednesday afternoon's session were the presentation of the reports of the executive committee and the secretary-treasurer, and a lively discussion on the question of the assessment and taxation of orchard lands. The latter subject, was left over for further consideration until a resolution dealing with it was brought in by the resolutions committee.

President C. E. Barnes, in opening the convention explained that Mayor D. W. Sutherland, who was to have been present, had been called out of town on very important business, and he called upon the secretary, Prof. A. F. Barss, Vancouver, to read a letter of welcome he had received from Mayor Sutherland. The letter was as follows:

Welcomed to Kelowna
"Please convey to the members of your association my regret at being unable to attend the opening session of your convention as arranged. I looked forward to the pleasure of meeting you personally, but board of trade work, in connection with the visit of Sir Henry Thornton, deprived me of the more pleasing task.

"I wish to thank you for having honored us by holding your 33rd annual convention in our city, and as this is essentially a fruit district; I can assure you that we are all extremely interested in your deliberations and sincerely trust that they may result in solving the problems in which you, in common with the whole of the province, are so vitally interested.

"With general conditions through-

out Canada improving, and with the prospects of a more efficient distributing organization, the future of the fruit industry is full of hope.

"I trust your stay and associations in our city may be such as to afford you the pleasure of seeing you all here again in the near future."

President Barnes said they had arrived at a time when the minds of all growers were engaged with a problem greater than any previously faced in the history of the fruit industry.

He thought they were justified in believing that the convention which was to follow that of their association would solve the problem of the growers. The B.C.F.G.A. was not directly connected with that matter, nevertheless the association has an important place in the future of the fruit industry.

Has Work to Do.
It should, he said, collect and distribute to its members all possible information leading to the production of better fruit; every district should be organized into locals, which would obtain the opinions of growers without waiting for the time of the annual convention.

If the organization was to function satisfactorily, it must have a membership which was representative and a voice loud enough to reach the ears of the governments, both provincial and Dominion. In all ways, he claimed, it could be of inestimable value to growers and all should be members.

The function and value of the B. C. F. G. A., he continued, could hardly be put into plain words, but scarcely a year passed but that its activities means dollars in the pockets of every grower.

Barnes Retires.
At this convention, he concluded, he was retiring from office, after six years, and he wished to express appreciation for the loyalty of the members and of the prompt and unselfish response on the part of the officials to all demands made on them. He would look back on those six years with very pleasant memories of friendships made, which he hoped would never cease.

The annual reports of the executive committee and secretary-treasurer showed so much good work accomplished and to be of such a satisfactory nature that a resolution from the board of directors recommending that they be printed and copies mailed not only to members of the association, but to all growers in the province, was unanimously adopted.

In speaking to this motion, G. Stewart, of Keating, said since it was desired to increase the membership of the association, all growers should be made acquainted with the work being done by the association. When growers saw those reports there would be little or no difficulty in securing them as members.

R. M. Palmer, Cowichan Bay, considered that the information given in the reports would also materially assist in getting support for the proposed new co-operative organization.

The report of the executive gave details of the officers appointed at a meeting in Victoria in January, 1922, for the past year and then proceeded to outline the work dealt with by the board at various meetings during the year.

Membership Good.
The report stated that the government grant to the association, amounting to \$3,000, had been secured and that in view of the unsatisfactory state of the markets the membership could be considered satisfactory and as an expression of confidence on the part of the growers in the executive.

GROWERS' PLAN UPON WHICH NEW CO-OPERATIVE WILL WORK

The following is the final report of the Growers' Committee of Seven, as adopted at the Kelowna convention.

To the delegates attending the fruit and vegetable marketing convention, Kelowna.

Vernon, Jan. 18, 1923.
Gentlemen, we beg to report to you as follows:

We were appointed an organization committee to carry out the terms of the resolution passed by the British Columbia Growers' Convention which sat at Kelowna on 6th, 7th and 8th December last.

The first regular meeting was held on Dec. 11th, with Mr. Wollaston as chairman. The name "B. C. Growers' Organization Committee" was adopted.

The committee immediately entered on the discussion of plans for the formation and operation of the Board of Control. On the 13th, Dr. Macklin, strongly opposed the Board of Control on principle. The general meeting of shippers that same evening, refused to endorse the Kelowna resolution, but appointed a committee of six to meet and arrange for several meetings with Dr. Macklin, when he explained in considerable detail, his views on co-operative and other systems of marketing.

Dr. Macklin was entirely opposed to both Board of Control and Central Selling Agency because, as stated in our progress report No. 1, both were, in his opinion unsound and unworkable, as they attempted to reconcile essentially irreconcilable interests. He strongly recommended complete co-operation in packing and selling, and suggested the purchase of the necessary shipping plant.

On the 14th, we met the Shippers' Committee of six. They were mostly opposed to a temporary Board of Control, and further, considered a Central Selling Agency, with the present shippers, working as packers, only to be an imposed arrangement, from their standpoint. Nevertheless, in view of the instructions we had received we felt it incumbent on us while exploring other possible methods for stabilizing the fruit industry of the Province to continue our efforts to create a Board of Control and to secure a workable plan for a Central Selling Agency to follow.

During the Christmas season the members of the committee living near Vernon met almost daily and drafted a plan for a Central Selling Agency, which would include representative shippers, who definitely refused to consider it.

The committee reassembled as a whole on the 2nd January. On the 30th December the chairman had received a wire from the editor of Farm and Home, Vancouver, that Aaron Sapiro would visit British Columbia and address a series of Growers' meetings on the subject of co-operative marketing. It had already been determined that some members of the committee should visit Vancouver to call on the Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, for the purpose of ascertaining the attitude of his department, and of the government, towards a re-organization of fruit and vegetable marketing. Mr. Barrow came from Chilliwack for this purpose, and also gave the members deputized to meet him much valuable information regarding the operations of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association. At the same time the opportunity was taken to meet Mr. Sapiro in Vancouver. Our members were present when he addressed the Vancouver Board of Trade, and subsequently, in Kelowna, with him, taking the opportunity to acquaint him as fully as possible with local conditions.

Later, members of the committee attended all the meetings throughout the Valley addressed by Mr. Sapiro, and also had several discussions with him of much value.

At an early stage of Mr. Sapiro's visit we became impressed with the general desire of the growers whom he addressed to organize their business on a broad co-operative basis—an impression that continued to gain strength as Mr. Sapiro's emphatically expressed views became more generally known. Mr. Sapiro had more over fully endorsed Dr. Macklin's opinion that the Board of Control and Central Selling Agency plans were both unworkable and unsound. Mr. Sapiro stated that the Board of Control plan had been tried and failed in various California industries since 1899.

This development in the situation left us, in our opinion, no alternative but to turn our attention to the working out of a plan for complete co-operative marketing, outlined by Dr. Macklin and Mr. Sapiro.

We were fully alive to the fact that an injunction had been laid upon us by the Growers' Convention in Kelowna on 8th December to formulate a plan for a Board of Control, and to institute the same immediately upon its adoption, and, further, to introduce a plan, to come into operation later, for a Central Selling Agency; also that we should submit the data for the latter plan to an expert, such as Mr. Sapiro, for his analysis, with the request that he would draft a plan for organization based on the fundamental principles adopted by the convention. As already intimated, Mr. Sapiro declined to identify himself with any plan.

We accordingly informed you in our progress report No. 3 on the 9th, January, 1923, in the following terms:

"In these circumstances, and as your committee believe that Mr. Sapiro's recommendation, which is in general accord with that given by Dr. Macklin, has met with the approval of the great majority of the fruit growers of the Province, they have decided that it will be in the best interests of the growers to proceed at once to draw up a scheme for co-operative marketing on the lines laid down by Mr. Sapiro, to the extent of taking all preliminary steps necessary to bring such a scheme into effective operation as soon as possible.

In drawing up a scheme for co-operative marketing we have had very valuable assistance from Mr. Sapiro's business partner, Mr. Boyd Oliver, who returned to Vernon from the coast for this purpose in the 9th January. Mr. Oliver, in addition to drafting the constitution of the Co-operative Association proposed, and its by-laws, has also drawn up the forms of contract needed, collaborating in this work with Messrs. Cochran and Ladner to ensure conformity with our laws and the giving of due regard to local experience.

Scheme for Co-operative Marketing
In a broad conception, the plan favored by your committee for marketing the crop output of the Associated Fruit and Vegetable Growers of British Columbia is as follows:

First—A completely grower-owned and controlled central organization known as the "Co-operative Growers of British Columbia, Limited," whose functions will include the handling, distribution and marketing of the fruit and vegetable output of the members with the possible exception of berries, which might be carried for by a separate organization. Fruit and vegetables grown expressly for drying, packing, canning, etc., purposes, will not come within the scope of its activity.

Second—Local co-operative associations into which the co-operative fruit and vegetable growers of the Province will be severally grouped. Existing associations will, as far as may be practicable, remain undisturbed, new local co-operatives may be formed as desired.

The co-operative, will act as the sole and exclusive marketing agent of the several locals.

All operations will be conducted for the benefit of the growers, on a non-profit basis.

The co-operative will be governed by a board of directors elected by the several locals, with at least one additional director to be nominated by business interests.

Directors of the central board will receive a per diem allowance and travelling expenses for each day they may be away from home on work connected with the co-operative.

For administrative purposes this board will elect from amongst its bona fide grower members, three to form an executive body, who in turn will appoint a general manager. The executive will consult with the general manager who will engage a staff to operate under his immediate control.

Members of the executive will receive a salary in consideration of the importance of their duties; they will be entitled to demand, and receive, the whole of their time and energies to the interests of the association. They will appoint a paid secretary whose duties they will prescribe and define. The executive will secure the effective application of the general policy which the central co-operative staff will formulate from time to time to guide the organization. They will keep themselves informed at all times concerning the operations of the business in all its bearings. They will see that a unified system of accounts and auditing is introduced, and that the entire organization, especially having in view the need for a ready and satisfactory comparison of results as between the several locals, and between the association and other associations carrying on a similar business.

They will confirm or otherwise deal with recommendations by the general manager for the transfer, dismissal or dispensation with the services of any manager of a local, or any other employee engaged under their authority. They will fix the rate of remuneration to be received by the director of the central co-operative staff.

The executive in selecting a general manager will pay special regard to his administrative ability and decision of character, to his initiative and sound judgment, and to his ability to meet and deal with both growers and customers. It is essential that the general manager be himself a highly qualified salesman, as marketing will be the important part of his duties. The general manager will, as far as his duties may allow, sit with the executive and assist them in their deliberations, but without a vote.

The several offices under the general manager might be:

Assistant General Manager, Sales, Warehouse, operation, Advertising and Publicity, Traffic, Legislative, Statistical and General Information, Inspection, Purchase, Accounts and

Audit, Claims, Growers' Service, Overseas Agencies.

Any two or more of these offices may be grouped for administrative purposes.

The Central Organization or Co-operative will thus be charged with handling all those problems in which Locals are interested in common.

As explained in our progress report No. 3, we decided that the interests of the growers would best be served if we went beyond the strict letter of our instructions to the extent of taking preliminary steps necessary to bring the scheme, generally approved by Mr. Sapiro, into effective operation as soon as possible.

By drafting the by-laws and articles of incorporation we are able to apply for a Dominion charter. We have also drawn up forms of contracts to be entered into between growers, locals and the Co-operative. Beyond the comparatively small expense entailed, these steps do not involve the growers in any obligation should they decide against the measures which we believe, after careful investigation and consideration, it will be entirely to their advantage to adopt.

The convention will realize that the above is merely an outline of a scheme of co-operative marketing which is here presented with some of the more important features suggested.

The scheme if approved in principle, will have to be worked out in full detail by a new committee appointed to bring it into effect, and this can be accomplished in time for the 1923 seasons operations.

Finances
For the purpose of buying materials such as spray, fertilizer, box shock and paper and for payment of wages of packers and similar running expenses, money will be needed by the local association.

As the period between the time when funds for these purposes are needed and the time when payment from returns from sales of fruit can be made is one of months and there is no continuous use of large amounts of money, interest is saved by borrowing the necessary money from a bank instead of by the sale of shares. Such advances, we are assured, can be depended upon when the industry has been placed upon a sound basis by means of the organization of the growers on the lines which we recommend.

For providing cash for payments on account of the purchase price of buildings, which it may be necessary to acquire we recommend income cumulative debenture issues, repayment and interest being provided for by deductions from the crop returns.

This can be accomplished under different systems outlined as follows:

Proposed plan for dealing with local associations in regard to the ownership and operation of existing packing houses and equipment and the acquisition and operation of other houses and equipment.

1. Obtain signatures to new five year contracts by growers of district. If growers are already under contract to their district local association or an independent shipper, return to any such grower his cancelled contract upon his execution of the new contract. In case of liability by grower to shipper an assignment of claim by the shipper to the local will compel collection from returns, by the local on behalf of the shipper, after repayment of its own claims for packing and other charges and deduction for payment of principal and interest necessary towards payment for packing plants acquired.

2. Those signing contracts who are not already members of local to become members of it and of local holding company if one exists; and applications for membership might be signed at the same time as contracts are signed.

3. Present directors of local and of local holding company to resign and necessary notice to be given to auditors.

4. New directors and auditors to be elected by shareholders who will then include all those who have signed contracts.

5. Audit of accounts and revaluation of all assets.

6. Acquisition of the necessary packing plants, etc., by new directors on the best terms possible. This should not require more than 25 per cent cash, and 75 per cent first mortgage income cumulative debentures maturing in one, two, three, four and five years or longer.

7. If a large percentage of the growers sign the contracts we are confident that the answers to the enquiries which we have made that these debentures can be sold.

8. Funds for payment of principal and interest on debentures to be provided by annual per package deductions from returns on growers' fruit. Ordinary shares in Holding Company for amount of deduction from his fruit for repayment of principal to be given to each grower. After debt has been paid, deductions to be continued to provide for betterments and replacements and the surplus to be

BIG CO-OPERATIVE LAUNCHED ON PLAN PROPOSED BY SAPIRO

Minimum Tonnage Eighty Per Cent.—Much Accomplished by Growers' Meeting at Kelowna—Big Business Men Co-operating.

The big new co-operative growers' association for the fruit men of the province, known as "The Co-operative Growers of British Columbia," has been launched.

Within a few weeks the chief features of the organization will be perfected and the 1923 fruit crop, almost in its entirety, will be marketed along co-operative lines.

The decision to adopt the Sapiro plan was reached at the Kelowna gathering on Saturday and Monday unanimously and with enthusiasm.

Features of the convention were: The adoption of a comprehensive report from the committee of seven, outlining the plan for the co-operative;

The explanation of Boyd Oliver, partner of Sapiro, of the details of the fruit merchandising program.

The presence at the gathering of a strong Vancouver delegation which promised Coast co-operation and their assistance in selling debentures for the absorption of existing fruit packing plants.

The decision of the convention to call for five year growers' contracts with a tonnage minimum of eighty per cent to become effective.

The spirit of determination revealed at the gathering and manifested in the immediate guaranteeing by the delegates of \$5,000 for initial expenses.

Enthusiastically Received
The co-operative scheme proposed in the report of the special committee of seven was enthusiastically adopted by the delegates at the growers' convention, held on Saturday and Monday at Kelowna.

This convention was opened on Saturday morning, and after an invocation by Right Rev. A. J. Dool, D. D., Bishop of Kootenay, Mayor Sutherland addressed the delegates, invited guests and growers who remained over after attending the three-day convention of the B.C.F.G.A., which closed the preceding day.

Saturday's proceedings throughout were noticeably marked with a spirit of hope and determination to "put through" a plan which would be acceptable to the growers of the province as a whole.

In addition to interesting addresses by Hon. E. D. Barrow, minister of agriculture, and H. M. Eddy, president of the B. C. Berry Growers' Association, the report of the special committee of seven, appointed at the previous convention was read during the morning session and in the afternoon Boyd Oliver, business partner of Aaron Sapiro, explained the plan in detail, adding details not contained therein.

At the conclusion of his address he was given a great ovation, the audience rising with handclapping, followed by the singing of "For he's a jolly good fellow" and prolonged cheering.

It is safe to say that the minds of all growers and business men present were visions of the rising sun of hope for the prosperity of the great fruit growing industry of British Columbia. The relief felt upon finding that the committee had formulated such a comprehensive report, giving a firm basis upon which to build up the co-operative organization, was clearly manifested, the fear that the committee would report back in a less favorable way, more along the lines laid down at the previous convention, having possessed the minds of many delegates prior to the presentation of the report.

Welcome Delegates
Mayor Sutherland in welcoming the delegates on Saturday, said they had met to arrive at one of the most important decisions ever before the people of the country. There were brighter prospects before the convention that day than on the previous occasion upon which he welcomed them to Kelowna. Since that time public opinion had been developed and crystallized.

There came a time in the history of all nations, he said, when their country was in danger and unity under one head was necessary. The home interests of the province were threatened and all growers must sink their individuality and act under one control.

The committee of seven, which they appointed at their last convention, he went on to say, had worked diligently and if it had evolved an efficient scheme the growers could never regret the members of that committee. No scheme, however good could be evolved without the co-operation of all. Any scheme, although not up to their highest ideals, if it had the hearty co-operation of all, would be one hundred times better than what they had had in the past. Every thing depended on the growers. Those who would not come into the general scheme were the "little people."

If the growers would look out for the really important things, leave details to those whom they select to run their business for them, but stick closely together, they would have an organization which would be a benefit not only to this generation, but for generations to come. (applause).

Hon. E. D. Barrow, who was greeted with prolonged applause, said he was more or less on the outside look-

ing in, but after he had told them of the things upon which he was to speak they would realize he was just as interested in what they were doing as any grower.

What they were doing, the minister of agriculture said, was a momentous thing in the history of the valley and it was also of material importance to the province at large.

He then traced the history of the co-operative organization formed by the dairymen of the Fraser Valley, which it appeared was along the lines being followed in the formation of the new organization. The dairymen's organization he showed procured good results before the war and since its close it had kept the markets at a much better level, for the producer and at the same time had given the consuming public cheaper milk than it would have had under any other system.

He brought out clearly an important point with regard to the management of a co-operative organization. There were, the minister said, two viewpoints to be taken into consideration. There is the viewpoint of the business man who is in charge of the organization and there is the producer's viewpoint. The executive gets ideas from the general manager and when the directors meet they get ideas from the manager presented to them by the executive from a producer's point of view. The management, he said, must never get out of the hands of the producer.

Shareholders should also attend the meetings of the directors, he maintained, and when they were questioned by outsiders they were prepared to answer all questions and to contradict from first hand knowledge rumors of an adverse nature set around by those who were opposed to co-operation.

He told of the ups and downs experienced by the dairymen's organization and said the scheme under which they are now operating was evolved from experience and the making of many costly mistakes.

Hon. Mr. Barrow also rubbed it in "the non-co-operators" and maintained they should be treated as undesirable. They should not, at all events, be allowed to jeopardize the whole co-operative industry.

In conclusion he promised the growers his hearty support in all things possible and expressed confidence in the failure of the fruit industry.

Presented Report
F. E. R. Wollaston, chairman of the committee of seven, in presenting the committee's report, remarked that it seemed strange that the new provincial organization was taking form in Kelowna as it was in that town that the first co-operative concern in the Okanagan was formed.

The committee, he continued, realized that it received definite instructions from the recent convention which appointed it and it had done its best to carry out those instructions to the letter. Difficulties arose and the committee felt that it was against a wall and decided it had better call another convention.

The committee, however, found there was a strong feeling among the growers in favor of the plans outlined by Mr. Sapiro, he said, but it was also realized that any movement for co-operation must come from the growers. Time was therefore allowed after Mr. Sapiro's trip for the growers to give the subject mature thought and any action now taken would be after careful consideration.

If the proposition was undertaken, he maintained all must be loyal—not loyal because they had signed a five year contract, but because they were loyal co-operators.

Anything the committee recommended, Mr. Wollaston pointed out, would not cure all the troubles of the growers. Poor varieties must be eliminated. Bad orchards were worse than liabilities, but what had been done in Denmark had been accomplished in California and what had been done in California and the Fraser Valley could be and would be done here. (applause).

The report was read by the literary sub-committee, the first portion being read by Col. Scott and the financial portion by J. J. Campbell.

President Eddy, president of the B. C. Berry Growers' Association, outlined the experience of the berry growers, much the same as at the convention of the B. C. F. G. A. He added that in his opinion the entire organization of the berry growers have at present should be thrown into the melting pot so as to clear the boards and allow the situation to be dealt with from any angle.

At the afternoon session the plan outlined in the report was reviewed by Boyd Oliver, partner of Aaron Sapiro. Mr. Oliver remained in the valley and rendered valuable assistance to the committee of seven in preparing the report presented to the convention.

He said two weeks ago, when he

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Thursday, January 25, 1923.

FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

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entirely, the representations made had the effect of materially modifying the original clause outlined in the budget speech of the minister of finance.

Freight Rates Cut.

Freight and express rates had been reduced as a result of efforts of a special committee.

All cars coming into the Okanagan between Sept. 5th and Oct. 25th, had been provided with proper heating arrangements.

The matter of control of orchard boxes had been taken up and although all arrangements could not be made for the past season an embargo had been placed on boxes from zones affected with codling moth being taken into clean areas. The use of such boxes had also been restricted.

The executive had taken up the question of assessment for the compensation fund with the premier and cabinet and an agreement reached whereby extensive codling moth control would be undertaken and an effort made to eradicate this pest. The government had also passed an amendment to the Horticultural Act establishing protective spraying zones.

With regard to Oriental ownership of land in this province, the principle for which the association had fought had been endorsed at the last session of the legislature.

A delegation had met the Federal minister of agriculture with reference to experimental stations and when it was found impossible to get new ones for the province he had been requested to establish illustration stations. Negotiations were still proceeding.

Efforts Effective.

Owing to the efforts of a delegation the Vancouver Board of Trade had reversed its attitude regarding the anti-dumping clause of the Customs' Act.

No scholarship was awarded for the University of B. C. in 1922, but two were awarded this year, those holding them being V. Cavers, of Cloverdale, and Albert E. Richards, of New Westminster.

It was recommended that continued efforts be made to have the anti-dumping clause of the Customs' Act retained.

It was also stated that in response to representations made by the executive the department of agriculture had given \$1,000 toward the expenses of staging a B. C. fruit exhibit at the Imperial Fruit Show.

The report of the secretary-treasurer showed that the balance in hand was \$588.70.

Both reports were adopted.

On the suggestion of R. M. Palmer the secretary read a resolution passed by the board of directors, and a letter from L. E. Taylor dealing with the work done by the committee appointed by the growers at the mass meeting held in Kelowna about a year ago. In this letter, Mr. Taylor stated that since the central growers' committee had been appointed at the recent convention to work on the marketing question, it was useless for the old committee to continue to function.

Speaking with regard to this matter Mr. Palmer said every grower should stand behind the present movement to improve marketing conditions. Events had moved more quickly than had been anticipated and on Saturday the growers' meetings would commence, and all hoped that the formation of a marketing organization would result. All were prepared, he said, to do everything possible to forward and assist that movement.

Many of those present had heard the addresses delivered by Mr. Sapiro and the new organization would be based on the proposition he had outlined. Mr. Sapiro, he went on to say, had placed the growers in possession of methods to attain success.

The question of making some payment toward the cost of bringing Mr. Sapiro into the Valley might come before the meeting. The sum of \$2,000 had been set aside by the government for organization work and that might afford an opportunity for the B.C.F.G.A. to show the firmness of its stand in favor of his plans.

A lively discussion on the subject of assessment for taxation on orchard trees took place during the afternoon session, but the matter was quickly disposed of at the evening session by an explanation given by Hon. E. D. Barrow.

The Tree Tax.

The question was introduced in the afternoon by L. E. Taylor, Kelowna, who stated he understood that the assessment on orchard trees had been reduced 50 per cent., but so far as he could learn, the assessor at Vernon had no instructions regarding the matter. Unless an adjustment was made before the sitting of the courts of revision, it would be necessary for all growers to enter appeals in order to save \$40 or \$50 on their taxes. In the Kelowna district the appeals would have to be entered before Saturday.

It was stated that the matter had been taken up with Premier Oliver and the difficulty of assessing all trees on the same basis was discussed. A reduction had been made on pear trees, but apples were assessed a straight \$1 for each year of age up to ten years.

T. Abriel, Nakusp, asked where the system of assessment used in British Columbia originated. Why should the growers here be saddled with a tax like that if they were not in any other place? The fruit grower, he said, should be taxed just like other people. The government seemed to have the idea that everyone who planted a tree was going to make a fortune. He called the present system "class legislation" and maintained it was a great injustice.

L. E. Taylor said the government would ask what the growers had to suggest in place of the present system.

An Injustice.

R. M. Palmer claimed that neither this nor any other district should keep quiet under such injustice.

It was maintained by one delegate that the trees were not a part of the land and therefore should not be taxed.

T. Abriel pointed out that originally he planted wrong varieties of trees and he was now top-working them, but they were practically of no value at present, but he had to pay his tax according to their age just the same.

The suggestion was made that orchard land should be assessed at an ordinary valuation for agricultural land. It was also pointed out that loan companies place no extra value on land because of trees, claiming that the best of orchards may be ruined in a year if a change of ownership takes place to someone incompetent.

Dominion Fruit Commissioner G. E. McIntosh was asked regarding the methods of assessment in the east.

He stated this was the first instance which had come to his notice of taxation being applied as he had heard it explained that day. Orchard land in the Niagara Peninsula, he said, was assessed according to its value for agricultural purposes. He knew of one instance where there was a fruit farm with a large brick house, brick garage and packing house, the assessment of which was as high as \$600 per acre. That was the highest of which he knew. He had, he said, another section—a place of 20 acres of 10-year-old orchard, producing 400 barrels of apples per year, having modern buildings and a school close by, which could be bought for \$150 per acre, and the assessment was about \$70 per acre.

Minister on Tax.

Hon. E. D. Barrow at the begin-

ning of the evening session, said the assessment of orchard land was specifically dealt with in an act put through last session. In effect this act provided that the assessed value of fruit trees should be reduced 50 per cent. The reason the assessments had been sent out again the same as last year was presumably because there had been no time to make a change in the assessment roll, but the notice would be sent out later.

The evening session on Wednesday was devoted to the consideration of resolutions but in the time available it was found possible to deal with only six out of those under twenty-one headings contained in the report of the resolutions committee.

During a discussion on a resolution dealing with co-operation, introduced by the growers of Summerland, E. Foley-Bennett, Penicton, in reply to a point raised by Mr. Kidson, Vernon, told the convention that the managers of the Banks of Commerce, Montreal and Hamilton, Penicton, had told him the present situation as to marketing fruit was absolutely impossible. Under present conditions they were not prepared to assist the industry, but if an organization is conducted on the Sapiro plan, with a contract of not less than five years, these banks were prepared to back it to the limit. He had, he said, been authorized to make this statement to the convention.

Summerland Resolution.

After some consideration the resolution was passed, as follows:

"Whereas, fruit growers produce a staple article for common consumption, very necessary to the health and happiness of the people at large, and do not demand excessive prices but such as will enable them to pay expenses, comfortably provide for their families and contribute to the common weal;

"And, whereas, it has been found that in order to market their fruit so as to obtain a reasonable price it is necessary to co-operate and protect one another for the common advantage;

"And, whereas, except this co-operation is entered into by practically all of the growers, a small minority may wreck the prosperity of all;

Therefore, he it resolved:

"1. That we express our determination to stand by the principles of co-operation and to do everything possible to make it a success;

"2. That we will seek to urge all to substitute co-operation for individualism, and show those who refuse to co-operate that their action represents a distinct menace to the fruit industry, and as such invites the antagonism not only of other fruit growers, but also of bankers, merchants and the general public of the province."

Jonathan Breakdown.

Two resolutions somewhat linked (Continued on Page 3)

"THE MAN FROM HOME" COMING

What is regarded as one of the most popular novels written by Booth Tarkington is "The Man From Home" and now, having reached the screen as a George Fitzmaurice Paramount production, it will be lived on the silver sheet of the Rialto theatre this week.

Booth Tarkington is an American novelist who has created many famous fictional characters. One recalls with delight his famous Penrod, who will take his place in history along with Mark Twain's Huck and Tom. One also has fond memories of his "The Gentleman From India" and other equally memorable works, not the least among which is "The Man From Home."

James Kirkwood, popular leading man, has the leading role and others prominent in the cast are Anna Q. Nilsson, Norman Kerry, Dorothy Cumming and John Milner. The adaptation was made by Ouida Berger.

KAMLOOPS-KELOWNA LINE DECISION

Kamloops—"We shall give our decision as to what shall be done with the Kamloops-Kelowna line in the very near future," Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, told an Okanagan delegation here.

He stated that the money allocated for branch line construction was limited, and that urgency would be the determining factor. "We shall not compete with the C.P.R." was another statement he made.

Sir Henry had a voluminous memorandum giving all the facts in connection with the line, and as he perused it he said it contained details as to cost of the line, probable tonnage and revenue, and added that where money had already been spent, on a line such as that into the Valley, it was a strong argument in its favor.

Those in the delegation were Mayor Sutherland, of Kelowna; F. Simmons and W. E. Adams, president of the Kelowna Board of Trade; Dr. Ord, Falkland, and W. E. McTaggart, president of the Associated and Vernon Boards of Trade.

MORE MONEY IS NEEDED SAYS COMMITTEE

Of Vital Importance to Our Business Men Says Committee's Report.

Business men and growers are not responding as they should to the call made by the special committee appointed to raise money to finance the growers' organization committee, according to the committee's report.

Further immediate contributions are urgently required.

The committee's report follows: To most of the Business Men and Some of the Growers of Summerland:

Your committee appointed to raise funds to cover our share of the expenses of the growers' organization committee, have to report that only the sum of \$112.70 has been collected to date. This sum is insufficient. It is quite obvious from the names on the subscription list that most of the business men have not realized the importance of this matter.

It is evident that business men of Vancouver are aware that the success or failure of the Okanagan fruit growers is a matter of vital interest to the province generally, and they have proved this by sending a strong delegation to the Kelowna convention.

It seems strange that so few of our local business men have, up to the present, responded to our appeal. There are still, of course, a considerable number of growers who have not subscribed and your committee would once more urge upon them the necessity of giving their share, which is by no means large, viz., 10 cents per acre, with a limit of \$2.

Your committee had hoped to close your subscription list by the end of the third week, but it has now been decided to keep it open for another week, in order that all members of the community may have ample op-

portunity of doing their part for the common good.

Your committee wish once more to express their obligation to the Review Publishing Co., for their generous co-operation.

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FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

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together were one from Grand Forks dealing with the question of government assistance, and one from North and South Kelowna on the subject of investigating the "break-down" of Jonathan apples. During the discussion on this latter matter, G. E. McIntosh informed the meeting that arrangements had been made to give this even more attention than it had received in the past.

Superintendent Helmer, Summerland Experimental Station, said that at the meeting of the Horticultural Society, held the previous day, it was decided that the color requirements in the case of Jonathans were too high. It had been proved that highly colored Jonathans broke down, but where the apples were picked early there was no trouble.

Mr. McIntosh said a national revision of color requirements was being made and would probably affect Jonathans.

Several growers told of their experiences, showing that early picked Jonathans stood up while highly colored fruit of that variety broke down.

Would Investigate.

The resolutions were adopted as follows:

"Whereas the present state of agriculture in this province is in a lamentably languishing condition, recognizing the fact that the welfare and prosperity of any country is directly dependent upon the prosperity of the farmers, therefore this association strongly urges that our provincial government should give greater consideration to the agricultural interests of the province."

"That the B.C.F.G.A. be asked to approach the Provincial and Federal governments with the request that they appoint an expert to investigate the trouble affecting Jonathans and that the matter be followed up until the cause and remedy have been found, and that other varieties having the same trouble be investigated at the same time."

The practical impossibility of using fish screens on irrigation ditches was dealt with by several delegates during the consideration of the following resolution:

"That B.C.F.G.A. protest to the Dominion government against the legislation making it compulsory to place screens on irrigation ditches."

Two other resolutions under the heading of "fish and game," were passed. They were as follows:

"Resolved, that on account of the damage done to fruit trees by grouse in recent years, that fruit growers be permitted to kill them when found doing damage to orchards."

"Resolved, that the government be requested that it be made permissible in settled districts for owners or their authorized agents, with an ordinary or farmers' license, to shoot bears when found doing damage to orchard land."

The first item at the morning session on Thursday was to have been an address by Dr. J. A. Ruddle, Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, Ottawa, but in a letter to the secretary, Mr. Ruddle explained that the government had decided very suddenly that he was to go on a special mission to Australia, leaving on Jan. 26th. Owing to pressure of matters which must receive his attention before leaving, he was unable to be present.

Cold Storage Advised.

Dealing with the subject upon which he was to have spoken, the writer stated there was no doubt whatever as to the value of refrigeration in the handling of fruit, and he felt satisfied that the industry would derive great benefit if cold storage facilities were available.

The difficulty in providing cold storage for fruit arose out of the reasonable nature of the business. A cold storage warehouse should belong to the growers rather than be operated as a separate venture unless there was sufficient cold storage business of other products to keep the space fairly well filled the year around.

There were three main uses for refrigeration in connection with the fruit growing industry: the pre-cooling of tender fruits before shipment, the holding of tender fruits for short periods while car lots are being collected and the storage of later varieties of apples for winter and spring use or to extend the season of choice varieties.

It is a distinct advantage to pre-cool all refrigerator shipments, he continued. It taxes the efficiency of a refrigerator car to hold the temperature sufficiently low even if fruit is pre-cooled, and if a refrigerator car is required to cool the fruit as well as hold it at a low temperature the results are not very satisfactory.

In pre-cooling, Mr. Ruddle stated it is of the greatest importance that

the fruit be placed in the cooler at the earliest possible moment after it is picked. It is a matter of hours not days. That was the secret of successful refrigeration of fruit.

Apples in Storage.

Well matured and colored apples will keep better than greener ones in cold storage, but the apples must be firm and not show any signs of softness. An apple in that stage is too ripe for successful handling in cold storage.

He also mentioned that markets for tender fruits could be steadied when there was a glut by means of cold storage and the system recently adopted of freezing strawberries, raspberries and other fruit intended for jam making.

With regard to the question of the location of cold storage, he said there was an advantage for quickly ripening varieties in having it as near the orchards as possible. For late varieties the best locality would be at the market points. This was a point the growers would have to settle for themselves.

Dealing in conclusion with various types of cars, he said iced cars should not be ventilated because warm air could not be introduced without adding moisture through condensation. In very high altitudes where the temperature is lower than that inside the car, ventilation would do no harm.

B. C. Berries Go East.

Dominion Fruit Commissioner McIntosh read a paper on "Current Fruit Problems," but before doing so told his hearers it had been proved that B. C. strawberries could be moved as far as Montreal in refrigeration cars and kept in perfect condition. The refrigerator cars, however, required some alteration, and the transportation companies were making the changes along the lines suggested by the department.

Dealing with the question of the icing and re-icing of refrigerator cars, he said he did not see how it would be possible successfully to handle fruit in refrigerator cars from the south end of the Valley unless icing facilities were provided there, and he believed arrangements to provide those facilities would be made.

He commented on the co-operation with which his department met in the matter of the inspection of fruit in British Columbia by saying that in no place did the department receive better support than here.

Railways Lose Millions.

The commissioner said it was an astonishing fact that during the past few years transportation companies in Canada had lost some five million dollars annually in loss and damage claims on fruit and vegetables. He felt that 75 per cent. of this can and will be eliminated as it has a bearing on the cost of marketing. In order to do this there must be, however, co-operation between shippers and transportation companies.

From now on, he claimed, British Columbia would have to figure on exporting one-third of its apple production, but it was unfortunate that so many slacks in barrel packs arrived on the United Kingdom markets, and he thought this affected the sales of the B. C. fruit to some extent. There were, however, no slacks in B. C. packs, but some boxes were not wired or were improperly wired, resulting in loss.

The greatest increase in the fruit industry in Canada, he continued, was found to be in British Columbia, where it only started 25 years ago, and rapidly developed into a commercial proposition.

He issued a warning against growers planting every kind of a tree listed in nursery catalogues, and urged that a few well known varieties be adhered to.

After outlining the success attained last year at the British Empire Exhibition, he said a show would be held during the coming year in Manchester from Oct. 27th to Nov. 4th.

It was decided to ask Mr. McIntosh to wire Commissioner J. Forsyth Smith asking that the date of this show be set back to Nov. 4.

"Sidelights on Vegetable Production" was the subject of an address delivered by A. McMeans, Dominion Seed Branch, Vancouver.

He called attention to the fact that it was time for the onion grower to place "quality onions" on the market instead of just onions. It was remarkable, he said, that the apple grower had standardized packages, but the onion grower had done nothing along that line.

Curing crates, he maintained, should be used, and the onions graded and packed in them 48 hours after being pulled. This would assist in maintaining the fresh appearance. The onions can afterwards be marketed in clean open mesh sacks. Crates, however, should always be used for storage purposes.

He also dealt with the question of tomato cultivation, and described

the methods of seed selection. By careful selection, he maintained, the grower could increase his yield in one year to the extent of one pound to a plant, and that meant one ton to the acre.

In conclusion, he said, a growers' produce always looks better to him than to anyone else in the world, and for that reason no grower should pack his own produce. Inferior grades and packs generally resulted. No one had a monopoly on farm produce but if quality is put into products and packing and grading carefully attended to the produce will gain a good place on the market as soon as the brand becomes known.

Votes of thanks were passed to Market Commissioner McIntosh and Mr. McMeans for their able addresses.

Competition.

Dean F. M. Clement, of the University of B. C., Vancouver, was the first speaker on Thursday afternoon, his subject being "Competition."

Competition assumes the right of freedom of action but can a man with 500 or 1000 boxes of fruit for sale bargain equally with a man who has a large financial backing, knowledge of markets, and social status, he asked in opening.

Going back in history to 1846, when free competition commenced in England, Dean Clement sketched the struggles for improved conditions among workers, and pointed out that the workers were unable to bargain equally with their well capitalized employers. The outgrowth was the formation of labor unions. He claimed that the man who thinks he can stand alone in competitive business has not read the pages of past history.

The dean then traced this thought through the present business conditions and pointed out that so far as fruit is concerned, the producer receives a certain price for his produce and the consumer pays a certain price for it, but there is a spread between these prices.

Part of this spread, he continued, was for packing, but the man who fixed this spread was not the efficient packer but the inefficient one. The efficient one could pack for perhaps 45c while the inefficient one barely made a profit at 65c. Thus it was that in competitive business the inefficient man set the spread.

A farmer organization, he went on, could not become a monopoly because it was economically impossible to control the supply. That was the reason there was absolute safety in a farmers' organization.

Again, he stated, the most inefficient man sets the price because he cannot bargain alone. The grower must have another medium to bargain for him equal to those with whom the bargain is made.

He cited the experience of various organizations in the United States, showing that they attempted to control supplies and failed because they worked contrary to economic rules. Attempts had also been made to improve conditions by government control, but these also failed.

Then, he said, in 1920 the movement for the federated farm bureaus commenced, but out of this grew the economic problem of marketing. Committees were formed to deal with this on the commodity basis, and as Mr. Sapiro had told them, they met success when they got down to the principle of merchandizing the produce.

Dean Clement then illustrated to show that an organization which controls the handling of produce from the producer to the distributor is the most efficient.

"How long are you going to be on a competitive basis?" he asked in conclusion. "How long will a man be allowed to contaminate the price and lower the standard of living for the whole district? Be selfish, that's all. Get every possible dollar for yourself. You will then get the one efficient man to do your business for you."

Marketing Mistakes.

Market Commissioner Grant, Calgary, spoke briefly on some openings for B. C. produce on the prairies, mentioning chiefly rhubarb, spinach and asparagus.

He said he understood that some Okanagan peaches had been fed to hogs during the last season. There was no need for that if the growers had been properly organized. When B. C. peaches were wanted on the prairie the peaches were not ripe and in reply to telegrams the reply came back from the Okanagan: "We have no peaches," instead of "Peaches not ripe." Consequently peaches were bought in the United States.

He also said the B. C. growers should cut out inferior products and concentrate on the products in which they can excel.

Right now, he stated, he had requests for f.o.b. quotations for Okanagan apples from the prairies, which he contended was conclusive proof a mistake had been made in rushing apples onto the market instead of having them available now.

C. Tice, provincial potato expert, outlined the work being done along

the lines of producing certified potato seed in B. C.

He hoped a place would be made in the new co-operative organization for potatoes as well as fruit.

A strong appeal to all berry growers to line up and enter the co-operative organization about to be formed, was made by President H. M. Eddie, of the B. C. Berry Growers' Association, Vancouver, in the course of an address on the subject of "The Fruit Situation as it Affects the Berry Grower."

Resolutions pointing out the difference in conditions which prevail in the Salmon Arm district and in the southwest Kootenay, as compared with conditions at Summerland, where the Dominion Experimental Farm is located, requested the Dominion government to establish an experimental farm at Salmon Arm, under non-irrigation, and another at a point in southwest Kootenay, where the position and conditions will tend to make this work most valuable to the district.

At present, the Horticultural Act, regarding compulsory spraying, requires a petition signed by the owners of at least 80 per cent. of the acreage. A resolution requested that this clause be made to read 80 per cent. of the growers.

Another resolution favored such legislation as will prohibit the importation of apples and pears from infested districts to Canadian territory, or otherwise, the imposing of a tax upon imported fruit sufficient to cover cost of codling moth inspection work both at point of importation and in the orchards. After some discussion, in which the new president, L. E. Taylor, Hon. E. D. Barrow, W. H. Lyne, chief inspector of imports, and R. G. L. Clarke, chief fruit inspector for B. C., participated, the resolution was lost. One of the chief arguments against it was that it might result in an embargo by the U. S. A. on Canadian fruit, whereas Aaron Sapiro had stated that a large market existed in the States for our produce.

By a vote of 30 to 20, the following resolution was carried:

"Resolved, that the B. C. F. G. A. are opposed to the principle of assessing the fruit industry or any portion thereof for the purpose of raising money for pest control."

Hon. E. D. Barrow spoke against this resolution, pointing out that present provincial revenue from fruit lands was not sufficient to meet the cost of pest control. E. Foley Bennett, Penticton, stated that the growers of his district, being aware of the seriousness of the menace, were prepared to be taxed to assist the whole industry in the Valley.

Oriental Question.

After considering two resolutions, one from Armstrong and the other from Mission, on the subject of Orientals, the association adopted another as follows:

"That this meeting is in favor of the resolution passed by the Legislature on Nov. 21, 1922, and be it further resolved that the government, Dominion of Canada, be petitioned to grant assent and accord active assistance to obtaining an amendment to the British North America Act, giving the province of British Columbia, at present the most affected, power to make laws prohibiting Asiatics acquiring proprietary interest in any form whatever in agricultural, timber, mineral lands in B. C., or in fishing or other industrial enterprises carried on within the province and from obtaining employment in any of the above mentioned industries. Further, that the government of the Dominion of Canada be requested not to grant adherence on the part of Canada to any treaty or binding international obligation in any form having the effect of limiting the authority of provincial legislatures as set out by the terms of this resolution. Further, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the secretary of state, Dr. King, minister of public works; Hon. Mr. Stewart, minister of interior, and all Federal members from B. C."

Farmers on the Shuswap Lake are asking for a better boat service and a resolution supporting them was carried without discussion.

North Kelowna presented a resolution asking the B.C.F.G.A. to go into the question of re-payment of government loans to water districts and agricultural industries, with a view to obtaining relief in the way of extension of time of re-payment.—Carried.

Express Rates.

Naramata—Resolved, that the time during which reduced rates on express shipments of fruit are operative, be extended.—Carried.

Keating, Vancouver Island, presented two resolutions, one asking for through express rates on berries from Vancouver Island. At present this commodity is handled as ordinary freight until it reaches Vancouver. Their second resolution pointed out the present demoralized marketing conditions and urged that resolutions be made to the railway commissioner for cheaper freight and express rates.

Summerland—Resolved, that we

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Solicitor for the Executors,
West Summerland, B.C.

express our appreciation of the Provincial Government and Legislature in pressing upon the Dominion Government the necessity of putting into force early in the season measures to prevent the dumping of fruit from outside on our home markets, and we urge that this matter be kept before the Dominion authorities in due season this year.—Adopted.

Dumping Laws.

The following resolution from Penticton was also carried:

Whereas, the operation of the Anti-Dumping Clause of the Tariff Act has been unsatisfactory during 1922, due largely to the length of time required to put it in force under the jurisdiction of the Governor-General-in-Council;

Therefore, be it resolved, that the Dominion Government be approached and asked to place the operation and enforcement of the Anti-Dumping regulations in the hands of the Minister of Customs with power to act.

Salmon Arm presented a resolution pointing out the handicap on B. C. exhibitors at the Imperial Fruit Show, and also that the Ontario government has stood behind its growers by bearing a share of the cost and sought the support of the provincial government by a grant that will put B. C. growers on an equal standing and thus lend assistance for the advancement of the industries in B. C.—Carried.

A resolution from North Kelowna asking for the appointment of a government horticulturist for the Kelowna District was also carried.

A resolution from Mission pointed out the necessity of barnyard manure, especially in berry growing, and requested the B.C.F.G.A., the Traffic and Credit Association, the Dominion Horticultural Branch and Canadian Council of Horticulture to endeavor to arrange for a cheap and plentiful supply of barnyard manure from Calgary stockyards at a cost of \$3 per ton to points in British Columbia.

Another from the same source sought a lower rate on carlots of berries to prairie points, with favorable through rates to Fort William and Port Arthur.

Mission would also have the government arrange an itinerary for the services of Aaron Sapiro among the fruit growers of B. C. He is wanted by the berry growers of the Fraser Valley and the Islands and in the Kootenays.

Hon. Mr. Barrow explained that an appropriation of \$2,000 is available, but could only be used for the mutual interests of all growers. The resolution, it was explained, covers all the branches of fruit and vegetables. The itinerary is to take Mr. Sapiro wherever he is wanted.

Other Resolutions.

It was agreed to ask for the assistance of the government in establishing cold storage plants in the province.

It was resolved to appeal for free importation of grading machines.

A resolution regarding the completion of the Kelowna-Kamloops branch of the C. N. R. as forwarded by the United Farmers, was endorsed.

It was decided to take immediate action with a view to obtaining adjustment of assessment on trees as improvements, and adjournment of courts of revision.

It was agreed to petition the Dominion government for the removal of sales tax on fruit boxes and crates.

It was moved by Col. Edgett "That the provincial government be requested to withhold proceedings to dispossess returned soldier settlers at Camp Lister, pending a report of the Federal parliamentary inquiry and reappraisal, with its possibilities of an amicable solution of the difficulties between the government and the men through the Federal Soldier Settlement Board.—Carried.

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Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and must make improvements to value of \$10 an acre, including clearing around 20 acres, at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of \$300 per annum and records same each year.

Failure to record improvements or record same in less than 5 years, and improvements of \$10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesteads; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

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Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price is made.

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The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

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Provision made for insurance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock owners may form Association for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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Peachland Doings

A Weekly Chronicle Furnished By Our Local Representative.

Mr. W. Allen Dowman, Vancouver, superintendent of agencies for Canada National Fire Insurance Co., paid a hurried visit to local agent, H. E. McCall, last week.

The regular monthly meeting of the Peachland W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. H. E. McCall on Friday, with the vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Keyes, in the chair who led devotional exercise. A letter from Miss Agnes Sproul, W. C. T. U. missionary, of Vancouver, acknowledged receipt of ten dollars sent for relief work. Arrangements were completed for the organizing of a Loyal Temperance Legion on Saturday, Jan. 27th, in the Municipal Hall. Members of the union are hoping for a large attendance of children and the hearty support and co-operation of the parents.

At the last meeting of the Women's Institute the president asked for suggestions for the year's program. Following are among the suggestions: A radiophone, cement sidewalks, waste paper receptacle screening for school windows, aving for the same, a moving picture machine and a town clock. These will be up for further discussion and decision. News was received that Dr. J. G. Shearer, general secretary of the Social Service Council of Canada, will give a public address in Peachland on Feb. 27th and he requests that all high and public school students be present.

R. J. Hogg made two short visits home last week, being still busy in connection with committee duties on the growers' organization.

Major and Mrs. Hardisty motored to Kelowna last week where he represented the Peachland growers at the growers' convention. They remained over the week-end, Miss Weston, who accompanied them, returning by the evening boat.

Ed. Morsh was a visitor to Kelowna on Saturday.

Mr. Geo. McBean and his sister

were out of town over the week-end, going south on Saturday's boat.

Mr. W. H. Irwin, of Naramata, was a week-end visitor in Peachland having stopped off Saturday evening on his way from the B. C. F. G. A. convention in Kelowna, where he represented his district. The purpose of Mr. Irwin's visit was to meet the workers of the Sunday schools and assist them in arranging for a Sunday School Institute, which they expect to hold about the middle of February. Mr. Irwin has been a very ardent worker in connection with Sunday schools for a long time, having served over 20 years in the Manitoba Sunday School Association and is now taking a keen interest in the work in the Valley. He has been a central factor in the S. S. Institutes held among the Naramata, Summerland and Penticton schools for a couple of years and it was largely through his instrumentality that the Peachland schools have been added to those of the three sister towns for the purpose of holding these institutes and thus increase the efficiency of the Sunday schools.

Mr. Irwin met the Peachland workers on Sunday afternoon in the Baptist church and after a short address a program for the Peachland Institute was drawn up and committees formed to carry out the arrangements.

Quite a number of the young people donned their skating costumes and hunted out their skates on Saturday night and motored to Hardy's Lake, where it was found there was a beautiful sheet of solidified aqua trimmed just to suit the spirits of the party. They, one and all, report having had a swell skate and contemplate making further use of it while it keeps in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bartfay and family, of Fenwood, Sask., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zold. They are looking over the country with a view to settling in B. C.

Mr. J. T. Long, of the Great Ranch, spent a day in Kelowna recently discussing with officials and growers the best varieties of apples to plant.

Mr. Sauter, of Vernon, was in the community last week gathering hides. He was accompanied by Will Gellatly.

When working out the problems of finance with each local and the investor providing the capital, the advantage or disadvantages of one or other system may be found greater than has been apparent in the course of our investigations, and it would not be wise for this meeting definitely to commit itself to one system or the other.

There is still another plan which might be followed, under which the independent shipper plants which are needed would be acquired and held by a holding company for each District, the shares of which would be held by growers desiring to form a new Local Holding Company for the purpose.

Such buildings might then be rented to the Local operating company and operated as part of the unit composed of the old Local's buildings and the new Local's buildings.

We feel, however, that the Local and general problems are so varied that they can only be satisfactorily dealt with by the new Committee that will doubtless be appointed or by the directors of the Organization having the necessary authority to adopt the most workable plan.

There is another matter requiring consideration which can only be dealt with by the incoming directors. The plans already outlined would provide for acquiring the packing houses and equipment of private shipping firms only.

The Okanagan United Growers Limited holds in trust for the growers who have been shipping through it, certain assets, such as a building in Vernon, shares in and advances to the Fruit Products Company, secured advances to the Wood Products Company and machinery.

These interests of growers should receive full consideration in the proposed re-organization. While it is not suggested that the Selling Company, the formation of which we recommend, should take any responsibility or liability in regard to such investments, it can and should cooperate in any way in its power in devising plans for realizing on these assets to the greatest advantage to the growers whose money is invested in them.

In conclusion we desire to report to this meeting that in seeking the best solution for the many problems connected with the proposed new organization we have found in the directors of the Okanagan United Growers, Ltd., and independent shippers whom we consulted, an attitude of friendly co-operation and a readiness to afford us all necessary information and assistance in paying the way for the larger movement that has rendered it possible for us to bring this difficult task to the advanced stage it has now reached.

F. E. R. WOLLASTON, Chairman, Growers' Organization Committee.

SHORT COURSES IN AGRICULTURE

The faculty of agriculture in the University of British Columbia have prepared short courses to be given during this month and next. A course in Poultry Husbandry closed last Saturday and continuing through this week and all of next, is a course in Agronomy and Animal Husbandry. During the week beginning Feb. 5th,

Naramata News

Current Events of Town and District

Mr. W. H. Irwin has been in communication with church officers at Peachland and hopes to include the Sunday school of that town in the series of institutes now being held.

The Ladies' Aid held their regular meeting in the church basement on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. F. Young presided and Mrs. A. C. George served tea. There was a good attendance. Some improvements to the church property were decided on by the meeting, and will be put in hand at once.

Mr. John Smith is back from the Summerland hospital and reports good progress towards recovery.

A merry party of Badminton enthusiasts visited the Summerland players by special ferry on Thursday afternoon and spent a good time in the gymnasium for two or three hours. All told, the combined teams numbered about 35. The Summerland ladies served tea and refreshments to their guests, who returned to their home town at 5.30.

A whist drive, under the auspices of Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Nuttall, Mrs. Horswill and Mrs. Routh, was held in the Unity Club on Thursday evening, the proceeds to be devoted to the cemetery fund. About thirty persons were present. Mrs. Geo. Cook won the first prize for ladies, and Mr. Cook secured the trophy on the men's side. The "booby" prizes were awarded to Mrs. Grimaldi and Bert Partridge. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Until Dr. Andrew snapped the loose ends together, Geo. Weaver did not know he had been going around for a week with a broken rib, although he had been painfully aware that something was wrong. The break occurred when Mr. Weaver slipped up on some rising ground in West Summerland and fell forward. He and Mr. J. Smith now take turns at being strapped up by the doctor.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Anglican church met on Friday at the home of Mrs. Cook, a large number of members being present. The meeting being the first one of the New Year, the officers for the coming season were elected, Mrs. Langueodoc being again chosen for president, Mrs. Weaver for vice-president, and Mrs. Horswill for secretary. Tea was served by Mrs. Cook.

Mr. W. H. Irwin, who attended the Kelowna meeting as delegate to the B. C. F. G. A. last week, reports a very enthusiastic and successful gathering. He stayed over till Saturday to hear the speech of Mr. Oliver, partner of Mr. Sapiro, and was impressed by the evident scope of his knowledge on marketing matters. Mr. Irwin remained at Peachland over Sunday and completed arrangements with the S. S. officials there for an institute gathering to be held in that town about the middle of February.

A great number of appeals have gone in against the tax notices lately received, as these do not show the 50 per cent. reduction of the tree tax passed by the provincial government, and it is understood that this will have to be adjusted at the courts of revision.

We regret that in last week's report of the Naramata S. S. Institute, the name of Mrs. D. O. Hughes was omitted as convener of the luncheon committee to the delegates.

there are two courses, one in Dairy and the other in Farm Economics. A two weeks' course in Horticulture, Insects and Diseases begins on Feb. 12th.

The registration fee for the entire course of seven weeks is ten dollars, or for any two weeks, five dollars. No examination or special entrance requirements are made.

If any of our readers are interested, they should apply to the Registrar of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver.

SUMMERLAND MAN NOW MANUFACTURER

There was recently published in the local paper at Renfrew, Ont., a very interesting story on the making of ice cream and butter in the Renfrew Creamery, of which Walter M. Wright, until recently a resident of Summerland, is manager.

The occasion of the write-up was a visit, by invitation, of the teachers of the public schools and the students of the Model school to the creamery, to learn of the processes involved in the manufacture of its products.

Judging from the tone of the tone of the story, Mr. Wright is making good in his new undertaking and this information, in itself, will be welcome news to many of his friends here.

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NOTICE.

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Blank forms upon which to submit applications may be obtained from the District Foresters at the above named places, or from the Department of Lands at Victoria, B.C.

G. R. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands, Victoria, B.C., January 4th, 1923. 779-84

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Coming Events

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Three good games of basketball, Friday, 26th, 7.30 p.m., at College Gymnasium. Kelowna Scouts vs. Summerland Scouts. Admission, 25 cents.

Don't forget Whist Drive to be held in Parish Hall, in aid of the G. W. V. A. building fund, Monday 29th, at 8 o'clock sharp. 781

LOCAL PLAYERS IN TOURNAMENT

Summerland Badminton players made a very creditable showing at a Badminton tournament held at Kelowna on Saturday and Monday. Vancouver and Vernon, in addition to Kelowna and Summerland, were represented. In all, there were about 100 entries, but as Summerland did not send any women players, the number of events participated in by this town was restricted.

The local Badminton club was represented by Messrs. P. G. Dodwell, R. G. Russell and E. R. Faulder.

Of the five open events in which Summerland entered, the results were as follows:

Men's Singles—R. H. Hill, Kelowna, 1; P. G. Dodwell, Summerland, 2.

Men's Doubles—Hill and E. Dart, Kelowna, 1; Russell and Dodwell, Summerland, 2.

Mixed Doubles—R. H. Hill and Mrs. Bolton, Kelowna, 1; R. G. Russell, Summerland, and Miss Judge, Kelowna, 2.

Men's Doubles, handicap—E. R. Faulder, Summerland, and J. B. Whitehead, Kelowna, 1; Col. Bolton and A. Willis, Kelowna, 2.

Mixed Doubles, handicap—Dodwell and Miss Pearson, Vancouver, 1; Hill, Kelowna, and Miss Bodie, Vancouver, 2.

The Summerland representatives speak very complimentary of the manner in which they were entertained by the Kelowna club. All the visitors, they state, had a splendid time.

SUMMERLAND WEATHER REPORT

Below is a report furnished by the Dominion Experimental Station here for the week ending Tuesday:

	Max.	Min.	Rain	Snow	S.S.
Jan. 17-40	36	.02	.....	0.0	
Jan. 18-36	29	.....	0.6		
Jan. 19-37	24	.....	7.2		
Jan. 20-30	21	.....	7.2		
Jan. 21-30	19	.....	0.0		
Jan. 22-34	23	.....	3.8		
Jan. 23-34	27	.....	3.6		

A man usually gets what he deserves in the end, but he gets a lot of good things that he doesn't deserve in the meantime.

TIMBER SALE X4763

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forester, Vernon, not later than noon on the 31st day of January, 1923, for the purchase of Licence X4763, near Aeneas Creek, to cut 205 cords of Pine and Fir Cordwood. Two years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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PASSING EVENTS

LOCAL, PERSONAL, SOCIAL & OTHERWISE

A. Milne is continuing his discount sale for another week. 781

W. Johnston returned Tuesday night from a short business visit to the prairies.

Mr. Steinbeck is building on his lot adjoining the town gulch, next to Carter's plumbing shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mitchell have as their guest his brother, Mr. David Mitchell, of Manitoba, who is on his way east from a visit to the Coast.

Motor owners and chauffeurs are reminded that they must get their licenses from Government Agent Dewdney, at Penticton. Those without a license by Feb. 1st, are liable to penalty.

Summerland delegates to the organization convention, held on Saturday and Monday at Kelowna, will report at a public meeting to be held in the Rialto theatre, Saturday afternoon. Formal announcement of the meeting is made in our advertising columns.

S. D. Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cooper, Peach Orchard, arrived here Tuesday morning to spend a few weeks with relatives. Mr. Cooper has been connected with one of the large daily papers at Johannesburg, S. Africa. From South Africa he went to Australia, and from there here. After a few weeks here he will visit Vancouver, Chicago and New York, and will then proceed to London.

A very enjoyable dance was given by the operating staff of the Summerland Telephone Co., on Tuesday night in the R. H. English cottage recently vacated by A. Walden. About thirty-two invited guests were present, the number in attendance having been, of necessity, limited on account of the lack of accommodation. The operators plan to make this an annual event, and hope, next year, to be able to entertain a much larger crowd.

Rev. Jas. Dunlop, recently pastor of the Summerland Baptist church, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Central Baptist church, St. John, N.B. Mr. Dunlop has been filling the pulpit of that church for some time and has been considering the request of the church to become their pastor. A recent copy of a St. John paper states that he has accepted. The church has a membership of about 600.

C. Orr and J. Tait, directors.

Mrs. Fosbery, in a few opening remarks, explained the purpose of calling the meeting and submitted rules and regulations which she thought would be suitable for the purpose, and asked that these be considered by the gathering.

J. Tait was appointed to the chair and Miss Cartwright was secretary. Mr. Tait described poultry as one of the best producing lines that might be taken up locally. He declared that orchardists are not making the best of their opportunity if they do not keep poultry.

It was stated by Mrs. Fosbery that L. W. Rumball would undertake the buying of feed and supplies on a 10 per cent. margin and that he would also receive, grade, pack and market the eggs on a per dozen charge. This and other details will be dealt with by the directors.

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EGG PRODUCERS IN ASSOCIATION

Summerland Poultry and Produce Association was formally launched at a meeting of poultrymen, held in St. Andrew's Hall, Tuesday evening. Forty-two local egg producers joined the new organization that night and a number of others are expected to sign up immediately.

Mrs. W. C. W. Fosbery was elected president; C. J. Amm, vice-president; P. E. Knowles, sec.-treas.; Mrs. T.

COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED BY THE REEVE

Standing committees were appointed by Reeve J. R. Campbell at the first meeting of the municipal council, held on Thursday afternoon. Two councillors were appointed to each committee, the first named being chairman. The reeve is ex-officio, a member of each committee. Here is the line-up as made by Reeve Campbell.

Water Committee—Coun. Kirk and Ritchie.

Finance Committee—Coun. Ritchie and Kirk.

Electric Light Committee—Coun. Bristow and Johnston.

Public Works Committee—Coun. Johnston and Bristow.

Though still suffering from his recent serious accident, Reeve Campbell presided throughout the meeting, which lasted most of the afternoon.

The resolutions adopted at the ratemakers' meeting in the Rialto theatre and already reported in these columns, were presented by Capt. H. H. Creeve.

One dealt with the supply of irrigation water limited by the department to 2 1/2 acre feet, and pointed out that this was inadequate for the necessity of the orchards of the district and also claimed that our watershed was capable of providing a larger supply.

The resolution was tabled, as was also those relating to the putting of measuring boxes into general use and the resolution of sympathy to Reeve Campbell and his family. Doubtless each of these will be dealt with later.

The Canada Colonization Association asked for, and will be given, a list of undeveloped lands within the municipality, owned by non-residents.

It was decided that the account of the Forest Ranger for bringing his fire engine to the fire in which the Union and C. P. R. properties suffered, will be paid by the municipality.

An extension of the electric light system was approved, to serve the properties of Mrs. Bentley and Messrs. Sanderson, Guidi and Fenner, the latter until recently being the Jenkins home.

Coun. Kirk submitted plans necessary to legalize an exchange of road allowances, now running through the Dale meadows, for a road along the southern edge, following practically the now travelled road. This was held over until next meeting.

The municipal electrician reported that an extension to the power lines had been made to include the Rialto theatre and Schwass' workshop. Connections had not yet been made to either.

Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month will be regular meeting dates.

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Plum, 4-lb. tin.85	Peas18
Apricot, 4-lb. tin.85	Tomatoes15
Loganberry, 4-lb. tin.90	Large Size.	
Raspberry, 4-lb. tin.90	Pumpkin15
Strawberry, 4-lb. tin.90	Large size.	

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CORNED BEEF, 1's33

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SUNLIGHT SOAP, carton28

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accompanied Mr. Sapiro on his tour through the valley, he perceived that about 90 per cent of the growers had the right co-operative spirit. He was prepared to predict to the convention that if it adopted the plan outlined in the report, or any other scheme which embodied the principles therein outlined, 90 per cent of the growers would sign up with the organization. That he was not over sanguine in making this prediction, he remarked, was proved by the reports which had been received from many of the districts.

This, he continued, was partly because the growers realized they had no alternative but to get together if they would save the industry from ruin, but he believed, even if the growers felt that it was not a matter of necessity they would make a choice in favor of the co-operative organization, now that they saw the benefits which they would derive from it.

The growers were face to face with a crisis, he remarked emphatically. For that reason Aaron Sapiro had been brought into the valley to define a working basis for a co-operative scheme and for that reason also the committee had presented the growers with a report along the lines laid down by Mr. Sapiro. The growers had had some experience with co-operation in the past and were disgusted. Now they wanted to know if the scheme before them would work out more successfully.

He was there, he said, to show them that the committee had outlined a plan which had been tried in California and found to be a success and if the growers of British Columbia would do as suggested they could obtain the same results in this province (applause).

Mr. Oliver then traced the scheme from the grower to the apex of the organization, the selling agency in a manner so clear that every point was registered on the minds of his hearers.

The scheme proposed that the growers be organized under a five year contract in local, or, as they were called in the Okanagan, unions, he continued. There are, he said, a number of growers already members of these locals while others had made contracts direct with the O.U.G. The directorate of the O.U.G. was, however, preparing a release of all such contracts, but there were limitations to growers he said, which must be met (applause).

Manifesting true combativeness but not a trace of maliciousness, Mr. Oliver went on to say, the growers must not forget that the independent shippers, while pretending to favor co-operation, were already putting out propaganda. If they could split that convention wide open, they would do it, but he was going to tell the growers plainly the principles of the O.U.G. were right (applause). In criticism, but also in the spirit of kindness it must be said the directors had not met often enough, but when all was said and done, the growers were the ones who were to blame for the O.U.G. not being a success (applause) because the growers had not understood all that co-operation meant. (Renewed applause).

Returning to the subject of the release of contracts being prepared by the directorate of the O.U.G. the speaker remarked that it was necessary in order that those now under contract might sign new contracts with the new organization. The new organization, which name for the time being was the Fruit Growers of British Columbia Ltd., which name for the time being was the Fruit Growers of British Columbia Ltd., which name for the time being was the Fruit Growers of British Columbia Ltd.

Thus the growers already affiliated with an existing local would constitute one class. Those who resided in the vicinity of an organized local but not affiliated therewith would constitute a second class and would join that local and for those whose land is not near enough to a local for them to affiliate, provision is made for them to form themselves into locals. This would place every grower signing up on an absolutely equal basis.

In many places, he pointed out, the locals would not have sufficient facilities to handle all the crop produced by their members. In such places the scheme before them provided for the taking over by the directors of the locals of sufficient of the plants owned by independent shipping houses as required. The directors would decide how much of such plants was necessary and would take over that much and no more. The growers should not feel that they were obliged to take over all the independent's plants or all of any one plant, but the plan did not suggest putting up a new plant and forcing the independent to scrap his plant.

All in One Central Each and all locals existing or to be created will, under the scheme, be explained, be drawn into one central association. The growers could have all the locals they desired, but they would not get any further with them than with independent houses unless they have the whole controlled by the central organization.

Mr. Oliver recommended that the minimum of growers set in the contract to be signed up before the contract becomes binding be 75 per cent and that they go ahead and strive for the 90 per cent, which he was sure could be secured.

"Get as many into the organization as possible," was his advice, "but do not try to force any man to sign."

"In California, as a general principle they thought that idea was moral; but wrong. They were a free people free to dispose of their produce as

they thought best, but if a man got in their way they gave him a scrap and if possible put him out of business. It was not a good principle, he said, to hoggie a man and force him into the organization. A grower roped in that manner was no good anyway.

The next point of importance was to have a man at the head of affairs with thorough business ability, Mr. Oliver claimed.

The directorate of the central organization, he went on to explain, would consist of 17 members, 16 of whom would be appointed by the growers and one by the Association Boards of Trade of the Okanagan and Kootenays. For the purpose of electing this directorate the directors of each local would meet and select one "elector." The "electors" representing the locals would then meet and elect the directors of the central organization according to districts. The directorate of central would then select from its number an executive of three or five, all of whom must be bona fide growers. The representative of the associated boards of trade, could not be a member of this executive although the executive might invite him to sit with them when necessary.

The members of this executive should be paid for their services as they would be required to sit at least two or three days each week and should be "on the job" all the time during the packing season. If the executive does not keep on the job, he said, get rid of them and appoint others.

Manager a Salesman

The general manager, Mr. Oliver continued, should be essentially a salesman, and be appointed by the executive, which also would appoint the staff in consultation with the manager. The manager and staff would consist of experts and efficient men who would be required to give the benefit of their knowledge to the executive in an advisory capacity, but the executive would retain the control of the policy in all matters, applying the advice given by the staff along sane business lines.

With regard to the question of finance, Mr. Oliver gave details of the plan outlined in the report, and said the growers could adopt either or a combination of both of these, as they were absolutely sound.

He recommended the system of a "holding company" as the most attractive to investors, but said the central organization should be kept separate and should only have to do with its plants or warehouses, which might be necessary at distributing points.

This undertaking under consideration, Mr. Oliver said, in making an earnest appeal for broadness of mind, was the biggest thing in the history of the province. Co-operation failed before because the growers did not fully realize what it was all about. From now on the growers would get the idea more and more. In the past there had been too much inclination to talk about "your co-operative"; learn to speak of "our business" and "our co-operative organization."

Big Business

"It is big business—the biggest in the province; go after big men to run it," he said in conclusion. "If you elect your representatives and then sit back, you will fail. It is after you have elected your representatives that your work will commence. Stay on the job or else fire them. If you don't do this you deserve to fail."

"The spirit of co-operation is here and you have no right to fail—you will not fail. The intelligence is here—lots of it, more than we had in California, and I am not handing you taffy. You have exceptionally intelligent communities; you have the men who will do your work right and give all that is in them when they realize they are doing big business."

"When Mr. Sapiro or I speak in your valley we can stir up nothing but a 'revival' unless you go back to your districts and preach it; see that it goes out through the papers and that everyone gets it. If you will do that you cannot possibly fail."

When Mr. Oliver ceased to speak the applause lasted for fully a minute and a half.

The chairman of the committee of seven, Mr. Wollaston, moved a hearty vote of thanks to the speaker. The audience did not wait for this to be put to the meeting, but renewed the applause and then, moved by one accord, stood and sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," followed by repeated cheering.

Answered Queries Mr. Oliver then answered a number of questions and in doing so gave the following information:

The blanket system of holdings for local plants could be changed to a local system as soon as each local had its plant paid for, or the local system inaugurated at the start, but investors would be more attracted by the blanket system, the security being better. It was, however, a matter of policy for the directors to decide.

Growers already signed up with independent houses could not or should not be urged to break their contracts, but in the case of independent shippers who were going out of business the growers would be automatically relieved. Where growers were owing money to independent shipping houses which were going out of business, the growers' organization arrangements would have to be made for the shipping house to assign this debt to the growers' local as an asset to collect.

The chief reason for saying they could operate successfully with only 50 per cent of the growers signed up was because it had been done by similar organizations in California; but even with that percentage, with good management, it was possible to go

out and make a good market. One wrong idea which had got into the minds of the growers here was that a monopoly was necessary. Nothing was more fallacious. If the growers could not operate without having a monopoly, they would be well advised to go out of business. Merchandising was not a monopoly, but meant fixing the price at the point of consumption and not at the point of production.

The idea had been instilled into the minds of the growers by the independent shippers that there is a limited market for their fruit. Co-operation knows no limit. In California the organizations are so used to going out and making new markets that they think no more of limits. The growers had been told that the prices were their market. They should forget that. They could get a good average price for an immense amount of fruit shipped into the States.

In Washington With regard to co-operative organizations in Washington and Oregon, Mr. Oliver explained that each organization had its own manager, and whenever an attempt was made to unite the whole, they were all willing—providing their own manager was put in charge. Mr. Sapiro, however, had written recently, saying he believed the formation of a big co-operative organization was in sight.

Individual growers, he said, should be kept completely and constantly informed on every angle of the business. This was in the interest of the association. Ignorance on the part of growers is destructive of co-operation. A good publicity department must be organized and then everyone kept fully advised of all that was going on. Financial statements should be issued from time to time. Directors' meetings, books and all papers on file should be open to the shareholders.

Growers were warned that because they had co-operated they could not expect everything to go smoothly. There would be kicks and troubles, but these things were generally adjusted by the field secretary.

Locals at present formed the members of which have paid a part or the whole of shares taken for building and equipment, would carry on as before under the new organization. An audit would be made, however, and each shareholder would know the value of his shares. New members coming in would be required to pay as much on their shares as old members, but no far as the old members would be asked to make further payments.

No arrangements had been made as to the destiny of the O. U. G., but the O. U. G. would not receive anything to which any independent shipping business was not entitled upon being taken over by the organization. The O. U. G. would be absorbed by the new organization, but the same basis as any independent shipping organization. Growers, however, should be specially warned against independent shippers' propaganda on this point.

He expressed the opinion that the more successfully the "Anti-dumping" law was operated the greater would be the success of the fruit industry, but no far as the growers were concerned, the sale of Okanagan peaches which were not ready to market until two weeks later, Mr. Oliver remarked that at the other end of the season B. C. growers could find clear markets in the States.

Hon. E. D. Barrow and others paid tributes to Mr. Oliver for the manner in which he had worked, with the exception of R. M. Winslow and General Harman, who expressed their appreciation of the speaker's preparing the complete scheme. After some discussion it was decided to leave the adoption of the report over until Monday in order that delegates would have plenty of time for consideration.

Monday's Meetings The tone of the meetings on Monday, which commenced at 10 a.m. and lasted, with necessary adjournments, until 1.30 a.m. Tuesday morning, was of no less hopeful and determined nature than Saturday, but reflected the difficulties which all realized must of necessity be met and overcome before the scheme can be successfully put into operation.

The first business of importance on Monday morning was the consideration of the committee's report. A good deal of time was spent discussing details of the organization's functions, the method of appointing the general manager and duties of the proposed executive.

One of the most valuable things achieved by the missionaries of co-operation, Aaron Sapiro and Boyd Oliver, was clearly shown to be the drawing together for the common good of the many growers and business men of the interior, but also the big business interests at the coast. This was shown by the presence in the convention of a delegation from the Vancouver board of trade, consisting of W. E. Payne, secretary of the board; Hugh Dalton, secretary of the B.C. branch of the Canadian Manufacturers Association; A. Melville Dollar, general manager of the Canadian Dollar Steamship Co.; Geo. F. Gyles, of Price, Waterhouse & Co.; W. E. Bland and W. J. Blake Wilson, general manager of Pa. Burns & Co. The meeting rendered valuable assistance by suggesting in a report presented after they had held a committee meeting on Monday afternoon, a scheme for financing the new organization and promising their assistance in putting that scheme through.

The appreciation of the growers and business men of the interior was shown by the warmth of the reception of their report and the cheering and singing of "For they are Jolly Good fellows" by which a vote of thanks to them was expressed.

South End Represented The south end of the valley was given full representation on the new committee formed, thus providing for the proper care of soft fruit interests. In the Monday evening session a scene was enacted, which although it smothered the deplorable conditions into which the low fruit prices have

placed a number of growers, was particularly from an outsiders point of view, of a very interesting nature. It transpired that there were certain financial obligations to the members of the special committee and a need for providing funds to carry on the work of the organization. The convention was unanimously of the opinion that the debt to the committee should be discharged promptly as those gentlemen were all very much out of pocket through their self sacrificing efforts on behalf of their fellow growers. An example of this was mentioned that General Harman had entirely neglected his place and all home interests for a period of four months.

It was suggested that to meet this debt a levy of \$200 be made on each district per delegate. The carrying out of this, however, was clearly impractical, several delegates, in fact a large majority being certain that the growers in their districts although no doubt willing, absolutely could not raise the money.

Various schemes were then proposed but the convention appeared to be up against a blank wall. During this discussion, Mayor Sutherland told the delegates it was the intention of members of the Kelowna board of trade to go out and assist in the formation of a new committee. This statement had been revised and prepared by the new committee. This statement was most enthusiastically received.

Started Ball Rolling J. Goldie, of Okanagan Centre, one of the special committee of seven, then proposed a plan for raising the debt to the committee, heading the list with a guarantee of \$100 in which he was immediately joined by the other six members of the committee.

The meeting was then thrown open for voluntary guarantees, on the understanding that the money would be refunded to those putting it up, when the new organization's incorporation fund is available. Mr. Goldie declared that he would not give his \$100 as a loan but as a gift for the good of the cause, but the understanding was left void that others would advance the loan.

The chairman then called for all delegates or business men present willing to guarantee \$100 to stand and the ensuing scene was one similar to a revival meeting. A number rose to their feet and while they stood their names, others bobbed up, one or two at a time. When all their names had been enrolled other delegates stood and guaranteed \$50 each. By this time the sum of about \$4,600 had been guaranteed and everyone was in good spirits.

The chairman announced that the money promised, together with what it would later be found possible to raise in districts whose representatives had felt unable to make any guarantee, would be sufficient, but someone called "make it \$5,000" and the sum was increased. This time it reminded one of an auction with delegates raising their \$50 bids to \$100 and others coming through with various offers. When the \$4,900 point had been reached, Blake Wilson, from Vancouver, stepped into the gap and made the guarantee up to an even \$5,000, amid applause.

On New Directorate The special committee of seven, with the exception of R. M. Winslow and General Harman, who expressed inability to serve for at least four weeks were elected as members of the provisional directorate of the Co-operative Growers of British Columbia Limited, by acclamation, the name of F. A. Lewis, Rutland, being added to the list. The provisional directorate of the vegetable growers. This left four other directors to be elected, as the provisional directorate will consist of ten members with power to add to their number.

Eight were nominated as follows: G. Constable, Creston, as representative of the berry-growers; A. Des Brisay and F. H. Keane, Penticton; G. Coulter White, Summerland; H. B. Morley, Naramata; G. A. Barratt and R. W. Corner, Glenmore; J. R. Kinghorn, Sorrento. The ballot resulted in the election of Messrs. Constable, Keane, Morley and White.

This made the complete committee to be as follows: J. J. Campbell, Nelson; F. E. R. Wollaston, Goldstream; J. Goldie, Okanagan Centre; Col. E. Scott, Salmon Arm; R. J. Hogg, Peachland; F. A. Lewis, Rutland; G. Constable, Creston; C. White, Summerland; F. H. Keane, Penticton; H. B. Morley, Naramata.

Mr. Goldie announced that as a result of an interview the members of the board of trade had promised to send in two men, a good financier and a good general business man to assist this provisional directorate in its work. It was also understood that Mr. Winslow who has probably more knowledge of the general situation in the fruit industry than any other individual in the province, would, for the present, be retained as honorary secretary.

Report Adopted The full report presented by the special committee of seven, after a few slight amendments had been made, was adopted unanimously as to the recommendation of the convention to the provisional directorate. This report appears elsewhere in this issue.

There was considerable discussion with regard to the various functions of the organization. The particular point brought out in this was the expression on the part of delegates of the opinion that it would be better for the central organization to do the bargaining with canneries on behalf of growers. It was, however, pointed out that Mr. Sapiro had strongly advised against this and all growing produce expressly for canning could form bargaining associations such as had just been done by the Kelowna tomato growers in which 10 per cent of growers, white and Chinese, had signed up. These organizations, even if in different districts could act co-operatively in dealing with the canneries, and the newly formed organization could handle any produce not grown expressly for canning purposes, such as semi-ripe tomatoes, soft fruit, etc.

The question of the hiring and firing of the

managers of locals. In this connection Mr. Oliver explained that the directorate of the local would have the authority to hire and fire the local manager, but they would be guided in this by the general manager and executive of the central organization in unity of system and general harmony.

The Matter of Money E. Foley-Bennett called the attention of the convention and members of the provisional directorate to the fact that in Penticton Aaron Sapiro had stated that he could put his hand on just such a man as was required for general manager. He suggested this be borne in mind when the manager was appointed. Mr. Foley-Bennett also repeated the statement he made at the convention of the B.C.F. G.A. to the effect that the managers of the banks in Penticton would consider the organization an edge security and help it to the limit if it was formed along the lines laid down by Mr. Sapiro, with ninety per cent of the growers signed up on a five year contract.

Mr. Gyles, on behalf of the delegation from Vancouver, presented the report after the committee meeting. In this it was stated that 85 per cent of the growers should be signed up to give the organization satisfactory strength. All assets of shipping houses, independent of co-operative, to be absorbed by the organization. One holding company should be formed with all assets free so that a first mortgage for debentures can be placed thereon. A portion of these debentures would be sold to provide cash which would be used together with the balance of the bonds to acquire the fixed assets of independent growers required. Second debentures would have to be issued to cover the assets of growers' local organizations. In addition a binding agreement would have to be made so that the central controlling company would receive 5c per box on all sales, the proceeds of which would be used to pay interest and sinking fund. If this plan was adopted it was stated, the Vancouver

delegation undertook to approach the financial houses and assist in putting the scheme through. It was also suggested that a delegation from the provisional directorate go to the coast to consult with the interests there, including a special meeting of the board of trade which would be called for the occasion.

Mr. Blake Wilson said the people at the coast realize probably better than those of the interior the big market outlet which Vancouver was destined to become for the fruit of the interior. The natural way to the world's market, he maintained, was by way of Vancouver. Vancouver people were ready to co-operate with the interior for the prosperity of the growers meant the prosperity of the public at large.

Mr. Dollar claimed that when the organization is formed there is no reason why B. C. fruit should not capture a fine place in the world's markets. There is, he said, a great future before B. C. apples in China.

Close Co-operation During the proceedings Mr. Winslow called attention to the fact that there was to be a success made of the co-operative undertaking there must be the closest co-operation possible between business men, both of the interior and coast, bank managers, the government and the press.

The "membership agreement" as drawn up by the special committee and submitted for approval received considerable attention and some amendments were made, the most important of which was the setting of the percentage of loanage to be signed up before contracts become binding at 80 per cent. This was a compromise between those delegates who considered 75 per cent sufficient and those who would have set it at 85 per cent.

The tentative marketing agreement submitted was not discussed, it being decided that delegates would put suggestions or alterations in writing and submit them to the provisional directorate.

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