

EDITORIAL

Reeve Powell Retires

Municipally, Summerland says goodbye this month to a man who has held office as reeve of the municipality for a longer time than any other public official. Reeve Walter R. Powell, "W.R." to his large coterie of friends and acquaintances, has announced he will retire from public office.

Last year, Reeve Powell declared he was through. But he was persuaded against the advice of those who feared for his health, to accept the post as chief magistrate for one more year.

That year is now drawing to a close and Reeve Powell states in definite terms that he cannot continue for any further period. His close acquaintances know full well the strain which public office has been for him and they admire him for the manner in which he has carried on despite the nervous tension the task has meant.

In three separate periods, W.R. has held office as His Worship of Summerland. He will probably always be best known for his work in obtaining an adequate water supply for this community.

For years, Summerland orchards suffered from lack of water. Thirsk dam was the answer and it was during Reeve Powell's regime that this construction was put through. This dam has meant that Summerland has an ample water supply for its ever-increasing acreage under production, and probably sufficient for any further increases within its present boundaries.

Reeve Powell's native sagacity has stood him well during his ten years as head of municipal affairs in Summerland. He has ruled municipal affairs with sound judgment, albeit he has sometimes appeared to be overbearing in his methods. We have seldom observed a man in similar position who didn't have to "crack the whip" on occasion.

Summerland will miss Reeve Powell in municipal affairs as his guidance has been good. However, he has given a good background to those who are to carry on and they have become well versed in the pitfalls which crop up from time to time.

At the time of writing, it would appear that two well-known and respected citizens of the community will contest the seat left vacant on the retirement of Mr. Powell.

C. E. Bentley has been known as "Ned" throughout Summerland and the South Okanagan for about two score years. He served on the council for four years until 1936, when he had four years in the higher office. He came back into municipal affairs at the start of this year, so he has had plenty of municipal experience behind him.

F. E. "Ted" Atkinson has served as councillor for the past three years and his record in that time has been a fine one. He has been praised for his committee work, especially on the electric light committee this year.

Both men have had a hand in countless committees and executive work throughout the community and their ability is well known.

We expect to see an interesting election contest for the reeveship, a state of affairs which is healthy for any community. We also hope that the defeated candidate will allow his name to stand for re-election to the council when the by-election to fill the two vacancies is held, probably in January.

This by-election will be necessary as both Councillors Atkinson and Bentley are resigning after only one year in their positions, in order to contest the reeveship.

Whatever the result, we hope that a large majority of the ratepayers will exercise their franchise on election day, to give the winner the knowledge that he has obtained a majority of public opinion in his favor.

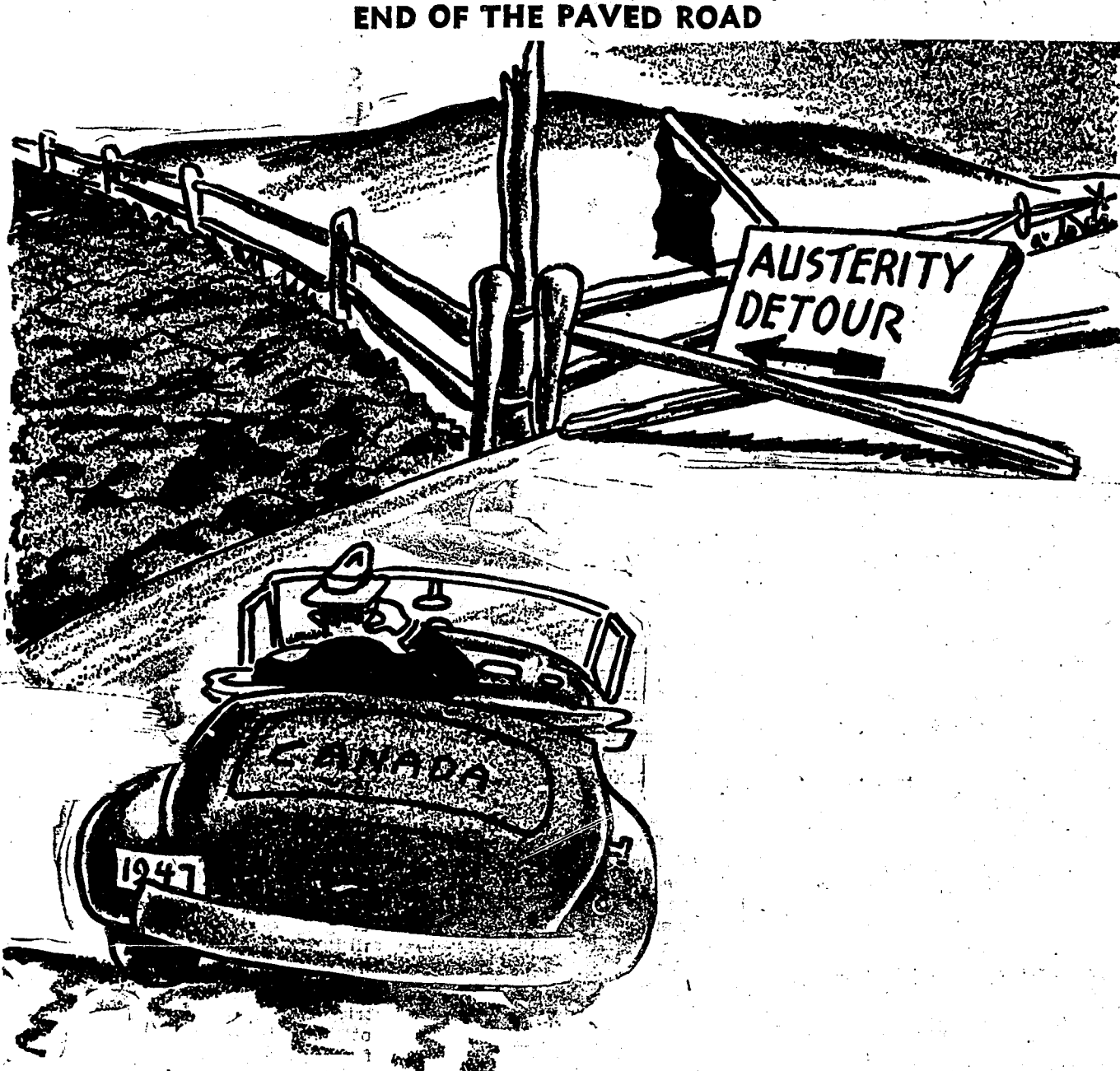
Make Friends For Canada

Commenting on the current appeal of the United Polish Relief Fund of Canada for \$1,500,000 the Cornwall Standard-Freeholder says that "suffering and disease, and the misery of little children isn't a matter that should be decided on a political basis."

"The reaction of some people," this editor says, "may be to suggest that the people of this war wrecked country turn for help to the Kremlin, and not to us."

"That's the natural first reaction," he continues, "but like many other quick decisions, it's not necessarily a good one. We want friends in Poland, and if we can win friends among the people—as distinct from the Communist-dominated government—we can hardly afford to miss the chance."

"As well as this, there is a humanitarian viewpoint that should not be overlooked. There is acute suffering in



The Inside Story

By AGROLOGIST

An orchard of a thousand apricot trees, everyone different, seemed to me a crazy idea in this day and age when the market demands a standardized product. Yet, when I visited the experimental station last week I found the crew busy planting just such an orchard. Fred Keane was in charge of operations so I had a little chat with him regarding the purpose of this orchard. Our conversation ran somewhat along the following lines:

Agrologist: What is the idea of planting these trees so close together when all the experts are recommending that apricot trees be given plenty of room to develop?

Fred: These trees are seedlings. We have over a thousand of them ready to plant now and plenty more coming along in the nursery. They are the result of a breeding project designed to originate superior new varieties of apricot. As we are short of land we are planting these seedlings quite close together. We know from experience that if we get one promising new variety out of a thousand seedlings we will be lucky. As soon as these seedlings begin to bear we will pull out the poor ones, leaving room for the others to develop.

Agrologist: Why do we need new varieties of apricots? Aren't Wenatchee, Moorpark, Blenheim, Tilton and Perfection good enough to meet market requirements?

Fred: The varieties which you mention all have a number of excellent characteristics but they also have their weaknesses. For example, Wenatchee Moorpark is only a fair canner and the fruit must be picked before it is fully mature in order to enable it to withstand shipment to fresh fruit markets. Blenheim is a very high quality apricot suitable for canning and also excellent to eat fresh. However, the trees are not very hardy and tend to bear irregularly. Furthermore, the fruit is comparatively small and ripens very unevenly with the result that it is necessary to make many pickings in order to harvest it at the correct stage of maturity. Tilton is very satisfactory for canning and is firm enough to ship well. However, the fruit tends to run small and is somewhat light in color. Perfection, on the other hand, produces very large fruit of good color. Unfortunately, these fruits are rough and irregular in appearance and are not as suitable for canning as are Blenheim and Tilton. They are a bit coarse in texture and have a somewhat strong flavor.

Agrologist: You are looking, then, for a new variety which will have all the good characteristics of our present varieties without their weaknesses.

Fred: That's it, exactly.

Agrologist: Have you made any progress towards attainment of this objective?

Fred: Yes, from a block of about 500 seedlings set out in 1939 we have selected one which we have introduced under the name "Reliable". This variety is a result of crossing Wenatchee Moorpark with a hardy seedling found in the orchard of Mr. Hewitson of Kelowna.

Agrologist: What are the tree characteristics of this Reliable apricot?

Fred: The tree is vigorous, healthy and has produced a strong framework with a large bearing area. It has proved hardy at Summerland during our moderately severe winter. The results of tests in colder areas are not yet available. As yet there is only one tree in bearing; this tree has been a heavy annual bearer, the fruit being well distributed over the bearing area. Given moderate thinning it has produced fruit of medium size and remarkable uniformity in both shape and maturity. This fruit is outstandingly firm and it remains firm on the tree for about ten days after attaining full color, giving an exceptionally long picking range.

Agrologist: Does the fruit have good quality?

Fred: Owing to the fact that it is dry in texture Reliable is not well suited for eating raw but it makes an excellent product when stewed and it is satisfactory for canning.

Agrologist: When does Reliable reach picking maturity?

Fred: It is slightly later in season than Wenatchee Moorpark and should not be picked until it attains full orange color. It is then quite firm and remains firm for at least a week after picking; this indicates that it should ship well.

Agrologist: Are you prepared to recommend planting of this new apricot in commercial orchards?

Fred: It is quite a gamble to recommend any new variety on the basis of the performance of the original tree. Accordingly, it will be necessary to wait until more trees are in bearing, before the true value of Reliable to commercial apricot growers can be determined. Nevertheless, Reliable has so many promising characteristics that a number of growers who have seen the original tree in fruit have made arrangements with nurserymen to grow trees for them on quite an extensive scale.

Poland, and especially an urgent need for medical supplies" (and, according to a recent report from the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) a great need for milk and vitamin concentrates to prevent wholesale child deaths from malnutrition).

"As a country that can supply these things, what attitude should we take towards a people who so desperately need them? Should we refuse them, because we don't like the nature of the government that has been imposed upon them? Or should we show more in the nature of generosity and Christian conduct?"

"On the purely practical basis of making friends for Canada among the people of Poland the United Polish Relief Fund of Canada already has done good service."

Penny Wise

By PENNY WISE

LADIES ONLY

Whatever you do, don't have too many of those fancy satin cushions around the house. They may look all right (or they may not) BUT men like to put their heads on something without being hauled over the coals. So be sure to have enough of those everyday ones on hand. Not only that — if you keep a small blanket at the end of the chesterfield, he'll use it to put his feet on. And men do love the horizontal position when their day's work is done, and a good dinner, has been downed.



Have you ever noticed what a good job men make of doing the dishes? Of course, it takes them a lot longer, but seems to me they shine more, and the pots positively gleam — especially on the bottom.

Had Sunday night company last week, and gave them a fruit salad that certainly hit the spot. That aft I had help taking the stones out of dates, and the seeds out of big, red grapes. Cut the dates in fours, the grapes in two, add canned peaches (chopped to inch squares), canned figs (cut like-wise), sliced bananas, and some fig and peach juice. Then I shot my bolt—gobs of whipped cream on top. Served buttered, brown bread with it, and it disappeared as fast as ice cream on the equator.

Don't forget to take time out right now to enjoy your small fry. Maybe you think you're too busy to bother with his little foolishness. But remember—he's only small for a year or two, and you want to have those fast-fleeting days to remember when you (and he) are older.

Every once in a while leave your living room blinds UP at night. Lots of people who have no home of their own pass by your house, and it sort of gladdens their heart to catch the odd glimpse of family life. That's more so than ever at this time of the year, what with so many parties going on. And it won't hurt to let an outsider look in—now and then.

This year, how about spending less on toys for the young ones, and invest some in something useful, such as a globe of the world, for instance, or a set of books that'll stand them in good stead through their teens? They'll learn more geography, more quickly, more thoroughly, and more pleasantly by twisting a globe around than listening to teacher. Have them shut their eyes, twirl the disk, and jab a finger while it revolves. Then tell them where that place is, what grows there, and what the people are like. If YOU know.

It's still not too late to plant a hyacinth in some moss, or to put it in water with the roots touching. Keep in a darkish spot for a few weeks, then watch the leaves shoot up and finally that so-fragrant bloom. Spring'll spring just that much sooner for you.

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Pioneer Days

THIRTY YEARS AGO
November 30, 1917

Victory Bond sales amounting to \$70,000 from nearly two hundred subscribers have been recorded in this district. Summerland was asked to subscribe \$80,000.

Nearly 28,000 boxes of Okanagan apples are being shipped to Australia and New Zealand, considered to be a record cargo.

Cars driven by George Robinson, Peachland, and Mr. Keys, Penticton, collided five miles from the former place. No one was injured.

Five young men have paid the supreme penalty in the battle for liberty, while two others have been wounded in action. Arthur (Buster) Clouston was killed and Martin Joyce is listed as missing, believed killed. Mrs. R. Rau has received word that her son has fallen. George and Harry Barkwill, two of three brothers who enlisted here have also been killed. Reg Verrier has been wounded and Harry Sculthorpe has been evacuated with gas poisoning.

J. J. Blewett has been engaged to assist T. P. Thornber on extension work for the electric light system.

Municipal council is taking action to collect the total costs in the T. J. McAlpine vs Summerland litigation from the plaintiff. Total costs to date are \$697.50.

Miss Myrtle Conway is to be ledger keeper at the Bank of Montreal succeeding Allen Harris, who is to be transferred. Miss Annie Stuart is taking over the work formerly done by Miss Conway.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
December 9, 1927

At the national apple show in Vancouver, Kelowna scored 915 points and won first prize with Salmon Arm in second place and Penticton third. In point of quality Kaleden was judged the best.

I. B. Fulton, accountant for many years with the Summerland Development Co. has died at his Vancouver home.

Claiming that B.C., under its fruit marketing act, has taken control of the production of fruit and has thus eliminated competition, Chairman Moore, of the advisory tariff committee declared that this is unfair to the prairies. He will make a report on this situation, presumably to F. A. McGregor, Combines Act registrar.

Ashcroft press reports indicate that a carload of B and C grade potatoes, prohibited grades, has been shipped to Vancouver without a licence from the Committee of Direction. W. H. Hammond is owner and shipper of the car.

TENDERS GO SKY HIGH ON ARENA AT ORCHARD CITY

KELOWNA — Tenders received for the construction of Kelowna's war memorial arena range from \$65,000 to \$100,000 more than the \$185,000 on hand to build the ice rink.

This was revealed when members of the war memorial committee met to open the tenders received for the construction of the building.

Despite this major set-back, it was decided to go ahead and make every effort to have an arena by next winter. Comments of "discouraging" and "disappointing" were voiced by members of the committee when it was learned the tenders were "much higher than the most pessimistic had feared". Rising costs of labor and materials is the reason for the high bids.

Following lengthy and thorough discussions, the committee decided to pursue one of three options, namely: to see what the city can get for \$185,000.

Summing up the situation briefly, A. K. Loyd, committee chairman, said the tenders appeared higher than the city can handle. The whole matter will be referred back to the architects—J. Y. McCarter and J. S. Porter, of McCarter and Nairn, Vancouver architects, were in attendance to confer with construction companies.

The general intended purpose and character of the building should be maintained, Mr. Loyd said. The committee asked the architects to keep only the bare essentials and put aside for the time being all "frills", and see if the money on hand would suffice.

Three Infractions Of Game Laws

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Commins from Toronto were guests at the Dale home last week, while enroute to Vancouver.

SKI SCHOOL AT SILVER STAR TO START DEC. 7

Fifteen representatives of nearly a thousand Okanagan skiers will assemble at Silver Star mountain on Dec. 7, to inaugurate the first Okanagan Ski school.

The school, sponsored by the Okanagan Ski Zone with the sanction and co-operation of the Canadian Amateur Ski association, will be conducted by Peter Vajda, one of Canada's most outstanding skiers.

The school is organized to provide a pool of instructors for clubs in the Okanagan, who will return to their respective clubs prepared to instruct their fellow members in correct skiing technique.

Response of member clubs in the valley to the ski school idea was so enthusiastic that if accommodation had been available at Silver Star, the number of instructor candidates could have been doubled.

The Ski school is another step forward in the rapidly expanding popularity of skiing in the Okanagan.

Valley clubs to be represented at the school include Vernon, Kelowna, Summerland, Penticton, Oliver and Osoyoos. Summerland skiers who will take the course are Don Agur, Walter Powell and Phil Munro.

Would Establish Old Folks Home

The urgent need of establishing a home for the aged in the southern interior was stressed last week at Oliver by J. E. O'Mahony, Summerland, during the Associated Boards of Trade of Southern B.C. quarterly meeting, which was presided over by H. A. Mitchell, Naramata.

In this contention, Mr. O'Mahony received support from G. M. M. Hardman, of Princeton, both these men being prominent in hospital administration work.

On the proposal of Reid Johnston, Summerland, this subject will occupy a prominent place on the agenda of the next quarterly meeting.

The associated trade board delegates went all out for the erection of a more suitable port of entry at Osoyoos to greet tourists from south of the border. The Dominion government is already considering an expenditure of \$150,000 for a new port and is endeavoring to acquire the necessary land at Osoyoos.

Subject of the Hope-Princeton highway was again to the fore, with Princeton and Keremeos delegates suggesting that if there is a scarcity of asphalt because of the U.S. dollar shortage, the highway opening may be delayed even though the gravelled surface has been prepared.

However, the meeting did not favor any change in the resolution passed some months ago, which favored the postponement of the Hope-Princeton opening until the entire route from Vancouver to Penticton is hard-surfaced.

It was also suggested that the postmaster-general be asked to conduct an experimental test on use of air mail on the Vancouver-Calgary flight of the C.P.A. This service has been refused to date on the grounds that there would not be sufficient volume of air mail to justify the expense involved.

Summerland representatives at this meeting were President F. W. Schumann, Reid Johnston, George Henry, Jack O'Mahony, W. M. Wright, Francis Steuart, Fred Dunsdon and Gordon Beggs.

SHORT TRIPS TO U.S. NOT INCLUDED IN \$150 FUND

OTTAWA — Announcement by the minister of finance on November 17th of a number of short-term emergency measures designed to protect Canada's U.S. dollar reserves, included the announcement of "travel rationing".

Mr. Abbott stated that a limit of \$150 U.S. was being placed on funds for the use of any Canadian for pleasure travel during the next twelve months. He added that "We take this step reluctantly since it limits the friendly contacts between our people and our neighbors to the south, but we simply cannot afford the large sums of U.S. dollars that Canadians are spending in pleasure travel."

Although figures are not available for Canadian travel in the United States for 1947, it is known that in 1946 Canadians spent approximately \$181 millions in this way. It is estimated that travel during 1947 will run about twenty percent above this total. These large totals compare with the highest pre-war year for Canadian travel across the line of around \$80 millions.

It is expected that the imposition of rationing on pleasure travel may result in a saving of \$30 millions to \$40 millions in U.S. exchange.

Other details of the travel restrictions announced by Mr. Abbott reveal that the special needs of business men and of those who travel for health or educational reasons have been taken into account. Funds for business travel may be obtained in reasonable amounts but the application for these funds must bear the certification of the employer that this travel is required in his business interests.

Applications for travel in connection with health must be accompanied by a medical report on a form available at banks which is then sent in to the foreign exchange control board for consideration. The department of national health and welfare will act as advisor to the board in reviewing these medical reports.

An allowance of \$100 per year is made for children in addition to the allowance of \$150 per year for adults for the purposes of pleasure travel. There is no restriction on the number of trips provided that these amounts are not exceeded.

The familiar Form H permit must be obtained by any resident wishing to take out of Canada

more than \$10 U.S. or more than \$25 in both U.S. and foreign currencies. Any portion of U.S. funds not spent during the visit must be exchanged for Canadian currency immediately on return to Canada but no credit can be given for such returns against the annual travel ration in case of later trips.

It is further stated by the foreign exchange control board that citizens wishing to make short trips across the border when they will be taking out not more than \$25 including not more than \$10 U.S. may obtain up to \$10 U.S. in each calendar month for this purpose. This "border-crossing ration" will not be charged against the annual ration of \$150 U.S.

Canadians contemplating trips to the United States should also keep in mind that the new import restrictions govern any personal purchases they may wish to bring back with them. No personal purchases of goods will be admitted which are now prohibited from importation or which may only be imported under quota.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Towgood spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in Vancouver attending the B.C. Chamber of Agriculture convention.



UNITED CHURCH

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Church Service 11:00 a.m.

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Evangelists, 7:30 p.m.—

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Traditional White Satin Is Chosen

St. Andrew's United church, West Summerland, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Friday evening, November 21, when Mary Edith Hermiston, twin daughter of Mrs. Helen C. Hermiston and the late Jas. Hermiston, became the bride of Ernest George, third son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Mayert. Rev. Whitmore officiated at the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her cousin, Mr. Jack Telfor of Oliver, was lovely in a traditional white satin gown featuring a sweetheart neckline, with lace inserts in the bodice. Her floor-length veil was of embroidered white net, held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of red roses and fern.

Mrs. Claude Haddrell, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore an aqua gown of corded taffeta, with matching head-dress. She carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Miss Jean Hermiston, twin sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. She chose a gown of pink taffeta with matching head-dress. She carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Raymond Mayert, was his brother's best man. Donald Hermiston and Alex Mayert were ushers. During the signing of the register Mr. P. Thornber played "I Love You Truly."

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Legion hall, which was tastefully decorated with pink and white streamers.

The young couple were assisted in receiving the guests by their parents.

Mrs. Hermiston chose for the occasion a pearl grey afternoon dress with matching hat. She wore a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Mayert, mother of the groom, chose a black dress trimmed with sequins, and black hat. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

The bride's table was centered with a four-tiered wedding cake.

The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Bert Bryden to which the groom responded. The toast to the bridesmaids was proposed by Mr. Les Gould, to which the bestman responded.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayert, who will reside in Prairie Valley, West Summerland, left on a honeymoon trip to U.S. points, the bride donning a rose wool dress, and brown fall coat. Her accessories were brown.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Telfor, Oliver; Mrs. Edna Stewart and Roy Stewart, of Penticton; Miss Kit Johnson of Revelstoke, and Mr. Ben Mayert, of Portland, Oregon.

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Summerland Local MEETING

FRIDAY-AFTERNOON, DEC. 5

2 p.m.

I.O.O.F. HALL

Discussion of Resolutions and Consideration of Supplementary Resolutions for BCFGA Convention at Penticton in January.

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See your bank for full details.

CANADA NEEDS U.S. DOLLARS

FOREIGN EXCHANGE CONTROL BOARD
OTTAWA

MEDICAL MEN OCCUPY NEW QUARTERS HERE

The new medical-dental building on Granville street, south side, in West Summerland has now been opened. Drs. W. H. B. Munn and A. W. Vanderburgh moved into their new premises last week, while Dr. L. A. Day, dental surgeon, has been occupying his new quarters for the past two to three weeks.

RUTLAND WANTS ACTION

Speedy action in connection with its application for incorporation as a municipality is being sought by Rutland in a recent wire to the minister of municipal affairs. Formal application was made some time ago but Rutland Board of Trade is becoming impatient because of delay.

Share and Share Alike Basis For British Rationing

KELOWNA—The title "A Housewife in Britain Today" gave Mrs. E. H. Hughes, Ph. D., scope for covering many phases of difficulties of daily living to be combated by British women.

"The housewife lives in a world of shortages and controls, all of them necessary if everyone is to get a fair share," said Mrs. Hughes, speaking at a meeting sponsored by the Women's Institute and the United Church Women's Federation, at the United church hall, Thursday afternoon.

"That is the keynote of British rationing, share and share alike; a basic ration for all, plus special allowances for those with special needs, as babies, expectant mothers, manual workers and certain invalids."

Essential food and clothing are kept down in price to be within reach of all. People who want something special, such as a tailor-made suit, would pay 25 to 30 pounds and they could get it—if they had the coupons. In utility ranges, a suit would cost from 5 to 10 pounds.

Food is either off the ration, on points or on the ration. "Off the ration" may mean there is a reasonable supply, such as fish; or it may mean it is almost unobtainable, as poultry and rabbits.

"On points," it means everyone has 28 points a month. They are used for foods such as cereals, dried fruit, biscuits. They may also be used—if any left—for a can of meat, dried egg, or syrup; but canned meat takes 20 points upwards, out of the 28. "On the ration" is meat, 25c worth a week; bacon, one ounce; cheese, two ounces; egg, one a month.

Butter, two ounces; margarine, four ounces; shortening, one ounce; Sugar, eight ounces a week and most sugar for jam must be saved out of this. Jam or marmalade, one pound a month; milk for an adult, two pints a week; bread, 3 units a month; A two-pound loaf takes four units; a pound of flour takes three; potatoes, three pounds a week; candy and chocolate, four ounces a week. This is going down in January to three.

SMILING HAPPILY



Smiling happily in answer to the crowd's cheers, PRINCESS ELIZABETH rides in the ceremonial Irish State Coach from Buckingham Palace to Westminster Abbey for her marriage to the Duke of Edinburgh. In the coach with her, but not visible, was her father, King George VI. This photo was radioed from London shortly after the picture was taken.

New Grower Contracts Go To 3,800 Fruit Producers Soon

Next week, some 3,800 growers throughout the interior fruit belt will receive copies of the new three-year contract for signatures. This contract has no changes from the form which has been in force for the past six years.

Commenting on the contract this morning, A. K. Loyd, B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. general manager, declared: "I think we are the only institution on the North American continent which has not raised its charges."

By this statement he inferred that the cost of selling the growers' fruit has not been raised since 1939 and operation costs of the central sales agency is the same as it was eight years ago.

Mr. Loyd also remarked on some grower criticism which has been voiced in certain sections, regarding the price level of fruit in comparison with increased costs of production and packing.

"We are getting every last cent we can get from the market for the growers, I am sure of that," was his reply to this criticism.

The apple movement continues strong this week with the only holdup being a shortage of cars. This condition has existed for the past two weeks because of three conditions:

1. The meat packers, following their strike, are seeking all the cars they can obtain to move supplies for the Christmas rush.
2. Due to recent restrictions, there are not so many cars moving across the line from the south.
3. Japanese orange arrivals at Vancouver are taking extra cars right now.

The United States market has weakened somewhat this week and the expected strengthening of price levels there in December has not occurred yet, although valley fruit officials are hopeful that the market will firm.

Car shipments from the Okanagan have now passed the 10,000 car mark and stand at 10,459 cars, compared with 12,152 in 1946 and 8,347 in 1945 at the same date. Last week saw 280 cars move to market.

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PACKING FINISHED

Packing operations in all Summerland packinghouses have now been concluded with the B.C. Fruit Shippers, being the last to finish yesterday afternoon. The Summerland Co-operative Growers' Assn. was first to cease major operations, on Friday, November 21 and now all houses have shut down except for odds and ends of requirements.

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REVIEW CLASSIFIED ADS BRING RESULTS

Two Government Departments At Loggerheads Over Land Deal

CRESTON—A unique situation took place between two departments having opposing stands before the International Joint Commission at its sitting in connection with the Creston Reclamation Company Ltd.'s application to drain Duck Lake. It is expected the commission will announce its decision some time next February.

It had been expected that Gordon Wismer, attorney, general of B.C. would represent the game branch in relation to reserving Duck Lake as a hunting ground. In his stead J. G. Cunningham, game commissioner for B.C. inherited the task of heading the game interests opposing drainage of the lake. His arguments were presented in a brief as were those of G. Melrose, deputy minister of lands, who read an opposing paper approving the reclamation of Duck Lake.

The unique situation was called to the attention of the commissioners who asked for an explanation. Hon. Frank Putnam, minister of agriculture, told the commission that Premier John Hart had read the brief presented by Mr. Melrose and had approved the reclamation.

Mr. Putnam added that when it was discovered that there would be a clash between the two governmental departments Mr. Hart had taken steps to prevent presentation of the opposing brief. That Mr. Cunningham read his brief was attributed to a delay in messages from Attorney-General Wismer at Creston.

Previously Mr. Wismer had no-

tified game authorities that he would not be able to attend because of the transit tie-ups at the coast.

Long a controversial subject between the hunter and the farmer, the proposed reclamation of Duck Lake brought the two factions to open grips on this subject. Or somewhat less magnitude was the opposition registered by the power interests. Representatives of the West Kootenay Light and Power Company and Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada Ltd., were mainly concerned over the power loss which would result from the draining of Duck Lake.

As an alternative measure to compensate for the power loss to the West Kootenay it was suggested that an additional two inches of water on Kootenay Lake could be granted by the Commission in excess of the six-foot level at present enjoyed by the firm. As the opinion of the engineers that the additional two inches would not aggravate flood conditions.

CAMPBELL RIVER PROJECT TO OPEN

Premier John Hart will open the British Columbia Power Commission's hydro-electric development at Campbell River on December 15, it is announced by S. R. Weston, chairman of the commission. Plans are being made for a ceremony to which representatives of public bodies and industry will be invited. The ceremony will include unveiling of a bronze plaque naming the huge concrete structure "Hart Dam".

The project, under construction since early in 1946, is the largest on Vancouver Island and will supply power to Port Alberni, Courtenay and Nanaimo.

SOIL SURVEYS

Approximately 153,000 acres in the valley of the Kootenay River between Wardner and the border of Montana, have been soil surveyed in detail the summer of 1947 just ended, it was announced by the Hon. Frank Putnam, minister of agriculture.

All-Time High In Deposits Is 1947 Record Of Montreal Bank

MONTREAL—Again this year, following a practice it originated the Bank of Montreal has come forward with a well-illustrated, easily understandable bank statement for the benefit of its more than 1,500,000 depositors. Unique among bank statements, the report, which covers the 130th year of the B of M's career, was published in last week's advertising columns of The Review.

In the explanation of "the facts behind the figures", the bank emphasizes that money deposited does not lie idle, but works constantly for the building of the nation.

"Here is the money that makes the wheels of commerce turn," the report points out. "Here is the money that helps the farmer garner his crops . . . that helps the lumberman buy equipment and pay his men. Here are the dollars that enable the bank to make more than 500 personal loans every business day of the year to men and women who need money to meet emergencies and take advantage of opportunities."

Deposits at New High
Deposits of \$1,783,000,000 again set an all-time high, showing an increase of \$47,000,000 over the previous year, and demonstrating the way in which Canadians are endeavoring to meet the danger of inflation.

This statement of Canada's senior financial institution reflects the general trend of business activity throughout the country. For example, commercial loans increased by 39 percent, denoting the nation's expanding peacetime production. The financing of this expansion has been accompanied by a reduction of holdings of government and other public securities, which now stand at \$957,000,000.

Heightened industrial activity brought about by the increasing production of peacetime goods

found the bank participating to a much greater extent in commercial financing, with holdings of industrial bonds and debentures increased from \$56,000,000 in 1946 to \$96,000,000 for the year ended October 31, 1947.

Enlargement of the bank's facilities through the construction of new branches and the renovation of premises in various part of Canada is manifested in a substantial rise in the value of its premises which, at \$13,000,000, has increased by nearly three million dollars.

All of these factors add up to give the bank record-breaking resources of \$1,898,000,000. This figure exceeds its obligations to the public by \$51,097,000.

Graphic Earnings Statement
Another innovation in the report is the earnings statement which gives in detail—down to the fraction of the cent—the distribution made of the year's earnings in relation to the shareholders' invested dollar.

After paying all overhead expenses, including staff salaries, bonuses, and contributions to the pension fund, and after making provision for contingencies, and for depreciation of bank premises, furniture and equipment, the B of M reports earnings for the year amounting to \$9,879,285. To provide for dominion and provincial taxes, the bank set aside \$4,156,000, leaving net earnings of \$5,723,285, compared with \$4,487,782 last year. Of this, \$3,600,000 was distributed to shareholders, with the balance of \$1,823,285 transferred to the profit and loss account.

On each dollar of the shareholders' money invested in the Bank of Montreal, the bank earned 11.81 cents in 1947. Of this, 5.12 cents were paid in taxes, 4.42 cents went to shareholders, and the remaining 2.26 cents went to surplus.

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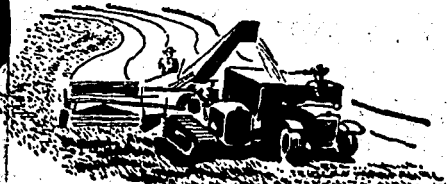
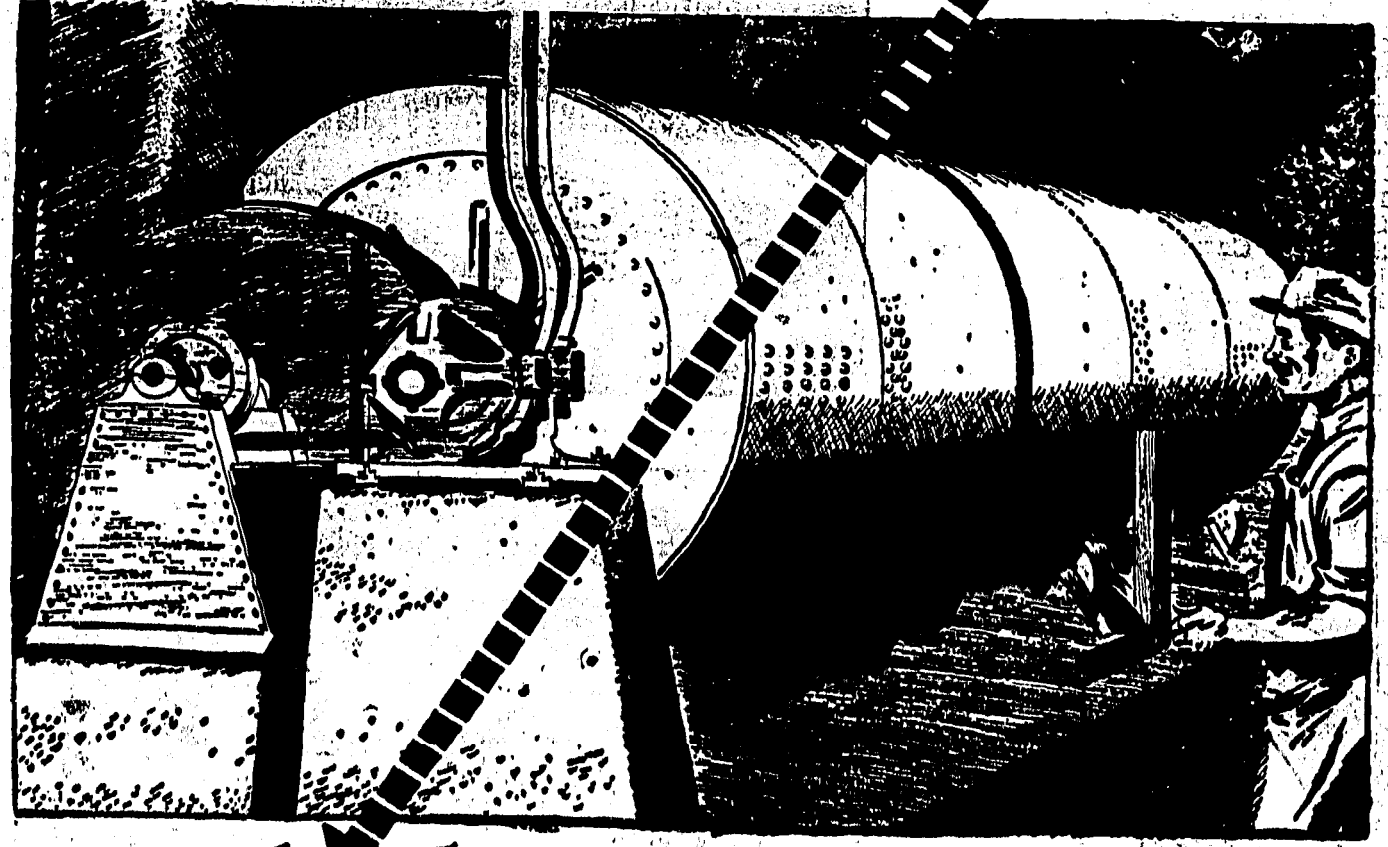
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During the past year British Columbia Agriculturists won several outstanding National and International events.

BY ADULTS

1. The world championship Wheat Crown at the Chicago International Hay and Grain Show, and the same honour last month by the same competitor at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, went to a lady at Ericson in the Creston district.
2. Equal honours for Rye to the Peace River Block.
3. A Kamloops man won first in Hybrid Corn for Western Canada.
4. Royal Grand Championship Potato award won by a Pemberton grower at the Royal Winter Fair this year, and a Courtenay farmer won first with Potatoes at the same fair, 1946.
5. A Grand Forks producer gained a B.C. championship with 60,268 lbs. of Netted Gem Potatoes, on an acre chosen at random, from a 17-acre field.

BY JUNIORS

Boys' and Girls' Clubs at the National Contest held in Toronto with their 5 teams, won:

	1946	1947
Potato Judging Team	1st	1st
Poultry Judging Team	2nd	3rd
Dairy Judging Team	3rd	4th
Beef Judging Team	4th	2nd
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REVIEW CLASSIFIED ADS BRING RESULTS

Emergency Shelter Scheme Year Old

VERNON—At this time a year ago there were some families in Vernon who were living in chicken coops, garages or one and two rooms without sanitary facilities.

At the present time there are 26 families living in the suites at the camp and all available space is filled.

Seek To Employ Students In June

VERNON—The main task of the local Junior Employment Advisory Council is to find local employment for the boys and girls leaving school in June.

To obtain suitable employment for high school graduates requires a knowledge of the job from the employer and a knowledge of the applicant from the school.

H. C. Wade, chairman, suggested the committee contact employers to see if they anticipate any openings in June or next fall and what qualifications would be required to fill the position.

South Okanagan Scout Group Re-Elects Officers

Enthusiasm for the results obtained, and acclaim for the executive of the South Okanagan Boy Scouts association were keynoted at the annual meeting of the association held in Penticton, Nov. 18.

Those comprising the executive, which was formed eight months ago, are as follows: President, R. W. Craig, K.C., of Naramata; vice-president, Dr. H. R. McLarty, Summerland; secretary, Frank W. Laird; treasurer, J. B. Feeney; and the following directors: H. H. Boyle, Major A. H. Grant, Dr. J. R. Farmley, John Coe and H. W. Corbett.

A highly satisfactory financial statement was read by the treasurer, showing the group has a healthy balance on hand.

In his report, the secretary stated they had been inaugurated on March 25 of this year, and since that time had held eight executive meetings. They had formed committees on membership, finance, publicity, and badges, each of which is functioning efficiently.

During the year a lease had been obtained on property at Sickle Point, and plans made for more such properties including sites at Chute and Fish lakes.

A rally was held on September 27 this year. In future, rallies will likely be held in the late spring, or in the month of June.

Mr. Laird said that accident insurance, to cover all boys, during Scouting activities, had been obtained during the year.

He reported on the present strength of the movement in this district. It now comprises five Cub packs, and five Scout troops, with a joint membership of 93 Cubs, 112 Scouts, five cubmasters and lady cubmasters, five assistant cubmasters, five scoutmasters, and nine assistant scoutmasters.

Scouting is Game "Scouting is a game. If you work at it, it doesn't work, but if you play at it, it goes better," stated Commissioner H. R. Hatfield, district commissioner, for the area.

"The idea is to play the game with the boys. This way leads to good results. The boys of the district have had a lot of fun. They have learned a lot. They have earned the name of Scout in a very fine way."

Mr. Hatfield expressed high praise for the scoutmasters and cubmasters of the district, saying these men are doing a splendid job. He also commended their assistants, and the members of the troops and packs.

The commissioner, touched upon the growth experienced during the past few months and the prospects for its continuation in the future. He spoke of plans for the rally, and said that there appears a good chance Penticton will be the scene of the Gilwell course for 1948.

Next there were brief reports from group-chairmen representing the various troops and packs. First to speak was J. Garlinge of Kaleden, who mentioned the difficulty in overcoming the inertia of parents and the general public. However, people at Kaleden are beginning to note, and comment upon the value of Scout training.

Show Progress J. H. Vass, of Penticton No. 1,

said this group has a lengthy waiting list. A highly encouraging report on the development of the St. Saviour's group, prepared by M. F. Syer, its chairman, was read. This, and the report by Gordon Leonard, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian group, showed excellent progress had been made.

Major A. H. Grant reported for Naramata, saying they had at first had difficulty in obtaining a leader. This had been overcome and the group had been started, and had grown since then. Possibility that a Cub pack could be started is now being investigated.

S. W. Feltham reported for Summerland, indicating the growth that had been made there in the past year.

Difficulties regarding a meeting place had been encountered, but ways of overcoming this were under consideration, he said. Possibility that some new activity, sponsored by the Summerland AOTS, would start soon, was cited.

There was also a short, but highly interesting report from G. Allington, of Kaleden, who, besides being Scoutmaster there, is District Scoutmaster as well.

In the course of the general discussion, preceding the elections, the question of badge committee activity was considered. Need of considerable flexibility in this was expressed by several members of the association.

Re-Organize Phone Company Finances

Re-organization of share capital is being arranged by the Okanagan Telephone Co. to provide \$200,000 for new installations in its system during the next ten years.

F. A. Sherrin and W. S. McQuaid, of Pemberton and Sons Ltd., visited Vernon last week to confer on this transaction.

Orders for automatic exchanges for Westbank, Armstrong, and Peachland have been placed and similar exchanges will be placed in every centre from Revelstoke to Penticton in the ten-year period, it is hoped by the company directors.

MERCHANTS' BOWLING LEAGUE

Table with 2 columns: Merchant Name and Score. Includes Family Shoe Store (23 1), Butcherteria (20 4), Holmes & Wade (18 6), Bank of Montreal (17 7), Capitol Motors (16 8), Frozen Food (14 10), Westland (14 10), Groceries (13 11), Bowladrome (11 13), Cake Box (10 14), Elliott's (10 14), Overwaltea (10 14), Pollock Motors (10 14), Quality Meat (10 14), Review (10 14), Hills & Cloughs (9 15), Smith & Henry (7 14), Sanborn's Garage (8 16), Mac's Cafe (6 14), Nesbitt & Washington (3 21), High three-F. Schwass (747), June Lamey, 706, High single-D. Collins, 331; June Lamey, 333.

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SCOUT NEWS

Last Friday's meeting showed a good turn-out with the exception of the conspicuous absence of the P/L and Second of the Beavers.

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The troop welcomes these boys and hopes they soon will be second class Scouts.

Socially Speaking

Social Editor

Agnes McKay

Constable Terence Thorsteinson is a business visitor in Vancouver this week.

Mrs. J. Eddy of the experimental station motored to Okanagan Falls over the weekend to visit with friends.

Mrs. J. H. Walton left for Vancouver on Friday night for a short visit with relations and friends in the city.

Miss Barrie Gartrell of Penticton spent the weekend at the home of her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Donald Orr.

Mr. H. R. J. Richards and Mr. Alec Watt, district agriculturist, left on Wednesday morning by motor for Vancouver.

Mrs. Morrice arrived on Tuesday night from Calgary and points east to visit her daughter Mrs. A. Bissett while enroute to her home in Vancouver.

Miss Dorothy Butler commenced her new duties as receptionist in the offices of Drs. Vanderburgh and Munn, on Monday, December 1. The offices are in the new medical building.

Friends will be sorry to hear that David Kean, Sr., had the misfortune to slip and break his leg recently. He was taken to Vancouver on Friday night for medical attention.

that maybe before long the Summerland troop may be able to take up Naramata's challenge.

The troop still is not turning out in uniform as well as it should. Parents of Scouts are asked to cooperate in seeing their boys get uniforms as soon as possible.

Art Exhibition Here Saturday

Sponsored by the Women's Institute and made available by the UBC department of university extension, the first of four travelling exhibitions of art will be on display on Saturday, December 6, in the IOOF hall, West Summerland, from 2 until 9:30 p.m.

This collection consists exclusively of the work of B.C. artists from all parts of the province, the 24 canvases having been selected from among those recently featured in the Vancouver Art Gallery.

Subsequent showings will include further examples of modern Canadian painting. Contemporary American artists will be represented by a group of pictures from New York.

Included in Saturday's exhibit will be an interesting assortment of rare and unusual curios and heirloom pieces, lent for the occasion by Summerland residents.

Tea will be served in the afternoon and coffee in the evening by members of the Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Penketh spent last Sunday visiting friends in Oyanza.

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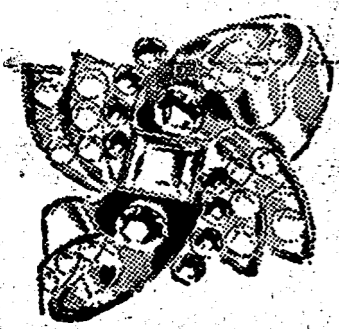
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Canadian Legion

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WEDNESDAY December 10

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Auction Sale and Social By Legion W. A. Successful

The Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion held its auction sale and social on Tuesday, December 2, in the Legion hall.

The auction was held after the cards, with Dave Thompson and Dr. H. R. McLarty as auctioneers.

The raffle of the Christmas cakes followed the auction, lucky winners being Mrs. Wayne Mitchell and A. Geortzen.

Lunch was served by the ladies of the W.A. with the presentation of prizes for crib and five hundred. Ladies' first prize for crib went to Mrs. Eva Steuart, consolation Mrs. Fred Thompson; men's first prize, Harry Thornthwaite and consolation Tom Garnett.

DAUGHTER OF LOCAL COUPLE COAST BRIDE

The United church on Burrard street in Vancouver was the setting for a very pretty wedding when Mrs. Mable Morgan, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Lockwood, Summerland, was united in marriage to Mr. Harold Pierson on Friday, November 21 at 5 p.m.

The bride was attired in a black and white dressmaker suit with black accessories, and her corsage was of rosebuds and white gardenias.

The attendants of the bride and groom were the groom's brother-in-law and sister.

Mr. Pierson is affiliated with Colliers Motors of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierson plan on making a trip to Summerland in the near future, when they will drive back to Vancouver, accompanied by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood, who will be spending the winter at the coast.

New Books At Union Library

There were 980 books circulated from the Summerland branch of the Okanagan Union Library during October, Librarian W. C. W. Rosbery announces. Last week, a number of new books were received, these including the following:

Fiction: Forgive Us our Trespasses, Bell; Lucinda Brayford, Boyd; A Will in the Way, Burton; Death in 13th Doss, Cobb; Outlaw on Horseback, Ermine; The Lightwood Tree, Fleming; Where Angels Fear to Tread, Forester; Bought Woman, Greig; The Pardino Case, Hichens; Night and the City, Korah; Death of a Tall Man, Lockridge; The Bright Promise, Sherman; The Neighbors, Sorenson; Adversary in the House, Stone; Non-fiction: My Pollo Past, Lindusta; Thoughts and Talks, Wilsh.

PARENTS ARE ENTERTAINED

Teen Town members staged an enjoyable social evening last Friday in the IOOF hall, when they entertained their parents with a mixed program and dance.

Messrs. George and Tom Washington were visitors for several days to Vancouver last week.

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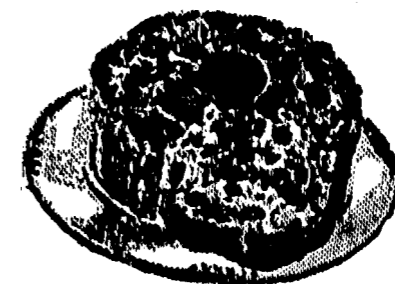
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Miss Jean Travis, crafts demonstrator for the University of B.C. extension department, visited Summerland last week and addressed a small gathering at the high school. She stressed the opportunities provided to men or women between the ages of 16 to 35 who are recommended for the rural training school at Acadia Camp. Applications must be submitted by December 15 for the next course.

Xmas Roundup

As the old saying goes: "The early bird catches the worm." So could it easily apply to the early Christmas shoppers.

Wondering for once if there wasn't some wisdom in this statement, I decided to scout around and see just what Christmas selections the local stores had on display for these early birds. To my delight I found the merchants are certainly putting out every effort to aid us in this trying problem and have many attractive gifts on display.

Of course, there is always that big problem of what to buy for "Him, Her and the children."

Thinking of "Her", "Hill's", the Linnea and the Peter Pan Toggery can certainly give you all the help necessary. The display of satin nighties, pyjamas, chenille and satin bed jackets and those glamorous satin dressing gowns, plus the new line of Jersey dressing gowns will be the answer to her wishes. For the smaller gifts there is a grand assortment of fine gloves in French-kids and woolsens, the stylish new Normandie

purses, hand-loomed scarves and the ever reliable boxed linen and lawn handkerchiefs.

For "Him", we could look to Laidlaw's Men's Wear and choose that long-awaited-on dress suit or that new topcoat, something we haven't been able to think of at Christmas time for, quite awhile. Then there is a nice line of men's pyjamas, the fancy diamond pure wool socks, striking ties and fine linen and cotton hankies.

The Family Shoe Store and Fisher's Men's Wear have help for the whole family with their wonderful stock of dress and service shoes. Soft leather fur-trimmed moccasin bedroom slippers in different colors can be seen in the Family Shoe Store, along with ladies' fur-trimmed velvet overshoes with zipper fronts. For the ski lovers there are sheepskin-lined snow and ski boots for men, women and children. Fisher's also has ties and shirts to suit any man.

Then we could lend Santa Claus a helping hand by choosing some of the toys on display in A. K. Elliotts, Butler and Walden and Smith's Sport Shop. It is the answer to every child's letter to dear old Nick, for practically every item is listed, dolls, electric trains, jeeps, steam shovels, games galore, etc., etc., etc.

Butler and Walden are also displaying electric telechrome clocks, Hoover cleaners and a lovely variety of sizes in the new Belgium crystal.

Holmes and Wade are featuring the thirty-two piece Sovereign dinner sets in different patterns, 5-way trillight lamps and Axminster and Belgium scatter rugs.

Something new can be seen in A. K. Elliotts—those cute little chenille monkey tree ornaments, and the chenille potted poinsettias for table decorations. Sheets, blankets, bedspread, pillows. Cushions are among the hundreds of other gifts Elliotts are showing. Smith's Sports Shop, besides the toys, has a great variety of gifts both novelty and personal.

Of course, any one of us would appreciate a Christmas present from Santa for the house, something beautiful to look at and something to help us enjoy that cosy evening at home. . . . what could be nicer than that new Victor frequency modulation radio we hear playing in the Deluxe electric, or a table model for that small corner?

As I have said, these are a few suggestions for "Him, Her, and the kiddies", but what about those friends of ours? Robson's, The Gift Shop, Green's Drug Store, Milne's Jewellery Store and Maywood's Photo Finishers come to our aid here. An individual or group photo would be appreciated for Christmas, or a scenic view of Summerland and the valley, tinted or in black and white, would really be a keepsake as well as a gift.

Tinted, flowered miniatures in box frames is another suggestion. Mr. Robson carries a good supply of scenic view reels, as well as the nursery rhyme and story reels for children.

Jewellery is always a welcome gift for the family or friends and Mr. Milne has a large selection for your choosing, along with his fine stock of watches.

Cosmetics, perfumes, stationery, etc., are gifts of interest to any woman or teen ager, and Green's Drug Store has a great variety. The Gift Shop can show you genuine India brass ware . . . pastel leather goods as souvenirs of Summerland, pressed and lathed wood trays and bowls now on display.

Christmas cards with snapshots printed right on them are a feature at the Maywood Photo Finishers, along with a supply of latest model cameras.

Covering gift suggestions isn't the only problem at Christmas time, we have the planning of the looked-forward-to dinner, and the local grocery stores, butcher shops and the bakeries are our helpers here. The grocery stores have the necessary ingredients for that Christmas cake and plum pudding . . . raisins, currants, cherries, mixed peel, etc., mixed nuts ga-



The news is too good to keep. Here, smiling happily, pretty BERTY WHITE, 16-year-old Winnipeg high school student whose gift of a pair of nylons to Princess Elizabeth brought her an invitation to

the Princess' wedding reception at Buckingham Palace, shows the precious letter to Passenger Agent DALE VEITCH at Montreal airport just before she left for her flight across the Atlantic to London.

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HOPE FOR EARLY START ON ROADS NEXT SPRING

A total of 224 miles of new highway have been constructed during the present season, states Hon. E. C. Carson, minister of public works in reviewing the public works program for 1947.

The problem of labor and supplies is an acute one, and this has been shown up particularly in connection with bridge construction. Foundations have been laid for a large number of bridges but completion of work has not been possible due to the delay in the delivery of steel.

It is the department's intention to press for early delivery and to take advantage of every opportunity that is afforded by the good weather conditions. It is hoped that an early start will be made on the major undertakings in the spring of next year so that there will be no delay in filling in the program outlined by the engineers of the public works department.

If you aren't baking a cake, the bakeries can nicely fill the bill for you, along with dainty tarts and cookies for the afternoon and after supper teas.

We mustn't forget that main course, by all means, nor must we forget to order that turkey from your butcher.

Then another possibility for the master of the house, or for any car owner, may be found in the garages and service stations. These concerns have heaters, spotlights, extra cushions, seat covers and scores of other accessories which will gladden the heart of any male who owns a motor vehicle.

Summerland stores are bedecked with Christmas trimmings and are brimming over with good things for the holiday season. Almost everything, that isn't on ration or just cannot be obtained anywhere, can be found right in the home-town stores.

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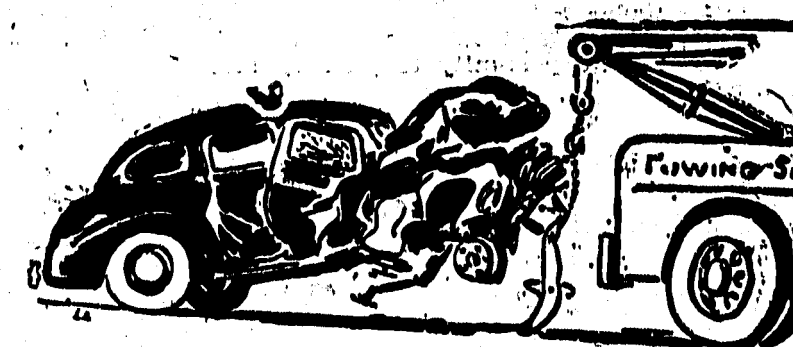
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Miss M. Ellis, R.N., arrived in Summerland on Tuesday, November 25, from Provost Alta, to take charge of the Summerland hospital as matron. She was met at an informal tea in the nurses' home by members of the Summerland Hospital society directors and medical men, who welcomed her to Summerland.

PARK AREAS

A new park area at Lake Cowichan consisting of 145 acres on the lake near Nixon creek has been set by order-in-council of the provincial government this week.

Johnny Coubrough of Buffalo Gap, Sask., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haseman and family left last weekend for Maillardville, in the New Westminster district, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Caldwell held a house warming in their new home on Thursday, November 27. Many of their friends gathered to help celebrate the occasion, enjoying the evening playing cards and games.

Mr. Phil Davis was a Vancouver visitor last week.

Mrs. A. J. Mann's Color Slides Are Shown to Horts

A showing of Kodachrome color slides taken by Mrs. A. J. Mann and featuring the gardens of Summerland was the major attraction at the meeting of the Summerland Horticultural society held on Friday, Nov. 21 in the IOOF hall.

Views of garden scenes, flowers, natural garden settings, picturesque old trees, sunsets, and newly developed fruits—product of the work of the plant breeder, followed one another on the screen. Each one of these pictures was so carefully composed and so realistic that the audience might well have been on a tour of our beautiful countryside.

Prior to the showing of the slides, moving pictures were shown. A film in color entitled "Ducks Unlimited" took the watchers on a tour of the "breeding grounds of many wild fowl." The steps being taken by the society of "Ducks Unlimited" to conserve wild life were outlined.

Following the film, Mr. R. J. Bourgeois, assistant director of the UBC extension department, gave a short talk to the group.

During the business part of the proceedings a report was given out by Mr. Ernie Bennett of the factory flower show held this summer. Mr. Bennett stated that it was by far the best flower show ever held in Summerland.

Dr. James Marshall gave a report on the work done by the cemetery committee in looking after the grounds of the local cemetery. Mr. Bill Snow, the society's delegate on the film council, reported on the work done in securing films.

The meeting concluded with a question box, during which questions that were puzzling gardeners were directed to authorities in the audience.

After the meeting, a tasty snack of coffee and doughnuts was served by Mrs. Marjorie Fenwick and Mrs. Ray Leinor.

ONE-THIRD OF B.C. POPULATION X-RAYED FOR T.B.

By now everyone in British Columbia has seen the mobile T.B. X-ray units or has heard about them.

Appearing but a few years ago, these mass weapons against tuberculosis were considered almost a novelty and at first little thought was given to the real reason for their accomplishments.

But slowly, sometimes quietly and sometimes with loud fanfare, these mobile x-ray machines have covered the province and have brought home to the people the importance of attacking tuberculosis through mass x-ray surveys.

Aided by other portable equipment, these units have now examined more than one-third of the adult population of British Columbia, and have saved many hundreds from serious illness, or possible death by tuberculosis.

These units have been purchased by the people of this province, a fact that many do not realize. The money for them has been raised by the sale of Christmas seals, and their continued expansion and development depends on the continuous sale of these seals.

This year, again, Christmas seals have been mailed throughout B.C., and again the appeal goes out to support the drive.

It is the intention of public health officials that everyone be x-rayed—because this is the only sure way of stamping out the disease—and continued support to Christmas seals means that this can be accomplished.

BANK CHARGES REMAIN AT SAME PRE-WAR LEVEL

MONTREAL—Despite mounting costs of doing business, the rates and charges of Canada's chartered banks are the same as prewar, or actually lower, it is stated by B.C. Gardner, president of The Canadian Bankers' Association.

"I know of very few businesses," he said, "that can make the same assertion, that in the face of steadily increased costs, charges for the final product or service have not been raised."

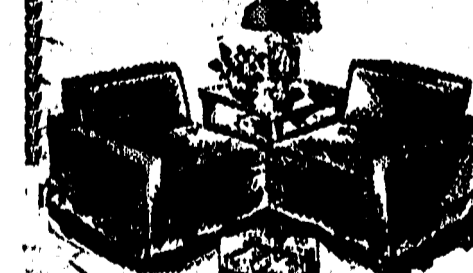
Addressing the association's annual meeting, Mr. Gardner noted that the payrolls of the Canadian banks had increased 90 percent since 1939; taxes increased 104 percent between 1939 and 1946 and contributions to staff pension funds now are equivalent to 12 cents for every dollar paid in wages.

At the same time that these business expenses were mounting, the maximum interest rate on loans was reduced, the yield on investments fell below the prewar level and the banks voluntarily agreed to limit holdings and earnings on higher coupon government securities.

"In short, our expenses are naturally higher; our charges are not," Mr. Gardner stated, adding "it goes without saying, however, that if the upward trend of costs continues, at least some of the charges we make for our services will inevitably have to come under review."

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COAL RESOURCES IN PEACE RIVER FOR COAST MARTS

The conference dealing with the proposed extension of the Pacific Great Eastern railway has been postponed until a later date owing to inability to arrange a date that would be satisfactory to all parties concerned, it is announced by Premier John Hart.

The opening of the Dominion Parliament conflicted with the original arrangements and it was found that other principals had already been committed to engagements that made the meeting originally intended for late this month impossible to hold.

Survey work on the coal resources of the Peace River district has been pressed forward with the result that the most conservative estimate of coal tonnage far exceeds the requirements for extension of the railroad into the Peace River district. Likewise, analyses made of the coal not only by Dr. T. B. Williams, but also by research workers of the Canadian National Railway disclose the quality to be exceptionally and consistently high.

Likewise a new survey was undertaken and has now been completed dealing with the costs of mining, hauling of coal, the consumption, sources of present supply, the prices to consumers and the quality of coal they are presently using, as well as the data on the availability of markets.

The information assembled shows conclusively that Peace River coal can compete successfully on all west coast markets, the premier states.

He added that this information rounds out the entire picture and makes it possible for the government to proceed at any time with further negotiations and this will be done as soon as a satisfactory date can be agreed upon.

HONEY PRODUCTION

The province's honey crop for 1947 is estimated at 1,804,820 pounds, states Hon. Frank Putnam, minister of agriculture, and may yet go over the 2,000,000-pound mark when all returns are in.

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Agricultural Conference

Hon. Frank Putnam, minister of agriculture, is attending the dominion-provincial agricultural conference at Ottawa, which opened on December 1. Canada's farm production and marketing picture for 1948 will be reviewed by Mr. Putnam and officials of his department, as plans are advanced for this province's output next year, integrated with those of the rest of the dominion.

Shorter Seasons Are Sought By Local Hunters

Recommendations to be considered at a zone meeting of fish and game clubs from Kelowna south to the border were passed on Monday evening at a meeting of the Summerland Fish, Game and Forest Protective association, held in the IOOF hall.

These recommendations will be considered on Sunday in Penticton when South Okanagan sportsmen will gather to present a united stand before the interior sportsmen's association annual convention early next year.

Sportsmen from Kelowna, Peachland, Summerland, Penticton, Oliver, Osoyoos, and Keremeos are expected to attend this zone session. The entire Summerland executive has been asked to be in attendance.

Shorter Season

One of the chief recommendations by Summerland sportsmen is the further shortening of the deer season. This year, two weeks were cut off the deer season to eliminate the slaughter when the animals find the going difficult in the snowy foothills.

Now, in an effort to conserve still further the depleted deer supply, Summerland sportsmen have requested that the deer season be limited to a period from September 15 to November 15, with no increase in the bag limit.

Elk would remain the same as this year, September 15 to December 1, local sportsmen indicate.

Pheasant hunters had nearly a month's shooting season this year but the Summerland club is advocating that this period be decreased to two weeks, but including three Sundays, and with no increase in the present bag limit of two daily. Quail should be the same season as pheasants, they state.

Choose Other Dates

Although the duck season this year was long enough, local sportsmen feel that proper dates were not chosen. This year the season was from October 1 to November 14 and only local ducks were available in that period, the northern ducks arriving just as the season was closing.

As a consequence, a season from October 15 to November 15 is being sought from federal authorities.

Opening of the blue grouse in this district was recommended by the local club with the same season as pheasants and a daily bag limit of four, with a season limit of twelve.

Further decrease in the fishing

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AWARD OF THE WEEK—WE draw for five dollars in merchandise every Saturday until Christmas; twenty-five dollars on Christmas Eve. You get a ticket with every purchase at The Peter Pan Toggery; the store with the stock. 48-5-c.

regulations has been recommended, the new limit being 10 fish or 15 pounds and one fish, with three days' possession. This year the limit was 12 fish or 25 pounds and one fish.

It was stated that A. E. Parlow, district forester, at Kamloops, will supply bulldozer and other equipment to assist the Penticton and Summerland clubs in clearing out dead wood and other debris in the vicinity of Fish lake.

Granville Morgan reported that the pheasants liberated through the co-operation of the Penticton club at Trout Creek Point have survived and he has been feeding them his fall. Only a couple of the new pheasants were shot this fall, he stated at Monday's meeting.

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SPONSORED BY THE WOMEN'S Institute, a collection of 24 paintings direct from the Vancouver Art Gallery will be on display Saturday, Dec. 6 in the IOOF hall, West Summerland, from 2 to 9:30 p.m. No admission charge. Tea will be served in the afternoon and coffee in the evening. 48-1-c.

BE A BASKETBALL BOOSTER—Plan to be at the School Gym on Tuesday, December 9 from 7 to 10 o'clock for three big games against Penticton teams. Games at 7, 8 and 9, admission, 35 cents and 20 cents. 48-1-c.

WANTED — CLEAN COTTON, rags, for wiping machinery; nine cents per pound; must be free of lint or buttons. The Summerland Review.

COCKTAIL WINS PRIZE

John Keys, of Summerland, won first prize of \$50 in the Vancouver Sun contest, arranged by Edith Adams, the Sun home management expert. Mr. Keys submitted a recipe for an Okanagan fruit cocktail and this won the prize.

The local branch of the Rebekah lodge held its fall tea and sale of home cooking, aprons and fancy work in the IOOF hall on Friday, November 28. The tea tables and hall were tastefully decorated with chrysanthemums, and many beautiful articles were on display at the different stalls. A good attendance and encouraging receipts were reported by the members.

BARRIER IS ERECTED Summerland Board of Trade has erected a barrier on the old abandoned wharf in lower town. A sign, warning all persons that the wharf is no longer safe for any type of traffic is also to be erected.

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CORPORATION OF SUMMERLAND PUBLIC NOTICE

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

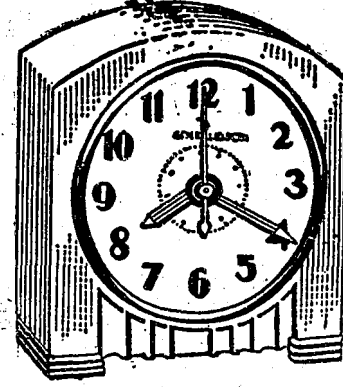
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Council Plans for 1948 With Reports on Program of Past Year Heard at Annual Civic Meeting

Clear-cut and concise reports on their stewardship of the past year were given the annual ratepayers' meeting by members of the municipal council when more than a hundred persons gathered in the Legion hall on Saturday afternoon.

Reeve W. R. Powell led this session as chairman and left the main reports to his four councillors. In the main, His Worship took care of the question periods and also handled most school subjects, a full report of which appears in other columns of this issue.

Besides giving the three pending bylaws an airing, it was stated during the session that chlorination of Summerland water supply is a MUST for 1948. Possibility that a fire truck, or a truck for fire department purposes, will be purchased in the coming year was also mooted by the meeting.

The three bylaws under consideration deal with a program to hard surface nine to ten miles of roads next year, expend \$12,000 on the purchase of a new grader and truck and the extension of the domestic water system to the north bench area and Crescent Beach.

All councillors spoke on the splendid efforts of Reeve W. R. Powell and they extended their thanks to His Worship for his support and guidance in municipal matters during the past two years. Reeve Powell announced his retirement from the municipal arena last week, but intimated on Saturday that he would still be keeping a watchful eye on municipal affairs.

With reference to The Review editorial last week, Reeve Powell, stated that as far as municipal affairs are concerned it would not be "good bye" but "au revoir".

Report on Parks

Councillor Eric M. Tait, with a report on parks and beaches, led the reports' list on Saturday, and he reminded the audience that after the war the municipality found itself with a great backlog of work, especially in the utilities, which had to have priority.

Because of these factors, parks and beaches have had to be developed slowly but he considered that the work done in the past two years has been well worthwhile.

Powell Beach work this year mainly consisted of adding to the 1946 improvements and maintenance of the beach. Many favorable comments had been received during the summer from outsiders on the fine beach available there, he said.

With only a small amount of work possible this year, Peach Orchard park has been greatly improved and has been a great attraction for tourists wishing to camp for a short while. Councillor Tait instanced one family from Alberta who did not like commercial auto camps and who had been looking for just such a spot as Peach Orchard park ever since he left home.

This park provides camping space for overnight stops but it is not the council's intention to allow visitors to remain there for any length of time. Councillor Tait stated that he had taken steps to prevent any tourists using the park for weeks at a time, he promised.

Peach Orchard beach was cleaned up and opened out last year, continued Mr. Tait and this little beach is used to a great extent by residents in the vicinity.

The voluntary work accomplished by citizens at Peach Orchard cemetery this year has been greatly appreciated by the council as it shows that citizens are prepared to do something for themselves. A new section adjoining the cemetery has now been opened but still has to be completed, Councillor Tait noted in closing.

Reeve Powell added his commendation of the voluntary cemetery work, and praised E. H. Bennett for his organization in this respect. His remarks brought instant applause from the audience. Speaking on Peach Orchard park, Reeve Powell referred to it as a "little gem" for the traveller.

Councillor Harvey Wilson's report on the roads committee commented first on the overhauling of the rock crusher equipment, which is now in good operational order.

Hard surfacing of the Station Road, Prairie Valley road, Hastings street, and a small portion of the road in the vicinity of the B.C. Fruit Shippers was undertaken in the past year and a semi-permanent surface has now been provided for these sections.

Applications of oil were laid down on Granville street, Jubilee road from the B.C. Fruit Shippers to the Occidental packing house, and the Giant's Head road. This latter section was thought to be a possibility for the new primary Okanagan highway, and the council last spring decided to delay extension of the hard surfacing in that section until more information could be received from the provincial government, Mr. Wilson noted.

In lower town, oil was laid on the roads near the Lakeside church and a portion of Hospital hill was similarly treated. An experiment on the use of calcium to mix as a dust layer, from Capt. Temple's home to Percy Thornbar's property proved successful and this same treatment will be given Crescent Beach road next year, he expected.

Paradise Flat road has been widened and crushed rock applied, as has the south Peach Valley road. The cemetery road was widened and the back road to Crescent Beach improved so that it can be used in the event of slides on the lakeshore route. The road leading to the new athletic park was also improved.

Councillor Wilson noted that the Sand Hill road has been quite both-ersome and it has been practically impossible to eliminate corduroy. The council also co-operated

with the Dominion Experimental Station in the hard surfacing of the road to the latter's property. "We never spent more money on roads than in the past year," declared Councillor Wilson, stating that the expenditure would be in the neighborhood of \$24,000. Of this sum, \$2,000 was expended on machinery improvements and 2 1/2 to 4 miles of roads were given a semi-permanent surface at a cost of about \$12,000, leaving \$10,000 for ordinary maintenance and expenditure, which is in line with costs in other years, he stated.

The rock crusher will now turn out gravel nearly as fast as it can be loaded and at a cost of fifty cents per cubic yard. The provincial government expends over \$2 per cubic yard for its gravel supply, he stated.

Next year, Councillor Wilson hopes that a belt conveyor will be added to the crusher to eliminate the sand from the gravel.

The councillor advocated strongly the passage of the bylaw for \$28,000 for hard surfacing roads next year and the \$12,000 bylaw for a new maintainer and truck.

Nearly ten miles of roads will be surfaced if the bylaws pass, these being the Giant's Head road down the Sand Hill to the Trout Creek Service Station, Hospital hill, the road leading from Hastings north to Okanagan highway and the Garnett Valley road past Theed's hill must be widened and improved before any permanent surfacing can be provided.

"With another ten miles of semi-permanent roads we can then spend more time improving other roads in the municipality," he declared. "The time has come when you should have roads and you can pay for them as you use them," was Reeve Powell's comment.

Domestic and irrigation water was the theme of Councillor C. E. Bentley's report to the ratepayers and first of all he dealt with irrigation matters.

Appropriation for irrigation development amounted to \$15,000 this year and the work was only undertaken under stress of increased labor and material costs. He instanced the cost of pipe, when it can be obtained as one of the major headaches of his department. All dams at headwaters are in good condition, he continued.

Thrak, No. 4, Crescent creek, Canyon creek and Garnett valley dams were all used this season, and the spillways are in good condition. Nos. 1 and 2 dams and Deer lake dam are still full while No. 3 dam is within three feet of being filled, he stated.

In a dry year, all these dams would be used, Councillor Bentley explained, as even in the past year five acre feet of water was delivered over the entire irrigation system. The new earth ditch main from Trout Creek was used for the first time in 1947 and will take the entire flow in 1948. If entirely satisfactory the old wooden flume which the ditch replaces will be discarded.

A great deal of good, permanent concrete flume work has been accomplished by the irrigation department and Councillor Bentley outlined the following: South main still needs considerable work; Giant's Head main, 600 feet of new flume installed making a total of 1,000 feet; Paradise Flat east lateral, 1,800 feet; Paradise Flat west lateral, 700 feet and 800 feet near E. H. Bennett's property; north main, needs repair work; Prairie creek main, 800 feet, with 500 feet to do next year; Garnett Valley main, needs 1,400 feet next year; south Giant's Head, needs 500 feet next year.

In the past year, 120 acres of orchard went under sprinkling irrigation, there having been 80 acres under this new system prior to this year. Many more applications are being considered now and sprinkling irrigation will mean a great development for the district, he stated.

Councillor Bentley also envisaged a better deal on power rates for those who cannot use gravity flow for sprinkling but must install

The council also co-operated

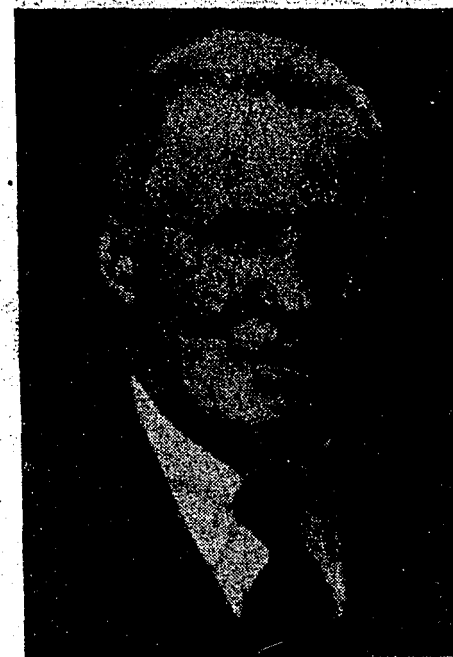
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FOR REEVE



F. E. ATKINSON



C. E. BENTLEY



REID A. JOHNSTON

Welcome Mat Planned For Santa

Arrival of Santa Claus on Christmas Eve, December 24, in Summerland is being anticipated by nearly a thousand children in this district, and Summerland Board of Trade has appointed a committee headed by Walter Charles to make the necessary arrangements to welcome St. Nick with open arms.

ART EXHIBITION FEATURES SOME B. C. PAINTINGS

The travelling exhibition of art, held on Saturday in the IOOF hall under the auspices of the Women's Institute, was well received by those who attended the showing, first of its kind in Summerland.

FOR REEVE (One to be Elected)

Atkinson, Francis Edward, fruit grower, proposed by A. M. McLachlan, seconded by E. H. Bennett. Bentley, Charles Edmund, fruit grower, proposed by W. R. Tweedy, seconded by A. M. Temple. Johnston, Reid Armstrong, CPR agent, proposed by William Ritchie, seconded by T. F. Hickey.

Three Candidates File Papers for Election as Reeve With Johnston As Dark Horse--Contest at Penticton

Three candidates will contest the office of reeve on Saturday next, December 13, in the annual municipal elections, the first occasion for two years that there has been any competition in this department. Entry of Reid A. Johnston as the dark horse in the reeveship contest came as a surprise to most persons, although his name had been mentioned last week as a possible candidate.

Reeve Is Opposed

In Peachland, great interest has also been aroused over the office of reeve. Three candidates are vying for this honor, while of the three vacancies on the council, only one nomination has been received.

Penticton is having a contest for reeve, with Reeve Robert Lyon being opposed by W. B. Carter. Kelowna is quiet with all vacancies being filled by acclamation, Mayor W. E. Hughes-Games being unopposed.

In Summerland, the board of trade has taken a hand in seeking to obtain a representative vote of the citizens for next Saturday's election. The trade board, without favoring any candidate, is urging all persons on the voters' list to exercise their franchise next Saturday so that the person who obtains the majority of votes will know that it was a vote representative of the entire community.

Voters have a choice of the municipal hall in West Summerland or the basement of Lakeside United church in lower town on Saturday as polling booths. The polls open at 8 o'clock Saturday morning and close at 8 o'clock that evening.

W. C. W. Fosbery is returning officer for this election with C. Noel Higgin as deputy returning officer in charge of the lower town polling booth.

Nominations were received on Monday by Mr. Fosbery, at the municipal office, up to 2 o'clock. Little interest was taken in the actual nominations at closing time, as only two persons besides members of the press were present to hear Mr. Fosbery's announcement. These nominations were as follows:

For Reeve (One to be Elected) Atkinson, Francis Edward, fruit grower, proposed by A. M. McLachlan, seconded by E. H. Bennett. Bentley, Charles Edmund, fruit grower, proposed by W. R. Tweedy, seconded by A. M. Temple. Johnston, Reid Armstrong, CPR agent, proposed by William Ritchie, seconded by T. F. Hickey.

For Councillor (By Acclamation) Tait, Councillor Eric Magnus, fruit grower, proposed by John Y. Towgood, seconded by D. V. Fisher. Wilson, Councillor Harvey Lorne, fruit grower, proposed by W. R. Powell, seconded by T. H. Thornthwaite.

For School Trustee (By Acclamation) Vanderburgh, Mrs. Marjorie Kathleen, housewife, proposed by L. L. Fudge, seconded by Mrs. E. M. Richards.

In Peachland, Reeve Alfred Ernest Miller is seeking re-election but is being opposed by Charles O. Whinton and Fitzpatrick V. Vernon. All three men classify themselves as fruit growers.

There are two two-year vacancies and one one-year vacancy in the council ranks at Peachland but only one nomination was received up to 2 o'clock on Monday, Peachland reports. Councillor Charles F. Bradley offered his services again but no other persons came forward to offer themselves for the other two vacant posts.

Oliver has taken the stand that the 1947 convention demanded the appointment of a production manager, whereas the convention only recommended that the appointment be given close study and adoption if found feasible of operation.

Another suggestion for the convention is that fruit growers be allowed to make deductions from income tax for reserve purposes, and local growers beamed broadly at this recommendation.

Oliver Motions Meet Opposition

Opposition to three resolutions submitted by Oliver was voiced at a poorly-attended meeting of the Summerland local of the BCFGA last Friday afternoon in the IOOF hall. Some thirty-five resolutions, to go before the annual growers' convention in Penticton next January were considered by the growers and the convention delegates were instructed as to the wishes of the local growers.

This is a small number of resolutions as generally the first draft numbers in the neighborhood of sixty.

Under the heading of industry protection, local growers gave their endorsement to requests for a government standard for nursery stock and a program over a ten-year period of elimination of undesirable varieties.

Along with the resolutions, growers also received a pamphlet issued by the provincial department of agriculture's horticultural branch, indicating the varieties of fruit recommended for commercial planting in various districts of B.C.

An endeavor to ensure even further a uniformity of interpretation of all regulations, another resolution urges frequent meetings of inspectors and supervising inspectors, under BCFGA auspices. Local growers approved this move.

First of Oliver's resolutions to meet disapproval of Summerland producers asked that "in order to meet the demand for higher quality of fruit and to maintain that standard, that lower yields can be expected, therefore the sales price must be adjusted upwards by B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., to compensate the growers for the increase in the cost of production, so that they can maintain their standard of living, and keep their orchards in the proper state of production by the best methods of irrigation, fertilization, spraying, cultivation and pruning."

Although Summerland was one local which advocated strongly the appointment of a production manager at last year's convention, local growers could not agree to Oliver's resolution now being submitted which asks the convention very strongly to criticize the board of governors for not acting on the wishes of the growers.

No Demand Recognized Oliver has taken the stand that the 1947 convention demanded the appointment of a production manager, whereas the convention only recommended that the appointment be given close study and adoption if found feasible of operation.

A suggestion from South and East Kelowna that research into the improvement of all fruit packing equipment met with local endorsement, as it follows the same principle adopted in a number of Summerland resolutions submitted this and previous years.

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Review Christmas Edition Ready Dec. 23

In order to allow our staff an opportunity to enjoy the Christmas and New Year's holidays, The Summerland Review office will be closed from Christmas Eve to January 3, inclusive. There will be no publication on Thursday, January 1. The Review Christmas edition will be published on Tuesday morning, December 23, complete with greetings from the business men of the community and containing suggestions for last-minute Christmas shoppers.

	Max.	Min.	Hrs.	Sun
Dec. 3	38	20	0.0	
Dec. 4	30	31	0.5	
Dec. 5	37	23	2.3	
Dec. 6	33	25	1.3	
Dec. 7	32	25	0.0	
Dec. 8	30	30	0.0	
Dec. 9	34	22	0.3	

EDITORIAL

Get Out And Vote

There are three candidates vying for the office of reeve in the municipal elections on Saturday. They are all well-known and respected citizens of the community and they all have a record of hard, organizational work on behalf of many civic endeavors in the community.

It is to be hoped that a large proportion of the populace turns out at the polls on Saturday to declare their choice for the reeveship in 1948 and 1949, for this is a two-year term at stake.

Whoever proves to be the people's choice, it is to be hoped that it will be a majority of those who can exercise their franchise.

In the advertising columns of this issue the Summerland Board of Trade is urging the voters to cast their ballots. The board of trade is not taking sides because all three candidates are past presidents of that organization. The board is merely pointing out to all voters that it is their civic duty and responsibility to vote on Saturday.

Make sure you say to your neighbor on Saturday: "Have you voted yet?" And then make sure that he does.

Growers Of The South

It is rather remarkable that, of thirty-five resolutions submitted from all points of the interior tree fruit growing area, the only three resolutions which the Summerland growers, at their meeting last Friday afternoon, did not endorse emanated from Oliver.

For years, the Oliver growers, despite the great assistance which they have received from a paternal government in the matter of water rates and taxes, in comparison to the grower residing within Summerland municipal confines, have been the first to criticize those officials which they helped to place in positions of authority to help control the movement of fruit from the orchard to the ultimate consumer.

Last Friday, Summerland growers considered resolutions which will be coming before the annual growers' convention in Penticton.

The only three resolutions on which Summerland growers instructed their delegates to give the cold shoulder were submitted by Oliver growers. Two of these resolutions criticized alleged lack of action on the part of officials and committees appointed to carry on certain duties on behalf of the growers.

Summerland growers did not believe this criticism is justified, and so instructed their delegates to the convention.

Criticism, if there is sufficient justification, is a healthy thing. It is not a good thing for any organization or group of people to become too smug or complacent. Then is when they are due for a rude awakening.

But Oliver's third resolution, No. 14 on the resolutions sheet, can be construed as a condemnation of the sales policy which they assisted in forming. Without giving any consideration to the practicability of their request, Oliver growers have told B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. that they must get more money for their fruit.

Mrs. Housewife on the prairies will be glad to hear of this resolution. She will, no doubt, be overjoyed that the B.C. producer is advocating a further increase in the already sky-high cost of living.

Mrs. Prairie Housewife is just as liable to turn her back on the higher-priced B.C. perishable product and give an emphatic "NO" to the sales talk of the Okanagan growers. There is always a turning point in any price level. Beyond that point a housekeeper just cannot be persuaded to extend her pursestrings.

We do not claim that the central sales agency is always correct in setting prices. After all, the human element is always there. But the sales price of the perishable products of the interior tree fruit industry is based on the advice of the best trained personnel in the sales effort, on the advice of those who have compiled estimates on the crop, on the advice of those who have computed what quality of a crop will be available.

All factors are weighed, and the sales office then sets the price.

By these methods, the sales office obtains all the money that the market will stand, as a general rule.

It would interest us, and we believe it

The cat came back at half-past four The morning after the night before.

By REIDFORD



The Inside Story

By AGROLOGIST

The Summerland Experimental Station has lost the services of a good and faithful stenographer, Dorothy Butler. The dinner party given in her honor by Mrs. Marjorie Palmer was a very pleasant affair. The high point was reached when the superintendent presented to Dorothy, on behalf of the staff, a Parker fountain pen in appreciation of her cheerful and efficient service.

In conversation with Dorothy I ascertained that she hardly knew why she was leaving a job in which she had been so happy. However, she felt that it would be good for her education to learn the duties of a receptionist at the new medical clinic, which is being opened in West Summerland.

Actually, in these fast moving days five years is quite a long time for a stenographer to work in one office. During her period of employment at the Summerland station Dorothy has become a very efficient stenographer. In recent civil service examinations she ranked very high in both typing and shorthand. Her duties at the station have made her proficient in many lines of activity from adding up milk yields to operating a mimeograph machine. Whatever she has been asked to do she has done willingly and capably.

The experimental station has been and still is most fortunate in the calibre of the office personnel. The outstanding service which this station has been able to render to Canadian agriculture is due in no small measure to the devoted work of such personnel as Eileen Tomlin and Evelyn Oakes. The tradition is being ably carried on at the moment by Dorothy MacDonald and Jean Eddie.

Dorothy Butler's cheerful smile and unfailing good humor will be missed at the experimental station. Everyone seemed sorry that Dorothy has decided to leave the Dominion Civil Service. However, those to whom I talked agreed that she had the personality, the natural ability and the experience required to make a real success of her new position. Some of them even seemed to think that it would be worthwhile having a minor illness as an excuse for visiting the medical clinic to see how well Dorothy carries out her new duties.

REV. W. L. CLOW ROTARY SPEAKER

Rev. W. L. Clow, minister of the Presbyterian church, in Penticton proved an amusing speaker before Summerland Rotarians on Friday night at the Nu-Way Annex, when he took his listeners on a trip to the town of Smeaton, on the northern fringes of Saskatchewan, some 65 miles northeast of Prince Albert.

The speaker came out of the

confines of Toronto, Ontario, eleven years ago to his first parish in this frontier town, sparsely settled with homesteaders endeavoring to eke out a meagre existence.

His amusing anecdotes of life in those days and his experience in travelling over the wide expanse of his territory proved highly entertaining.

The speaker was introduced by Francis Stewart.

GET OUT AND VOTE ON
SATURDAY

would interest the majority of our readers, to know by what means the Oliver growers anticipate obtaining this higher price level.

Of course, the sales office could say that the price is higher and the wholesaler, the retailer and the consumer could "go jump in the lake" if they did not like them. But, somehow, we believe that that type of attitude would be much more injurious to the Oliver growers' pocketbook than the policy which is followed now... the policy of obtaining all the market will bear without creating any illwill.

That, to our way of thinking, is the commonsense, long-view attitude. We are glad the Summerland growers realize the situation to a greater extent than their cousins to the south.

Penny Wise

By PENNY WISE

I see that Princess Elizabeth has learned early how to get along with men. She gave up her bacon ration to her brand new hubby at their very first breakfast. And he took it, big-gosh! She may wear the crown some day, but she'll never wear the pants in that family.

Penny Wise

Someone told me if you boil celery in a can of consommé it does wonders to the taste. And now another cook-in-the-know suggests boiling white turnips in chicken broth instead of water, to give them that certain something. If you haven't any around (which MOST of us don't have MOST of the time) try those chicken bouillon cubes. Or even the good old beef ones.

There's no pleasing some men. One mumbled a grumble to me the other day because he couldn't buy a suit WITHOUT a waistcoat. And another growled a gripe because he couldn't buy a waistcoat by itself. He's ready to settle for one of those gaudy, old-style knit ones, gals, and he's NOT married. So—out with those needles... there's just time to whip one up before the 25th.

Speaking of Christmas, nothing I've seen in the stores so far this year gave me a greater thrill than the copy of "Little Women" I ran into. No girl should pass the age of 10 without owning a copy so she, too, may weep with Jo when she cuts her hair off to help the family's finances, and weep again (with joy) when she sells her first story. No book before or since has given birth to such characters as the March sisters, mother, father, aunt and boy friends. And I'm sure none ever will.

Those of you who live away from the big shopping centres are lucky again. You see, we city slicks have become spoiled with our broccoli, tomatoes, lettuce and radishes in the middle of winter. And now new're just NOT going to have any. But you urbanites have learned to be happy (at meal times, anyway) without those tempting tasties, and aren't going to suffer a speck.

You don't have to be behind the times just because longer, tighter, skirts are the order of the day. Let the hem on that skirt down as far as possible, then take the front back or side pleats out. If it's too tight, open the hem up about six

Pioneer Days

THIRTY YEARS AGO
December 7, 1917

The sum of \$80,000 has been subscribed by 361 applicants in the Victory Loan drive. Throughout the Okanagan, \$750,000 has been subscribed. The issue of \$150,000,000 has been subscribed twice over.

Fisheries Overseer G. N. Gartrell now has his fish hatchery in Peach Orchard park in readiness, and will send for fish spawn soon. One of the small creeks running through the park is being used for the purpose.

H. B. Young is interesting himself in the motion picture business and is discussing with a local syndicate a plan to open in the Brewer building.

Military headquarters have made arrangements for the reception of 750 recruits at Willow Park, Victoria and another 750 at Hastings Park, Vancouver, next Monday, these recruits being called up under the mobilization act.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ritchie have received word that their son, Pte. James Ritchie, has landed in Halifax and will soon be discharged. He was wounded overseas and now has a stiff elbow.

By an exchange of properties, Mr. Muir Steuart now becomes owner of the lot on which his packing house stands and the cottage thereon, now occupied by Mr. G. L. McWilliams.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
December 16, 1927

Kelowna Board of Trade has raised a claim that the Associated Growers head office should be located in Kelowna. Vernon is contending that it should remain as at present—in Vernon.

A. A. Derrick brought to the attention of the board of trade the need for a central dairy in Summerland.

William Johnston went to Peachland on Monday but could only get within a mile of that town. The snow was up to the car door and sleighs had to come out for his passengers.

Work has started on the Roman Catholic church in the Victoria Gardens area.

The annual school concert will be held in the Ellison hall, the first entertainment to be held there. Wiring of the hall is being completed this week.

inches at one OR both sides. And you've got it—that New Look.

Say... stick a few match sticks in a sweet potato, then put it in water and wash it rich, luxuriant foliage you get. And if you can get hold of even one anemone bulb, put it in earth in the house, and you'll be forcing one of the loveliest flowers there is.

WATCH FOR THE OPENING OF
The Sports Centre
Grocereria Building — Hastings St.
Complete line of Sports Goods—
Sports Goods Repairs—Gunsmith

DON'T FORGET
HOSPITAL AUXILIARY
Annual Christmas Dance
ELLISON HALL
Tuesday, Dec. 16th
Saxie's Orchestra
Dancing 9-2 Refreshments

Council Is Commended On School Policy

He instanced his own case, owning ten acres without any buildings on the land.

"It is fair that I should own ten acres and pay no tax when my neighbor who has a home on his property would be called on to pay for the upkeep of the municipality?" he asked in his reply.

J. C. Barkwill asked if the Summerland council had accepted the basis of taking over a portion of Pentiction school debt when the district was formed.

"We have placed all the situations apparent here before the people in authority," replied Reeve Powell and both Councillors Eric Tait and F. E. Atkinson declared that this was brought forcefully to the attention of the school tax commission when it sat last month in Pentiction.

"Were we taken in to the school district or yanked in?" asked Mr. Nat May.

"Maybe we were 'taken in'," replied Reeve Powell evidently using the phrase in its vernacular meaning.

Part of Family

Reeve Powell stressed that Summerland, in its present position in the school district, is part of a family. As such, it must endeavor to try to make the family operate.

"If it is found impossible to function then we can separate, but in the meantime it is our duty to get along with the rest of the family and try to make it work."

"When is the tax commission going to give an answer on Summerland's stand?" asked Mr. Washington.

The meeting was informed that no answer would be given but the commission will make a report to the government.

J. Y. Towgood asked what advantages there are to Summerland being in the consolidated district.

To this Reeve Powell gave his personal opinion that the principle of consolidation is sound, provided the pre-requisite of equality of taxation is decided at the start.

He believed that the system will ultimately give some an opportunity to obtain a better education that otherwise would be denied them because of their economic situation.

He also instanced that in time a complete technical school may be available in Pentiction, as the centre, and this would be of great advantage to those pupils to whom an academic education is not appealing or worthwhile.

In Summerland, only an academic training can be provided.

With this, the meeting concluded with God Save the King.

Summerland council was given a clean bill of health in its stand on the economic and vexatious question of school taxation as it affects school district 15, when the annual meeting of ratepayers in the Legion hall Saturday afternoon drew an audience of more than a hundred interested and questioning citizens.

Summerland's stand on the tree assessment question which is the main bone of contention between Summerland council and the rest of the school district was upheld by the gathering.

It was also noted on several sides that there is an agitation for divorce from the rest of the school district but at the request of Reeve W. R. Powell this question was not debated. It was evident that the ratepayers are desirous of an agreement being reached on the school cost division so that the building bylaw to provide sorely-needed school accommodation, here can be placed before the voters.

There was a good spirit evident at the meeting and the school question was given a thorough airing.

School Board Chairman T. F. Parmley and Finance Chairman W. W. Riddell were unable to be present and Summerland Trustee P. G. Dodwell was called upon to give a few words on the administrative side of the school district during the past eleven months. It was explained that this portion of the discussion was to have been handled by the Pentiction officials and when they were unable to arrive it left no time for Mr. Dodwell to prepare any facts or figures.

Vexatious Problem

Before Mr. Dodwell spoke, Reeve Powell referred to Summerland, in 1946, commencing to start taxing improvements, which included trees, for the first time.

"We assumed we were doing the correct thing by putting a tax on trees as improvements, but when we found that Pentiction and the rural were not taxing trees, we were advised to take them off the rolls, for school purposes," explained His Worship.

"From that day on we have maintained that position."

"We take this view: That what you do in 1947 sets the measure for what you have to do in the future. If we had acquiesced in this matter of school trees, then we would have perpetuated a position which was intolerable.

"If we tax trees in Summerland and no other area in the Okanagan is doing the same, then we in Summerland have to rectify that situation.

"I don't want to stir up any antagonism with Pentiction, but perhaps the Pentiction council is not doing exactly what the people of Pentiction want them to do... it is an obvious injustice to Summerland."

have to tell parents to keep their children home, or only allow them part-time schooling. He also instanced the danger to health from over-crowded conditions.

The Cameron report was a good one, Mr. Dodwell believed, but there have been some points not adhered to by Dr. G. M. Weir and the education department. These missing points have proved the weaknesses which have blocked the implementation of the school district scheme. The amended act was put through too fast and the weaknesses are wrecking the operation of the schools act, he declared.

The cabinet has recognized this fact but has done nothing to date to rectify the situation, he believed.

Conflicting Acts

Magistrate H. Sharman asked if the school board has put it strongly to the Pentiction council that the bylaw should be pushed through. Mr. Dodwell replied in the affirmative but instanced that there is conflict between the municipal and school acts over the length to which a school board can go in forcing a bylaw.

"What is there to hinder separation?" queried another speaker.

Commends Council Stand

Following this presentation, Mr. Tom Washington, Sr., rose and declared: "I think the council should be highly commended for its stand". This statement met with instantaneous applause.

At the outset of his remarks, Trustee Dodwell declared he was on the spot in giving this talk at such short notice and he had been on the spot for the past 21 months. Pentiction trustees have access to facts and figures, and "I'm under a handicap to give you a complete picture."

He declared that the position of a trustee from Summerland is a difficult one, as the centre of the district is in Pentiction.

Mr. Dodwell noted the tremendous increase in school attendance in local schools. Two years ago a survey of probable school attendance in 1952 had been placed at slightly over 600, whereas now the school population has reached the 640 mark.

He instanced the crowded quarters, with rooms in the basement of the elementary school, in the library and now another classroom in St. Andrew's United Church.

Need Building Bylaw

"Something will have to be done about this building bylaw, which was ready nearly a year ago and has been held up," he continued.

The former Summerland school board chairman stated he was glad that a teacher had been obtained to relieve the two principals in their teaching duties and allow them more time for the administrative problems.

In closing, he re-iterated the difficulty he has in keeping in touch with school matters in the district.

Again Reeve Powell took up the school questions, this time on the subject of the bylaw, and referred to a recent column by Rev. F. W. Haskins in the Pentiction Herald, which he termed well written and timely.

"The behaviour of the Summerland council has been quite fair in the matter of the bylaw. We have been grieved by the delay in its submission and we told the Pentiction council when we met them last summer that it is their responsibility.

"We have a clear conscience in the matter of the delay. The bylaw could have been put and an adjustment made later. We are agreeable to submit the bylaw now, as long as the people of Summerland are protected against discrimination at a future date," he concluded, referring to the legal document Summerland council has submitted to the school district, as announced in last week's issue of The Review.

Wouldn't Have Schools

"What would happen if the bylaw was turned down by one section of the school district?" queried J. E. O'Mahony.

"I can't imagine a school bylaw being turned down, but the Pentiction council, said it wouldn't pass," replied Reeve Powell. "If Pentiction, with a greater number of voters, turned it down, then we wouldn't have the new schools."

In reply to a query from Mr. R. Birch, Trustee Dodwell stated that the school board is extremely anxious to get the bylaw through. If accommodation isn't provided soon, then the school board may

Equitable Taxation

However, there is still a discrepancy and he advocated two lines of thought:

1. Fight for more equitable taxation.
2. Elect a council who will fight for your interests and provide you with the implements for increased production.

"It is essential for the protection of the empire to provide plenty of money for education," he added.

Reeve Powell also drew a parallel between Summerland as an incorporated area with 3,100 acres of irrigated land in its confines and the unorganized area which has been aided by a "paternal government".

He declared that one grower in East Kelowna, with very desirable soil, only pays \$60 provincial taxes on forty acres.

"Kaledon, Naramata and the rest of the unorganized territory in district 15 pay considerably less on land tax than you in Summerland do and yet they still want us to tax trees."

Reason for Tax

"Why did you tax trees?" was Mr. C. P. Ripplin's query.

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BENTLEY	Charles Edmund	Reeve	West Summerland B.C.	Fruit Grower
JOHNSTON	Rold Armstrong	Reeve	R.R.1 Summerland B.C.	C.P.R. Agent

of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

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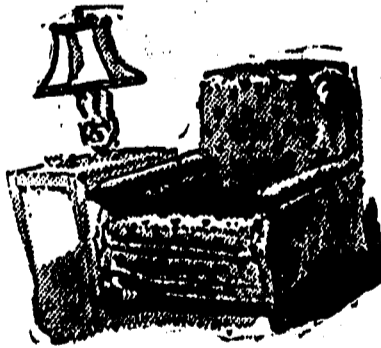
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COUNCIL PLANS

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Tait queried the condition of Canyon creek dam spillway. Councilor Bentley quoted Foreman E. Kercher that the apparent seepage is lessening every year and the latter would not be afraid to put water over the spillway now. This dam has never been filled over 28.6 feet, he stated.

Reeve Powell declared that regardless of its apparent strength to the layman's eye, engineers have said in the past that this dam should be cut down and he suggested that this work should be considered in the near future.

His Worship also took up the question of a truck for fire protection purposes. Money had been set aside for this truck but no purchase had been made. He praised the West Summerland fire protection district for its efficient and economical operation and admitted that the district had been carrying the load and the municipality had been deriving the benefit.

accrue from such a move, he was told. After a discussion of school matters, Mr. Alf McLachlan thanked the council for its work in the past year. "We have never heard a clear-

er report on the year's work, on what has happened and what is planned for the future," commented Mr. McLachlan, also stressing the need for a continuation of the council's plan of road improvement.

"We should have been more industrious in our thinking," declared Reeve Powell and intimated that next year's council would probably implement the deal which has already been commenced between the fire district and the council.

Reeve Powell was also called upon to answer a query on the possible reduction in power rates for pumps used in sprinkling irrigation.

"This question is recognized by the council," replied Reeve Powell, "and I believe the council will come to some more equitable rate for these power users."

Mel Monro wanted the denominations of the bond issue on the roads bylaw reduced in size so that a number of these bonds could be purchased locally. This would add to the expense and there would be no great benefit

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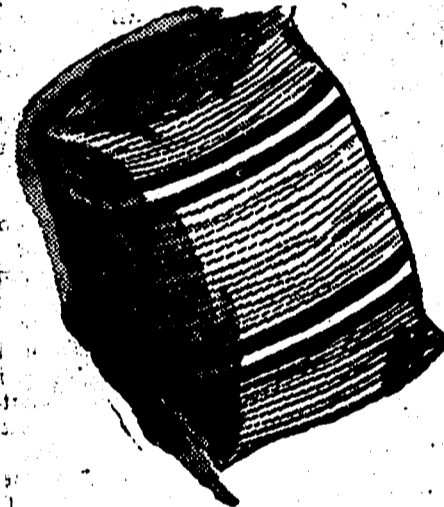
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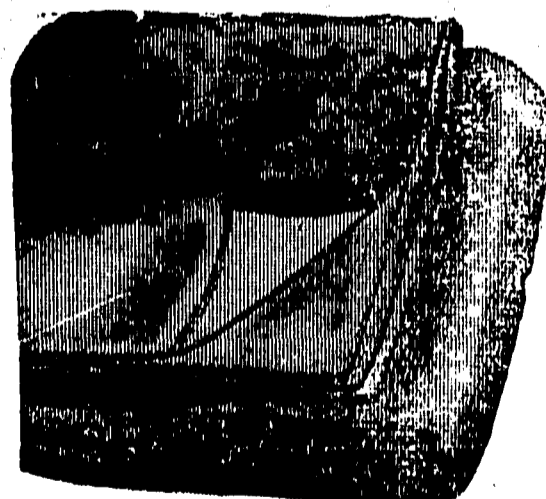
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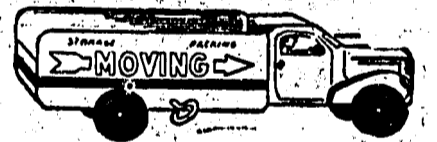
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Blood Donations Number 20,000 In Last Nine Months

With a record of nearly 20,000 donations of blood collected in British Columbia in nine months operation of the Red Cross blood transfusion service, this province leads the way in Canada in Dominion-wide establishment of this free life-giving therapy.

"The Red Cross is very proud of B.C. donors who have enabled the society to establish this new service on a sound basis," states Col. W. G. Swan, chairman of the provincial blood donor committee.

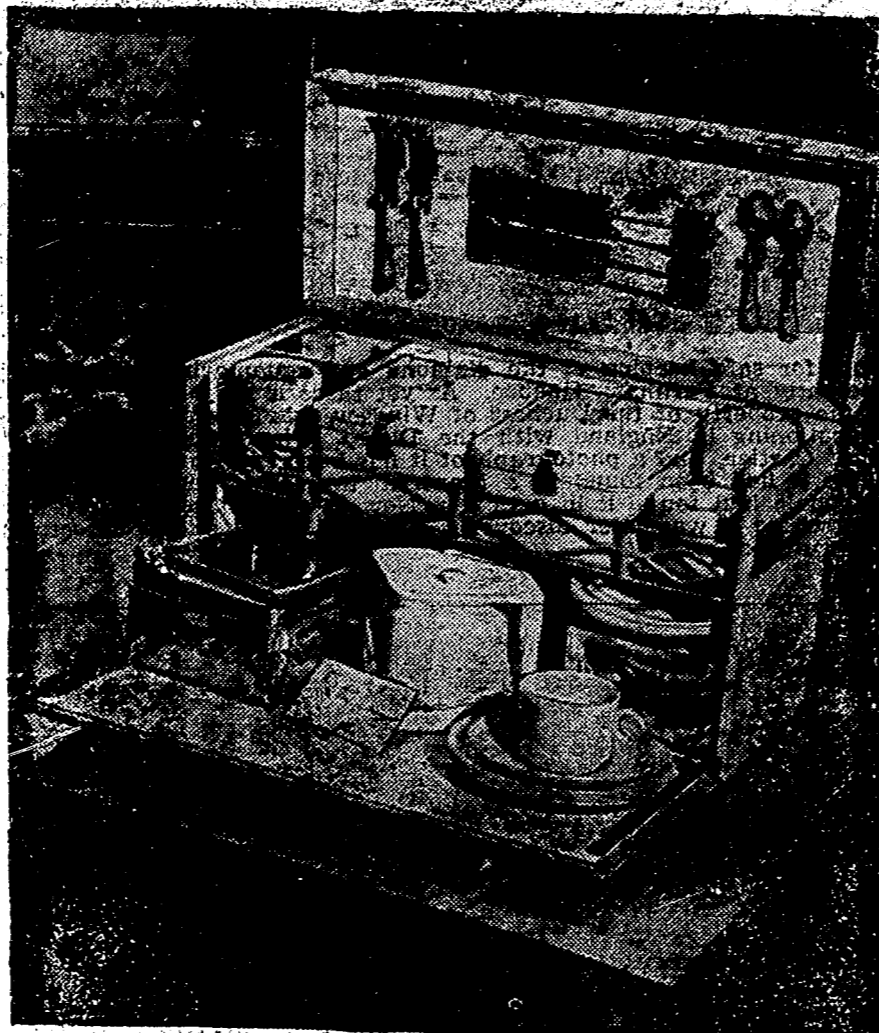
"How many lives have actually been saved by this service, it is impossible to determine, but it is safe to say that several hundred B.C. residents today owe their life and health to generosity of blood donors. On behalf of these scores of people the B.C. division of the Red Cross conveys a very sincere thank you to the generous donors," he said.

Since inauguration of this new Red Cross project last February 135 clinics have been held in 43 centres in this province, 19,195 blood donations received and 14,677 bottles of blood given free to hospital patients. The surplus blood has been converted into plasma for use in B.C.

More than 10,000 hospital patients have received one or more transfusions from this supply of blood during the nine months of operation, Col. Swan points out. Fifteen blood banks are now maintained in this province where supplies are available at all times. Several more banks will be established shortly so that immediate supplies of blood and plasma will be available from Vancouver Island to the Alberta border. The same service is now established in Alberta and will shortly be extended to other provinces.

Growth of this service is shown in the comparative figures for February and October. During the first month, 1,139 donors supplied blood used by 551 patients. In October, 2,924 donations were collected and 1,749 used as direct transfusions.

A Princess' Gift to Her Sister



AMONG THE MANY priceless gifts to Princess Elizabeth and Lieut. Philip Mountbatten now on display at St. James' Palace in London is this elaborate picnic set from Princess Margaret Rose.

Medical Faculty As Part of UBC Given Approval

The office of the president has announced that the senate of the University of B.C. at a special meeting called on November 27 for the purpose of considering the establishment of a medical faculty, had unanimously approved the following resolutions which were submitted by a committee set up some two years ago for the purpose of studying the matter:

1. That the faculty of medicine be established as an integral part of the University of British Columbia.
2. That the establishment of a faculty of medicine be planned with the ultimate objective of locating it as a unit on the university campus. That in the meantime, if it is impossible to establish it on the campus, the pre-clinical years be given on the campus and the clinical instruction provided in existing hospitals when, in the opinion of the senate and the board of governors, the university facilities are considered adequate.
3. That steps be taken towards the erection of the necessary buildings to house the pre-medical, pre-clinical and other allied services of the faculty of medicine in association with other university faculties and facilities.
4. That the proposals for establishing an institute of preventive medicine on the campus should be implemented.

When they set up their own committee to study it, members of faculties likely to be best informed about such matters and most interested in them were invited to membership. This committee interviewed a number of people, including all the experts who visited the university during this period. It also interviewed a number of others distinguished in the field of medical education, including the presidents of two universities, themselves deans of medical schools.

The resolutions are the result of this committee's two years of investigation.

These resolutions were passed on to the board of governors. It now remains for the board to explore with the provincial government, City of Vancouver and the hospitals of the Vancouver area, the possibilities of giving effect to them, and of discovering a means by which they can be carried out.

It is the duty of the senate under the British Columbia University Act to advise and consent to the establishment by the board of governors of any faculty, department, chair, fellowship, scholar-

ship, exhibition, prize or course of instruction. The senate also has the duty and the power to recommend the discontinuance by the board of any of these.

It is with the university senate that responsibility rests regarding the academic affairs of the university, including the establishment and the maintenance of standards. The senate is composed of the chancellor, the president, the four deans of faculties, eight faculty representatives, three members appointed by the lieutenant-governor-in-council, the principals of the two provincial normal schools, a representative of the high school principals and assistants, representatives from three affiliated colleges (Victoria College, Union College, and the Anglican Theological College), fifteen members elected by convocation, and a representative of the B.C. Teachers' Federation—a total of 39.

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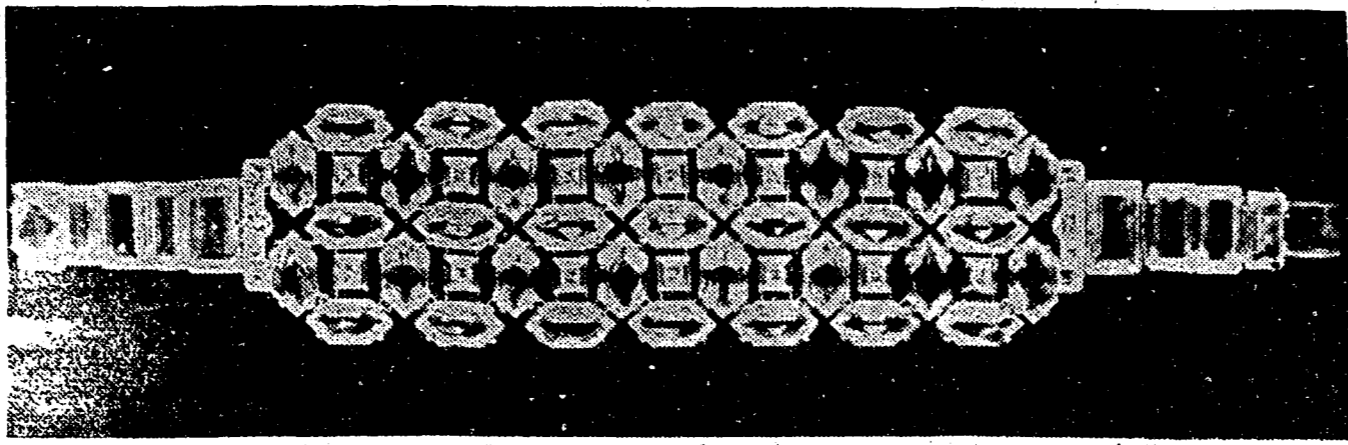
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The Mail Box

C. C. F. VIEWPOINT

814 Harvey Ave. Kelowna, B.C., Dec. 4, 1947

Editor, The Review:

Since the removal of controls, inflation is no longer anticipated; it is here. Figures released by Ottawa show that during the months of August and September alone the cost of living rose 14 times as much as in the last two years of war and the food index 27 times as much.

Doubtless it is necessary to reduce United States imports but it is not generally realized that the effect is to boost the already inflationary prices. The situation has not been helped by the removal of a large number of price controls in September added to which the grain subsidy was removed in October.

Our leader M. J. Coldwell, M.P., urged this 6-point emergency price control program: (1) Restore price controls of food, clothing and fuel; (2) Renew the subsidies on milk, butter, bread, feed grains, cotton and wool; (3) Close the Winnipeg Grain Exchange; (4) Reconstruct the Wartime Prices and Trade Board; (5) Continue the excess profits tax; (6) Ration scarce essential commodities.

In my opinion the drastic steps suggested by Mr. Coldwell are necessary if we are to protect the welfare and economic security of all the Canadian people.

O. L. JONES

High Tribute To Work of Junior Red Cross Is Paid At Regional Conference of Seniors In Oliver

OLIVER—The regional conference of the Red Cross for the Southern Okanagan, from Peachland to Osoyoos, was held in the Elks hall at Oliver on Thursday, November 27.

Mrs. W. S. Reeder, regional representative, welcomed the delegates from Peachland, Naramata, Summerland, Oliver, Osoyoos, and Penticton, and thanked them for their co-operation in answer to her requests for Red Cross work during the past year.

On behalf of the Oliver branch of the Red Cross, R. H. Leake welcomed the delegates.

E. L. Kenny, chairman of the blood transfusion service, was the first speaker and gave a most interesting talk about this project, which was started in January of this year.

Need New Donors
He said there had been 21,225 pints of blood donated to Red Cross work this year, but he also explained that there is a 25 per cent depreciation in donors, either through indifference, or moving to another province, or through not being able to donate for health reasons. The Red Cross in all its branches must therefore be constantly alert for new donors.

An interesting part of Mr. Kenny's talk, was the letters he read from grateful patients who had been helped by Red Cross blood transfusion. These letters came from all over the province, many of them written by parents of Rh babies, who lived because of this part of the service rendered by the Red Cross.

In explaining the use of the transfusion service, Mr. Kenny brought the story even closer to home, when he told of several babies who had been saved in the Penticton hospital through blood that had been flown in from Vancouver when it was needed for a special case.

The mobile unit held a clinic in Penticton in April of this year, and Mr. Kenny spoke of the wonderful response of the people. He said that the Penticton clinic had been a most successful one, and he also paid tribute to the work of the volunteer organization which kept things running so smoothly.

Clinics were also held in Kelowna, Vernon, Peachland, Summerland, and Oliver, with Osoyoos people coming to Oliver to attend the clinic.

A mobile unit has visited every district in B.C. this year, except the Cariboo, and part of the island, where the road conditions were very bad.

Mrs. J. N. Mawer, chairman of the Arts and Crafts, and hospital visiting, was the next speaker, and the stories she told of the work among the patients in the military hospitals in Vancouver, Victoria, and Tranquille were most interesting.

This branch of the Red Cross visits in Shaughnessy hospital, Hycroft Rest Home, and the George Darby Health Centre. The D.V.A. hospital in Victoria, as well as the T.B. wing of the Jubilee hospital in Victoria, the T.B. wing of the Vancouver General hospital, and at Jericho, the patients in Tranquille Sanatorium, and the Navy hospital at Esquimalt are also visited.

In speaking of the Christmas plans for these patients, Mrs. Mawer paid high tribute to the Junior Red Cross, who are making 2500 stockings this year which will be distributed on Christmas morning.

These stockings are packed and assembled by the junior workers, and will be presented along with a favor for each patient's breakfast tray on Christmas morning.

The Junior Red Cross also entertain the patients with carol singing on Christmas day, and this year, under the supervision of an adult councillor, the children will help with the distribution of the parcels.

Along with all the work this branch of the Red Cross does, they still find time to do many personal favors for those who are in unfortunate circumstances.

Following a brief recess, during which refreshments were served, P. S. McKergow, provincial president, spoke on some of the phases of the work undertaken by Red Cross. He explained that Red Cross is

not only a, wartime work, but workers are needed just as urgently now, to carry on the peace time effort.

He, too, paid tribute to the Junior Red Cross, who, through their efforts, had raised a sum of money and are keeping in operation a nursery in England where 400 orphaned children are being cared for.

He spoke of the outpost hospitals, where in 1947, 1800 patients had been treated, 2100 children had been born, and 5,100 operations had been performed.

Mr. McKergow gave a brief report of the national council in Montreal. He said that in order to carry on Red Cross work three million dollars would be required in 1948. Of this amount B.C. would be responsible for \$300,000.

In the past year the Canadian Red Cross had received an urgent call for help from England, and \$5,000 was spent for blankets and woollen underwear. Later it was decided to spend a million dollars for food for the people of Britain \$500,000 has already been spent on this food, which is bought in bulk and shipped for distribution.

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In all two and a half million dollars will be spent by the Red Cross for food for the people of Britain this year.

In closing his talk, he said, "we must all look forward with courage, and determination, and not get weary with well doing."

An open forum was then held, and Colonel C. A. Scott, commissioner of Red Cross for B.C. was most helpful in answering questions pertinent to the services of Red Cross, as were other speakers.

ELECT OFFICERS OF ORANGE LODGE

At a recent meeting of Summerland Loyal Orange Lodge No. 2036, Les Gould was named worthy master for the coming year. The election of officers was conducted by J. H. Walton, Summerland, county master of Similkameen County lodge.

Other officers chosen were as follows:

Deputy master, J. Slater; chaplain, E. Harbicht; recording secretary, J. H. Walton; financial secretary, F. Page; treasurer, L. Rumball; marshal, W. Gould; first lecturer, W. Pattie; second lecturer, J. Burnell; worthy past master, J. H. Walton.

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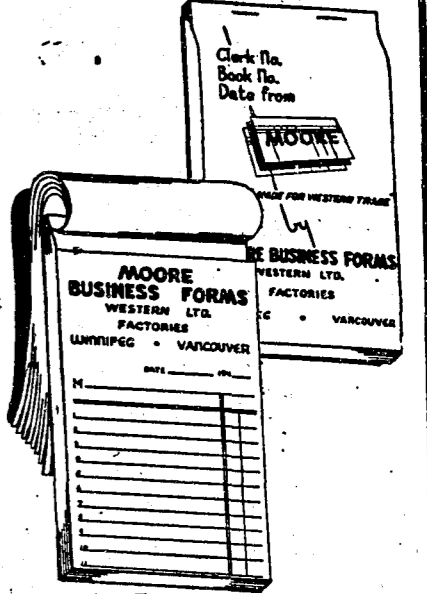


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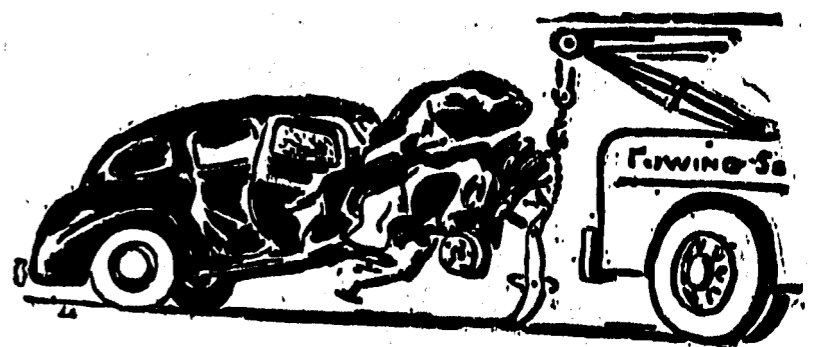
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Socially Speaking

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Edward (Hilly) Smith was a patient in the local hospital at the beginning of the week having his tonsils removed.

Word has been received by the Kean family that Mr. Kean, Sr., is getting along nicely in the hospital in Vancouver.

Barbara Knippleburg left on Wednesday, December 3, for a short visit at the coast.

Mrs. A. Menu is visiting at Vancouver this week.

Mrs. Dorothy Pattie is a Vancouver visitor this week.

Mrs. W. Carpenter, left on Friday to spend a short visit at Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. A. Gayton returned last weekend from a visit at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Johnson and family moved into their new home at the station last week.

Miss Muriel Scriver returned home from Vancouver on Monday morning's train.

St. Stephen's Evening Women's Auxiliary held its Christmas tea and sale of home cooking, fancy work, aprons, novelties and candy in the Parish hall, Saturday, December 6. The hall and tables were decorated with various flowers, and the stalls were very attractive with a display of lovely articles. A good attendance was reported and very favorable receipts.

This Sunday, December 14, will be the CGIT Vesper service at St. Andrew's United church. The girls will have charge of the morning service and choir with Rev. H. R. Whitmore taking care of the sermon.

Mr. Reid Johnston and Mr. Harvey Wilson left on Monday evening for Vancouver to attend the Liberal convention. They carried proxies for Reeve W. R. Powell and William Ritchie, the remaining two Summerland delegates, who were unable to make the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Mayert returned this week from a motor trip to Portland, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Gartrell left last Monday for Vancouver where they will spend the Christmas holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gartrell.

Reeve W. R. Powell left on Wednesday morning for Yakima, in company with A. G. DesErisay, Penticton, and Gordon Butler and R. P. "Tiny" Walrod, Kelowna. They have driven south in the interests of B.C. Fruit Processors Ltd.

Mr. Donald Ross has returned to his home in Vancouver, after visiting the Summerland district for a few days while his mother, Mrs. Rosamund Ross has been a patient in the Summerland hospital.

Mr. Aubrey Roberts, of the firm of Braun & Co., public relations, was a Vancouver visitor to Summerland on Monday.

Mr. George Uzawa left for Vancouver on November 15 to fly to Seattle and San Francisco to meet his sister, Violet, who landed in Frisco from Tokyo. She is on her way to New York city with her husband for her new home. Her husband is a native New Yorker and a graduate of Columbia University there, having been employed at one time as a special article writer for Wendell Wilkie.

Mrs. John Minshull is a patient in the Summerland hospital this week.

Mr. R. Cuthbert has received word of the death at Pitlochry, Scotland, on Wednesday, December 10, of his sister, Mrs. K. Lucas. Mr. Cuthbert and his son, John, plan to leave Summerland next Thursday for Scotland. They will sail aboard the Cunard liner Aquitania from Halifax on December 23.

Mr. R. Cuthbert and Mr. Lionel Fudge left last night for Vancouver, where Mr. Cuthbert is taking delivery of a new Austin car. They were accompanied by Vicki Cuthbert.

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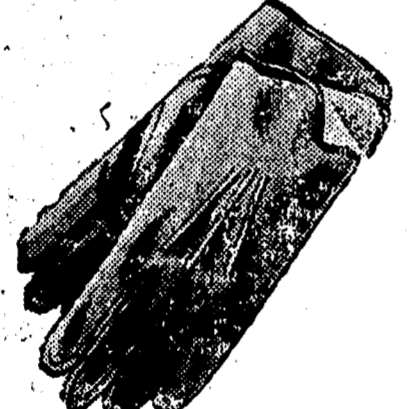
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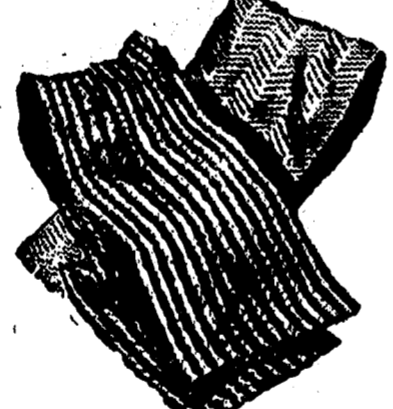
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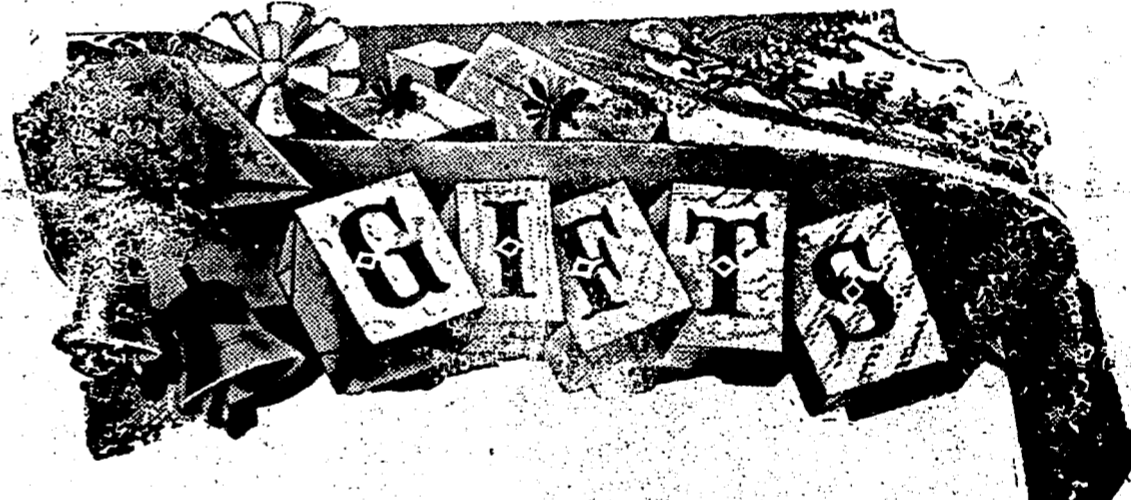
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SCOUT NEWS

Last Friday's meeting suffered from the basketball game and the Louis-Walcott fight. However, an excellent meeting was held in the badminton hall and a number of badges were presented. We now have quite a number of Tenderfoot Scouts and these boys received instructions in knot tying and uses for the various knots. Richard Lewis completed requirements for his second class and we hope there will be a lot more second class Scouts soon, particularly since in order to wear proficiency badges it is necessary to become a second class Scout.

A talk on proficiency badges was given, pointing out the large number of badges which are available.

Any Scout wishing to qualify for a proficiency badge must get a slip from the secretary which is signed by the person examining the boy for the badge. A number of requests for an opportunity to try for the athletes badge have been received and we shall try to arrange for a run-off for this badge.

A number of boys still arrive at meetings without running shoes or soft soled shoes, and parents are asked to see their boys come with proper shoes.

Notices: Next meeting, Friday, Dec. 12, in the school gym. Duty patrol: Beavers.

Damage of more than \$5,000,000 is done each year to Canadian homes due to fires from faulty furnaces or boilers.

TWO ESCAPES FROM LOCKUP IN PENTICTON

PENTICTON—For the second time in a fourteen-day period, an escape has been made from the Penticton lockup.

On Friday night, November 28, at 7 o'clock, Ivan Mario Jobin escaped through a window into the narrow passage beside the police office, and, despite the immediate extensive search that was instituted, made good his escape.

Jobin's successful bid for freedom came eight hours after he pleaded guilty in County Court to obtaining \$291 from the Keremeos branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce by false pretences and was sentenced to six months' hard labor.

He was due to appear in police court on the following morning for sentence on four other charges. According to police, Jobin's bride of eight months called at the police office and asked to say goodbye to her husband.

Permission was granted, and Jobin was led out of the cells into the private office in the police station where his wife awaited him. They were given a few minutes privacy and, seizing this as an opportunity, Jobin snatched his bride's purse and escaped through a side window, only a few feet away from where a constable waited.

When the officer on duty returned, Mrs. Jobin lay prostrate on the floor. All her available funds had been in the purse and she was said to be without money when she returned to her hotel.

Police immediately swung into action and a roadblock was established on the highway south of here. But apparently it was too late for no sign of the escaped man was seen, although police did nab Clarence Banman, who, a short time earlier, had broken into Horton's garage.

A car owned by George Howard, the Bench, which was at the time parked on Orchard avenue, facing east, was reported stolen shortly afterwards.

Its subsequent recovery on a side road about a mile from the international boundary has led police to believe that Jobin stole the car within minutes of making his escape and managed to make his way across the border into the U.S.

Meanwhile police are continuing their efforts to find Russell Spears, who escaped from the lock-up on November 14, a few hours before he was to have been sentenced by Magistrate G. A. McLelland for aggravated assault on a female while armed.

Spears, who spent about a year in this vicinity, is known to have a thorough knowledge of the surrounding hill country and may have "holed up" for some considerable time.

A thorough dragnet has been set out for him, and police are confident he will eventually be caught.

Two Councillors Resign But Their Cheques Returned

Two councillors resigned last Friday afternoon at a council session near the end of the first year of their two-year terms, in order that they might place their names before the voters as candidates for the reeveship.

Councillor Bentley's resignation was read first, and it was accompanied by a cheque for \$50. Councillor Atkinson's letter of resignation was then read but it did not have a cheque attached. The councillor soon remedied this situation.

According to the municipal act, if a councillor resigns before his term is completed he must post a sum of money to defray the expenses of a bylaw, provided there is not a sufficiently good reason for his resignation.

In this case, Reeve W. R. Powell suggested that as these two councillors are resigning to contest the vacant office of reeve, this should be deemed sufficient cause to allow the council to refund the cheques.

The other two councillors moved this recommendation and the councillors got their money back.

Research Council Is Influence In Industry Progress

The work of the British Columbia Research Council has reached the stage at which it is becoming an important influence in the industrial progress of the province, reported Hon. Leslie H. Eyres, minister of trade and industry, at a meeting of the council's board of management on Thursday, November 27th.

Research projects now in progress were displayed to members of the board in a tour of council laboratories.

Research on the utilization of British Columbia seaweed and plastic impregnated wood, and on the production of gas from wood, highlighted the demonstrations during the tour. New samples of British Columbia seaweed collected during the summer are being analyzed to determine the commercial value of the constituents such as alginic acid and minerals.

Specimens were shown of the newly developed types of compreg, a tough plastic impregnated compressed wood being developed by the council. Made from British Columbia softwoods, the material shows promise of invading hardwood markets.

Under the joint sponsorship of the council and the British Columbia Electric Railway company, research is being pushed in the production of city gas from sawmill wastes to provide an industrial outlet for unused products now incinerated, and simultaneously alleviate the shortage of raw materials for gas production. Operation of a small-scale tubular gas retort specially built for the research was demonstrated to board members.

Speaking briefly at the luncheon which followed the tour, Dr. N. A. M. McKenzie, president of the University of British Columbia, complimented the council staff on the progress made in the few years since the council was established, adding that he was pleased to have such outstanding men on the campus.

Attending the meeting were N. M. Carter, director, Pacific Fisheries experimental station at Van-

couver; W. E. Cockfield, in charge of the B.C. office of the bureau of geology and topography; S. J. Hammit, manager of Morrison Steel and Wire Co., Vancouver; R. S. O'Meara, trade commissioner; E. G. Rowbottom, deputy minister of trade and industry; J. F. Walker, deputy minister of mines, and University professors R. H. Clark, B. Eagles, F. A. Forward, G. M. Shrum.

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Heavy emphasis will be laid on practical and vocational training in the 1948 Rural Leadership School, which opens at the Youth Training Centre in UBC's Acadia Camp on January 12.

Kelvin Large, principal of the school, has announced that agricultural training will be stressed for male students, and that home-making subjects are the major topic of instruction for women. A degree of subject selection, Mr. Large said, will allow girls interested in agriculture, or boys interested in crafts, to take part in those interests.

Prospective students and sponsors of students are reminded that official date for closing of registration is Dec. 15, when completed application forms with two letters of recommendation should be in the office of Dr. G. M. Shrum, department of university extension, University of B.C. The school is open to all suitable candidates living in rural areas of the province.

Joint sponsors of the enterprise are the federal department of labor, and the provincial departments of education and of agriculture. It will be administered by the University extension department.

Present plans envisage a comprehensive survey of agriculture early in the eight-week session. Specialized work in livestock, poultry, horticulture and field crops will complete the term, with instruction in carpentry and in agricultural mechanics as added features. Instructors will be drawn from the UBC agriculture faculty, the provincial department of agriculture and the extension department staff.

Home-making instruction will be subdivided into courses on cooking and nutrition, home furnishing, decorating, and household crafts. Instructors from the extension department and the UBC department of home economics will be in charge of lectures and laboratories.

As in past years, all students will have the opportunity to take part in discussion and hobby groups, student committees, and public speaking classes. These opportunities, it is felt, offer additional training of value to the student in leadership activity when he returns to his home community.

Two Victories For Hoop Teams Over Penticton

Two big victories were chalked up by Summerland basketball teams at the school gym on Tuesday evening in a three-game card against Penticton teams. Summerland Legion juniors walked away from Les Wiseman's squad in a low-scoring match, 14-6, while the Summerland Chiefs, intermediate B aspirants, took a tight 21-18 victory over the Penticton team.

In the third contest, Summerland Int. A's bowed before a superior Penticton quintette 41-10.

These are the first two victories scored by Summerland since the season started. The winning squads showed a great improvement over their initial appearances and indicated that they are practicing hard to round into shape for the interior play-offs.

The local juniors led 7-0 by the end of the first quarter, and that was the deciding margin throughout the game, as scoring was even for the other three quarters. Don Cristante, McRae and Holmes proved the sparkplugs of the offensive while Johnstone and White were the best for the visitors.

For the first three-quarters of the intermediate B contest, neither squad was ahead more than four points and with ten minutes left to play the count was knotted at 16-all. Summerland put on a real spurt as soon as the last canto opened and rattled in five points and then held the visitors at bay.

Tidball and Hancock led the way for the visitors while Dunham and McLean were hot on the offensive for the local lads.

"Shadow" Street and Ryan proved too hot for the local A's to handle and it was only in the second quarter that Summerland looked like giving any decisive opposition. Minus John Vanderburgh, laid up with a sprained foot, the locals brought in some of the B squad but lacked the finish around the basket to make an effective showing.

The B Chiefs were resplendent on Tuesday night in their new brightly-colored strips and they christened them well, with their first victory of the year.

The Teams:
Penticton juniors: White 2, Boulton, Foley-Bennett, Johnstone 3, Hanlon, Betts, Weeks, Ball 1-6.

Summerland juniors: Weitzel, Jomori, Cristante, 5, Haskins 1, McRae 4, Bolton, Holmes 4, Nesbitt, Ritchie—14.

Penticton Int. B: Young, Adams, Sismey 2, Nicholson 2, Hancock 4, Eshelman 2, Tidball 6, Petley 2, Collins, Atkins—18.

Summerland Int. B: Hack, Dunham 9, Day 2, Ruppel 2, Jacobs 3, McLean 4, Kita 1, Turnbull, Kato, Fleming—21.

Penticton Int. A: Raptis 5, N. Drossos 6, Russell 4, Ashley 2, S. Drossos 1, Ryan 13, Street 10—41.
Summerland Int. A: Moore 6, Nesbitt 1, Dinsdale, Rand 2, Guld, Hava, Fleming, Day 1, McLean, Brennan—10.

Referees: Hack, Moore, J. Walsh, Collins.

SERVICE CLUB MAKES DONATION

Advancing its monthly meeting two weeks, due to the usual date falling during the Christmas holidays, the Service club of St. Andrew's church held its meeting on Monday, December 8, in the church hall. Two new members were enrolled and welcomed by the president, Mrs. Blair Underwood. Mrs. Ed. Gould and Mrs. T. W. Boothe, members of the Federation group of the church, were also in attendance.

An interesting bible reading was given by Mrs. Doney Wilson, and Mrs. Gould gave a Scotch recitation "Bairns, Cuddle Down". In a real

Scotch brogue, Mrs. Gould certainly had the members guessing the meaning of some of the words, but the poem itself was well understood and enjoyed.

The Service Club is making a large donation of money to the church and a donation to the Princess Elizabeth fund was also decided upon.

The few remaining articles left over from the Christmas sale were put on display for the members to buy and the club also had a table of homecooking and candy for sale.

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THE SUMMERLAND BOARD OF TRADE
URGES ALL PERSONS ON THE MUNICIPAL VOTERS LIST TO EXERCISE THEIR FRANCHISE IN THE

Election for Reeve

ON

Saturday, Dec. 13

WHERE: Municipal Hall, West Summerland.
Lakeside United Church, Summerland.
WHEN: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday next.

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SOLLY CHICKS—MAKE SURE

of getting Solly Chicks next spring by ordering early. White Leghorns, New Hampshires and First Crosses. First hatch December 15. Solly Poultry Breeding Farm, Westholme, V.I. 43-9-c.

LOST YOUR LOCKER KEY? Need an extra one? Drop in at Sadler's, Hastings St., we can supply. 4-5-p.

NEXT OLD-TIME DANCE CLUB dance, Friday, Dec. 12, Ellison hall, 9 to 1. 48-2-c.

REMEMBER THE HOSPITAL Christmas Dance, Dec. 16, Ellison hall, Saxie's orchestra; dancing 9 to 2. 48-1f-c.

AWARD OF THE WEEK—WE draw for five dollars in merchandise every Saturday until Christmas; twenty-five dollars on Christmas Eve. You get a ticket with every purchase at The Peter Pan Toggery; the store with the stock. 48-5-c.

LOCAL TURKEYS, BEST QUALITY, 50 cents per pound. Order now as there are only a few left. West Summerland Frozen Food, Locker and Retail Meat Market. Harry Braddick, manager. 49-1-c.

REMEMBER THE CATHOLIC annual bazaar, at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, December 13, in Odd-fellows' Hall. 49-1-c.

KEEP DEC. 19 FOR CCF BOX social, five hundred, dancing, IOOF hall, 8 p.m. 49-1-c.

BRING YOUR BICYCLE TO SEDLAR'S Plumbing and Repair Shop for prompt service. Our prices are reasonable. 49-4-p.

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CAPTURE SEVEN TURKEYS

Dr. Lloyd Day, Ken Blagborne and Alan Elsey entered the Oliver Fish and Game Club turkey shoot yesterday afternoon and were successful in bringing back seven live turkeys for Christmas dinner. Competition was on both the rifle and trap ranges and the Summerland sportsmen brought back their full share of the prizes.

FOR SALE—LADIES' BICYCLE in good condition, 20-inch frame. Phone 623. 49-1-p.

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Monday 2 Shows 7 - 9
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Do You Remember the 1939 Dollar?

In 1939, ONE DOLLAR bought you: 1 lb. butter, 1 lb. tea and 20 cigarettes.

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THAT IS INFLATION—loss of purchasing power. Deflation will follow sooner or later.

MOST of the former dollar's purchasing power will return—if you can keep your 1948 dollars.

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SLIPPER GIFTS
For All the Family

From oldsters to youngsters—everyone loves slippers. It's a practical gift—yet a luxury of comfort too. Please everyone this Yuletide give slippers to all.

SLIPPERS
of every type and price range.
MEN'S and WOMEN'S from **\$1.45**
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Elastic or zipper **\$4.50**

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MISS AUSTRALIA of '47 is 20 year-old Judy Gainford, a professional photographic model and radio announcer in Sydney. Her measurements are: 34-inch bust, 25-inch waist, 35-inch hips. She is five feet six and a half inches tall and weighs 126 pounds. She was elected in a nationwide contest and will go on a five-month chaperoned tour of Great Britain and the U.S.

Reid Johnston Defeats Two Council Members Who Resigned to Contest Reeveship—Wins by Small Margin

Summerland will have a new reeve in 1948 and 1949—a man new to municipal politics—Reid A. Johnston who, by five votes, defeated C. E. "Ned" Bentley in Saturday's municipal elections. The reeve-elect polled 208 votes, while Mr. Bentley scored 203. The third candidate, F. E. "Ted" Atkinson, recorded 140 votes.

Saturday's vote was one of the closest in municipal history and also showed one of the largest polls. At no time in the counting did Mr. Johnston have more than a twelve-vote lead on Mr. Bentley and on three occasions, the latter was in the lead.

Total vote on Saturday amounted to 552, the polling booth at the Lakeside United church registering 113 and the municipal office in West Summerland receiving 439 votes. There was only one spoiled ballot, it being blank.

There are 943 names on the voters' list for Summerland municipality.

Reeve-elect Johnston takes office at the first of the year, with the initial council meeting being set for Monday, January 5.

By-Election in January

With the resignation from the council of Messrs. Atkinson and Bentley, to contest the reeveship, a by-election for their two vacant seats for the one-year term of 1948, has become necessary.

Nomination day for this by-election has been set for Monday, January 5 and the vote, if necessary, will be held on Saturday, January 10, it was decided on Monday afternoon at a special meeting of the municipal council which now consists of Reeve W. R. Powell and Councillors Eric Tait and Harvey Wilson.

On Monday, Mr. Bentley stated that he will not consider allowing his name to stand for the uncompleted portion of his term. He told The Review that the election of a newcomer to municipal politics over two persons who had been serving the municipality could be considered a lack of confidence vote and he would not consider renomination.

Mr. Atkinson, when contacted, declared his future plans, from a municipal standpoint, as still undecided. If municipal meetings are to be held in the evenings, as proposed by the reeve-elect, he would not be able to consider going back on the municipal council, he stated.

However, Mr. Atkinson had not definitely decided on his future course of action at presstime.

Councillors Tait and Wilson expressed themselves on Monday on the possible change of meeting times. Councillor Tait favors afternoon meetings while Councillor Wilson would prefer evening sessions. It is possible a compromise arrangement may be decided upon for the coming year.

Election Officials

Returning officer in charge of Saturday's election was W. C. W. Fosbery who will act in the same capacity for the by-election. C. Noel Higgin is deputy returning officer in charge of the vote in lower town, and was assisted by George Fosbery as poll clerk. Phil Dunsdon is poll clerk at the municipal hall, West Summerland.

All three candidates were present while the vote was being taken and followed the closely-contested recording with naturally keen interest.

Both defeated candidates offered their congratulations to Mr. Johnston as soon as the result of the ballot was definitely known. All ballots were recounted before the official proclamation was given out by Returning Officer Fosbery.

The new reeve has had one year's experience in municipal politics having served for half a term in 1946, the first year that W. R. Powell received the reeveship.

Mr. Johnston has been a resident of Summerland for the past twenty years and has been in charge of the West Summerland Kettle Valley station as agent in that time. He has been prominent in many civic organizations and was president of the Summerland Board of Trade in 1946. He is treasurer of the board at present and was recently elected president of the South Okanagan Liberal Assn. He is also a member of the Rotary Club of Summerland, and of the Masonic order.

Mr. Ed Hannah has gone to Vancouver to re-enter Shaughnessy Military hospital for an operation.

Electrical Union Deal Not Settled

Summerland municipal council is still negotiating with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (AFL) concerning the union's demands for higher wage scales for the electrical workers under the municipal electrical department.

Some weeks ago, the local council intimated to union representatives that a decision would be reached when the board of arbitration gave its decision on the wage dispute between Penticon municipal council and its electrical workers.

This arbitration board decision has now been handed down and it is anticipated that a new deal for the Summerland electrical workers will be forthcoming shortly.

According to this board's decision, journeyman linemen will receive \$9.75 daily. It is the union's plan to have a uniform wage scale for all electrical men working for municipalities throughout the interior of B.C.

The scale laid down by the arbitration board, which was headed by E. S. H. Winn, K.C., follows: Foreman, \$11 daily; sub-foreman, \$10.45; journeyman lineman, \$9.75; first groundsman, \$7; second year groundsman, \$7.80; first year apprentices, \$7 second year apprentices, \$7.75; third year apprentices, \$8.65.

In Penticon's case the award was retroactive to August 1, 1947, with an added stipulation that a further six and one-quarter cents an hour be paid across the board to the men on April 1, 1948.

Gordon Blewett, who acts in the capacity as a sub-foreman on the Summerland electrical crew receives \$170 per month now, while Stewart Sanborn, lineman serving his second year apprenticeship, was recently boosted to 85 cents per hour, from 67½ cents.

There has been no definite agreement reached on the status of the municipal employees in the electric light department in relation to the categories laid down by the union, it is learned.

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Some Departments Over Estimates Council Learns

"We're not in too bad shape, it might be a lot worse," was Municipal Clerk F. J. Nixon's response in dealing with the subject of municipal finance in the past year, when the council met on Monday afternoon.

Few details were given out, but the municipal clerk, in describing expenditures for the eleven months of 1947, stated that the roads department was over estimates by about \$1,600.

Domestic water and electric light departments are also over-expanded slightly from original estimates.

It was not stated at the meeting but it is generally conceded that the extra revenue derived from properties coming on the tax roll and from other sources will more than offset the extra expenditures made this year, with the exception of the capital expenditure for hard surfacing main roads.

"I'm quite satisfied with the past year's operations," declared Reeve W. R. Powell in ending the brief discussion.

Mrs. H. A. Solly left this week for Trail, where she plans to spend the next four months with her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Randall.

Ski Instructors Put Through Gruelling Week

Fifteen future ski instructors from the Okanagan Ski clubs dragged themselves home last weekend after a gruelling week of ski instruction under Chief Peter Vadja.

The ski school, sponsored by the Okanagan Ski Zone with the sanction of the Canadian Amateur Ski association, started at Silver Star mountain, Vernon, on December 7.

Under perfect snow conditions, Vadja quickly put the skiers through their preliminary paces, and on Friday the school moved to the Kelowna ski bowl in order that the potential instructors might have practical experience in instruction with skiers from Kelowna.

Free instruction was the order of the day at the ski bowl on the weekend, and over one hundred skiers from Kelowna availed themselves of this rare opportunity.

On Sunday, the instructor candidates demonstrated their abilities on scores of willing skiers, and under the watchful eye of Peter Vadja these abilities were noted.

Vadja also gave the candidates oral, written and practical exams in skiing and ski instruction. Results of the exams will not be known for several weeks, and throughout the Okanagan from Vernon to Osoyoos, hopeful pupils await word as to whether they will receive the coveted paper saying they are qualified ski instructors.

All present at the school expressed warm appreciation of the trouble to which the Vernon club went to make the session at Silver Star a success, particularly with regard to the high quality of the food served at the cabin by the cook.

Vadja really put the skiers through a hard week, starting with the three-mile hike up Silver Star to the cabin followed by a dawn till dark period of instruction on the slopes of Silver Star, and ending with the examinations at Kelowna.

The skiers all agreed that the instruction under Vadja and assistant-instructor Ches Edwards of Rossland was a revelation to them. All were fairly competent skiers or they would not have attended the course, but they were unanimous in asserting that they had learned more in one week under Vadja than in their previous years of skiing. They hope to be able to pass this knowledge on to the skiers of the Okanagan.

Vadja, prior to leaving for Vancouver where he is coach of the University of B.C. ski team, expressed his appreciation of the skiing enthusiasm in the Okanagan, and made plans with Kelowna club officials for the staging of the northwest inter-collegiate meet in Kelowna in January.

Skiers who attended the school were: Bill Attridge, Mike Freeman, Earl Boutwell (Vernon); Alan Marshall, Verne Ahrens, Lyman Dooley (Kelowna); Don Agur, Walter Powell (Summerland); Ed Cormier, Fred Hack, John Lier (Penticon); Chester Hutton, Jim Bogvo (Oilver); and Howard-Engel and Wolfe Thebes from Osoyoos.

Don Cook from Saskatoon also attended the course. He plans to instruct at Banff this coming winter.

THREE READINGS GIVEN TO ROAD PROGRAM BYLAWS

Initial three readings of the completed bylaws to be presented probably in January for the raising of \$40,000 for road expenditures in 1948, were given by the municipal council when it held an adjourned session on Wednesday morning.

One bylaw calls for the raising of \$28,000 for hard surfacing of about nine miles of roads in the municipality and the other bylaw calls for a debenture issue for \$12,000 to purchase a new road maintenance and truck.

It will not be possible to complete the road surfacing program contemplated without the purchase of the new machinery, the council has pointed out on several occasions.

The domestic water extension bylaw for the north bench area and Crescent beach is being laid over for the decision of the 1948 council.

Service Station To Be Erected In Lower Town

Proposed erection of a filling station and coffee bar on the corner in lower Summerland immediately opposite the new tourist cabins was announced at this week's council meeting.

This new project is being instituted by C. Battiste, who installed the tourist cabins on the highway. This new service station is on the northeast section of the corner property and is located on the Ingle lot.

Rough sketch plans of the new project were shown the council on Monday by Building Inspector Angus, and council members pointed out that the gasoline pumps should be far enough back from the highway so that cars parking by the pumps are entirely clear of the travel portion of the road.

J. H. Lee-Grayson, also brought this new business enterprise to the attention of the council by querying if the latter body has considered the effect on the residential area nearby of such a business concern. He stated he was not making a complaint.

Reeve W. R. Powell pointed out that the council has no jurisdiction over the type of building to be erected and will not until a zoning bylaw is put into effect.

Another business enterprise is projected for West Summerland on the corner of Kelly street, next to the labor office. J. Surtees is proposing erection in the near future of a shop for the re-treading of tires. This will be a fireproof building.

Councillor H. L. Wilson and Building Inspector Angus were asked to investigate this proposal to ascertain if the building will conform with the lot lines of other buildings in the vicinity.

Manhunt for Spears Still Continues

At press-time the man-hunt being conducted by B.C. Police, hunters, Indians and trappers in the Okanagan Falls district for Russell Spears, escaped prisoner from the Penticon lock-up, who shot and wounded B.C. Police Constable Mercer on Sunday, was still continuing.

Spears was found to be hiding in an old cabin back of Okanagan Falls. Two policemen awaited his return but Spears became suspicious, poured two shots into the shack and disappeared into the woods. One of his shots struck Constable Mercer in the arm, but the wound is not serious.

Both constables fired at Spears but their shots went wild, it is stated.

Since Monday, every available policeman in the southern interior, together with a large number of interested persons who are familiar with the area, have been combing the hills back of Okanagan Falls for the escaped prisoner.

It is stated that Spears has an intimate knowledge of the hills in the South Okanagan and is expected to be a difficult man to trace.

He was awaiting sentence on a charge of assaulting a female, while armed, and he had previously served a ten-year sentence for rape, it is stated.

Constable Thorsteinson, B.C. Police representative in Summerland, took part in the manhunt from Saturday to Monday but was recalled here on Monday evening.

Co-op Cannery Sale to Subsidiary Of Safeway Will be Considered By Grower-Members Next Month

Possibility that the Summerland Co-operative Growers' Assn. may sell its cannery to the Regent Canned Foods Ltd., a subsidiary division of Safeway Stores Ltd., has been voiced this week and directors of the Co-op organization state that they are planning a general meeting of their shareholders to endeavor to obtain approval for the move.

Operating since the summer of 1945, this co-operative cannery has been the basis of a great deal of argument amongst the growers of the co-operative. The large building, due to sharp increases in building and labor costs, was erected at a figure far in advance of the original estimate.

For the past year, directors of the co-op have been negotiating with the Safeway Stores people and their subsidiaries. Discussions culminated in a visit of three executive officials of the interested companies to Summerland last week.

It is understood a formal contract has been drawn up, the sales price fixed and everything is in order for the sale to go through, once the growers have given their approval. No sale can be made unless the co-op shareholders give a three-quarters majority at their meeting called to discuss this particular sale.

If the cannery is sold it is stated that new machinery to the value of nearly \$100,000 will be installed to provide the most modern plant it is possible of attainment.

All key personnel will be retained by the Safeway subsidiary once the sale is approved by the growers.

Directors in Favor

All directors of the Summerland Co-op are said to be in favor of putting through this proposed deal with the Regent Canned Foods Ltd.

If the sale is recognized, then the Summerland Co-op would be assisting the Regent management in the storing of fruit for processing and in other ways, it is stated.

If enough fruit can be obtained, the Regent company expects to increase greatly the annual output from this local cannery, which is one of four cannery outfits operating in the Summerland district.

The Regent company has headquarters in southern California and operates a large number of processing plants in various sections of the United States. Now, to ensure a plentiful and steady supply of canned goods for its Canadian Safeway stores, the Regent people are moving into Canada and are contemplating on purchasing a number of canning concerns.

A good proportion of the 1947 output of the Summerland Co-op cannery is being sold through the Safeway Stores, as MacDonald's Consolidated, another Safeway subsidiary purchased the bulk of the pack. Most of the surplus cans were sold to MacDonald's, it is learned.

No sale price has been mentioned for official purposes, although it is understood that the figure which can be obtained from the Regent company will enable the co-op to liquidate all its encumbrances against the cannery.

Not True Co-operative

One of the difficulties of co-operative cannery operation now is that under B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. setup, all the fruit canned must come from the central sales agency, so it is not, in legal fact, the growers' own fruit they are canning on a co-operative basis.

As a result of this venture being tied in with a purely co-operative packing house effort, taxation and other difficulties have arisen to an alarming degree.

It is well-known that the co-op has been obtaining legal advice from a competent Vancouver lawyer because of the change in setup of income tax provisions as applied to co-operatives.

A recent meeting of the co-op revised its bylaws and constitutions to make operations conform more closely with the new income tax provisions.

A large group of the co-op growers have always been dissatisfied with the institution invading the canning field, believing that in tough times the venture would not be feasible. Others have stated that the cost of the initial equipment and building was too great.

Whatever the outcome, the directors of the co-op are solidly behind the plan to sell the co-op cannery to the Regent outfit, believing that the future interests of the grower members would be better served.

Frank Hopkins, well-known West Summerland resident, is in the Summerland hospital suffering from severe head and forehead lacerations, a dislocated shoulder and shock, the result of a serious accident at the corner of Hastings and Granville at noon on Monday.

Despite his advanced years, Mr. Hopkins is making reasonable progress at the hospital; The Review was informed this morning.

Mr. Hopkins was struck by a truck, driven by E. D. Elsner, and owned by J. Brown, as it went out of control on the slippery, icy surface of the hill leading down to the business section from the Station road.

No charges will be laid by the B.C. Police, as they believe that the accident was mainly caused by the condition of the roadway, it is stated, and the driver could not be held to blame.

Sgt. David Halcrow, in charge B. C. Police at Penticon, investigated the accident, in the absence of the Spears' manhunt of Constable Terence Thorsteinson.

As he approached the hill, Elsner, states that he observed a light delivery truck backing out from the Nesbitt & Washington garage. He did not think he could avoid hitting the light delivery without applying his brakes.

As soon as the brakes were applied, the truck wheels locked on the slippery hill surface and the truck went out of control. Two of a number of vehicles parked on the west side of the garage were sideswiped by the truck, which also crashed into the light delivery and struck Mr. Hopkins.

The light delivery was driven by Adam Huva.

A car driven by Will Ritchie narrowly escaped being involved in the accident, as well, witnesses have stated.

Mr. Hopkins, who was struck in the back, was knocked to the ground and lost a considerable quantity of blood before he could be removed to the hospital. Dr. A. W. Vanderburgh treated the accident victim.

As there was no police constable on duty here, Reeve W. R. Powell, just prior to the opening of the council session on Monday afternoon, communicated with Sgt. Halcrow and urged him to come to Summerland immediately and investigate the accident.

His Worship also pointed out to Councillor H. L. Wilson, in charge of the roads department, that sand should be made available and applied without delay to all such dangerous blacktop surfaces in the municipality.

Councillor Wilson informed the council that the hill had been sanded previously but not since the light fall of snow which caused the slippery surface on Monday morning.

F. Hopkins Is Seriously Hurt In Truck Crash

Retail Stores Open To Nine O'Clock Xmas Eve

Retail stores in Summerland will remain open all day Wednesday, December 24, Christmas Eve, until 9 o'clock and will then close until Saturday morning, December 27, as both Christmas Day and Boxing Day holidays will be observed.

On the following week, stores will also be open on Wednesday, December 31, until six o'clock and will again close for two days, January 1 and 2, re-opening on Saturday, January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Lockwood left on Sunday morning by motor for Vancouver, where they will reside for the winter months. They were accompanied to the coast by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peterson, who arrived here on Saturday on their honeymoon tour.

Radio Interference Trouble Located

At Monday's council session, it was reported that Stewart Sanborn has in operation a radio interference locating set, and he has been successful in locating the cause of interference in the T. W. Boothe district. Mr. Boothe reported his radio troubles to the board of trade last Thursday, an account of this meeting being given in other columns of this issue.

A cut-off on the electric light system was responsible for the interference in the Boothe district, Electrical Foreman T. P. Thornber reported.

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EDITORIAL

The Case For Older Veterans

It was an earnest and well-merited appeal which was read at last Thursday's board of trade meeting from the Department of Veterans' Affairs, in connection with the employment of older veterans.

This subject has been causing the DVA grave concern during the past year as those who are 45 years and older and who have no steady employment face a crisis in their lives.

Despite the abundance of jobs available in Canada last March, there were 16,000 veterans of both wars, between the ages of 45 and 60, who were seeking employment and who were having great difficulty in finding jobs.

It is gratifying to know that through the efforts of DVA and the federal labor department some 26,000 have obtained gainful employment in the six months subsequent to March.

"The task of maintaining employment openings for senior ex-servicemen is, however, a recurring one . . . 'reserved' jobs must be set aside in the business world for such men," declares the DVA.

Businessmen of this community, who are contemplating the employment of extra help in the coming year, should give some study to their needs in 1948 and ascertain right now if they can employ a veteran who falls in this category.

DVA and the National Employment Service are ready to co-operate with businessmen in providing suitable older veterans to fill the positions which become available.

These men served their country well and in many cases jeopardized their opportunity for steady lifetime employment in so doing. They deserve a "break" now as they pass the stage of middle-life.

Cost of Living

Canadian Legion executives across the country are combining in an endeavor to obtain monetary assistance for veteran's widows, those on disability pensions and those obtaining veterans' allowances.

This is a good move, as those who depend almost entirely on these meagre grants are hard-pressed to obtain sufficient sustenance for every-day existence.

A veterans' widow with two children receives \$87 per month; a married veteran on a veterans' allowance receives \$60.83 per month; single veterans and widows on widows allowance receive only \$30.41 per month.

In similar circumstances are those who try to eke out a meagre existence on old age pensions.

In November, the Canadian Legion made a strong bid to the federal cabinet for an increase in these allowances, as a cost of living bonus. Now, the Legion fears that this subject will be referred to a parliamentary committee.

If this action is taken, it will mean that the issue will be sidetracked until next summer.

These unfortunate individuals need the assistance now, not a year from now when the representatives of the people have considered all sides to the question and rendered their decision at their leisure.

There are sufficient governmental agencies operating under the federal government guidance to provide all the necessary information for the federal cabinet in a matter of days. There is no need for any delay until next summer.

In urging immediate action to cope with the increased cost of living, the Canadian Legion Dominion Command termed this situation a national emergency and told the cabinet:

"It is not right to live in Canada and be in Ottawa at the time of Remembrance Day knowing full well that all across our dominion there are men, women and children who, because of war service, are unable to enjoy a proper standard of living. Canada fought and still fights for freedom and the rights of men. The Legion is adamant in the conviction that those who suffered for these principles and still suffer must, in justice, be the first to receive consideration in accordance with Canadian principles."

When we consider that there has been no increase in the actual amount of pension paid since 1925, the Legion pleads speedy action from Parliament Hill in Ottawa.

His 73rd Birthday Smile



WINSTON CHURCHILL, Brita in's wartime prime minister, and MRS. CHURCHILL smile as the y pose in the doorway of their Hyde Park Gate, London, home, on Churchill's 73rd birthday recently. Churchill celebrated t he occasion with a dinner at his home and a luncheon at the Sa voy Hotel.

The Inside Story

By AGROLOGIST

The annual meeting of the Washington State Horticultural association was held in Wenatchee last week. This was a three-day affair and at the peak of attendance there were over 1,500 people present. Jimmie Marshall and Dick Palmer were feature speakers on the program. I went over to the farm to ascertain their impressions of the meetings. The following paragraphs embody some of the information which I gathered.

Although the Washington State Horticultural association is comparable in many respects to our own BCFGA, the annual meeting serves quite a different purpose. In the Washington Association matters of policy are dealt with largely by the executive and by special committees, with the result that business sessions took up very little time at the annual meeting.

The program was made up largely of addresses by government experts and growers with long experience. Almost every phase of fruit production was dealt with in the addresses this year. These addresses will all be published in the annual proceedings which are distributed to every member in good standing. Thus in Washington an attempt is made to have the annual meeting serve the purpose of the Chautauqua program which is customarily brought to BCFGA locals throughout the winter months. Actually, the procedure followed in British Columbia has many advantages.

Most of the papers presented at Wenatchee dealt with information which is already available to growers in British Columbia. However, it is interesting to note that Dr. L. P. Batjer of the U.S. Bureau of Plant Industry presented data which indicates that hormone "stop-drop" sprays have real value in lengthening the harvesting season and improving the quality of apples when these sprays are properly used.

A new idea regarding the control of fire blight in pears was advanced by R. V. Newcomb of Marysville, California. Mr. Newcomb has charge of over a thousand acres of Bartlett pears and has had excellent results from applying copper dust as a preventative for fire blight infection. Several applications of the dust are made during the blossoming period, when a good deal of fire blight infection normally takes place.

Another interesting new development was reported by Dr. R. C. Lindner who described a chemical test for virus diseases in plants. It is hoped that chemical tests will make it possible to determine whether or not trees are affected with such virus diseases as Little Cherry.

A most interesting and informative feature of the Wenatchee meetings was the question box. Prior to preparation of the printed program the entire membership had been circularized in an endeavor to ascertain what questions they would like to have answered during the meetings. A long list of questions had been secured; these were actually printed in the program and a time set apart on each of the three days during which the questions were answered by experts. This procedure brought out definite information on many phases of orcharding.

Another novel feature was a symposium on orchard soil management. This consisted of ten-minute talks by a number of practical growers as well as technical investigators. The topics discussed were designed to cover the entire field of orchard soil management including cover crops, use of fertilizers, and irrigation practices.

All things considered, the Wenatchee meetings appear to have been well worthwhile attending. In this connection it is interesting to note that several growers and packinghouse managers from British Columbia made the trip. Membership in the Washington State Horticultural association is only \$1.00 per year. A copy of the proceedings should be worth many times this amount to British Columbia fruit growers.

Penny Wise

By PENNY WISE

Just because you discovered that carrots didn't make your hair curly, don't neglect that colorful veg. 'cause if you give them a chance they'll help your eyesight, put Vitamin A in your system, and give you the odd shot of calcium and iron, too.



Trouble with most of us is we just boil the things, and throw all their goodness down that well-fed item—the kitchen sink drain. Carrots need only enough water, to keep them from burning. Some day try some cut in two, boiled and glazed in melted brown sugar and butter. A speck of minced parsley on top gives oomph. Yep!

Don't look now, but IT is almost here! And won't you be glad when midnight of the 25th hoves to and THAT turkey, those gift wrappings, and all that merry-making are things of the past for another 365 days?

Hope you get what you want, though, even if it is a square frying pan (for cooking bacon) or a woolen triangle to keep your ears cozy when you dash out the back door for a few secs. If you catch your hubby hinting around, try to help the poor man out with a few suggestions, without letting him know you're doing it—of course.

Isn't it nice finding the occasional package of jelly powder waiting to be bought? I mixed up a pint the other day, and when it was nearly set, I poured most of it into the glass dishes in which I planned to serve it. The part I held back I whipped with the egg beater until it was all light and frothy, then put it atop the other. Made something new out of something old. That's what it did.

At the risk of scaring the family cat out of a year's growth, try a face pack every couple of weeks when you get the gang out for the night. There's a dandy new mud on the market that goes on easily, turns light green, as it cures, and you can positively feel the pores and wrinkles disappearing under it. It's as good a morale lifter as a new hat.

You know, you don't have to be Welsh to enjoy the leek (though they do say it helps) and now that our supply of fresh vegetables is going to be so very limited, I wouldn't be surprised a bit if it came right into its own any day now. Best way I've heard of is to boil them and serve with a cream sauce . . . a SMOOTH cream sauce, that is, and I hope that's the only kind you ever make.

Don't be afraid to use your good silverware every day, and your best china, quite often. After all, your family deserves the nice things, and it IS awfully hard to break a silver sugar bowl. Use it all the time and it won't tarnish half as much on you, either. And if the small ones DO break a dish, just pretend you didn't have it. Remember—they don't do it on purpose.

IMPROVE POWER FACILITIES

H. J. Barkwill has made application, on behalf of Barkwill Ltd., cannery operation, to the municipal council for a change-over in electrical supply connection to his plant from single phase to three-phase wire. Cost involved is approximately \$500, the council was informed on Monday, and an agreement will be worked out as to the apportionment of cost.

MORE LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Municipal council on Monday approved ten of eleven applications for electric light and power extensions. These were from J. R. Butler, A. R. McPhail, Kettle Valley Railway Co., H. Clough, S. Wolfe, W. Downton, Kate L. Racicot, C. Battiste, A. E. Soderberg and C. Nozkie. Two domestic water applications from S. Wolfe and J. St. Denis were also approved.

Pioneer Days

THIRTY YEARS AGO

December 14, 1917

Supt. Peters, of the CPR has reported that after January 1, the daily train service on the S. and O. railway will be discontinued for the winter months, and only three trains per week will come in from Sicamous, a corresponding reduction in the steamship service on Okanagan lake being made at the same time.

The municipal council was in session from 9:30 a.m. until after 5 p.m. Monday. The dilapidated condition of the old lines of the Okanagan Telephone Co. was emphasized in a full report and these lines were termed a menace to public safety. Councillor Simpson advocated the re-valuation of the irrigation and domestic water systems, and the electric light plant, with a definite amount set for their depreciation each year. He advocated ten percent this year but the council carried a motion agreeing to five percent depreciation.

Summerland shipped 345 cars, Naramata 70 and Peachland 90 cars of fruit and vegetables during the past season. An increase of forty percent in express shipments was also noted.

At the instigation of Kamloops and Edmonton, Alfred Driscoll, Dominion government engineer has inspected a possible route from Edmonton to Hope for a trans-provincial highway. Beginning at Edmonton, Mr. Driscoll made the trip across the mountains and down the Thompson to Kamloops by pack horse. Some attention was also paid to the Hope-Princeton route, which was surveyed some years ago by a Vancouver firm of engineers.

Gross expenditure for school purposes this year has amounted to \$13,188, with a credit margin of \$200 remaining as a balance.

The 68th battery, in which several Summerland and Peachland boys are serving left Vancouver for England this week. Included are John McDougald, Cliff McWilliams, Hilton Snider, Ernest Lister and James Kean.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

December 23, 1927

Magistrate G. J. Couiter White discharged J. R. Sutherland and acquitted him of blame in the accidental hunting accident in which Jack Blewett was painfully wounded.

Mrs. H. A. Solly was again chairman of the school Christmas concert, staged this year for the first time in the new Ellison hall.

Cars are coming through from Kelowna now and the stage got down for the first time in two weeks, on Monday.

Princeton Hosts To Trade Boards During Ski Meet

Next meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade of the Southern Interior will be held in Princeton and will coincide with the holding of the big Similkameen ski meet. Summerland Board of Trade members were informed last Thursday night at the Parish hall.

It is anticipated that a large gathering of trade board members throughout the southern interior will gather in the Similkameen centre on a date in February, probably a Saturday.

One of the feature discussions will be that of the foundation of an old folks home for the southern portion of the province.

J. E. O'Mahony, who championed this plan at the last meeting of the Associated boards in Oliver, spoke briefly last Thursday declaring that the proper plan would be for each municipality to operate its own old folks home, with assistance from the provincial government in the form of a grant.

Elderly people would not then be required to leave the surroundings to which they are accustomed, he explained.

Another project which is being suggested by the associated boards is the establishment of a peace arch at the customs house at Osoyoos. The government plans to spend \$150,000 in improving accommodation at the port of entry, which may include a peace park.

A committee from Oliver, Osoyoos and Penticton boards is working on plans for a peace arch, it was stated.

BOZO



By FOXO REARDON

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West Summerland

Frost Data To Be Issued As Benefit To Growers

Fruit growers through the Okanagan Valley will benefit from a frost data publication which will shortly be released by the meteorological division of the department of transport, it was revealed at a meeting of the advisory committee of the department of trade and industry at a meeting held in Kelowna last Friday.

J. T. Gawthrop, director of the regional development division stated that the department had approved publication of the frost data as requested by the committee, and that it would be issued shortly, together with a map showing the location of 257 weather reporting stations. The publication will show the last frost in spring and the earliest in the fall, as well as the average frost free period.

Region three of the advisory committee comprises the North and South Okanagan, Grand Forks-Greenwood and the North and South Similkameen, and last week's meeting was presided over by Ben Hoy. Representatives from Kelowna, Princeton, Oliver, Penticton and Vernon attended the conference. R. S. O'Meara, trade commissioner, also was present.

Zoning Regulations came in for comment and O. V. M. Roxby reported that these, as applied to unorganized territory surrounding Kelowna and Vernon, appear to be working reasonably satisfactorily. In eleven months of operation in 1947 in the Kelowna area permits had amounted to \$745,220. The Vernon figure for the first three months of operation was \$57,000.

Many Applications
Mr. Gawthrop said that the department had been swamped by zoning applications, and had to start a priority list. There are sufficient applications for zoning by-laws and regulations to keep the planning division busy for a year.

Many shacks and shack-stores have been prevented from erection in the residential areas in the short time the regulations have been operating. Sufficient mercantile and industrial areas have been set aside for the purpose.

Detailed water rights survey of Grandview Flats is practically completed. It is on the list for consideration in regard to the application of the Prairie Farms Rehabilitation Act.

The Stevens property, Cawston benches and southern Okanagan projects were all discussed in relation to the PFRA and the Veterans' Land Act administration. A PFRA office has been opened at Kamloops.

Soil Surveys
C. C. Kelley, provincial soil surveyor, said that further soil survey work had been requested for the Stevens area, but had not yet been accomplished owing to insufficient staff. The meeting was informed that the small holdings project at Okanagan Falls was being furthered and should be offered to the public at an early date.

Water storage notices had been posted in the upper Tulameen to cover August water for the Cawston benches, but it was understood that some objection had been lodged by railway interests. In the southern Okanagan, the bench lands project near Osoyoos is being investigated. Pumping developments will shortly make some 233 acres available.

Parks Policy
Development of a parks policy in the whole region was discussed in various phases, from small one acre roadside reservations for free tourist camping, to the setting aside of large areas of no great agricultural worth for national or provincial parks. A committee was set up to bring in recommendations for the next meeting.

Mr. O'Meara emphasized the importance attached to the deliberations and actions of regional advisory committees by the administration in Victoria, making particular reference to those of region No. 3 committee.

Mr. Gawthrop explained the history of the Bureau of Reconstruction from a cabinet council to its present status. Town and community planning is now within the province of the regional planning division, department of municipal affairs. Industrial development and planning and considerations of future welfare of the province come within the scope of the regional

development division, department of trade and industry.

Regional advisory committees and community committees are the means through which such extra departmental matters may be forwarded to the division in Victoria and from it be channelled to the department concerned, Mr. Gawthrop said.

Population Increase

The increase in population of the region, amounting to some 20,000 people since the 1941 census, received consideration. Particular reference was made to the fact that irrigation acreage in the region is practically the same as before the population increase. There was a small actual net increase of some 266 acres since 1939 in the whole area from Grinrod to the border, including Keremeos and Cawston, it was reported.

A map was produced showing the location of the irrigated acreage in the region, as well as the location of land which was considered by irrigation districts and certain individuals as potentially irrigable. Areas to which water could be pumped were also shown.

The whole question of population and utilization of land was referred to a sub-committee for further development.

Water Damage Is Reported at Home Of Late Mr. Barnes

Due to an "error" on the part of a municipal workman, water was turned on and flooded a portion of the house formerly occupied by the late I. P. Barnes, the municipal council was informed on Monday.

In a communication from Toronto, Mr. Rex Barnes informed the council of the mishap and requested information regarding the council's proposals to rectify the situation.

Water Foreman E. Kercher stated that he had accompanied Lorne Perry, agent for the Barnes' in the disposal of this house property, on an inspection of the house some time after the reported flooding took place.

Although he realized that the probable water damage seemed apparent at the outset, when he visited the Barnes home no damage was apparent.

It was agreed that Mrs. J. Graham of Salmon Arm, a daughter of the late I. P. Barnes, be asked to inspect the house, in company with municipal representatives and that a settlement would then be arranged.

MORE SPRINKLERS APPROVED

Sprinkler irrigation applications from G. Turigan, W. Wells and K. H. McIntosh were approved at the last session of the municipal council on Monday afternoon.



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Xmas Crackers, Fruit Cakes, Candy, Nuts, Cluster Raisins, Mincemeat.

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Summerland

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the **MUNICIPALITY OF SUMMERLAND** that I require the presence of the said Electors

AT THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICE WEST SUMMERLAND, B.C.

On the 5th Day of January, 1948, at Twelve o'clock noon.

For the purpose of electing persons to represent them as **COUNCILLORS** for the unexpired terms of Councillors F. E. Atkinson and C. E. Bentley, resigned.

The Mode of Nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two electors of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the Notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination; the said writing may be in the form numbered 3 in the schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act", and shall state the names, residence and occupation or description of each person proposed, in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a Poll being necessary, such Poll shall be opened on the

10th Day of January, 1948

AT

United Church Building, Summerland, B.C., and at the Municipal Office, West Summerland, B.C.

of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at West Summerland, B.C., this 10th day of December, 1947.

Wm. C. W. FOSBERY,

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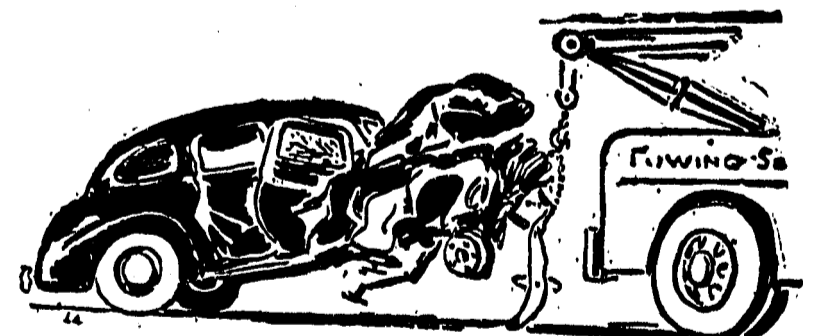
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MRS. ATKINSON RESIGNING FROM HOSPITAL WORK

Mrs. F. E. Atkinson, president of the Summerland Hospital Auxiliary for 13 years and a member of the Summerland Hospital Society board of directors for the past ten years, is dropping out of hospital work in 1948, she informed the hospital board on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Atkinson is in line to take the presidency of the Rebekah Assembly of B.C. in 1948, which position will mean that she will be away from Summerland a great deal of the time.

The hospital directors expressed their keen appreciation of the valuable work undertaken in the past decade by Mrs. Atkinson on behalf of the hospital, and expressed their regret at her termination of her office.

Tuesday's hospital board meeting was the final one which Mrs. Atkinson will attend.

Decision to obtain another nurse for the local hospital staff to allow the matron, Miss Ellis, more time for supervision of the hospital, was announced at Tuesday's meeting.

Function of U. N. Subject Of W. I. Talk

Giving an explanation of the functions and organization of the United Nations, with a resume of its progress to date, Mrs. H. R. McLarty provided some 29 members and friends of the Summerland Women's Institute last Friday afternoon with a thought-provoking address.

Fifty-seven countries come to this world pact now and each member country has one vote, she explained at the outset, with a caucus of a nation's representatives and advisers being held before each vote is taken.

There are six main councils in the United Nations setup, being as follows:

Political and security council; economic and financial; social, humanitarian and cultural; trusteeship; legal; and administrative.

Besides these councils, there is a steering committee and a large administrative organization known as the secretariat.

Fifty Nations Meet
Mrs. McLarty traced the beginnings of this vast organization from the conferences at Yalta, Cairo and Quebec to Dumbarton Oaks, when invitations were sent to fifty nations to meet at San Francisco in 1945. It was in June of that year that the charter was signed by the fifty member nations.

London, in 1946, saw the first elections and later, in the year, the sessions continued at Flushing. The offer of Mr. Rockefeller, of over six million dollars for a block in Manhattan made possible the present fine site for the U.N. home.

Mrs. McLarty then explained the functions of the councils and dealt with some of the subjects being considered by them, such as the atom bomb, by the political and security council.

Differences between countries, the "hot spots" of the world today, also come before this council and the security council had to pass on the partition of Palestine before it reached the assembly, which passed the project on a two-thirds majority.

Raise Living Standard
Needs of refugees and the devastated areas of Europe are considered by the economic and social council, whose object is to raise the standards of living in the dark areas. Status of women, education of the world's peoples, and the preserving of human rights also come under this council's jurisdiction.

Under the trusteeship council, mandated territories were discussed briefly by Mrs. McLarty, who pointed out that India had recently obtained her independence, partly through efforts of this council. An international court of justice and war tribunals are now set up under the legal council.

Mrs. McLarty, in displaying the Canadian prize-winning poster of the United Nations tree, with flags for leaves, suggested the importance of the continued life of the tree, so vitally important to each and every person.

United Spirit
"If we like the Canadian way of life, we must make others like it, and they will if we make friends with them and give them opportunities for good living and an equal footing with ourselves", she stressed, in dealing with the possibility of creating a United Nations spirit at home.

"It is up to us, as women, to see that the messages to other parts of the world are in our favor. We must have patience with others who, like Russia, are young in experience."

As a final point, Mrs. McLarty suggested as a personal effort for W.I. members, for them to consider peace in long terms and urged them to cultivate an attitude of "peace-mongering".

Special Music For Churches on Sunday

Christmas will be the theme of sermons at practically every church in Summerland this Sunday, immediately prior to Christmas Day, December 25. Special music is being arranged for most of the services and some lovely Christmas songs will be heard.

Church concerts have also been arranged by a number of the religious denominations or organizations associated with the churches during the Christmas holiday season.

CLOSE BOWLING PLAY
League bowling winds up tomorrow night, and until January 3 the National Bowladrome will have open bowling. The Family Shoe Store and the Butcherteria are tied in the Merchants league while the Hot Shots are in the lead in the open loop. On Monday, the Family Shoe Store defeated the Hot Shots in an inter-league match, while the Devils won by a narrow margin over the Butcherteria.

OFFERS COUNCIL-PROPERTY
The Pemberton Realty Corp Ltd. offered the Summerland council an opportunity on Monday to purchase the Ritchie property near the Garnett Valley dam for \$5,000. The coast firm suggested that the municipality would be interested from the standpoint of safeguarding the watershed. The council did not agree and decided to decline the offer.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP TO PRESIDENT OF CHURCH GROUP

Mrs. S. A. MacDonald, president of the Women's Federation of St. Andrew's United church was presented with a Women's Missionary Society life membership when the Federation held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. W. D. Laidlaw, on Thursday, December 11.

In the election of officers, all officials of the organization were returned for another term of office and are as follows:

Honorary president, Mrs. E. J. Minshull; honorary vice-president, Mrs. T. A. Walden; president, Mrs. S. A. MacDonald; first vice-president, Mrs. T. W. Boothe; second vice-president, Mrs. W. F. Ward; secretary, Mrs. A. McLachlan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. W. Hemingway; treasurer, Mrs. J. Shepherd.

For the afternoon program, Mrs. T. W. Boothe gave a beautiful Christmas story and Mrs. Gordon Ritchie a solo, accompanied by Mrs. H. V. Stent. The meeting closed with an informal tea.

BUYS OWN BONDS

At a quotation of 113%, Summerland council yesterday morning agreed to buy back \$2,000 worth of Summerland bonds, these being the Thirsk dam 1970 issue, bearing 4 1/2% interest Ames & Co., Vancouver, made the quotation.

WINS FIRST PRIZE

An electric refrigerator, first prize for all Canada in the Robin Hood Oats prize radio contest, is coming to the Summerland home of Mrs. Irvine Adams, it was announced on Wednesday. This contest sought a twenty-five word story on Robin Hood Oats and Mrs. Adams contribution was judged the best of all entries.

ISSUES CHRISTMAS CHEQUES

Summerland Co-operative Growers' Assn. issued cheques yesterday to the amount of \$24,000, as a partial payment on the 1947 crop, this being the usual Christmas payment.

OKANAGAN LOOP FOR BOWLING IN PROSPECT SOON

Formation of an Okanagan five-pin bowling league to operate between Oliver, Penticton, Summerland, Kelowna and Vernon is in prospect for the new year, with play being held on Sunday afternoons.

Because of travel difficulties, those responsible for the formation of the league state that Sunday afternoons are the only times possible for league operation.

Play will be confined to members of the Okanagan Bowling Club, and no charge will be made for these contests. Bowling will take place between one and five o'clock Sunday afternoons and the bowling premises will not be open to the public.

It is understood that most municipal councils in the centres involved have given their okay to the project, providing the alleys are open only to members of the club and no charge is made for the play. On this understanding the local council agreed to the proposition on Wednesday morning.

SPEAKER RECOMMENDED

R. H. Carson, M.L.A. for Kamloops, and who for many years has been deputy speaker of the legislature, will be recommended by the government to the legislature for appointment to the position of speaker of the house, it is announced by Premier John Hart. The speaker's vacancy was created by the elevation to the supreme court bench of the Hon. N. W. Whittaker, former member for Saanich.

MINERAL PRODUCTION

Preliminary estimates indicate the gross value of mineral production in British Columbia for 1947 will exceed \$105,000,000 and may reach \$110,000,000, a sum 50% greater than the value of 1946 production and about \$30,000,000 greater than the previous record year of 1941, states Hon. R. C. MacDonald, minister of mines.

On Wednesday, December 10, a daughter was born at the Summerland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krueger.



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GET FIGURES ON SIGN AT STATION

The tourist committee, headed by Lorne Perry, is obtaining figures on the cost of a large sign which may be erected at the CPR station in West Summerland, the board of trade was informed on Thursday night.

Reid Johnston, CPR agent, stated that arrangements could probably be made to illuminate the sign when trains are passing through the station.

J. L. Palethorpe, CPR superintendent of the KV division, Penticton was quoted by Mr. Johnston as being in favor of the project and has promised any assistance possible.

ACCLAMATION



Councillor Eric M. Tait



Councillor Harvey L. Wilson

These two councillors were elected by acclamation for 1948-49 council terms, when nominations were closed for the annual municipal elections on Monday, December 8. Two more councillors must be chosen because of the resignations of Councillors F. E. Atkinson and C. E. Bentley. This election, if one is necessary, will be held on January 10.

Improvements In Road Signs And Other Traffic Aids Listed To Board

Progressive recommendations for increasing the safety of municipal roads and the Okanagan Highway as it passes through this municipality were submitted by the traffic safety committee of the Summerland Board of Trade by its chairman, H. W. Pohlmann, to the monthly meeting of the board on Thursday night at the Parish hall. The board members present, some fifty in all, lost no time in accepting the recommendations and giving the safety committee a plaudit for its all-inclusive report.

Congestion of traffic in the packing house area of lower town, stops signs for sideroads leading onto the highway, a carte blanche to Road Foreman Les Gould for erection of stop and slow signs on municipal intersections, were among the main considerations of Mr. Pohlmann's committee.

Highway Betterment

Dealing with the Okanagan highway as it passes through Summerland, the safety committee urged the following action:

1. That a highway official make a survey of the highway in Summerland and make recommendations on stop signs, etc., for municipal roads leading onto the highway.
2. That a 20 mph zone be created on Okanagan highway from the top of Tait hill to the top of Peach Orchard hill.
3. That the southern 20 mph sign in lower town be moved north to a spot nearly opposite the Plunkett residence.
4. That all hard surfacing on curves on the highway, and especially that at the bottom of Peach Orchard be widened.
5. That the provincial highway officials make sure that all curve signs are in place along the highway and that the sign at the bottom of Peach Orchard hill be changed to a "Dangerous Curve" sign.

Too Far to South

In explanation of these recommendations, Mr. Pohlmann stated that his committee feels the southern 20 mph sign in lower town is placed too far from the populated district and its effect is lost on the travelling public.

Within the municipality, Mr. Pohlmann's committee urged that Foreman Les Gould be given authority to place stop, slow, etc., signs on municipal roads where they are most needed. He mentioned especially the junction of the South Prairie Valley and Station roads.

Too many cars are parked in the congested industrial area of lower town during the busy season, and Mr. Pohlmann's committee suggested that the municipal maintenance level the vacant lots opposite the Jenkinson building so that this property can be used for parking purposes.

Councillor C. E. Bentley pointed out that these lots are now owned by the Summerland Co-operative Growers' Assn. and President F. W. Schumann intimated to Mr. Pohlmann that his committee has authority to approach the co-op on this subject.

Mr. Pohlmann also suggested that if these lots are levelled they could be used for playground purposes during the off-season when they are not needed for parking lots.

Eliminate Road

The traffic safety committee also recommended the elimination of the road between the two schools in West Summerland. This was proposed many months ago when the new junior-senior high school was mooted.

More bicycle stands in the West Summerland area were recommended, the committee pointing out that there is no stand at all on Hastings street.

The committee asked that letters be written to all trucking companies asking that their drivers, when approaching the packing houses from the north, do not make a U-turn in front of the industrial plants at the bottom of Telephone hill, but continue on to the proper place, at the T-junction opposite the cannery.

Pedestrian Warnings
Another series of letters was suggested to managers of all industrial plants in lower town asking them to impress on their help the necessity of walking on the proper side of the highway.

Mr. Pohlmann also stated that arrangements have been completed for B.C. Police Constable Terence Thorsteinson to lecture school pupils on traffic safety rules, especially regarding bicycles. Pamphlets have been printed by the board of trade and will be distributed to every school pupil, giving the twelve commandments on traffic safety.

Still another recommendation from Mr. Pohlmann's energetic committee suggested that, during the rush packing and canning season, a large sign be placed near the fish hatchery warning the travelling public approaching from the south: "Packing Houses Ahead—Heavy Traffic—Drive Slowly"

TOWN PLANNING GROUP FORMED

That a town planning committee within the limits of the board of trade has been set up and will gather data during the winter months was the important announcement emanating from the board of trade meeting last Thursday night at the Parish hall. Mr. Alf McLaughlin, Building Inspector Roy F. Angus and F. E. Atkinson are the members of this committee, with power to add. Mr. McLaughlin is the chairman. These men had a great deal to do with the formation of the present building bylaw.

DUSK OF WEST SUMMERLAND HAS PERFECT LITTER

From London comes a Daily Mirror press clipping to Mrs. W. J. Tullett, describing a venture by Lady Alva Anderson, wife of Sir John Anderson, who is planning to fly bloodhounds from America across the Atlantic and breed them with purebred bloodhounds which she has acquired.

Of special interest here is that Dusk, mother of the present litter of seven, carries the suffix West Summerland—"named after a village in the apple growing country of British Columbia."

Bloodhounds are dying out because of their high cost and feeding difficulties, but Lady Anderson's venture is expected to provide bloodhounds for America and much-needed dollars for Great Britain, the press story relates. There are only eighteen adult

bloodhounds in Britain and under this scheme Lady Anderson plans to sell bloodhound puppies for 100 to 200 guineas each. Dogs received by air from America will not cost Lady Anderson anything, because of the high standard of the British bloodhound.

An adult hound eats three to four pounds of meat a day at eightpence a pound. Horse meat is being served the bloodhounds.

Sir John and Lady Anderson acquired Dusk two years ago, and she now has a litter of seven, which experts state are exceptional as there is not a poor one among them. Their father was one of the Reynalton hounds bred by Mrs. N. W. Elms, of Kings Somborne, Hants.

The Daily Mirror also carried pictures of Dusk of West Summerland and her litter of seven, and a close-up of Star and Emily of West Summerland.

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WOULD DISPOSE OF CENTRE PROPERTY

KELOWNA—Belief that the city should dispose of part or all of the civic centre property, and use some of the money for the construction of the proposed Memorial Ice Arena to offset the rising costs of labor and materials for the construction of the building, was expressed by several members at the general meeting of the Canadian Legion last week. Exponents of this proposal thought the arena should be built in the city park, and that the new city hall, library and museum should be built on Abbott street overlooking the Queen Elizabeth rose garden.

Members went on record urging the war memorial committee to take necessary steps in getting the arena constructed as soon as possible, and a committee of three was appointed to confer with the committee along these lines.

It was reported over a week ago that the estimates on the building were \$65,000 to \$100,000 over the amount already on hand for the ice arena, and several members expressed the opinion that the committee should endeavor to see what could be constructed for the amount on hand, leaving out many of the original "frills" of the arena.

CAR SHORTAGE STILL AFFECTING APPLE MOVEMENT

Fruit shipments from the Okanagan are still being held back because of the car shortage and although the markets across Canada have weakened somewhat this has not affected the fruit industry as there is still a backlog of orders to fill.

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ASKS FOR ROAD SIGNS ON DETOURS

Detours on the portions of the Similkameen highway under reconstruction came in for a lot of criticism at last Thursday's board of trade session in the Parish Hall with Dr. Jack Wilcox leading the parade of those who have lost their way at night between the Kaleden cut-off and Keremeos because of lack of proper directional signs.

As a result of these confessions, the trade board agreed to write the provincial public works department asking that construction companies making changes in provincial roads be requested to erect proper road signs for the direction of the travelling public.

Other trade boards in the southern interior will receive copies of this resolution for their endorsement.

LABOR APPOINTMENT

Michael H. McGeough, veteran conciliator and labor administrator has been placed in charge of the office of the department of labor in the Hall Building, Vancouver. All provincial labor laws except the industrial conciliation and arbitration act, 1947, which is administered by a staff under William Fraser, chief conciliator of the labor department, are administered by Mr. McGeough's department.

MAY EXTEND AIR STRIP

VERNON—Vernon's airport is "100 percent" for the purpose it was built—use by light planes—but if "business gets good" it will be necessary to get 500 feet more and maybe 500 feet more again. This was the explanation of W. L. Lawson, district inspector of western airways, Department of Transport, to the board of trade.

New Medical-Dental Clinic In West Summerland Adds To Fast-Growing Business District

Summerland's new medical-dental clinic, situated immediately west of the Okanagan Telephone Co. building on Granville street, is now an accomplished fact and its occupants are now well established in their new quarters. Of smart appearance, the building is a decided acquisition to the business district.

On the east side of the building, the reception room and suite of offices for Drs. A. W. Vanderburgh and W. H. E. Munn, medical practitioners, are located, while on the west side is the office of Dr. L. A. Day, dental surgeon.

Entrance to the medical section faces Granville street while entrance to the dental offices may be gained from the west side of the building.

The new building takes up more than three-quarters of the property but leaves room in the front for shrubs and a small strip of lawn and in the rear there is parking space for the occupants' cars.

White Shingle Siding
Of frame construction, the outer walls of the building are protected with a white asphalt shingle which provides an unusual appearance for a business home.

The entire contract for the building was undertaken by Capt. J. E. Jenkinson, who handled all subcontracts.

Entering the medical portion of the new building, a visitor is greeted by a commodious and tastefully furnished room whose color scheme is different from the drab stiffness of many medical offices.

A reception window on the south side of the main room leads into the receptionist's office, presided over by Miss Dorothy Butler.

Leading from the main reception room, visitors traverse a corridor with offices flanking each side. There are three suites of offices and a bathroom off this corridor, plus a doorway leading to the furnace room in a small basement.

Three Office Suites
In each suite of offices there is the doctor's consulting room and office and the usual examining room, complete with sink facilities. The office measures 10 by 12 feet and the examining room is 8 x 12 feet.

Both Dr. Munn and Dr. Vanderburgh occupy a suit of offices

each while the third suite is reserved for further expansion if found feasible in the future.

Heat for the building is provided from a Hell automatic oil furnace, thermostatically controlled, which forces hot air from the basement to the ventilators.

The flooring consists of a colored asphalt tile which provides a durable surface combined with a certain amount of yield to the tread.

Dental Offices

A bright, cheery atmosphere also greets the visitor to the large reception room in Dr. L. A. Day's suite of offices. The waiting room is tastefully decorated and shaded lights add a note of warmth which would be almost certain to cheer the prospective patient, even a sufferer from toothache.

Opening off the reception room is the office of the receptionist Miss Margaret Smith and at the front of the building are two dental operating rooms. Dr. Day has provided himself with a second chair, to accelerate the treatment of patients.

There is also a laboratory and a dark room for X-ray, while still another small room is provided as an extra patient's room.

The entire building has been well planned and is so constituted that it can meet the expanding requirements of both medical and dental men in this fast-growing community.

THE SPORTS CENTRE NEWEST ADDITION TO LOCAL BUSINESS

Another new business was opened this week in West Summerland when Mr. Bert Berry commenced his new enterprise to be known as The Sports Centre. This new addition to the rapidly-growing business section of West Summerland is located in the northern portion of the Groceteria building on Hastings street.

Part of the warehouse facilities of this building have been renovated into store premises and Mr. Berry has moved a large stock of sports equipment into his new Centre.

Mr. Berry originally resided in Edmonton, Alta., where he joined the permanent force of the Canadian Army in 1935. At the outbreak of hostilities in 1939 he was a member of the Lord Strathcona Horse later being transferred to the Royal Canadian Armored Corps.

In 1946, he received his honorable discharge from the armed services on medical grounds.

Mr. Berry has had many years' experience as a gunsmith, both in civilian life and in the army, where he received some excellent technical training. He has also gained a great deal of experience in repairing and maintaining sports equipment of all kinds.

Mr. Berry expects to carry a large stock of sports equipment of all kinds and will be adding greatly to his present stock as merchandise becomes more plentiful.

Associated with Mr. Berry in this enterprise are Mr. Norman Holmes and Mr. Cecil Wade, of the Holmes & Wade Hardware.

Another renovation has recently been completed at the latter store premises where the front of the building has been given a complete renovation and bright, new windows have been installed. This alteration not only provides more floor space for display but gives a brighter, more modern appearance to the entire store.

Eleven Youngsters Christened at United Church

At the commencement of the morning service at St. Andrew's United church, West Summerland, on Sunday morning, December 7, Rev. H. R. Whitmore conducted eleven christening ceremonies. It had been announced that this would be a family service and Rev. Mr. Whitmore took as his sermon topic, "Family and Home."

Mrs. John Smith was vocalist, choosing as her solo, "No Flower So Fair."

Youngsters who were christened on Sunday were:

Gerald James Mayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mayne.

Russel Keith Underwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Blair Underwood.

Ronald Arthur Reinertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Reinertson.

William Thomas and Richard Frederick Milne, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. William Milne.

Nancy Elizabeth Fudge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Fudge.

Gordon Richard Boothe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Boothe.

Ronald George Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

William Eugene Shannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shannon.

William Harvey Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilson.

Linda Kathleen Charles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Charles.

Installation of a washbasin in one or more bedrooms is one of the most practical ways of providing additional washing facilities in older homes.

Sixteen Million New Trees To Be Planted Next Year

The B.C. forest service plans to step up its reforestation program next year and plant a total of 16,000,000 trees, twice as many as ever before, states Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of lands and forests.

Nine areas on Vancouver Island from Shawinigan Lake to Campbell River will share the 16,000,000 trees to be planted. These areas include: Lawson lake, Morton lake and Salmon River valley, all in the vicinity of Campbell River; Horne lake, Great Central lake, Shawinigan lake, Hillcrest and Robertson River valley, near Duncan.

Projects in preparation for the spring planting program are almost completed. They consist of snag-felling, opening up old logging grades for truck trails, and building of camps to accommodate the 400 men needed to plant 16,000,000 trees on 20,000 acres.

Some logging companies will be reforesting their own areas, and it is anticipated they will plant several million of the total that will be ready to go out from three Island nurseries, at Duncan, Campbell River and Green Timbers, outside New Westminster.

The big planting program, started in 1939, has been held back in the last three years, due to shortage of labor and other difficulties, but it is hoped that next spring the full commitment can be carried out.

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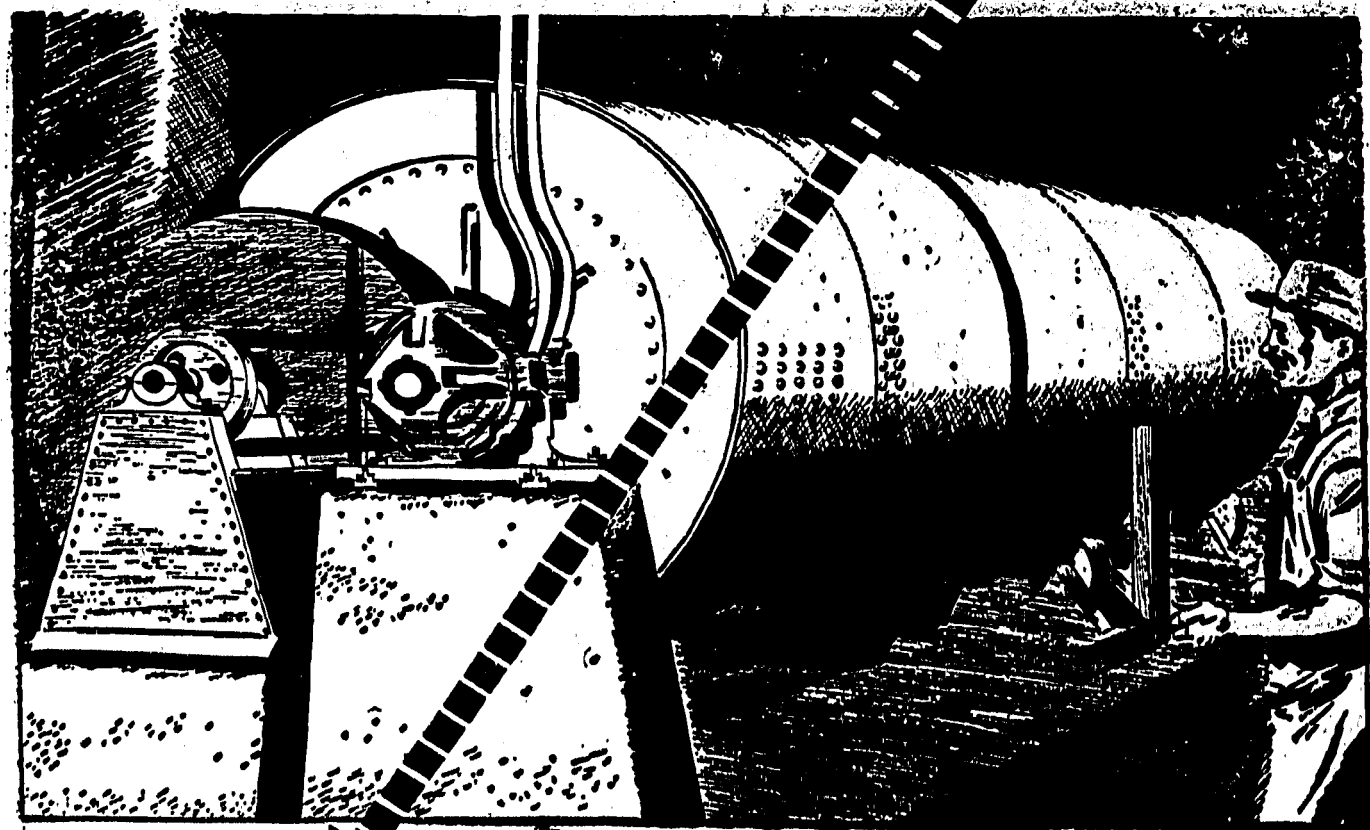
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Dark Fruit Cake
3 cups seeded raisins, 1 1/2 cups water, 1 cup sugar, 1/2 cup dark corn syrup, 1/2 cup shortening, 2 eggs, 2 cup nutmeats, 1/2 cup sliced orange, 1 tsp. baking powder, 1 tsp. baking soda, 1 tsp. cinnamon, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1/2 tsp. cloves, 1/2 tsp. all-spice, 3 cups flour.
Wash raisins, cook in water, sugar, and syrup for five minutes. Add shortening, stirring until melted and set aside to cool. Add eggs one at a time beating well after the addition of each one. Add nutmeats and citron stirring well. Sift the remaining ingredients together and add to the raisin mixture, beating until smooth. Bake in a well greased loaf pan for one hour and forty-five minutes or until done.

Facts About B.C. Are Given To Rotary Club By Dr. M. Welsh

Facts and figures about British Columbia, "our native province" were expounded to the Rotary Club of Summerland on Friday evening at the Nu-Way annex by Dr. Maurice Welsh, of the laboratory of plant pathology.

Taking as his authority the annual report of the provincial government, Dr. Welsh noted that this province exceeded the million mark for the first time in 1946; an increase of 200,000 since the census of 1941.

But at that there are only 2.28 people per square mile in B.C., compared to 3.32 in all of Canada, 45 per square mile in the United States and 507 in the United Kingdom.

Seventy percent of the population of B.C. comes from British stock, while other races are, in order, Scandinavian, German and French.

One interesting fact noted by Dr. Welsh is that both urban and rural populations in B.C. increased in the war years, while in other provinces the trend was distinctly to the more thickly-populated centres.

Per Capita Wealth
From an economic standpoint, B.C. leads all of Canada in her per capita income, wealth and purchases but is down in income tax payments. This latter situation, although it does not conform to the other three factors, is attributable to the fact that a large percentage of Canadian business firms have their head offices in Ontario and Quebec.

In 1944-45, income tax collections from British Columbia were almost as high as the three prairie provinces.

British Columbia has a relatively small market for its own products, and has to depend almost entirely on export of production to the rest of Canada and other countries. Before the war, the United Kingdom was the largest purchaser of B.C. products but now the United States takes \$76 millions of B.C. products and the U.K. \$55 millions. At that, the United Kingdom takes more B.C. products than prior to the war.

Bulk of B.C.'s imports are from the United States, being \$93,000,000 in 1946, three and a half times as much as was imported in 1939. United Kingdom imports are down

SCOUT NEWS

The troop is showing good progress in tests and badges. There are now six boys who will pass their Tenderfoot next Friday and several Scouts won their Second class and First class.

In the patrol competition started on Friday the scores were as follows: Eagles 177, Hawks 110, Beavers 45 and Buffaloes 22. The Buffaloes will receive a big boost to their score when the new boys in that patrol pass their Tenderfoot. There will be a trophy to be presented to the patrol with the greatest number of points at the camporee in May.

Notices—A much bigger turnout than Friday last is expected this week. There are 34 boys in the troop and only 21 showed up last week. It must be emphasized once more that running shoes are a must at the meetings. Meeting Friday at the school gym. Duty patrol Hawks.

Incompletely burned cinders are a valuable fuel, advises the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating. They are needed for banking a fire, and burning them may save as much as 15 percent of the coal bill. Cinders can easily be sifted from the ashes.

from the 1939 figure.

Timber for Export
Dealing again with exports, Dr. Welsh disclosed that timber sales provided 51 percent of the export value from 1946 as B.C. provides half the cut lumber of Canada. In minerals production, copper has been replaced in the lead by gold, lead and zinc, with 90 percent of Canada's lead coming from the Sullivan mine at Kimberley.

Of British Columbia's four million acres of agricultural land, only a million acres, including pasture land, is under any type of cultivation. Fruits and vegetables comprise half the value of B.C.'s agricultural exports.

The manufacturing picture has also changed, as B.C. is now making rapid strides forward. Value of manufactured products has jumped from \$250,000,000 in 1939 to \$655,000,000 in 1944. Shipbuilding jumped into the lead with a value of \$124,000,000 in that latter year, having been only three millions in 1939.

Machinery and parts is next in line to shipbuilding and fertilizers are third on the list of manufactured goods now.

Tourist traffic is coming back but in 1946 was still \$5,000,000 less than the peak year of 1939.

Of this province's seven million horsepower potential, less than a million horsepower is being developed into electricity now, but the B.C. Electric is proposing a 62,000 hp plant at Bridge River and the Campbell River project of the B.C. Power Commission will eventually mean an additional 150,000 hp.

The speaker was introduced by Dr. H. R. McLarty and thanked by Gordon Smith.

JOCK STIRLING IS CHOSEN HEAD OF B.C. FEDERATION

J. K. J. Stirling, Kelowna, president of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association, was elected president of the B.C. Federation of Agriculture by the new directors for 1947-1948 at their meeting in the Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, following the fourteenth annual convention.

Mr. Stirling succeeds P. E. French of Vernon, who was president for four years and who had succeeded E. J. Chambers when the latter was appointed fruit and vegetable administrator of the Wartime Prices & Trade Board. The first president was E. D. Barrow, Sardis, one of the key men in the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association.

Vice-president for the ensuing year will be Alex. H. Mercer, general manager of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association who has held that office for the last eight years.

Honorary presidents elected were E. D. Barrow and E. J. Chambers. Honorary vice-presidents elected were two charter members of the B.C. Federation, H. C. Oldfield of Royal Oak, Vancouver Island, and W. J. Manson, Hazelton.

Executive, President Stirling, Vice-president Mercer, Les Gilmore, Steveston; Harvey Turnbull, White Rock; W. T. J. Bulman, Kelowna; J. W. Little, Matsqui, and P. E. French, Vernon. Secretary-treasurer, pro tem, C. A. Hayden, Vernon.

Delegates to western agricultural conference meeting in Winnipeg January 22 next—President Stirling, Vice-president Mercer and Leslie Gilmore.

Delegates to Canadian Federation of Agriculture annual meeting in Brookville, Ont., January 27, 28 and 29, 1948—J. R. J. Stirling, A. H. Mercer and Leslie Gilmore.

Urges Prime Minister To Set Yale Date

Prime Minister Mackenzie King was urged in the House of Commons last week to set a date for the by-election in Yale, necessitated because of the retirement through ill health of Hon. Grote Stirling. Howard Green, popular Vancouver M.P. urged this action at Ottawa.

Yale Liberals met in Kelowna yesterday to set the definite date for their nominating convention. Progressive - Conservatives have already selected W. A. C. Bennett, MLA for South Okanagan to contest the riding, while O. L. Jones, also of Kelowna, is the CCF choice.

The Liberals were to have chosen their candidate last month but postponed their nominating convention. A. W. Gray, of Rutland has stated he is willing to accept the Yale Liberal nomination while several other candidates are in prospect but have not made any official announcement as to their personal desires.

Last week at Ottawa, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King hinted that the government may call an election next year. Hon. Ian Mackenzie, minister of veterans' affairs, also gave Liberals at their provincial convention a slight suggestion that an election might be forthcoming in 1948.

If the federal government decides, early in the new year to go to the people for a mandate, then a by-election in Yale may not be necessary, it has been pointed out in some circles here.

Mr. Green's request for an early settlement of the Yale by-election date called upon the prime minister to settle the question before the Christmas recess.



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OPPOSITION TO SALES TAX IS BENNETT VIEW

KELOWNA—Strong opposition to the proposed two per cent sales tax as suggested to the B.C. cabinet by the union of B.C. Municipalities, is voiced by W. A. C. Bennett, South Okanagan MLA.

Mr. Bennett declared the tax would fall heaviest on people with large families in purchasing clothing and other necessary items, and said they are the ones who are feeling the present inflationary period the hardest.

The UBCM last week recommended to the B.C. cabinet that a sales tax be adopted in order to pay for the ever-increasing school costs. The organization claimed that a considerable amount of the revenue would come from tourists who spend millions of dollars in the province every year.

"I believe the UBCM was ill-advised to recommend a tax to the provincial government," Mr. Bennett stated. "I believe they were in error in saying that only two small municipalities opposed the tax. It is my considered opinion that the majority of the people in every municipality in the province is opposed to this iniquitous tax."

"This is a matter in which the citizens of the province should speak up quickly and voice their protests before it is too late."

Mr. Bennett said that when he was in Victoria last week he also voiced strong opposition to the proposal when he met members of the B.C. cabinet.

Mr. Bennett also went on record in favor of the federal government imposing subsidies on all dairy products.

He viewed with alarm the rising costs of many basic articles, and said that while he is opposed to placing price ceilings on all goods, he thought the federal government should undertake a consumer subsidy on bread, butter and milk.

Her Majesty Chats With Bob Hope



QUEEN ELIZABETH is shown in this photo as she chats with BOB HOPE, screen star recently at London's Odeon Theatre on the occasion of the second annual Royal Command film performance. MRS. HOPE stands beside her husband. Several other American movie stars were also presented to members of the Royal Family.

VOLLEYBALL TITLE TO BE AT STAKE HERE

Summerland schools will see the South Okanagan volleyball championships played on their home grounds on February 14, the annual meeting of the Okanagan schools sports association arranged recently at Kelowna.

Both boys' and girls' tournaments will be held here on that day with the winners in each division playing the northern champions for the right to represent the Okanagan at the B.C. schools championships, to be played at the coast.

The Okanagan schools volleyball titlists will travel to the coast with their expenses paid, as arranged by Ernest Lee, director of physical education for the department of education at Victoria.

Penticton, Summerland, Oliver and Peachland school teams will be competing here for South Okanagan honors on February 14.

This Kelowna session also arranged for a school ski tournament to be held at Kelowna on a date to be announced later, according to snow conditions.

No Okanagan schools hockey league will operate this winter but exhibition games between Vernon and Summerland were arranged by Jock Smith when he attended the Kelowna meeting.

These games will also depend on weather conditions for arrangement.

It was decided to stage basketball playdowns among the Okanagan schools with junior and senior schedules being arranged and the winners to take part in the B.C. schools championships in the same manner as volleyball.

Age for junior schools teams is 17 and under at January 1, in both boys' and girls' groups.

On Dec. 5 Summerland boys defeated Penticton school boys at the local gym by a close 17-15 count while the local girls lost to Penticton by the same margin, 16-14.

Wally Day, Dunham and McLean were again top scorers for the winning boys' squad while Marv Ward scored more than half the Summerland total in the girls' contest.

Radio Interference Committee Set Up By Trade Board

Another step in the effort to rid the district of radio interference was taken last Thursday night at the Parish hall when a committee consisting of Wallace Booth, chairman, George Graham and C. E. "Ned" Bentley was appointed to investigate radio disturbances in the area and report to the Summerland Board of Trade the best possible action to be taken.

Last spring, this subject was mooted but no action was taken by the board of trade committee empowered to report.

Mr. Booth introduced the subject on Thursday with a spirited bid for board action. He outlined the difficulties persons in his section have in obtaining good radio reception. Other speakers stated that Mr. Booth was not alone in his complaints.

"Electrical Foreman T. P. Thornber doesn't think anything can be done regarding radio interference," declared Mr. Booth, "but I don't agree. Probably the person responsible for the interference doesn't know he is causing any trouble."

He instanced that from 7 to 8 o'clock each morning is the worst period and he suggested that a reward of up to \$25 be posted by the board for information leading to the conviction of the guilty party. The board took no action on this request.

Council Bentley stated he was still in favor of the formation of a radio committee in Summerland and the operation of a directional battery set to locate interference, in a similar manner to the setup in effect here a few years ago.

Mr. Francis Stuart reminded the audience that the board of trade had nothing to do with the radio club as it functioned previously.

President Fred Schumann asked Mr. George Graham to head a committee on radio interference but Mr. Graham declined, saying it would not be ethical for him to take such a post and he has not the time to devote to the matter.

Mr. Graham suggested a publicity campaign should be started before any attempt is made to have a radio car go from house to house checking household appliances. In most cases, electrical appliances which are found to be causing trouble should be overhauled before condensers are applied to eliminate interference, he claimed.

Some of the radio trouble is coming from electrical lines, he suggested.

Following this discussion President Schumann asked for a committee to make a survey of the needs of the community in checking radio interference and to report back to the trade board. Mr. Booth agreed to head this committee.

Mr. R. L. D. Cuthbert and young son, John, left on Wednesday at noon for Scotland. They expect to return at the end of February.

PLAN NEW PULP PLANT

Plans for the establishment of a pulp mill at Duncan Bay, near Campbell River, by the Canadian Western Timber Company Limited and associates are announced by Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of lands and forests. The plant will use power from the B.C. Power Commission's hydro-electric development at Elk Falls which goes into production next month.

North American Skating Champs At Vernon Carnival

Two Canadian and North American skating champions, stopping off enroute to Zurich, Switzerland for the Olympic finals, will head the list of 117 participants in the Vernon Rotary Ice Carnival, Saturday, December 27 and Monday, December 29. They are Suzanne Morrow, junior and senior women's champion of Canada and North America and Wally Diestelmeyer, junior and senior men's champion of Canada and North America.

They will be flanked by a group of thirteen stars from the Silver Blades Skate Club of Spokane, Wash., and by a group of twelve polished artists who will come from Vancouver under the direction of the famous Verna Miles Fraser.

Mrs. Fraser will stage three spectacles; (1) an elaborate "Ballet in Blue"; (2) "No Business Like the Show Business" full of novelty and surprise and (3) "Toy Town Express" with fifty Vernon youngsters especially trained for this event.

Wally and Suzanne will skate their 1948 Olympic solos and pairs and will contribute other numbers more fluid and more sensational than the official competition tests.

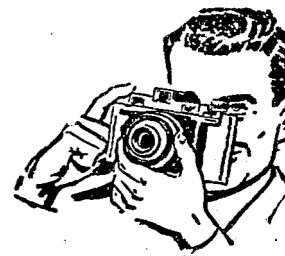
Spokane is bringing a solo champion, Miss Paddy Ruby; the famous Ingham twins, Shirley and Vivian in a pair and a quartet made up of Paddy Ruby, Louise Waugh, David Pencosdey and Booby Throop, whose mother is one of the pros at the Spokane arena which her husband owns and operates.

PRESENT SCHOOL BYLAW

VERNON—With the remaining steps in preparation of the school building bylaw carefully laid out before them, trustees of Vernon School District No. 22 hope to present the \$13,000 project to taxpayers' vote late in January.

VERNON—It would appear that the city will break even, or have a bit of a surplus on the current year's operations, judging by an interim financial statement covering the first 11 months of 1947. However, the surplus is not expected to be near last year's cash balance of over \$45,000.

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ODDFELLOWS HOLD BREAKS ARM ON BASKET SOCIAL SKATING RINK

The Okanagan Lodge No. 58 held its basket social in the IOOF hall on Thursday, December 11. Whist was played during the early part of the evening and was followed by the auctioning of the baskets by Mr. Stan Taylor and assisted by Mr. George Haddrell. The prizes were presented to the winners of the whist, Mrs. W. G. Hack winning ladies' first and the consolation going to Mrs. T. A. Walden. Men's first went to Mr. Don Orr and consolation Mr. John Caldwell. Following lunch, the remainder of the evening was taken up with dancing.

Arnold Walker, young son of Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, Prairie Valley road, was the victim of an accident on the first night of skating at the West Summerland rink when he fell and broke his arm. Dr. W. H. B. Munn attended the young lad, who is making good progress. Skating was enjoyed by a large crowd of all ages on Friday evening for the first time this winter, and again on Saturday morning, but by evening the ice sheet had melted to too great an extent for further skating.

Socially Speaking

Social Editor Agnes McKay

Mr. W. White returned on Sunday from Vancouver, where Mrs. White underwent an operation at the Vancouver General hospital three weeks ago. He reports that Mrs. White is making good progress towards recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garnett motored to Vernon on Tuesday to meet their daughter, Mrs. Ed. Riley and two children Bobby and Jean, who will return to Summerland with Mr. and Mrs. Garnett and spend the Xmas holidays visiting at their home. Mr. Riley and Tommy will arrive in time to spend Christmas with the family.

Mr. N. O. Solly is still a patient in the Summerland hospital, where he has been confined for the past three weeks suffering from sciatica.

Among students arriving home from Vancouver for the Christmas holidays this weekend are Joan Bennett, Donna Haskins, Mary Vanderburgh, Kenneth Steuart, Donnie Jackson, and Bill and Jack Amm.

Mr. Ed. Walton returned home on Wednesday morning from Vancouver.

Mrs. L. Sharp of the Princeton teaching staff was a weekend visitor at her home here.

Mrs. M. K. Thompson left last week for Victoria where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. C. Edgerton. Mrs. Thompson has spent the last few months visiting her family and friends in Summerland.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fleming (nee Margaret Stark) of Oliver, B.C., on Monday, December 15.

While out walking in lower town on Monday, Mr. G. W. Johnson slipped on the ice breaking a bone in his wrist.

Miss Dorothy Butler and Mrs. Jean Eddie spent the weekend in Kelowna.

Mr. E. B. Dunham of Creelman, Sask., arrived on Monday to spend a few days with Mr. Herb Dunham before continuing his journey to Langley Prairie where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. F. S. Scherck, over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Johnny Coubrough of Buffalo Gap, Sask., left for Vancouver Saturday, after spending the last two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Eden.

Mrs. E. Walton, Mrs. Harvey Walton and daughter Beverley returned home from Vancouver last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Macleod and daughter Ann, are leaving this weekend for Vancouver, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Marie Robinson, teller in the West Summerland branch of the Bank of Montreal, left on Tuesday for Omaha, Neb., for a six weeks' holiday. Her position is being temporarily taken by Miss Nan Thornthwaite.

Mr. Fraser Dier arrived on Tuesday from Prince Albert, Sask., and is visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lamcraft, prior to proceeding on to Vancouver for Christmas.

Mr. Len Hill is a patient in the Summerland hospital, suffering from a throat ailment. He expects to return home before the weekend.

Mrs. R. Sheldrake returned on Friday from a two weeks' visit at the coast.

Womens Institute To Send Parcels To Old Country

A monthly parcel, to a value of five dollars, will be despatched by the Summerland Women's Institute to an Institute in England, the choice of organization to be suggested by Mrs. Stella E. Gummow, W.I. superintendent, it was decided at last Friday's meeting of the Women's Institute, presided over by the president, Mrs. M. E. Collas. Two parcels were sent to two older members of the W.I. at Battle, England, as Christmas gifts and each contained half a pound of tea, two packages of Jello, one pound lump sugar, one tin meat, one package raisins, one tin salmon, two small packages cocoa, two packages soup, a cake and chocolate.

As a result of a suggestion from Mrs. J. E. O'Mahony, a petition is to be despatched by the Summerland W.I. to Mrs. Gummow, asking that a resolution be drafted seeking a government grant to help defray costs of needy cancer victims in the same manner as T.B. patients are now assisted. Mrs. S. A. MacDonald reported on the newly-formed Canadian Consumers' Association and invited members to join this group.

Mrs. George Milton is spending a week to ten days as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Hayes.

Mrs. A. Stark is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Fleming, at Oliver while Mrs. Fleming is in the hospital.

Mr. T. W. Pittfield of Spence's Bridge, B.C., was visiting in town last week at the home of Ted Wilson.

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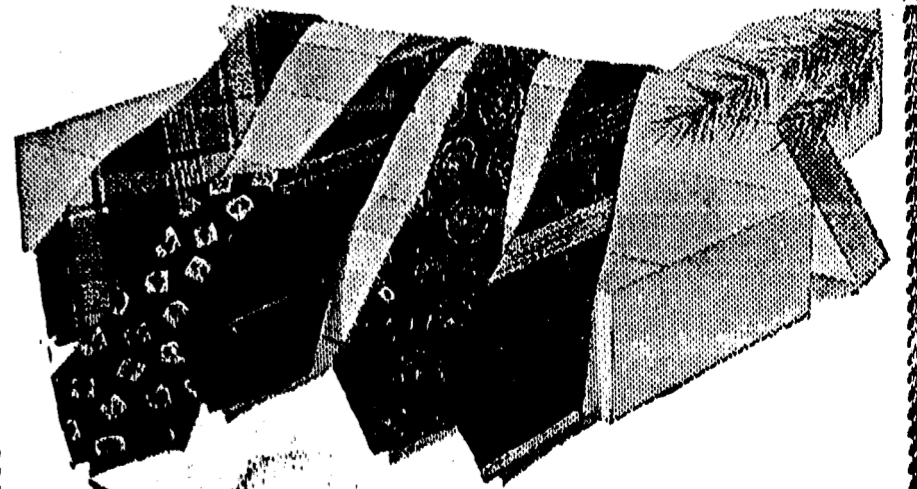


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A deal is being arranged between the municipal council and John Dunn for the exchange of a strip of the C. C. Wharton orchard which borders the lane to the south of Granville street for municipal property directly north of the Klux lot.

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FEW MOSQUITOES RECORDED IN PAST SEASON

Low level of Okanagan lake in the spring of 1947 dried up the natural breeding grounds to such an extent that little protection work was necessary in the annual mosquito control campaign. Magnus Tait, head of this committee over many years, reported to the council in an official report on Monday afternoon.

Only a few small areas needed a covering of oil in the spring and as a result there were few mosquitoes in the Summerland area, he explained.

However, a sudden flow of water down Zimmerman's Gulch in September created a certain amount of flooding on the Landry property and a number of mosquitoes were hatched out late in the season.

So mild was the fall, that these mosquitoes lasted until early October.

No individual collections were made on behalf of the mosquito control group during the year, and expenditure was limited to \$20, Mr. Tait reported. The council agreed to offset this expenditure by means of a grant, as provided in the estimates for current year's expenditures.

Mr. Tait did not agree with those who felt that the use of DDT in the orchards had assisted in keeping down the mosquito menace. DDT is excellent when applied for the purpose of killing mosquitoes, but when used in spraying orchards he did not believe it had much effect.

The dryness of the usual breeding grounds prevented the mosquito eggs from hatching, and the flooding of land late in the season, with the sudden outcropping of the mosquitoes then, was entered as proof of Mr. Tait's contention.

PASS BIG ACCOUNTS LIST

Accounts totalling more than \$10,000 were passed for payment at Monday's council meeting, these being November accounts payable.

Modern Lighting Unit For Operating Room At Hospital Is Granted By Trade Board

Reclamation Project Under Joint Deal

Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of lands and forests, has been authorized by the government to sign, on behalf of the province, an agreement with the Dominion government for joint reclamation works.

Already work has been instituted on reclamation in the Pemberton Meadows area. The Pemberton Meadows dyking district will join in the new program under the agreements to be signed.

Works to be undertaken in connection with the immediate future activities of the joint administration will include further units of the Pemberton Meadows project, reclamation and irrigation works in the Kamloops, Okanagan and Similkameen districts.

Summerland's hospital facilities will be greatly enhanced in the near future by the purchase of a modern lighting fixture for its operating room, the grant being made by the Summerland Board of Trade from its funds raised through its annual Spring Fair.

Such was the decision of board members meeting for their last session before the New Year, in the Parish hall last Thursday evening. Members of St. Stephen's W. A. (Evening branch) catered to the dinner.

Trade board members voted the sum of \$350 to be in the nature of a grant to the Summerland hospital board and earmarked for the purchase of modern, adequate lighting arrangements in the operating room.

Details of the best unit to be purchased will be left to the hospital board directors, the meeting decided, on a motion by Walter M. Wright.

In Use at Coast

J. E. O'Mahony, trade board vice-president and hospital secretary stated that a modern lighting unit similar to that installed in St. Paul's hospital, Vancouver, could be obtained for just over \$300, fob Vancouver.

This lighting unit consists of a series of mirrors, in a circle, reflecting the light downward and thus eliminating any shadow. The system is built on a swivel arrangement so that it can be turned to any angle desired.

"Present operating room lighting is inadequate and local medical men would be delighted with this improvement in hospital facilities," declared Mr. O'Mahony. "In fact, everybody at the hospital would be pleased."

President F. W. Schumann told trade board members that the executive had wanted to do something to help the hospital and had recommended at its last meeting that \$350 be set aside for this purpose.

Mr. George Graham asked what authority had been obtained to determine if this particular unit is the latest in operating room lighting fixtures. He suggested that it would be a heavy expenditure for such a unit.

Mr. O'Mahony replied that the unit is recommended by the Westinghouse people, and that it is used extensively in Vancouver. He stated that the hospital board could make further enquiries to ascertain if this particular unit is the latest type obtainable.

Canadian Fashion



Redingote returns to the spring fashion picture. Features of Jack Liebman's Fashion Week show recently in Montreal was a group of graceful redingote ensembles—prints used with plain colors, dark crepes with starched white linen collar. The ruffle-edged shoulder, the tiny waistline, the swirling skirt all contribute to the feminine charm of this fashion.

NEW LIGHTS TO BE INSTALLED AT HOCKEY RINK

New lights are to be installed this week at the Living Memorial hockey rink, the new system being prepared to provide an adequate lighting system for the enlarged hockey rink.

If electricians can be obtained to install the system, arrangements for flooding the rink will be made immediately, states E. H. Bennett, chairman of the memorial parks subcommittee in charge of the park-playground.

This lighting system has been purchased at a cost of about \$300 and in order to service the increased capacity, the municipality has had to put in a new pole line to bring the current from the north.

A ten-kva transformer is being installed as a temporary measure and will be removed after the hockey season is concluded, last Monday's council session was informed.

A request had also been made to have the municipal electrical crew complete the lighting system installation but Foreman T. P. Thorner stated that he would have to leave essential extension work to homes, needed before Christmas.

The council expressed its willingness to co-operate in this matter but felt that the extension of lighting to residential areas must be completed in preference to the hockey rink.

Last winter, when hockey was played on the local rink, the lighting was found to be inadequate and the shadows created a hazard to the players.

Entry To Dunsdon Property Made By Municipal Crew

Water Foreman E. Kercher reported to the council on Monday afternoon that he and his crew have taken one load of sludge across the Jim Dunsdon property in Garnett Valley, to repair the municipal main which crosses the Dunsdon lot.

Mr. Dunsdon had refused to allow municipal workmen to enter his property to repair the irrigation flume, but the local council obtained legal authority that it has right of access for maintenance and repair purposes. Mr. Kercher reported that he had agreed to inform Mr. Dunsdon on all occasions that he intends to go over the latter's property for this purpose.

BEST PRICE EVER GIVEN FOR BONDS

The sale of \$5,000,000 worth of 2½% five-year debentures at a price considered the best yet received for any British Columbia bonds sold on the domestic market was announced this week by Hon. Herbert Anscomb, minister of finance.

The sale was made to a syndicate composed of A. E. Ames and Company Ltd. (syndicate managers), Dominion Securities Corporation Ltd., Wood, Gundy and Company Ltd., the Canadian Bank of Commerce and the Royal Bank of Canada.

The debentures are to be dated December 15, 1947, and to mature December 15, 1952. The price to the province meant a cost rate of 2.56½%.

The proceeds of the issue will be used for the financing of certain projects carried out by the B.C. Power Commission.

Travel Increase Being Maintained

The increase in the volume of travel for 1947 over 1946 is still being well maintained it is shown this week in the figures released by the B.C. government travel bureau of the department of trade and industry.

In October, 13,122 automobiles entered the province through border ports under traveller's vehicle permits as compared with 12,852 in October, 1946. For the ten months ended October 31, the entries totalled 185,186 as against 160,495 for the same period of 1946.

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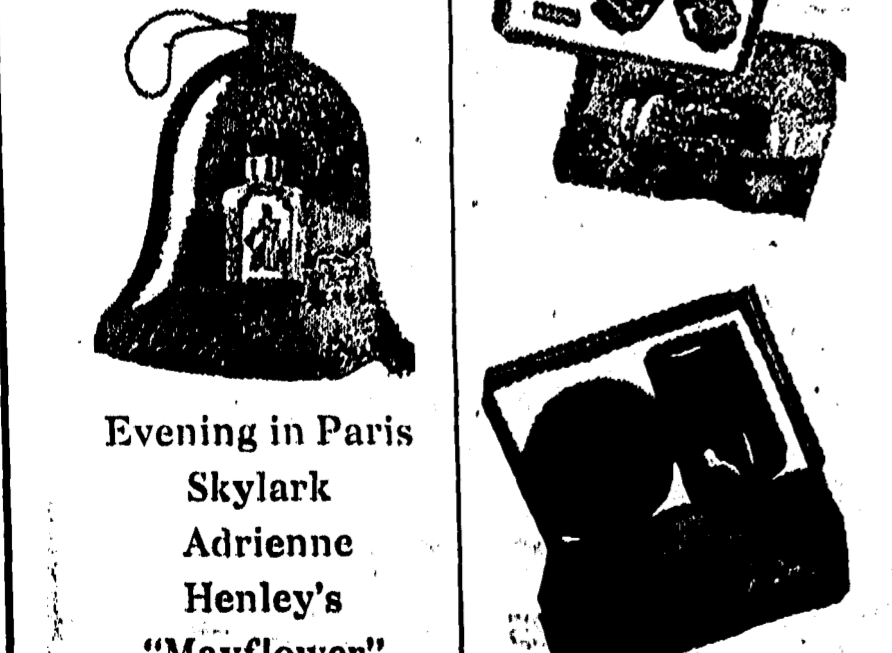
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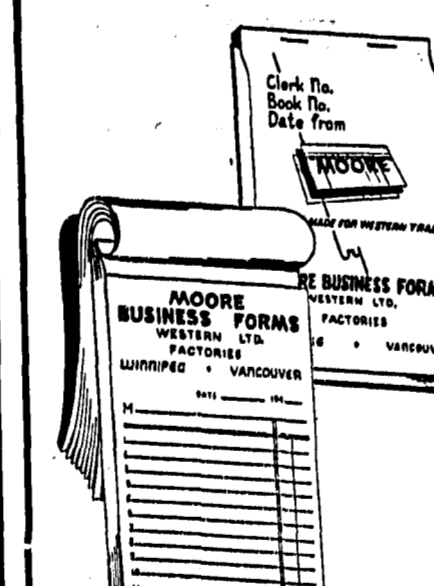
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Canadian Girls in Training held their annual Christmas vesper service in St. Andrew's United church on Sunday morning, Dec. 14. The girls formed the choir for the occasion, and the service was conducted by Miss Marion Nickols. The scripture reading was given

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by Barbara Metters, president of the department. An impressive candle-lighting service formed the concluding item. Those taking part were Miss Nickols, leader of the junior group; Maureen May, leader of the intermediate group; Ruth Fleming, president of the senior group; Esther Metters, president of the intermediate group, and Merle Heavysides, president of the junior group. Ushers for the occasion were Louise Gale and Joan MacDonald. Rev. Mr. Whitmore told the story of "The First Christmas Tree."



PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE VISITS TODDLERS — A little boy appears unimpressed by the proximity of Princess Margaret Rose and turns his back upon her as she visits the nursery school of the Union of Girls' Schools Social Service Settlement at Camberwell, London, recently. She called at the nursery school just as the children were having tea.

Jerry Pilkington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pilkington, had the misfortune to fall and break her collar bone while sleighriding near her home on Sunday. She was taken to the local hospital, returning to her home Tuesday afternoon, and is reported doing nicely.

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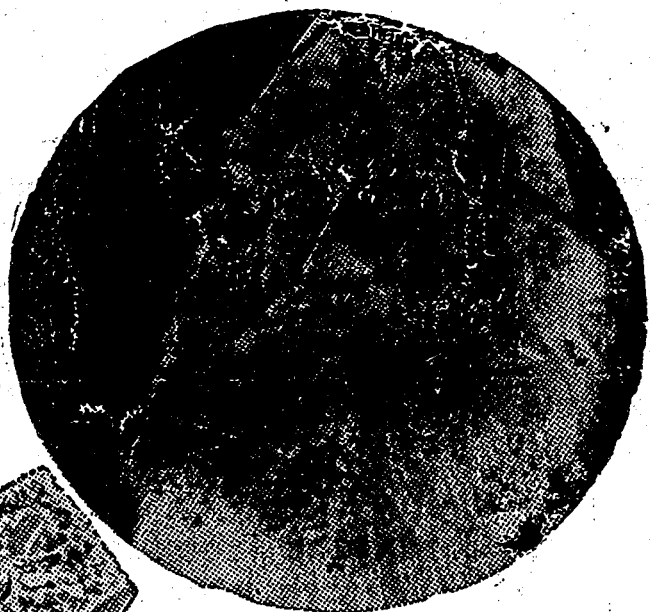
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Farmers Cannot Be Asked To Live On Lower Level Than Other Producers, Says J. G. Gardiner

In his closing address at the Dominion-Provincial Agricultural Conference, held in Ottawa, December 1-3, Right Hon. J. G. Gardiner, dominion minister of agriculture, stated that perhaps the time had come when agricultural production should be considered at these conferences more as a whole, rather than by making any attempt to set up objectives for individual commodities as had been done at previous conferences.

It was perhaps not fully realized that as the wartime demand had developed for livestock products, 10 million acres had been taken out of wheat, and had been put into feed and grass. Later, when the demand had swung back to wheat, this process had been reversed and 8 million acres had gone back into wheat.

Canada is therefore already back on a grain producing basis. During the periods when we were going up and down, it was necessary for this conference to ask farmers to depart from their usual practice, he said. It is the opinion of the federal department that the provinces would be in the best position to propose changes in acreage based upon marketing possibilities as they develop. It is assumed from the fact that no changes have been suggested, that all are agreed that we in 1947 established a basic position which is acceptable.

Weather a Handicap

He stated that the unfortunate weather conditions this year had mitigated against farmers growing as much barley in 1947 as was anticipated, but hoped that acreages asked for in 1947 would be attempted again in 1948. He admitted this might be difficult in the west where farmers are convinced wheat stands up against drought better than barley. He cautioned against any reduction in summer fallow, which he declared would be a mistake.

Referring to the British food contracts for meat, dairy products and eggs, Mr. Gardiner stated that the present difficult financial situation between the two countries was hampering negotiations, but both he and Sir Andrew Jones, head of the British Food Mission in Ottawa, who also addressed the conference, hoped the difficulties would be overcome to the extent that presently planned-for surplus production, could be provided for.

He cautioned against the difficulties which would arise if some Canadian agricultural products were permitted to go on the world markets.

"It was a most difficult thing to try and live on two price levels," said Mr. Gardiner, "farmers cannot be asked to remain on a level lower than other producers, and the almost inevitable result would be that the consumer price level in Canada would go up to that of the

higher priced market.

"Those at the conference seem to be agreed that the only alternative is contracts establishing stabilized long-time markets on which prices never reach the peak nor fall too low."

Commenting on achieving stability of farm prices, which was the aim of the dominion and all provincial governments and organized agriculture as represented by the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, Mr. Gardiner appealed for the confidence and co-operation of all, and, in addition, sufficient time to work out plans which would enable this to be accomplished.

RED CROSS SANTA CLAUS BRINGING CHEER TO B.C.

With his sack bulging with filled Christmas stockings, gifts and goodies, the Red Cross Santa Claus is almost ready to take off for his visits to British Columbia's veteran hospitals, crippled children's institutions and homes of old age pensioners. His army of nearly 60,000 children has been working for him for weeks and has now everything packed and ready for his pleasant task of carrying gifts throughout the province to remind the recipient that the Red Cross never forgets.

Both senior and junior Red Cross members co-operate in this effort, with juniors making, stuffing and decorating the green net stockings with personal gifts supplied by the adults. These will be distributed by Red Cross hospital visitors to DVA and other hospitals throughout the province. Hundreds more of these stockings will be taken, by the juniors themselves, to crippled children's hospitals and to old age pensioners who are residing in group homes.

Some 3,000 tray favors and filled candy boxes are also being prepared by juniors to grace the Christmas morning breakfast trays of veterans, crippled children and old people, confined to bed. In addition juniors throughout the province are working on their own community projects and spreading cheer in their own districts.

Children in Great Britain and Poland will also share in the Christmas generosity of these juniors for British Columbia members have sent large shipments of food, toys, clothing and gifts to Red Cross war nurseries and children's hospitals in England and Scotland. They have also shared in the \$25,000 gift of food and clothing that went from the Junior Red Cross National War fund to Poland in time to arrive for Christmas.

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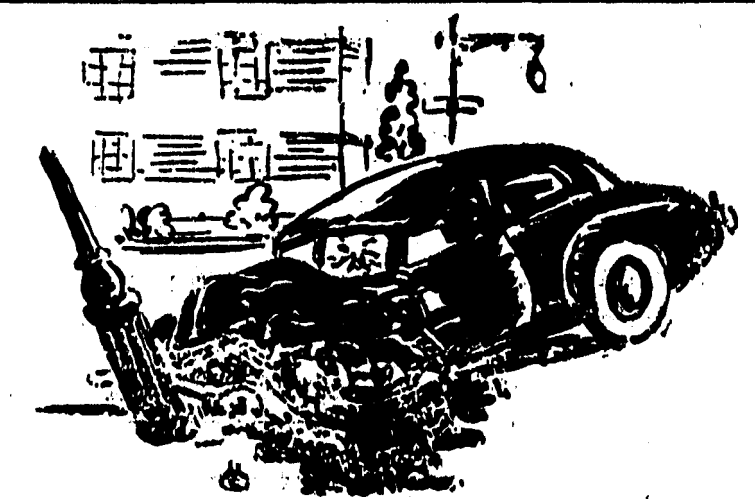
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Plans for the eventual establishment of a cultural centre and a study of the means to establish a new faculty at the University of British Columbia will be set in motion by members of a university committee on fine arts.

At a recent meeting, the committee agreed unanimously on its terms of reference, which included the extension and encouragement of cultural activities on the campus, plans for the eventual establishment of a fine art centre, and promotion of public interest in cultural and fine art activities at the University.

The group will act as clearing-house for cultural matters on the campus in the meantime, and will work towards the establishment of a faculty of fine arts.

A central executive committee and eight sub-committees were set up by the group, under the general chairmanship of Professor Frederic Lasserre. Sub-committees were set up for music, visual arts, theatre, literature and public speaking, handicrafts, cinema, dance and radio.

President N. A. M. MacKenzie and his executive assistant, Prof. G. C. Andrew, will be ex-officio members of all committees, the group decided.

WEATHER REPORT

	Max.	Min.	Hrs.	Sun
Dec. 10	28	21	0.0	
Dec. 11	31	18	0.1	
Dec. 12	37	20	0.0	
Dec. 13	46	27	1.9	
Dec. 14	41	29	3.3	
Dec. 15	39	25	4.0	
Dec. 16	40	25	0.0	

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Description of Animal
Brown Mare, blazed face, white righ hind foot. No brand visible.
Signed: J. HEICHERT, Poundkeeper.
Dated December 17, 1947.

Lakeside United Scene of Lovely Pre-Xmas Nutials

The Lakeside United church was the scene of a pretty wedding when Edith Pauline, daughter of Mrs. A. N. Tellman and the late Mr. A. N. Tellman of Summerland, became the bride of Victor Orley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nesbitt of Edgewood, B.C. The bride and groom exchanged wedding vows under an arch of evergreen boughs embedded with red roses, Rev. H. R. Whitmore officiating.

To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mr. T. P. Thorner, the bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr. A. Tellman of Kelowna, and looked lovely in a floor-length gown of white sheer fashioned with a fitted lace bodice embroidered with silver stars.

Her headdress was attached to a floor-length embroidered veil and she carried a bouquet of pale pink and white carnations.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Edna Annie Fowler, was matron of honor and wore a floor-length gown of pink silk poplin. Her headdress was of pink roses, with a shoulder-length veil and her bouquet was of pink and white carnations.

June Kathleen Wolfer, niece of the bride, acted as flower girl and looked sweet in a long pale blue nylon dress with little blue ribbon bows in her hair. She carried a small bouquet of chrysanthemums and daisies.

Mr. Charles Nesbitt, brother of the groom, was the best man and Bryce McNeely and Delmar Spalding acted as ushers.

During the signing of the register Mr. Fred Schumann sang "O Promise Me".

Following the wedding ceremony, a large reception for seventy-five guests was held in the Legion hall, West Summerland. Mrs. A. N. Tellman, mother of the bride, received the guests at the door, and was attired in a turquoise suit and wore a corsage of pink and white carnations.

The hall was decorated with pink and white streamers and the bride's table, which was covered with a beautiful cloth and draped with streamers, was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake.

The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. William Stain and was responded to by the groom, Mr. E. Borgstrom gave the toast to the matron of honor.

A wire of congratulations was received from the brother-in-law and sister of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Vogell of Pelly, Sask. Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Tollman, Kelowna, brother and sister-in-law of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. F. Sargenta, of Kelowna.

For her honeymoon, to be spent in Princeton and Vancouver, the bride chose a fuchsia crepe afternoon dress with black plastic accessories, topping her outfit with a blue coat with a zebra hood.

Upon their return, the young couple will make their home in Nakup, B.C., where the groom is employed.

CHOOSE NEW REEVE

C. O. Whinton was elected reeve of Peachland, on Saturday, with 76 votes. Fitzpatrick V. Vernon registered 47 votes and Reeve A. E. Miller lost out with 81 votes. There are still two vacancies on the Peachland council.

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PEACE ON EARTH.



The Song of Christmas

THE long journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem . . . a new Star in the sky . . . heavenly music above the hills of Judea . . . the flutter of angel wings . . . the swift journeying of the Shepherds . . . Mary and Joseph and the new-born Child . . . the coming of the Wise Men, with their gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh . . .

From these inspiring things the Song of Christmas was fashioned more than twenty centuries ago. The years have added new notes of happiness. Carols and song upon the air . . . candles gleaming in the night . . . secret whisperings and laughter in the home greetings going from friend to friend . . . deeds of love and mercy done in the name of a Child.

No great symphony or composition can match the Song of Christmas. It rises above the clatter and roar of the city; it throbs through the scattered town and hamlet; it sings through the sunlit islands of the South; it permeates the frozen wastes of the Northland. In ever-widening volume its strains echo around the world.

Before its magic the hosts of darkness take flight. It touches the slumbering chords of memory; it heals old hurts and scars; it binds loved ones in a closer and deeper tie. There are no friendless or forsaken within its sound; under its influence the strong reach out to help the weak. Peace and Love and Joy, these are its loudest notes, and they are for all men. For the Song of Christmas is the greatest of all songs because it is understood by every heart.



The Review Wishes Everyone A Merry Christmas

EDITORIAL

Our New Reeve

Summerland in the year 1948 is to have a new reeve. Reid Johnston is the people's choice after a tightly-contested election race, which found two members of this year's council defeated at the public polls.

Reid Johnston is a popular Summerland citizen. He has been in our midst for the past twenty years. In that time, he has been a leader in many community enterprises. Many of the citizens do not realize the amount of work which he has undertaken on behalf of the railway employees, apart from his many community enterprises.

Many persons were surprised when Reid Johnston led the poll. Some persons believe that it was a direct challenge to the previous administration. Some even go so far as to say that it was a lack of confidence vote for last year's council.

To this idea we cannot agree. C. E. Bentley and F. E. Atkinson gave the citizens of this community excellent administration. They worked diligently and hard for the community good. Their past record, to those who have really studied it, has been one of community benefit.

There are some who believe that council activities will lag as it will take some time for Reeve-elect Johnston to get properly into harness. It will undoubtedly take a time for Mr. Johnston to acquaint himself with the complexities of municipal procedure but we feel certain that it will not be long before municipal activities are continuing along a well-defined line.

The Review also feels that at least one of the two retiring councillors who contested the reeveship should go back into the municipal political field. It would be better for municipal activities that this should transpire.

We feel that it was primarily Reid Johnston's personal popularity, rather than any slur against those who have been upholding the local municipal council activities, which was the deciding factor in this election race. Combined with this, was the fact that the new vote in the community has had more opportunity to meet Reid Johnston than the other two candidates.

We look forward to a year in which the municipality will continue to progress under the leadership of a man well versed in the community needs and with vision as to what the future may hold in store.

Competition—the life of trade—is also the life of democracy. For, if democracy fails to compete with other world ideas, it will have to resort to combat.

Word emanating from Victoria last weekend indicates that the Coalition form of government is likely to continue in B.C., at least for the time being. With so many projects just commenced, a change in administration would not be welcomed. This is welcome news for the New Year approaching.

The Inside Story

By AGROLOGIST

When I visited the Experimental Station last week I ran slam-bang into a meeting of the plant nutrition committee of the Okanagan Agricultural Club.

The primary purpose of this committee appears to be to formulate sound recommendations for the use of fertilizers, cover crops and general soil management practices in orchards and vegetable plantations.

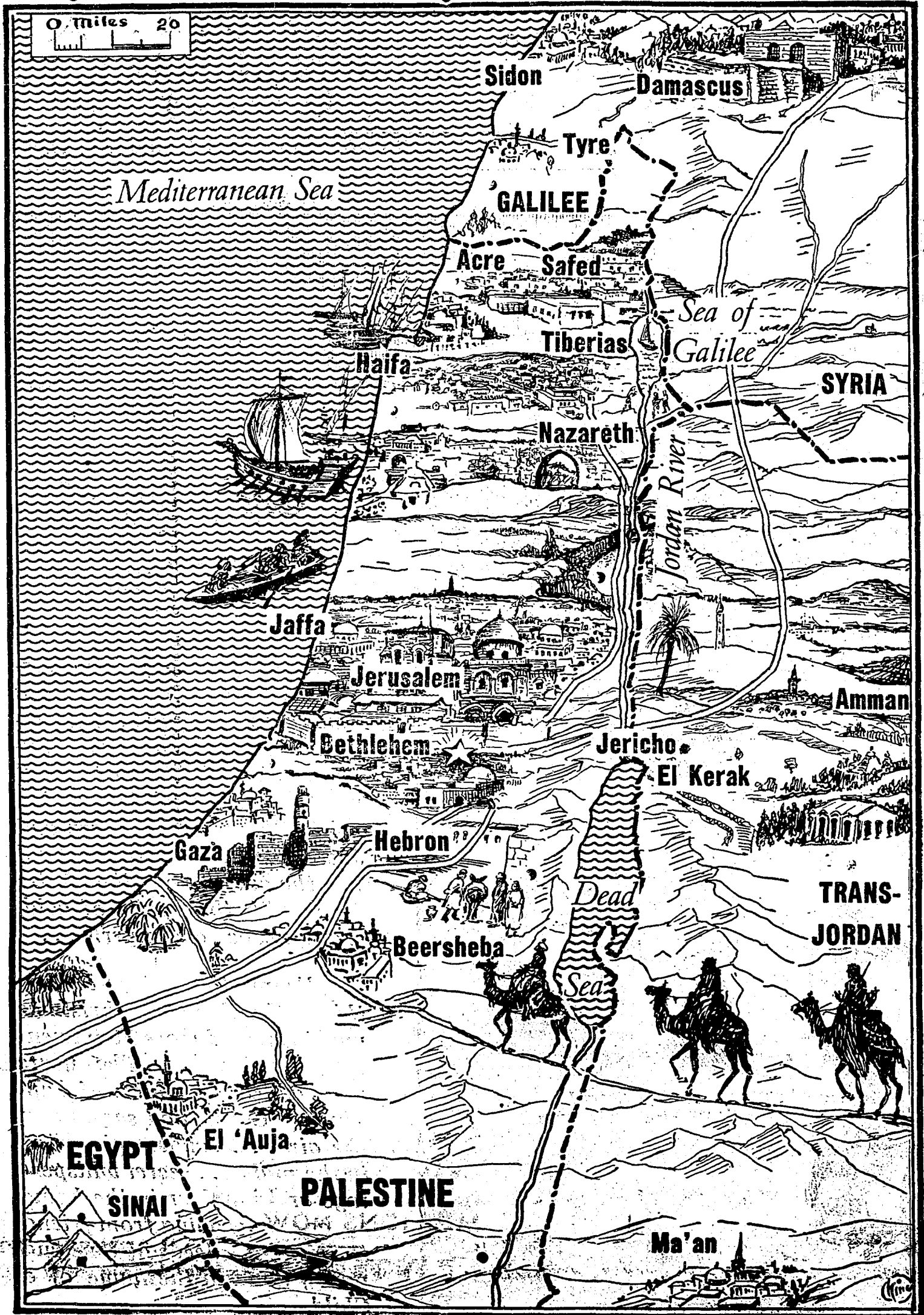
The provincial department of agriculture is represented on the plant nutrition committee by such well known extension horticulturists as Maurice Middleton, Ben Hoy, Harry Evans and Bob Murray. In addition, Bob Wilson, Maurice Trumpour, Alec Watt and Don Allan, who have recently been appointed to the provincial extension staff, are now active members of the committee. The dominion science service is represented by Harold McLarty and James Marshall. Jack Wilcox and Dick Palmer represent the Summerland station.

The recommendations of the plant nutrition committee are based partly on the results of field trials and observation and partly on results of soil and leaf analyses. The information secured is embodied in circulars which are mimeographed and made available to growers through the local offices of the provincial department of agriculture and from the Summerland station. Articles are also published from time to time in "Country Life" magazine.

Circulars are now available on such topics as "Fertilizers and Cover Crops for Irrigated Orchards", "Cause and Control of Alkali", "The Use of Mulch Materials such as Peat, Straw and Sawdust", and "Boron Requirements of Orchards and Vegetables."

At the meeting which I attended, a good deal of time was devoted to discussion of the advisability of combining the information now available in circulars into one comprehensive bulletin which might be entitled "Soil Management in the Interior Tree Fruit Areas of British Columbia."

With so much sound information available it is remarkable that many growers still seem to be in doubt as to the kind and amount of fertilizer to use and the methods of soil management to follow in their orchards and vegetable plantations. I even know of some growers who have paid good money to a man who claims to be able to determine the fertilizer requirements of their orchards by making soil tests, when they could obtain more sound information from nothing from their local horticultural inspector or by writing to the experimental station.



Pioneer Days

THIRTY YEARS AGO
December 21 and 23, 1917
Sir Robert Borden's union government was re-elected with 138 seats to 92 for the opposition, five seats still being doubtful. B.C. elected all but one unionist member, with Hon. Martin Burrell being elected in Yale without opposition.

To have lost his entire crew of machine gun men and himself, escaped with but a scratch on the knee was the remarkable experience of a young soldier from Peachland, Gordon McDougald. He went back, obtained reinforcements and got his gun through.

The federal government is bringing to the attention of interested parties that no fish screens have been provided where water has been diverted for irrigation projects in the Okanagan, with the result that fish are permitted to disappear from the creeks.

Struck by a stray shell while on his way back to a rest station, Reginald Verrier is reported to have lost an arm.

A petition asking the government not to carry out its intention of combining the duties of game warden with those of the provincial police is being endorsed by the board of trade.

Little interest is being taken in the forthcoming elections. Councillor Simpson has announced that he will retire and other council members have expressed a wish to be relieved of their duties.

On the evening of December 24, Gertrude Anderson, wife of George Anderson passed away suddenly.

The municipal council has opened a subscription list for the relief of sufferers in the Halifax disaster, with a grant of \$800.

Mr. L. G. Blair, former rural route mail carrier, received a pleasant surprise Christmas present, when he received a cheque from eighty of his former patrons.

A. Calvert, A. M. Temple and H. Howis motored to Oliver on Dec. 14 to attend the Canadian Legion South Okanagan zone session that afternoon. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. K. Elliott and Mrs. E. Davis, who attended the L. G. W.A. zone conference held at the same time. Mrs. Elliott is president of the Legion Auxiliary.

Penny Wise

By PENNY WISE
'Twon't be very long now before IT is all over and done with for another year. But do try to enjoy the passing days and hours, and not let the preliminary hustling and bustling get you down. Don't feel you have to do everything yourself—let the youngsters decorate the tree, let father stir the Christmas pudding, and let the whole family get at that last-minute window-cleaning job.

And remember... when friends pop in over the holiday season for a mite of cheer, always pour the younger fry a drink of ginger ale or something good so they'll feel right in the thick of it.

Think hard now, and just see if there isn't some newcomer to your district who might not have an invitation for dinner, on the 25th. Now, if ever, is the time to open that front door as wide as can be.

If there is any one building a house around you, see if they want their old empty nail kegs. And if not, tote them home, pat the top, put a skirt around it, and you have a handy slipper stool for the bedroom. Make it do for a lamp table in the living room, if you wish, or put a lid on it, and use it for a dirty clothes hamper in the bathroom. Coat: next to nothing, or even less than that.

It takes courage to put Chinese red corduroy pillows on your old grey-colored plush chesterfield. But what a reward for bravery!

Even just three of those gorgeous, huge 'mums may cost you about \$1.50 (providing you can get near a florist at all) but they're worth it, and should last you a good three weeks. Always brush the stems and nip a branch off every few days. As long as you keep the water in the vase, it will keep them. And is an explanation.

It may be too late now to do any good, but right after Christmas (once your HE gets over the first rush of bills) start nattering for a full-length mirror. It's a MUST if you're going to turn yourself out as smartly as you feel you should. They're not too, too expensive, and they fit right onto the back (or front) of your clothes closet door. On the front it gives the room more size, somehow.

Well, never mind... maybe we can't buy canned pineapple, and such pretties, but we can always look at pictures of them in the U.S. magazines. And aren't they enough to make you drool. Such deserts, such stews, such salads!

At one of your Christmas parties...

It's a matter of placing a ball of seasoned ground meat between pieces of waxed paper. Roll to size of a saucer, and brown quickly on an ungreased griddle. It takes only one minute to a size, and the edges will be nice and crispy. Onion and catsup to taste, of course; NEVER take it on yourself to flavor one for someone else.

NEW PARKS
Four new parks have been created by the government in the interior of the province covering a total of ninety acres. They are situated: 1. On the Kootenay river east of Windermere. 2. Cinnemousin Narrows, Shuswap lake. 3. The area on Green lake in the Lillooet district. 4. West shore of Shuswap lake.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COVERAGE EXTENDED

(Authority, P.C. 4854, dated December 3rd, 1947)

ON AND AFTER January 1st, 1948, every employee in insurable employment paid by the month whose annual remuneration does not exceed \$8,120.00 will be insured under the Unemployment Insurance Act.

AT PRESENT those paid by the month whose annual remuneration is \$2,400.00 or less are insured under the Act.

THE CHANGE will not affect the coverage of all hourly, daily and piece rated employees and those paid on a mileage basis, who will continue to be insured regardless of earnings.

WEEKLY RATED employees whose earnings are expected to be \$8,120.00 or less per year will continue to be insured under the Act.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION

J. G. BISSON, Chief Commissioner
R. J. TALLON, Commissioner
C. A. MURCHISON, Commissioner

JUST MISSES SAW

SALMON RIVER VALLEY — W. F. Wilson narrowly escaped serious injury while assisting at the sawing machine on December 10. He had barely stepped aside from his place at the circular saw when he momentarily collapsed otherwise he would have fallen against the blade.

DRIVERS ARE FINED

VERNON—For parking over the one-hour limit in the business area, 43 vehicle drivers were fined \$2.50 each in local police court according to the report for November by the local Provincial Police detachment.

Reasonably Heavy Fruit Crop In Prospect For 1948 With Little Likelihood of U.K. Market Return

Growers are urged to prepare now for a reasonably heavy fruit crop next year, in a bulletin issued last week by B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., and quoted below:

"We are fortunate in that we can work with some unity towards solving our problems. From present indications the 1948 season may present some difficulties. We have no idea at the moment what the crop in apples may be. Indications are that soft fruits will be heavy. The trees are going into the winter in good condition and while we, of course, do not know what may happen between now and blossoming time, it is altogether likely that we will have a large crop. Indications are, also, that it will probably not be an all-time high, because that usually occurs after a very short season, which has not been the case this year. However, in all probability we will have a large crop. There is no present indication that the United Kingdom market will be in any different condition to what it is today. We have been fortunate in expanding our foreign outlets in one or two directions and we believe that this can be maintained, provided that the quality is there.

Prepare Now
"Growers and shippers have an opportunity to get ready now for this large crop—the growers by adequate pruning, tree removal and spraying, aiming at medium-sized fruit, and the shippers by increasing their facilities to take care of increased tonnage. There is a responsibility also on the sales agency to do everything in its power to be ready to deal with a larger output. If all three parties—as a team—recognize this state of affairs, 1948 instead of being a difficult year might be one of our best. It is of the greatest possible importance that all parties recognize this and each individual does his or her own share towards solving whatever problem we may have to meet. We would make a special appeal to the growers to be generous and foresighted in their willingness to provide the extra facilities that may be required.

"While at the present time

CROP ADVANCES NEARLY THIRTEEN MILLIONS NOW

* The following advances on fruit have been made this season and allocated to the various packing houses:

Previously reported	\$ 5,624,547.45
Oct. 7, 1947	696,727.90
Oct. 9, 1947	172,652.94
Oct. 11, 1947	528,382.01
Oct. 16, 1947	25,571.36
Oct. 17, 1947	1,044,854.33
Oct. 23, 1947	696,712.90
Oct. 28, 1947	696,712.90
Nov. 4, 1947	1,045,169.35
Nov. 19, 1947	1,203,404.10
Nov. 28, 194	996,359.45
	\$12,741,074.69

Advances on vegetables paid to the shippers to date amount to:
Advanced to date \$ 275,858.54
Closed 1,554,767.18

\$ 1,830,625.72

the major problem may relate to the collision of large quantities of McIntosh, Jonathan and Delicious in certain areas. It could be that with increased plantings and before very long a similar question might arise in regard to Delicious, Wine-saps and Newtowns.

"We have plenty of evidence to show that British Columbia fruit at its best can hold its own and penetrate markets in the face of all competition, but we cannot expand our activities with second or third rate merchandise. Wherever we go we find plenty of this kind of produce, available, particularly in Eastern Canada and the United States, and prices reflect the competition resulting from local production which has incurred no transportation costs, and in many cases little packing or preparation costs. The kind of returns that you get from such shipments are not enough to offer any inducement to the producer.

"Forewarned is forearmed" The industry can and should operate as a closely co-operating team. If it does so it can take advantage of numerous opportunities in the future. If it does not it will experience the same difficulties that have occurred in other fruit and vegetable producing areas where competition has been all against with "the devil take the hindmost."



We hope that the star you're wishing on lights your way to a

HAPPY CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR!

Linnéa Style Shop

West Summerland Phone 159



Old and traditional as Christmas itself are our new and bright wishes for a sparkling year of health, wealth, good cheer and happiness.

Clough's Bakery AND STAFF

Phone 114 Granville St.



Here's our sincerest wish to you for a bountiful Yuletide.

Manager and Staff of **Sunoka Fruit Products Ltd.**

SUMMERLAND, B.C.

The Butcherteria

May your home and your loved ones be blessed by the Holy Spirit of Christmas.



John and Jimmy



For each and every one of you — we sincerely wish the best wishes in all the world on this happy, joyous Christmas Season.

Smith's Sports Shop and Mac's Cafe

MAC'S CAFE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY, CHRISTMAS DAY AND NEW YEAR'S DAY

We join good old St. Nick in wishing one and all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



SMITH & HENRY

WEST SUMMERLAND



We extend to you and yours every good wish for a joyous Christmas and a very happy New Year.

MAIT - DUX - JOE - JANET SHIRLEY

Westland Coffee Bar

Milk and Cream Delivery

Phone 154 Hastings St.



May the glowing happiness you enjoy this Christmas crown your every hour during the New Year.

Bert Berry

The Sports Centre Summerland's Newest Business



Into every chimney of every home — we're dropping a Christmas package of best Yuletide wishes for everyone.

The Peter Pan Toggery

West Summerland



Our sincere wishes for the very merriest of Christmases and the happiest of New Years go to one and all.

The Cake Box

AND STAFF



Our wishes are with sincerity, that yours may be a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Green's Drug Store AND STAFF

Phone 11 West Summerland

Summerland Board of Trade



Extends Its Best Wishes For The Holiday Season

If in the year now drawing to a close the Summerland Board of Trade has been able to assist in making this Community a better place in which to live, then we feel justified in our endeavors.

FRED W. SCHUMANN, President
J. E. O'MAHONY, Vice-President
L. H. HILL, Secretary
R. A. JOHNSTON, Treasurer

Executive Committee:

Gordon Higgs,
Francis Stuart,
Joe McLachlan,
E. R. Butler

George Henry
C. V. Nesbitt
Fred Dunsdon
J. R. Armstrong

S. A. MacDonald, Auditor



For every candle-light beam that touches your face we extend best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Jeffery's Auto and Truck Sales

PENTICTON, B.C.



The Bells ring out our message of Good Cheer, Happiness and Health this Holiday Season.

POLLOCK MOTORS LTD.

AND STAFF

Phone 48

Hastings St.



On this happy occasion we wish to you and those you hold dear... Merry Christmas and a rewarding New Year.

Fraser's Grocery

SUMMERLAND, B.C.



May the musical bells of Christmas resound with peals of joy and happiness for you and yours this holiday season and throughout the entire New Year.

Lakeside Inn

L. J. & Y. WIGNALL
Summerland, B.C.



May this Christmas be the most glad-some... your every aim achieved.

Don McLachlan

WEST SUMMERLAND



Gleaming as the radiant bells that deck your Christmas tree are our wishes of Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you.

MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF THE

Summerland Garage

Phone 133
Summerland, B.C.

Legion Club Licence Vote Date Set For Tuesday, January 13th

Voting on the question of a club licence for the Canadian Legion in West Summerland will take place on Tuesday, January 13, it has been announced from the provincial secretary's department in Victoria.

The writ, which was issued on Friday, December 19, calls for voting in WEST SUMMERLAND ONLY, despite the fact that the entire Municipality of Summerland is involved.

Those not on the provincial voters' list for West Summerland have until Friday, January 2, to fill out a registration card and be placed on the voters' list.

Such was the announcement made here on Monday afternoon by E. Ross Oatman, provincial government agent in Kelowna and registrar of voters for the South Okanagan electoral district.

Mr. Oatman had received no advice as the possibility of this plebiscite until he received a wire on Friday to the effect that a writ had been issued.

At presstime, Mr. Oatman did not know the name of the returning officer, nor the allotted polling booth. He endeavored to communicate with Victoria by telephone to obtain a change in the writ so that Summerland could be included in the vote. The provincial registrar of voters was not in his office and could not be reached.

Definite decision on this question was expected momentarily when this issue was published on Tuesday morning.

List Is Revised

On the provincial voters' list in 1945, when the last election took place, there were 1015 registered in West Summerland polling division No. 14. This list has now been revised downward to 715 names.

The Summerland polling division contains 461 names.

Mr. Oatman, on Monday, made arrangements for voters' registration cards to be left at the office of Mr. Lorne Perry. These cards must be completed and mailed to Kelowna to reach Mr. Oatman by five o'clock on Friday, January 2.

Legion officials here have voiced their concern over the manner in which the government has speeded up this vote and the recording of voters without allowing any preliminary time for registration of new voters.

The Legion branch here in March, 1946, made official application for a club licence. When this application went to Victoria, the "drys" circulated a petition against it.

Victoria ruled that it could not approve the application in face of this opposition.

Then the Legion circulated a petition and obtained 1,300 signatures in favor of the establishment of a club licence in the Legion premises in West Summerland.

This petition was forwarded to Victoria with the result that the liquor control board and the attorney-general's department ruled that a plebiscite would have to be taken to decide if the residents of this community are in favor or against the granting of a club licence.

Although the Legion has pressed for some months to obtain an approximate date when the plebiscite would be held, no official word was forthcoming until last Friday, when the writ was issued.

Mr. J. W. Mitchell, CPR agent in lower town, is not on duty this week, as he is suffering from an ulcer on his right eye. Mr. "Mac" Johnston is in charge of the lower town office during Mr. Mitchell's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lindeman left on Monday for Mission, where they will make their new home. Last Thursday, friends gathered at the Lindeman home to bid the couple farewell and wish them luck in their new abode. A small purse was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Lindeman by their friends.

Miss Bernice Elliott, of the nursing staff of St. Paul's hospital, Vancouver, is home for the holidays and will combine them with her annual holiday. She will be at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Elliott until January 17.

Mrs. K. Taylor is spending Christmas in Brookmere.

SCOUT NEWS

Friday's meeting featured a game of Hares and Hounds in which the troop was divided into two parts. The Hares went out real scouting game involving use a quarter of a mile away and tried to sneak back to the school gym while the Hounds kept a lookout for them and tried to catch them. Only two Hares got in, Don Blacklock and Bill Eyres. This is a of natural cover and is very popular.

A lot of Tenderfoot tests were taken also second class lashings, Kim's game and signalling. Kim's game is training in observation. Twenty common small articles are displayed for one minute and the boys have three minutes to write down what they see. A pass on the test is remembering 13 articles.

In the patrol competition for the Sharman cup the point standing is as follows: Eagles 277, Hawks 234, Buffaloes 72 and Beavers 67. The troop welcomed a new recruit, Walter Metropolit.

Notices: No meeting Dec. 26, but next meeting Jan. 2. There will

probably be a hike on Jan. 3, Saturday. Next meeting all Scouts must come with staves, including Tenderfoot Scouts.

Mr. A. Cremers

YOUR WATKINS DEALER

wishes all his friends and customers

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR



The tree in the window symbolizes all that's beautiful about Christmas — including our sincere wishes for your happiness

Shannon's Transfer

West Summerland



Through this message we want to reach the many friends... old and new... who have so generously patronized us during the year. We sincerely hope we shall have many more opportunities to be of service to you. To all in Summerland we extend our wish for a Very Merry Christmas Season.

Holmes & Wade

PHONE 28

HASTINGS STREET

FROM THE MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF
YOUR DEPARTMENT STORE
In West Summerland

A.K. Elliott



An abundance of health, happiness and good cheer is our Christmas wish to you and yours.

National Bowladrome

West Summerland

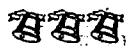
FIRM FOUNDATIONS

Just as a building depends upon its foundations, so, also, do the teeth of an adult derive their strength, beauty of form and stability from the care bestowed on the foundation teeth which preceded them.

Foundation teeth—often called "baby teeth"—prepare the way for the permanent teeth by aiding in the growth and development of the jaw; then each holds open a space and acts as a guide and pathfinder for its permanent successor.



I heard the bells on Christmas day Their old, familiar carols play, And wild and sweet The words repeat Of peace on earth, good-will to men!



Sincere wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Summerland Telephone Company Ltd.

Glowing as Yuletide candlelight are the wishes we extend to you for a Merry Christmas.



W. MILNE

YOUR BULOVA DEALER IN WEST-SUMMERLAND



The Christmas snowman thaws and vanishes at the sign of the sun. May the joy you feel this Christmas never melt throughout the entire New Year.

SUMMERLAND PLUMBING AND SHEET METAL WORKS

WEST SUMMERLAND Phono 119 T. B. Young Bldg.

Summerland Board of Trade ANNUAL CHILDREN'S

Christmas Party

Memorial Park Playground

Wednesday, Dec, 24

COMMENCING AT 7:00 P.M.

School children up to Grade 5 will be presented with a Gift Bag from Santa. Tickets are obtainable from the Elementary School.

PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN SHOULD BRING STICKERS TO THE FROM J. A. BEARD'S BULLETIN OFFICE

MEMBERSHIP

Christmas Radio Program Again Highlighted By The King's Address

Regular programs on all CBC facilities have been cancelled for Christmas Day and 18 1/2 hours of special entertainment are scheduled for Canada's nationwide radio audience, according to an announcement this week from the Vancouver office of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Traditional highlights of the day's listening, the globe-girdling Empire Show and the address by His Majesty The King, will again be heard. The former will be heard here over CKOV and CKOK and most other stations at 6:00 a.m. Pacific time, and will be followed by the King's message at 7:00 a.m. The hour-long program will be repeated on the CBC Trans-Canada network at 8:30 p.m., while the rebroadcast of His Majesty's speech will be heard at 7:15 p.m. immediately following the national news.

Worldwide goodwill is the theme of the BBC Empire Show, which is being carried in Canada by CBC. Co-ordinated from London, the program will have pickups at points in all parts of the world. Radio listeners will visit a battle-scarred sector of France, a ruined city in eastern Europe, the home of a Dutch family who helped the airborne troops at Arnhem, and a camp for displaced persons.

The Commonwealth section of the program will stress the current wave of emigration from the Old World. Canada's contribution will originate in Winnipeg. The speaker will be a European "DP"—an Estonian girl, Rita Bladt, who came to this country from Germany.

From South Africa CBC listeners will hear the voice of an immigrant to our sister dominion. Following this will be reports from a recent arrival in New Zealand and a new immigrant arriving in Sydney Harbor in Australia. In the final portion, Sir John Boyd Orr will speak for the United Nations.

The familiar tones of the Carillon from Ottawa at 5:30 a.m. will be the traditional opening of Canada's Christmas Day listening. Greetings from CBC chairman A. Davidson Dunton will be heard after the news at 10:00 o'clock on Christmas morning.

A special treat for the nation's younger listeners will be the annual Christmas broadcast by Mary Grannan, whose "Just Mary" series is a popular Sunday feature.

Vancouver will contribute to the nation's radio fare with a half-hour concert at 2:00 p.m. featuring Albert Sibelius and the CBC string orchestra. Works by Mozart, Sibelius and Copland will be highlighted.

Matthew Halton will speak from his office at 3:15 p.m. and at 4:00 p.m. and 4:15 p.m. on the radio.

o'clock the original drama "Santa Had a Black, Black Beard" will be presented from CBC's Toronto studios. Many former Vancouverites will take part, and the script is by the husband and wife team of Jack Drainie and Claire Murray, both former west coast artists too.

Other highlights: O. Henry's famous short story "Journey of the Magi" at 7:30... Northern Messenger at 8:15... Dr. G. G. Sedgewick at 10:15 following the news... a half hour variety entitled Beneath The Mistletoe at 10:30 p.m. with songs and nonsense by Norman Campbell and Eric Nicol, and starring Juliette and Ernie Prentice... The Glyndebourne recordings of The Beggar's Opera conclude the day's listening, 11:00 to 11:55 p.m.

Two dramatic productions by Andrew Allan highlight the rest of Christmas week's listening on CBC. Stage 48 on Sunday, Dec. 21 at 7:00 p.m. presented the delightful fairy tale The Snow Queen by Hans Christian Andersen. On CBC's Wednesday night series, Christmas Eve, Mr. Allan will present his traditional adaptation of The Mystery Play of the Nativity. Barbara Kelly, former Vancouver actress is a star in both productions.

Ferguson Tractor To Be Manufactured In United States

"Harry Ferguson, Inc. is moving aggressively forward with its implement manufacturing program, and we now know that arrangements will soon be completed to manufacture the new Ferguson tractor in large volume in the United States." Mr. Harry Ferguson, president and founder told a large group of suppliers, potential tractor manufacturers, distributors, and others who met at the company offices on Monday, December 1.

Using the new Ferguson tractor, now being manufactured at the rate of 230 per day in Coventry, England, Mr. Ferguson demonstrated many new implements which have been invented, field tested, and released for production by Ferguson engineers in both the United States and England.

Among the implements demonstrated was the new Ferguson Tractor, which incorporates a revolutionary principle of attachment. Through this method of attachment, the tractor can be fitted with a heavy duty blade, a trailer, a soft ground or on the road.

POINTING THE PATH

Good physique, good health, good habits of eating, sleeping and exercise, admittedly favor attainment of a pleasing personality. On the other hand, habitual violation of the laws of moderation with

respect to work, food, rest and recreation, contributes to worry, inefficiency and ill-health.

Appreciating these facts, Canada's health authorities, as a public service, are using all media of information to point paths to healthful, happy living.



We're brimming over with enthusiasm in wishing you the very best of Christmases and a jovial, light-hearted New Year.

WEST SUMMERLAND FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS AND RETAIL MEAT MARKET

Kelley St. H. Braddick, Prop. West Summerland



PLAN NOW TO ATTEND

THE BIG

New Year's Eve Frolic

ELLISON HALL

Dancing 9 to 2



GOOD MUSIC

REFRESHMENTS

NOISEMAKERS - NOVELTIES

Under Auspices of Summerland Branch Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

KELOWNA - WESTBANK FERRY SCHEDULE

TO BE IN FORCE

January 1st to March 31st, 1948

Table with 2 columns: Leave Kelowna and Leave Westbank. Lists departure times from 12:30 a.m. to 11:15 p.m.

Tuesdays—No 7:00 a.m. Trip from Kelowna

Tuesdays—No 11:05 a.m. Trip from Westbank

Corporation of the District of

Summerland

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the MUNICIPALITY OF SUMMERLAND that I require the presence of the said Electors

AT THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICE WEST SUMMERLAND, B.C.

On the 5th Day of January, 1948, at Twelve o'clock noon.

For the purpose of electing persons to represent them as COUNCILLORS for the unexpired terms of Councillors F. E. Atkinson and C. E. Bentley, resigned.

The Mode of Nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two electors of the Municipality as proposer and second, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the Notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination; the said writing may be in the form numbered 3 in the schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act", and shall state the names, residence and occupation or description of each person proposed. In such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a Poll being necessary, such Poll shall be opened on the

10th Day of January, 1948

AT

United Church Building, Summerland, B.C., and at the Municipal Office, West Summerland, B.C.

of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Give under my hand, at West Summerland, B.C., this 10th day of December, 1947.

Wm. G. W. FOSSBERY,

Returning Officer.



To one and all we extend our wishes for a better - than ever Christmas with a glorious New Year to come.

Sanborn's Garage and Machine Shop

Home Gas and Oil Automotive Accessories
Phone 61 West Summerland

PLEASURE IN LEISURE

Leisure is not a luxury—you earn it. Therefore, say the health authorities, make it work for you and pay dividends. Canadians are urged to cultivate their leisure intelligently—to fill the increasingly-copious hours away from work with hobbies and interests which will give them satisfaction and will contribute to balanced and healthful living.

Medical authorities advise against strenuous spasmodic exercise, but suggest that everyone strive to find fields of spare-time activity suited to individual tastes and circumstances.

GENERAL MOTORS PARTS & SERVICE
PHONE 48
POLLOCK MOTORS
West Summerland

Thomas Joy, Veteran of Plant Pathology Laboratory, Retires

Mr. Thomas H. Joy retired this week after more than 25 years' service with the Summerland Plant Pathology laboratory. The occasion was marked by a gathering of the staff and their wives on Monday afternoon at the tea hour.

Mr. Joy was presented with an electric drill, the gift of the staff, and a selection of photographs featuring friends and note-worthy events of the past years. Mrs. Joy was presented with flowers. During the tea which was presided over by Miss Florence Agar, letters of greeting to Mr. Joy were read from senior officials and former associates.

Mr. Joy, or "Tom" as he is known at the laboratory, is a native of Truro, N.S. His first working years were spent serving an apprenticeship as a painter. Soon after its completion, however, he transferred to become a spinner in a local woollen mill.

His natural mechanical ability sent him on a few years later to Schenectady, N.Y., to work in the screw machine department of the General Electric Company. When he left, ten years later, he was in charge of a large number of automatic screw machines.

There followed a year in Bridgeport, Conn., and then a move to Plainville, Conn., where he had charge of a machine shop during World War I. For reasons of health, however, he was unable to continue and in 1919 moved with his family to Summerland. In 1921 work was begun on the first section of the present plant pathology laboratory with Dr. H. R. McLarty in charge. A few months later Mr. Joy joined the staff as its first new member. During his first years, there was heating to be installed, trees had to be planted, a greenhouse was built and laboratory apparatus made. During all these activities his previous experience proved to be of great value. Then with the coming of electricity, further apparatus was installed and Mr. Joy's responsibility increased with its care.

It was in the field of devising special apparatus for specific tasks, however, that Mr. Joy's real talent was apparent. If funds were not available for some intricate but much-needed equipment, Tom could use the materials at

hand and frequently designed a machine that would serve. One achievement, for example, was the fashioning of a device to measure and record automatically the growth of an apple on a tree. This mechanism, used during the research work on drought spot and corky core, made possible the observation that under normal circumstances, fruits grow at night but either cease or shrink during the day.

Mr. Joy's reticence about his knowledge of various skills led to some amusing situations before his co-workers knew him better. On occasion, some "expert" member of the staff might give him detailed directions on a project involving one of Tom's trades. Tom listened courteously to a novice's exposition and it was not until he began the task that his director was confounded by his expert and wholly-unexpected skill.

Today Tom leaves behind him a most completely equipped workshop, which he has assembled largely himself, and for which he has made many of the tools and machines. He also leaves a memory of a friendly, even-tempered disposition which never gave way no matter what the stress.

He has seen young students coming to their first assignments and going out later to important positions in the scientific world. For all and to all he has given his best: his work, his interest, his sympathy. As he retires to his orchard at Trout Creek, the present staff feels a satisfaction that he will still be in their midst.

Week of Prayer In Churches January 5 to 9

Rev. W. S. Angell, secretary of the Summerland Ministerial association has announced that plans have been made by the association to observe the Universal Week of Prayer in this community.

In addition to the usual Sunday services in the local churches, a series of meetings will be held from January 5 to 9.

The Monday evening service is in St. Stephen's Anglican church with Canon F. V. Harrison in charge. The Tuesday meeting in St. Andrew's United church will be conducted by Rev. H. Whitmore. On Wednesday evening, Rev. F. W. Haskins will lead the service in the Baptist church and on Thursday Rev. W. S. Angell in the Free Methodist church.

Rev. H. Whitmore will also conduct the Friday evening service in the Lakeside United church. All meetings will be held at eight o'clock.

Man's disorder and God's design is the theme which has been selected by an inter-church committee for the series of services. In view of present world unrest the various Protestant churches are stressing the need for prayer in these days.

For a number of years it has been the custom of the Summerland churches to observe the universal week of the prayer which is held annually during the first full week in January.



THE Governors and Staff of B.C. Tree Fruits Limited express sincere Yuletide greetings to readers of the Summerland Review with the wish that the coming year may bring them Health and Happiness.

At the closing of the year we express our gratitude to all those who contributed to the harvesting, packing and shipping, one of the largest crops in the history of our industry.

BUTCHERERIA ON TOP IN FIRST HALF OF BOWLING

At the conclusion of the first half of the Merchants' bowling league, the Butchereria has been acclaimed the winner, nosing out the Family Shoe Store by one point in a closely-contested fight.

Second half of the league schedule will go into effect from January 5 and the winners of the two sections will play off for the league championship at the end of the season.

Jim Heavysides, of the Butchereria team had the high average for the season with 209 and among the lady bowlers, June Lamey of the Family Shoe had high average with 190.

June Lamey also had the high ladies' score with 338 while Ken Heales, of Overwaita Ltd. topped the men's high single with 345.

High three was taken by Jim Heavysides with 782, while Nan Thornthwaite, bowling for the Bank of Montreal, had a high three games of 754.

Following is the way the teams finished at the end of the first half of the season's play:

	W	L
Butchereria	31	5
Family Shoe Store	30	6
Holmes & Wade	26	10
Capitol Motors	25	11
Bank of Montreal	24	12
Westland Bar	21	15
Frozen Food	18	18
Cake Box	17	19
Hill's & Clough's	17	19
Groceries	17	19
Overwaita	17	19
Smith & Henry	16	20
Bowladrome	15	21
Review	14	22
Mac's Cafe	14	22
Pollock Motors	13	23
Quality Meats	12	24
Sanborn's Garage	12	24
Elliott's	12	24
Nesbitt & Washington	9	27

Season's Greetings

TO OUR MANY PATRONS

N. F. Schwass

BOYLE & AIKINS
Barristers and Solicitors
Thursdays, 2 to 5 p.m.
MONRO BLDG.
West Summerland, B.C.

CAMPBELL, IMRIE & SHANKLAND
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
P.O. Box 1352 Phone 836
618 Main St., Penticton, B.C.

W. CHARLES
Representative
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Carl Johnson, Jr. and Clinton Smith arrived on Sunday from Quesnel to visit for the holiday season.

Among the UBC students who have returned to Summerland to spend Christmas and New Year's with their families are Miss Shirley Harvey, Alfred Kita, Gerhard Huva and Richard Yamabe.

Misses Joyce Elsey and Beverley Cousins have returned for the holidays from Vancouver where they are attending the provincial normal school.

Mr. Dave Waddell, of the entomological laboratory staff, is spending Christmas in Victoria.

Dr. Maurice Welsh is leaving on Boxing Day to visit in Armstrong and coast points.

Mrs. W. D. Kennedy, with her two children, Beverley and Pam, have arrived in Summerland from Vancouver to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Elliott.

Socially Speaking

Social Editor

Agnes McKay

Mrs. J. Muirhead and son left on Saturday for Vancouver where they will spend the Christmas holidays. Mr. Muirhead will join them for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood are spending the Christmas holidays at the coast.

Mrs. C. Advocaat left on Monday for Tacoma and Puyallup, Wash., where she will visit relatives during the Christmas season.

Bobby Riley and Donald Chyles were patients in the local hospital on Thursday, both undergoing eye operations performed by Dr. Ormsby of Vancouver. Bobby and Donnie were allowed home Friday afternoon and are reported doing well.

Miss Dorothy McLean arrived home on the weekend to spend Christmas with her brother, Mr. A. K. McLean.

Mr. E. Riley and Tommy arrived Tuesday to spend Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garnett. Mrs. Riley, Bobby and Jean arrived early last week.

Mr. Emery Walker arrived home on Monday night to spend the Christmas holidays with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mitchell left on Tuesday for Oliver to attend the wedding of their son Mr. Clarence Mitchell and Miss Betty Harper. After the wedding the young couple will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell to Summerland, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKay and daughter Marilyn left on Wednesday morning for Trail where they will spend the Christmas and New Year with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn left on Wednesday for Bridesville to spend Christmas with their family.

Mr. J. W. Harris left on Saturday for Langley Prairie, where he will spend the Christmas holiday with his son, Rev. T. E. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bisset and family are spending the Christmas holiday at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCargar and family have moved to their new home in the Walter Bolton subdivision, and have also moved their orchard ladder business to the same location.

Miss Audrey Tavender arrived in Summerland from Vancouver to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tavender. Miss Tavender is on the staff of Trans-Canada Airlines.

Mr. Jack Lawler and Mr. Don Rand left on Saturday by motor for the coast, where they will spend the holiday season.

Miss Inez Manette left on Saturday for Chicago, where she will spend Christmas and New Year's, returning to Summerland early in January.

Miss Mary Peters arrived in Summerland last week from Vancouver, where she is attending UBC. She is spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Peters.

Mr. A. R. McPhail left last week for New Westminster, where he will make his future home. Mr. McPhail has been a member of Pollock Motors Ltd. staff.

Members of the staff of the Summerland high school have gone to various British Columbia points for the holiday season. Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Macleod, Miss Eileen Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Jock Smith are spending the holidays in Vancouver; Miss Mavis Huston has gone to her home in Ashcroft and Miss Irene Wilson is spending Christmas in Victoria.

In honor of his fifth birthday, Lennie Hill entertained a number of his friends on Sunday afternoon, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hill.

Miss Evelyn Bartlett, of Penticton, who has been substituting on the local elementary staff, will be enrolled as a permanent staff member for the spring term, when school reconvenes after Christmas. She is replacing Mr. Ben Nesbitt, also of Penticton, who has been forced to retire from the staff because of ill health.

Among the elementary school staff members who have gone to their various homes for the Christmas holidays are the following: Miss Marian Nickols, Miss Carol Thorburn, Miss Mable Gall, Vancouver; Miss Mildred Kirkpatrick, Fernie; Miss Muriel Banks, Cobble Hill, V.I.; Miss Helen Fahlman, Kelowna.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Huff left on Monday for Everett, Wash., where they are spending the Christmas holiday with their daughter, Mrs. C. Brashler.

Mr. Don Johnston has returned from UBC to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. L. J. Johnston, Rosedale avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bancroft, of Ocean Park, B.C., are spending the Christmas and New Year's holiday with their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Allison, Rosedale avenue. Mrs. Allison is a member of the elementary school teaching staff.

Mr. H. R. J. Richards returned last week from Vancouver, where he underwent an eye operation. He is making good progress.

Mrs. J. Eddie, of the experimental station staff, is spending the Christmas holidays in New Westminster.

Mr. Peter Pearson, of the Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, is planning a trip to Victoria, where he will visit over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Mel Bailey leaves this week to spend Christmas with his family in Kelowna.

Misses Dorothy MacLeod and Peggy Burton, of the fruit products laboratory experimental station, staff are spending the Christmas week holidays at their homes in Vancouver. Miss Charlotte Corbitt, of the same staff, goes to Kaleden for Christmas.

Talmadge McDonald has arrived home from Calgary to spend Christmas and New Year's with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McDonald.

Michiko Imayoshi, who is a student at the Calgary School of Art has arrived in Summerland to spend the holiday season.



May the holiday season and the New Year be filled with joy and serenity for you.

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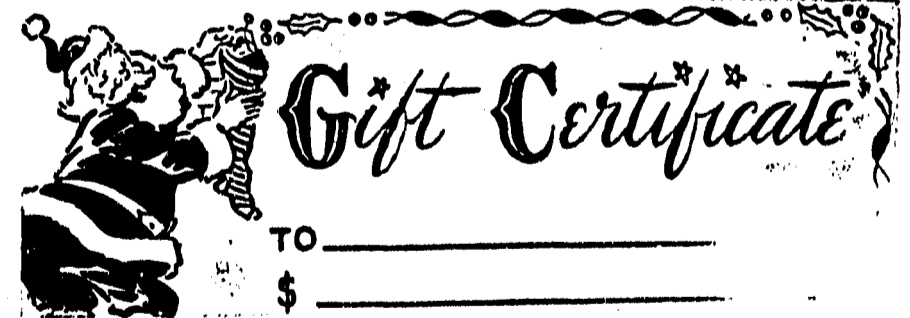
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AT 2:30 P.M. All taxpayers residing within the area are requested to attend.

(Signed) WM. J. BEATTIE, Secretary-Treasurer.

SIGNALLERS ARE SOUGHT

All ex-members of the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals now living in B.C., and who served in the Canadian Army active forces are being requested to contact the Area Signal Officer, HQ B.C. Area Canadian Army, at Vancouver, in relation to benefits to be derived from the R.C. Signals Benevolent Fund.

MODERATION PLAN

The education program to instruct youths and adults in temperance will begin in British Columbia schools during the month of January, it is announced by Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer, acting minister of education. Mr. Harold L. Campbell is the director of temperance education and has devised the means by which to carry on this program.

Not Nervous About Disposal of Apple Crop Balance Says Tree Fruits In Reviewing Past Year

The need for accurate estimates and re-checks of crop possibilities was the major point emerging from a review of the 1947 fruit season, according to the B.C. Tree Fruits bulletin issued last week and reprinted below.

It is probably rather early to review the 1947 season, but we can at least bring ourselves up to date on the operation so far.

The indications were for a moderate crop in nearly all commodities and that is how it turned out, with the possible exception of peaches and cherries, which were in greater production than formerly.

First of all, we would like to say something about estimates. The fruit industry has many things in common with a manufacturing plant and the sales from a manufacturing plant are naturally based on its output. The sales of the fruit industry are also based on estimates of production but contracts have been signed, particularly with canning interests, many months ahead of actual production and the sales agency has to balance the forecast of what will be available as against the various outlets that seem within reach.

In making their arrangements the salesmen have to depend upon the forecasts by growers and shippers as to the packout of the various fruits and vegetables. It is, of course, obvious that early in the season it is hard to be certain as to just what the outcome of any growing crop will be. However, greater care can and should be taken in arriving at the estimates. Furthermore, while it can be taken for granted that these early estimates will be rather faulty, there is no reason whatever, why, when the faults become apparent or when errors are obvious, these changes should not be transmitted forthwith, either direct or through the shippers, to the sales agency. Given enough time, provision can be made to take care of surpluses or shortages, but if they are sprung upon those responsible for selling at the last moment they can cause embarrassment and even financial loss to the growers as a whole.

Just as an ordinary matter of business, will all growers and shippers give as much attention as possible to keeping estimates on the line and up to date.

As for the season itself, cherries were affected by splitting, particularly in the southern area, early in the season, and for a time it was feared that the cherry crop as a whole would be reduced considerably below anticipations. However, this did not prove to be the case. A fair disposal was made of the splits and the balance of the crop was disposed of in an ordinary manner at reasonable prices.

Throughout the season the question of tariff protection was of importance, and in this regard apricots were a difficult item. The crop was not of the largest and there was not enough volume to supply the necessities of both the trade itself and also the canners. An arrangement was made with the canning association, by which certain imports were obtained for their requirements, while the main crop was sent to the fresh fruit market.

Prunes
In regard to prunes, the wholesalers showed a uniform disposition to wait for supplies from British Columbia. Unfortunately, weather conditions affected quantity and size of the prunes available, and since wholesalers were relying on quantities which did not actually materialize, a comparatively small quantity of importations were made late in the season from Idaho and elsewhere to replace the deficiency.

Pears were about on the line insofar as quantity was concerned, and on the whole their picking and handling was satisfactory, particularly with Bartlett's. Our D'Anjou deal was not as good as usual. Some claims developed due to advanced maturity and we will have to pay more attention to this variety in future. The marketing picture on D'Anjous continues bright, but it is entirely predicated on proper handling. D'Anjous are bought for winter use and an improperly handled D'Anjou is a trouble maker.

Crab Apples
Turning now to crabapples. The output was not excessive and their sale was reasonably satisfactory. A few were exported to the United States and quite a fair percentage to the canning industry.

While we are on the subject of crabapples we would advise all growers of this fruit not to expand production in any way, but to reduce it where possible, the reason being that varieties have been developed which will stand the rigors of prairie temperatures and quite a volume of competitive tonnage is now available throughout the western provinces. This local production has little or no freight expense and it is becoming increasingly hard year by year to meet the prices at which it is selling on local markets.

Apples
We now turn to apples. While all sorts of forecasts were available, weather conditions had a considerable influence on the eventual outcome. For several months it looked as if we would have prac-

tically an ideal crop, not too large and sizing well. Unfortunately, a very severe hot spell "checked" the development of the fruit, together with red mite infestation, and it is thought that as a result possibly one or two sizes were lost in the general development.

Throughout the season efforts had been made to persuade the United Kingdom authorities to import as had been the case in most previous years. However, finally they decided against any imports of fresh apples at all. They had a very large crop in England and Scotland—the largest since about 1933—and with the shortage of dollars, apparently came to the conclusion that they were not justified in expending any currency on Canadian or American importations. This left the sales agency with the problem as to what was the best thing to do with the small sizes usually exported.

After analyzing "potentials" relating to the fruit produced in other provinces in the Dominion, together with the size of the crop in the United States, the decision was arrived at to wrap and set aside certain sizes for which there was no apparent outlet at that time, but which—if the judgment of the sales agency was correct—might find a profitable outlet later. These small sizes were divided into two categories. The Extras and Fancies were guaranteed a floor price of 70 cents, which would prevent a loss to any grower or shipper on account of the fact that the extra expense of wrapping and packing was incurred. They were given the ceiling of their ordinary position in the five-year average when the pool was closed. Their actual setting price might be anywhere between the two.

Small's Are Culls
With regard to small Cee grade in certain varieties, below 180's or 2 1/2 inches, it was decided that these could be wrapped and packed, but that since under normal

conditions they were within the "cull" bracket, and since also, by the time it was considered safe to pack them, some organizations had already concluded their packing of some varieties and had consigned these sizes to the cull box, that they should go into the cull pool and any additional money which they might bring would be added to the general returns for culls.

The basic principle underlying this decision was that we must, as growers, accustom ourselves to the thought that small Cee grade below 2 1/2 inches—in relation to the size of the crop which we are now producing—must be considered in the cull classification.

Within these circumstances it was felt that the money obtainable for them under possibly abnormal conditions should be obtained for the industry, but that it should not be allocated directly to this "cull" product in individual cases, but rather to the "cull" pool as a whole.

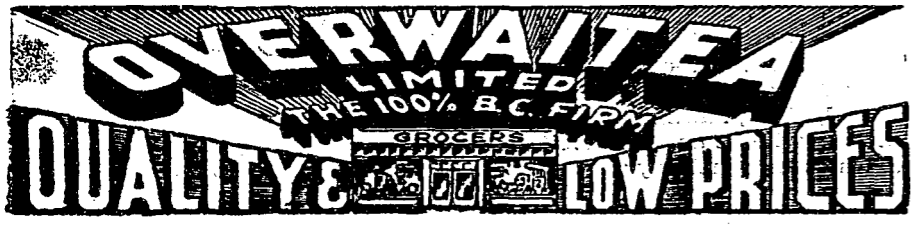
This procedure is very similar to that which occurred in 1945 when, with a very bare market in the East, a certain number of "selected" culls were sent to Montreal and the proceeds placed in the "cull" pool.

Not Nervous
We have at the moment rather more than two million boxes for disposal. We are not particularly nervous about the outcome. It is

considerably less than we had a year ago at the same time but we have to remember that we have been deprived of a market, in the United Kingdom, of two and a half million or more. It would seem as if the judgment of the market previously referred to is correct and that there will be a demand for the balance of the crop.

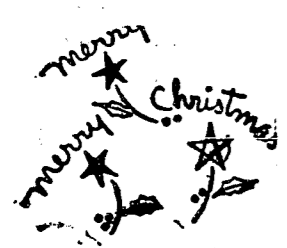
The quality generally was well above the average as was also the color. A great effort was made by shipping houses to handle the fruit expeditiously from the orchard to the packing houses and then into cold storage. In general terms the result was good. The habit of leaving McIntosh, Delicious and Jonathans for weeks in the orchard, with consequent deterioration, was largely eliminated and both growers and shippers co-operated in an effort to improve performance. A definite packing period for McIntosh was established by an industry committee known as "The Better Fruit Committee." They will review the results of their recommendations during 1947 and may have some changes to make in 1948. However, it has been very definitely established that if the fruit is brought in from the orchard within three days of picking, and accorded immediate cold storage protection, the outcome

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WHY FRANCE HAS TURNED TO The Secret Ballot ON STRIKE VOTES

Graphic with text: 'The "Stranglehold" Communist Benoit Frachon, secretary-general of the C.G.T. (national labor federation), was up every night until 3 a.m., directing his army of 1,000,000 workers. Less than a third of this great mass is actually Communist, but the Cocos hold three-fifths of the top executive jobs in all major unions. At the strike-bound port of Marseille, where Red violence exploded last fortnight, U.S. seamen refused to unload U.S. ships. To them Benoit Frachon, who conceals unlimited brutality beneath a mask of affability, telegraphed approval of their sympathy with the strikers.' Includes an illustration of a factory and a date stamp: 'TIME, DECEMBER 1, 1947'.

TIME MAGAZINE REPORTS VOTES TAKEN BY SECRET BALLOT DIFFER WIDELY FROM ORDERS OF RED LEADERS

HERE is striking proof that the secret ballot is the only way a worker is free from pressure to vote for or against strike action.

Dominated by a well-drilled Communist minority, French Unions were ordered to go out on strike not in their own interests, but in the interests of that Communist minority. When workers turned to the secret ballot to determine their true wishes, millions went back to work against the orders of the domineering minority.

This same secret ballot, given to British Columbia workers by "Bill 39", (the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1947) is violently opposed by certain labour leaders. They give no plausible reason for their opposition. The only conclusion is that they fear that their grip on the workers of British Columbia will be broken by the secret ballot exactly as the Communist stranglehold was broken in France.

The secret ballot established by "Bill 39" is the worker's "Bill of Rights" because it protects him against the dictatorship of a radical minority.

Why Should ANYONE Oppose The Secret Ballot?

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MILLIONS FOR HYDRO POWER DEVELOPMENT

VERNON—Far-reaching hydro power plans for Vernon and the Interior, forecast here in July, were confirmed last week in a statement by Premier John Hart. He affirmed that the \$4,500,000 What-

shan Lake project would be undertaken immediately. It will supply 33,000 horsepower for development of agriculture and industry in the Okanagan and Kamloops areas. Vernon already had been made headquarters of this vast district of the B.C. Power Commission.

On July 9 of this year, S. R. Weston, chairman of the B.C. Power Commission, and his col-

league, Forrest L. Shaw, met in Vernon with representatives of the rural electrification committee and other officials, when the power project was first indicated. During the summer engineers made detailed surveys of the Whatshan lake area, about 60 miles east of this city, and plans for the development were approved by the government.

A dam will be built at the outlet of Whatshan lake, near Needles. A tunnel about two miles in length will be bored from the lake to the west shore of Arrow lake where the power plant is to be located. The power will be carried to Vernon by a 132,000 volt transmission line. Already, a 60,000 volt power line is being constructed between Vernon and Kamloops. The whole development will serve the area from Revelstoke to Kamloops and from Shuswap lake to the international boundary.

Estimated cost of the dam and power plant is \$3,500,000 and of the transmission line, \$1,000,000.

"This undertaking," said Premier Hart, "will not only supply the present and imminent demand for power but will permit a greater agricultural development by providing necessary power for irrigation purposes, as well as power for industrial use and rural electrification."

Steps already have been taken by the B.C. Power Commission to make Vernon the headquarters of the Interior division, second only to that of the Campbell River development. T. M. Gibson was promoted from Vernon district manager to divisional manager, and Tom Bird came to Vernon as district manager, along with several additional employees. Operations of the commission in the interior will be decentralized.

LACK OF MOIST AIR IS CAUSE OF HOME TROUBLE

"It isn't the heat, it is the humidity" is a common explanation in summer for the discomforts of weather.

Not so often realized is the fact that the lack of moisture in the air in homes during the winter often causes equal discomfort the Canadian Institute of Plumbing & Heating points out. Not only does it make lips and throat dry, but often is the reason for headaches, sore throats, and stuffed heads.

The institute points out that as air increases in warmth it requires more and more moisture to saturate it. The relative humidity, or the amount of moisture in the air compared to the amount required to saturate it, decreases as air becomes warmer. At room temperatures of about 70 degrees a relative humidity of between 30 and 45% is generally considered most comfortable.

In winter when the air out of doors is zero, and contains the maximum amount of moisture, the same air when warmed to normal room temperature in the home has a relative humidity of only 6%, or 24% less than the minimum for comfort and health. Even when the outdoor temperature is just freezing, the relative humidity indoors is barely 35%.

Cottage Rolls Are Kamloops Gift To Old Country

KAMLOOPS—Sixteen thousand pounds of "cottage rolls" will be sent to the meat-hungry Britons by Kamloops and District Royal Wedding Gift Committee.

Final decision was made by the committee at a recent meeting. The suggestion came from Alderman Charles Henderson.

Advices from W. A. McAdam, B.C.'s agent-general at London, and from prominent Britons now touring Canada had suggested the gift of foodstuffs should take the form of proteins, sugar, dried eggs, powdered milk, canned fish, or soap.

Ald. Henderson proposed the committee should concentrate on protein-heavy meat and should purchase in quantity at wholesale prices near the Atlantic seaboard. There will be no ocean freight charge, the committee has been advised.

Purchase of the "cottage rolls" will be financed by the \$3,899.42 now in the fund. Half this money was contributed by the citizenry; the remainder came from the city treasury which had agreed to match dollar-for-dollar all donations made before November 30.

Shareholders Give Approval to Plan

VERNON—All proposals recently outlined personally to shareholders of the West Canadian Hydro Electric in the Vernon district were approved at a meeting in Vancouver recently. The proposals provided for re-organization of the share capital to improve finances of the Okanagan Telephone Company and to provide about \$200,000 for installation of automatic exchanges in the Okanagan within the next few years.

Ninety percent of common shareholders were represented at the stockholders' meeting and 86% of preferred shareholders took part in making the decisions.

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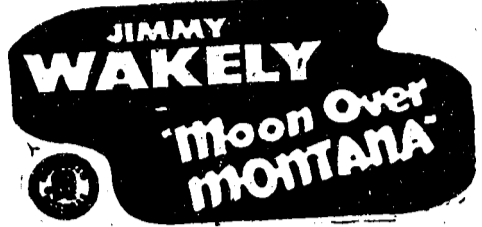
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Miss Ruth Nesbitt has gone to Saskatoon where she will spend the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Miss Joan Dickson, of the Summerland hospital nursing staff, is spending the holiday in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nisbet are spending Christmas with friends in Vernon.



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LEGALS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the list of Voters of the WEST SUMMERLAND Polling Division for the forthcoming plebiscite under the "Liquor Control Plebiscites Act" will close at 5:00 p.m., on the 2nd day of January, 1948, after which no names can be added to the list.

If you are eligible and your name is not on the voters' list, register now.

Registration forms will be available at the office of Lorne Perry, Granville Street, West Summerland, B.C.

E. ROSS OATMAN,
Registrar of Voters.
South Okanagan Electoral District.
231 Bernard Ave., Kelowna, B.C.

PLEASE NOTE—WEST SUMMERLAND Building Supplies Ltd. will be closed Wednesday, December 31 for stocktaking. 51-1-c.

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AND STAFF

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May happiness, gaiety and the spirit of good will—all that's symbolic of Christmas—be your this holiday season.



The best holiday greeting we know is Merry Christmas and a gladsome New Year to one and all.

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A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS — with song and children's laughter, nuts and raisins, turkey and pull-crackers!

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"To the outstanding services of the men and women of our Staff, I would like once again to pay



tribute," said B. C. Gardner in his general manager's report to B of M shareholders.

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"We are," he said, "continuing to carry out further mechanization in connection with routine transactions and are adopting new and revised working methods to expedite business."



"We have a group of routine organization officers who visit



branches periodically and assist Managers and Staff in improving routine methods.

"As an additional aid to staff training, we have recently established a school at Head Office and we hope to extend this form of instruction . . .



"The organization and arrangements relating to the development, the progress and the welfare of our Staff are under continuous and careful study, and I know of no feature of our business that has been given more care and consideration over the past year.

" . . . to my immediate associates . . . and to the entire Staff I wish to express my sincere thanks for their loyalty and devotion and for their efforts in maintaining and improving the services which we render to our customers and to the community at large."



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