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McAlpine Law-suit

Is One For Supreme Court.

Defendants' Counsel Has Case Sent To Higher Court On Technicality.

Though the citizens who attended the court to hear the trial of the case of McAlpine vs. Municipality of Summerland derived considerable amusement from the sparring of the opposing counsels, there was general disappointment that the merits of the case did not come up for discussion. Mr Buckingham of the firm of Buckingham & Cochrane, Vernon, representing the Corporation of the District of Summerland, brought before the court the question of the title of the property involved in the dispute, and as it was admitted to be of greater value than \$2,500, which is the limit of value for properties on which disputes of this nature can be considered in a county court, the Judge, though expressing regret that the defendants took this action thereby to force the case into the supreme court, dismissed the case without costs.

There was some little time occupied immediately court opened in "clearing the decks for action," as the Judge termed it, when some amendments were requested and granted. Defendants' counsel in these preliminary moves, argued that the case was not one for a jury. This was not opposed by the plaintiff's counsel, Mr Clayton, of the firm of Clayton & Abercrombie, Penticton, but the case at no time got properly into court. Mr Buckingham asked that the evidence be taken, subject to his claim that the case was beyond the jurisdiction of the court, as the title of ownership was disputed by the defendants, the plaintiff admitting the property to have a greater value than \$2,500. This brought matters to a deadlock, and Judge Swanson adjourned court at 11 o'clock, after sitting less than an hour, until 2 o'clock to give plaintiff's counsel time to look into the precedents cited by Mr Buckingham, hinting that the defendants' counsel might in the meantime conclude to waive his objection.

Mr Clayton in the afternoon session made some attempt to upset the argument of Mr Buckingham, but the latter had the law on his side, and the case was pronounced beyond the jurisdiction of the court. In giving his decision Judge Swanson said that he had thought over the situation carefully during the interval, and much to his regret must give effect to the request of the defendant, who disputed the power of the county court to deal with the case. The Judge expressed regret that the defendant had pressed this point in defence, and gave it as his opinion that the supreme court will order the case to be tried in the county court. He thereupon dismissed the plaintiff's action without costs.

It has been said that the reason for the action of the defendants in having the case sent to the supreme court is to gain time, it being the opinion of at least some of the municipal officials that time will prove their contention that the water appearing in Mr McAlpine's cellar was not from the domestic pipe.

Mr McAlpine states that it is his intention to have the case entered in the supreme court, but believes that it will be ordered back to the county court for trial.

Mustn't Expect To Replace Good Fruit With Poor.

Mr Randall, local fruit posts inspector, this morning received information from his chief, Inspector Cunningham, that two cars of Washington apples and pears have just been condemned at Vancouver for codling moth and San Jose scale. In conversation with the Review Mr Randall pointed out the necessity of our own shippers maintaining a high standard, shipping only clean fruit. His department will not permit the transportation of infected fruit even if it should originate within our own boundaries. Then, too, if inferior fruit is offered in place of the American fruit of better quality, though infected with scale and moth, there is the danger of protest from dealers and consumers.

Can Get The Fruit If He'll Pay The Price.

United Growers Not Doing a Consignment Business.

Refutations of the statements of Mr S. J. Fee, manager at Calgary of the Vernon Fruit Company, were made this week by Mr G. J. C. White of the Okanagan United Growers executive. Mr White calls attention to an article appearing on the front page of the Review of last week, in which Mr Fee's remarks also appeared, as being a direct contradiction of Mr Fee's inferences, in referring to the tons of ungathered peaches, that our present marketing facilities could not take care of all the fruit offered. This article states that the Okanagan United Growers could not get enough peaches to fill their orders. Mr White says further that the reason that all peaches were not sold was due to the fact that many were unfit to sell because of their undersize, which he attributes to lack of thinning, and to cool weather during the early summer, or because of mildew.

"It is not true that we are selling only through the Nash houses or the Mutual Brokers," continued Mr White, "We have sold through the Mutual Brokers, and are under contract to them for a part of the output, but we have been selling to other concerns, and Mr Fee or anyone else who will pay our price can get United Growers fruit. Mr Fee is a man who advertises to sell on consignment, but we are not doing a consignment business. My reason for replying to Mr Fee's remarks is that we do not wish any wrong impressions to go out. The United Growers cannot get enough suitable peaches to fill their orders, and Mr Fee's statement to the contrary, he can buy United Growers products if he will pay the price, but he cannot have them on consignment."

Review Makes A Friendship.

We take some pride in learning that this paper had a prominent part in a pleasing incident which lately took place in one of the Canadian Hospitals not far from London, England. Messrs J. Graham and Alf. Vanderburg, who not long since crossed the Atlantic with their medical contingent, are doing duty in this hospital. In the course of their work one of them was somewhat surprised—and very pleasantly—to notice a copy of the Summerland Review lying about. This naturally gave rise to the feeling that there might be some one at the Hospital who at least must have some interest in their own far-away home town. Their pleasure must have been greatly intensified to learn that the reason of the paper being there was that Elmer Johnston, son of Coun. and Mrs. R. Johnston, was a patient at the hospital, with his wounded leg. Although the boys had never previously met, this incident made the way easy for acquaintance. In this case the Review, in addition to performing its mission of sending home town news away, also accomplished a second and somewhat unusual mission.

Word from Elmer Johnston during the past week makes it clear that he will be confined to hospital two or three months yet before he is invalided back to Canada. Great interest is taken, he says, in the Canadian troops. This hospital has received royal visitors, Queen Mary herself honoring the wounded soldiers with her presence on one occasion.

A Reminder.

Are you, dear reader, one of those who have been intending to pay your subscription but have neglected to do so? Please do not put it off longer. Prompt payment of accounts due us is essential. In fact, in these times of shortened credits when every line of business is being put on a cash basis we are finding it absolutely necessary to follow suit, and will be forced to cut off all subscriptions that remain unpaid.

Regular Session Proves All Day Sitting for Council.

Several Important Matters Among Accumulation of Business. Applicants for Position of Electrician Number No Less Than Fifty-Four.

The Council put in about eight hours on Saturday last deliberating on municipal matters. The meeting was the regular monthly session, and the morning was occupied entirely in hearing requests presented personally, and disposing of a pile of communications. After lunch came the consideration of the McAlpine lawsuit, arranging for the vacant superintendency, and the selection of a municipal electrician from the host of applications for the position. Immediately following the approval of the minutes of previous meetings the full Council went to work.

PERSONAL REQUESTS.

On account of a sale of the property which he said was now pending, G. A. McWilliams asked for an extension of the time allowed for redemption of the Garnett Valley property of Mrs. Merriew, sold for arrears of taxes. Money would be available to clear up the outstanding amount early in the new year, and to insist on it earlier would entail considerable sacrifice on the part of the purchaser. The Council decided to grant an extension till the end of their term of office.

W. H. A. Moore appeared before the Council protesting against being deprived of water by a ditchman in his section apparently without good reason. He said that an arrangement made two or three years ago gave him water on two days a week from the upper flume passing his lot, as well as from the ditch, in order to irrigate a corner that could not be conveniently reached from the latter. This arrangement, Mr Moore said, was to hold good so long as there was the water to spare. Of late he had only been able to obtain water from the upper flume for one half day per week, this being the ditchman's orders. Mr Moore felt he was being unfairly discriminated against because he knew the water was available but he was not getting it, while others in the neighborhood were.

Coun. Johnston explained that a complaint had come to him that Mr Moore was getting too much water, and in justice to others his supply had been curtailed. The whole matter will be looked into and a satisfactory adjustment found if possible, for the short part of the season now remaining.

Bert Harvey complained to the Council of the poor condition of old ditch and fluming through his lot, through which there was a great deal of leakage and seepage. The piece of fluming in question is one of the oldest in the district, and will have to be given attention before another season. Mr Harvey also asked for domestic water connection to his house. In previous winters he has obtained water from his neighbors, but this coming winter he did not see how he could continue in his house unless domestic water was available close at hand. He submitted a plan to the Council for bringing the water to the house that seemed reasonable, and it was left to the Board of Works to look into both these matters.

Some questions regarding the strip of road at Trout Creek recently purchased by the Council from J. R. Brown, brought Magnus Tait before the Council. There was some doubt as to the real ownership of this road allowance, but the Roeve said that Mr Brown had produced the deed, and so his ownership was proven. Mr Tait pointed out that public money had been spent on the road, and during the discussion it developed that no taxes had been collected on this piece of land, in the belief that it was a municipal road allowance.

INSPECTORS' REPORT ON NEW DAM.

District Engineer O. F. D. Norrington, appointed by the Provincial Government to inspect the dam

at Trout Creek headwaters, the capacity of which was so much increased by work done last fall, submitted his report on the undertaking. He suggested some structural improvements that can be carried out with not a great outlay, and the Board of Works was instructed to have this put in hand at once, in order that the government's approval may be had of the whole work. R. Mitchell, the original contractor, will likely take this work in hand. Two other suggestions put forward by Mr Norrington were not considered practical, namely, to have a man kept constantly at the dam in the summer season, and to put telephone connection through. Most of the communications were of lesser importance.

The Clerk will reply to a complaint from Miss Ballantyne of shortage of irrigation water during the past season.

Acting as agent for the owner, Jno. Tait, was granted an electric light connection for the house occupied by Mr. K. S. Hogg on Beach Avenue. The Board of Works also recommended granting the application of Miss Dancer made at the last meeting of the Council.

On a favorable report from the Dairy Inspector, Messrs Watson and Borton were granted a milk license.

A letter was received from W. R. Shields asking for an extension of time in which to redeem property sold for arrears of taxes. It was decided to ask what proposition for payment Mr Shields could make. Several other requests of a similar nature were dealt with from outside owners.

Notice was received that the date of the Convention of B.C. Municipalities at Chilliwack has been changed. This is to be held on September 23rd and 24th, and the local delegates, Couns. Simpson and Johnston, with the Clerk, will now be enabled to attend, which would not have been possible if the former date had been adhered to.

T. B. Young wrote the Council offering to pay the delinquent taxes on some lots on the Giant's Head in which he is interested, if he could get the title. If the amount delinquency is wiped out, the Council will grant a tax sale deed.

W. C. Kelley sent a bill of \$25 to the Council for services rendered in 1912, before his appointment as municipal solicitor, in connection with the proper conveyancing of the Balcombe Reservoir site from the Summerland Development Company to the Municipality. The Council were not altogether in favor of paying this bill, and it was decided to get from Mr Kelley a statement of any other indebtedness the Municipality has with him.

J. R. Brown submitted the agreement of sale covering the road allowance at Trout Creek which he is turning over to the Municipality. The price is \$800, to be applied against taxes.

The Collector submitted a list of properties sold at the recent tax sale. Cheques were forthcoming for all the bids made excepting for the amount against the College Gymnasium. In this connection the Council made it clear that tax certificates can be bought on any property held by the Municipality for unpaid taxes, for the amount owing and interest to date.

The question was raised as to whether interest on locally held debentures due this fall can be applied this month to taxes in order to secure the full discount. The Council decided in the affirmative, but the interest on the debentures will be considered to run only to the date of payment.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR SIWASH FLAT IRRIGATION.

J. J. Mitchell submitted estimates on the cost of renewing Siwash Flat fluming to cover the district near Garnett Valley. This estimate totalled \$5,882.42, including (Continued on page 2).

Hospital Completes First Year Of Usefulness.

Much Better Equipped Than a Year Ago.

A year ago to-day, September 17th, the Hospital was given its formal opening. Unlike a purely commercial institution, a hospital does not altogether measure its success from its balance sheet, but justifies its existence rather from the necessary service in the preservation of health it performs to the district. During the past year, 365 operating days, 115 patients received 1,983 days of treatment, and there have been as well 8 outpatients. The total earnings for the year are as follows:

Amount charged for Treatment	\$3,824.55
Government Grant	913.00
Municipal Grant	200.00
Contributions in Kind	1,185.74
Donations in Cash	474.99
Other Sources	92.50
Total	\$6,690.78
Daily Average Earnings	\$18.33

Numerous additions to the working plant have been made, many by gift, and notable improvements to the building itself have also been done. Through the efforts of the Ladies' Auxiliary an X-ray apparatus has been installed and paid for, a wheel stretcher and a refrigerator provided. Dr. F. W. Andrew has lately provided a sink in the sterilizing room for the cleansing of instruments and apparatus, to the value of about \$75, which has been a very pressing need from the surgical point of view. Another great need has been met by the donation of a medicine chest by Mr R. Langlands, while some of the building improvements for which the Hospital Society has been responsible have been the cementing of the basement floor, securing an ice house, equipping the sunny windows with awnings, and making a beginning on the beautification of the grounds. The Society has also established itself on a more business-like basis by the adoption of governing by-laws and regulations. A measure of municipal recognition has also been obtained in the shape of a grant.

From this outline it can be seen that the first year of work shows that in spite of the difficult conditions obtaining generally, the new Hospital has found a place in the district, and fills a very definite need. It has been very far from proving the "expensive white elephant" that some of its opponents predicted it would at the time of its erection.

The Matron wishes it known that a Hospital Library is in process of formation, and to this end donations of books would be very gratefully received. There must be volumes that can well be spared from many bookshelves, and these same books would find a new usefulness in service at the Hospital.

Miss Aitchison also informs the Review that there are still a number of empty fruit sealers at the Hospital awaiting the call of their owners. If it is now too late to refill these jars with preserves there is ample opportunity and need to exchange some of them for full ones.

The Treasurer acknowledges with thanks the receipt of \$1 anonymous donation left at the Review Office.

A detailed list of donations received at the Hospital during the month of August is held over till next week's paper.

Record Apple Deal.

The biggest deal in apples ever made was announced by the North Pacific Fruit Distributors' Association last week at Portland, Oregon. Every box available of "C" grade apples controlled by the association has been sold at a contract price of 85 cents a box.

It is estimated that the apples will make four hundred carloads. The amount involved in the deal is \$214,000. A number of Middle Western firms compose the pool of purchasers. The total purchase is said to be destined for New York.

Money In Peaches

All a Matter of Proper and Intelligent Management.

So Says a Citizen Who Is Producing Results.

There has been for the past two or three weeks some interesting discussions of the peach question in these columns by several correspondents. Desiring to learn more of the subject the Review took the matter up with Mr A. Moyes, who was reported to have made the statement that if he were planting an orchard to-day he would plant peaches as readily as any other fruit.

Mr Moyes, while admitting that there are a number of varieties now grown here which should be discarded, says that such standard early varieties as the Alexander, Triumph, and Champion should by no means be sacrificed, mentioning the Triumph particularly as hardy, a sure cropper, and sufficiently early. All white flesh, while good eating, are not good shippers. There are a good many mistakes made, beginning with the planting. Peaches should not be used as fillers, but should be planted in solid blocks about 16 feet apart.

Mr Moyes gives a very conservative estimate of \$300 per acre as average yearly returns from an orchard of Triumphs, being only \$2. per tree with trees planted 150 to the acre. The cost of production on a ten acre orchard of such trees would not exceed \$1,500, leaving \$1,500 to provide for interest and profits on investment. Mr Moyes objected to Crawford's as being too liable to split stone, and uncertain cropper, while he had found Yellow St John hard to handle. He also condemned the practice of sowing alfalfa amongst peach trees, which he said, was a detriment to all stone fruits. It is little wonder that many of the peach orchards are unprofitable. It is essential that the trees be fed, and that has not been the practice here. With proper pruning, thorough spraying, and intelligent thinning, Mr Moyes is confident a profitable crop of peaches can be produced every year. He describes peaches as one of the best assets of Summerland. Care in irrigation and picking the fruit when just in the proper condition are all essential to success.

Mr Moyes, who has had many years of experience in the Old Country, where he was a member of the Royal Horticultural Society, as well as thirteen years in the Okanagan, gave some very interesting and conclusive figures from memory, showing that if a price of \$30 to \$40 per ton could be realized, peaches are one of the best crops to grow. As these figures were given from memory the Review was asked to withhold them, and was promised complete data of the results of the present season.

Money For The Man Who Has The Birds.

The Okanagan Valley has this year a larger wheat crop than the Valley is likely to consume in the next twelve months. This is the information reaching the local Fruit Union through the United Growers. As a result prices are likely to rule fairly low, and an immediate and decided drop will result. The Fruit Union are announcing in their regular advertising space a reduction in grain prices next week.

The man who had the courage last spring to put the usual quantity of eggs under hens or in the incubator is likely to not a good profit as a result. Very many of the older birds, the country over, have been killed off, and fewer chicks were hatched. Cheap food and few hens will mean big prices and good profits for eggs.

The Council room at the Municipal Building presented an unusually spick and span appearance last week when the Council met in session. The plaster ceiling, which in times past has shown a propensity to drop in places at untimely seasons, has been replaced by neatly panelled beaver board. The furniture, too, has had renovating touches applied to it, and now shines almost like new.

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MORE HUMUS NEEDED.

CONSIDERABLE has been said of late of the unprofitableness of peach growing. No doubt one of the causes of the unsatisfactory results is the continued cropping without returning to the soil the ingredients taken from it by the trees. In other words, year after year of continued cropping is impoverishing the soil. To bring the soil back to or keep it in prime condition, fertilizers with abundance of humus rather than the common commercial fertilizers are best. On but few of our ranches is there enough live stock kept for this purpose. It has been suggested that this need might be supplied by the bringing in of barnyard manure in carload lots from some of the larger centres of population where stock is kept in large numbers, and that it would be a good business venture for the C.P.R. to transport this manure at a nominal rate. There is no doubt that if barnyard manure could be sold here at a reasonable price there would be plenty of buyers. We pass this suggestion along for what it is worth. It may be worthy of the consideration of the Farmers' Institute or Board of Trade.

DEVELOPING EXPORTS.

THERE HAS COME to the editorial desk a neatly printed and attractive illustrated pamphlet published under the direction of the Hon. the Minister of Lands, entitled "British Columbia Timber," which has been prepared for distribution among the buyers in overseas markets. It is intended to draw the attention of importers overseas to the forest products of the province, and especially to the facilities for exporting British Columbia lumber. Consisting of nearly forty pages and containing nearly thirty illustrations, the pamphlet treats of the principal exportable woods, their qualities and uses, together with information concerning their strength values and suitability for various uses.

IS SUMMERLAND to be represented on the walls of the new B.C. building, now nearing completion in London? Agent-General Turner is being furnished with some high class photos of a number of sections of this province, which he has asked the Boards of Trade to contribute. It is known that at least some of the Valley centres are making a special effort to send over some striking views to be displayed on the walls of the new provincial structure in the Empire's capital. What are we going to do? Where is our Board of Trade?

SPEAKING of Board of Trade, since that body apparently has done nothing toward having a resident issuer of gun licenses appointed, are we to sit still under the injustice? Is it only to round up voters and votes that our political organizations exist? Might they not also see to it that the needs of the community receive attention, and that Summerland at least gets a square deal? We need and must have an issuer of licenses here in Summerland.

"Versatiles" Coming.

F. Stuart Whyte, the English author-manager, whose royal entertainers, "The Versatiles," are so well and favorably known in Summerland, will present the big musical comedy success, "The Girl From Nowhere," at the Empire Hall on Tuesday, Sept. 21.

In the cast are Zara Clinton, Harry Hoyland, Billy Oswald, and a company of eighteen. This is the largest company and biggest



BILLY OSWALD with "The Versatiles."

production that has ever been seen in Summerland, and they will no doubt play to a packed house. The scenes in the piece are laid in San Francisco during the 1915 Fair, and various portions of that great exhibition are reproduced in the stage settings, including a panorama of the grounds with the famous Tower of Jewels illuminated.

Mr Frederick R. Faulkner, son of Mr and Mrs J. F. Faulkner, has recently been appointed to the chair of civil engineering at Nova Scotia Technical Institution, Halifax, and, accompanied by his wife, has left for the eastern city. Mr Faulkner had a brilliant career at Acadia University, graduating in both arts and science. For the past few years he has held an important position with the Kettle Valley Railway. He was recently married to Miss Anna Simpson, an accomplished musician, of Boston Mass, and the young couple have been spending some time with their parents in this city.—Vancouver Province.

God gives us always strength and sense enough for what he wants us to do; if we either tire ourselves or puzzle ourselves, it is our own fault.—Ruskin.

Human happiness is produced, not so much by great pieces of good fortune that seldom happen, as by little advantages that occur every day.—Benjamin Franklin.

We all wish to be loved. We may not confess it but it is true, and it is nothing to be ashamed of. Well, then, let us be worthy of being loved, and let us love.

COUNCIL IN REGULAR SESSION

(Continued from page 1).

ing a length of cement lining as well. No definite action was taken on this report, it being thought that a special meeting might be called later to discuss the whole situation, and get any suggestions from people in the district. The Council is alive to the needs of that section, and there is a strong feeling that something must be done. It is thought that the rebuilding of the old Dunsdon dam will help the situation a great deal in providing more storage on Eneas Creek. The cost of rebuilding this dam is estimated at from \$1,500 to \$2,000. The matter was finally left with the Clerk to look into.

E. W. Markoe was awarded \$5 compensation for damages to his crops from water, this amount to be applied on arrears of taxes.

TRADE LICENSE QUERIES.

Immediately after resuming business after luncheon, the Council took up with a number of questions in connection with the payment of trade licenses. The objections of several who are taxed were touched upon, but only in one case, that of J. Arkell, who is no longer liable on account of confining his business to goods of his own manufacture was an exception made. The license is to be collected from all others who are liable. During the first half of the year the Collector's statement showed that \$160 was collected, and in the second half year, not yet ended, \$135, a total of \$295.

LAWSUIT CONSIDERED.

The Council then took up with the McAlpine lawsuit. The Clerk reported on his subpoenaed examination of discovery at the hands of Mr McAlpine's lawyers, and also on the result of his conference with the Council's solicitors at Vernon. Mr McAlpine, as plaintiff, was to pass through his examination of discovery with the opposing solicitors on Monday evening of this week. Mr Logie indicated the grounds upon which the Council's defence would be based, and showed technical points which would be raised by the defence in an endeavor to show the invalidity of the case. Witnesses were arranged for, and if expert evidence as to the origin of the offending water were needed, it was to be given by Engineers Latimer, Norrington and Barton. Among possible local witnesses to strengthen the Council's case were mentioned Reeve Blair, Coun. Johnston, and J. J. Mitchell, Municipal Superintendent at the time the new pipeline was laid. The provisional list of jurymen was also discussed, and objections registered against two whose opinions might naturally be expected to lean possibly more one way than the other. Mr Buckingham, who was to conduct the Council's case in court was expected to arrive on the boat on Monday evening, and it was arranged for some of the Council to meet with him in the evening and be present at the examination of the plaintiff which he was to conduct.

A telegram from Engineer Latimer during the afternoon announced that he would arrive here over the K.V.R. on Monday afternoon. Advantage of his presence was to be taken for three purposes—as a witness in the damage suit; to go over the portion of the south main ditch that needed repairing in order to draw up plans and specifications for that work; and also to look into the matter of the seepage on the property of J. R. Brown at Trout Creek. In regard to this last-named matter, a phone message from Mr Brown in the course of the afternoon asked what the Council intended to do. Although the Municipal authorities are by no means convinced that they are liable for this seepage, they intended taking advantage of the engineer's presence to make this point clear.

THE VACANT SUPERINTENDENCY.

A considerable time was devoted to a discussion of the best way of coping with the situation created by the resignation of the Superintendent. The appointment of a successor immediately was never suggested. There is not a great deal of outside work on hand, and it is not likely that a new Superintendent will be appointed in the term of the present Council. For what little time remains of the irrigation season there was talk of dividing up the responsibility for the system among several ditchmen. The whole matter was left in the hands of the Public Works Committee to arrange for. During the

morning this subject was touched upon, and a suggestion was made then that the care of the domestic water pipe-lines be put in the hands of D. Dixon, flumes and suchlike in charge of D. Keen, and road work considered necessary be given to J. Arkell. This arrangement seemed to meet with general approval.

ELECTRICIAN APPOINTED.

When the time came to consider the appointment of a municipal electrician, it was necessary to start in on a pile of fifty-four applications. Most of these came from the Coast district, and the entire stack was divided into two classes; those asking a salary of \$100 per month or less, and those asking more. The latter were not considered at all. The only strictly local application was that of T. P. Thornber, who formerly held the position. Other applicants in the Valley wrote from Kelowna, Vernon, and Sicamous. Mr Thornber submitted three proposals under which he was to give varying proportions of his time to the work, and the salaries he named under these schemes were \$70, \$45, and \$90 per month respectively. Coun. Borton asked what the attitude of the Council was going to be towards this application. The Reeve and remaining members of the Board declined to give it any favor over others received. The choice from those applications read finally narrowed down to about half a dozen, and three selections were made. C. H. James of Kelowna, was the first choice with a salary of \$85 per month. As a second, a Mr Potter, now of Battleford, Alta., was to be offered the position at \$90, and a Mr Smith, an applicant from Vancouver, was the third choice at \$85 per month.

POSSIBLE NEW RESERVOIR SITE.

An Indian named Paul is reported to have discovered a large lake back in the hills some miles, on the north side of Trout Creek. He put in an appearance at the Municipal Building on Saturday, and offered to act as a guide to the newly discovered sheet of water, provided that in the event of the lake proving of any use for reservoir purposes he be paid \$50 for its discovery and for cutting out a road already done. There may be something worth while in what he purports to have found, for it has been mentioned in other quarters that there is a lake in that district not generally known about. Couns. Johnston and Borton are going to make a trip with the Indian this week out to the lake. They left on Thursday morning, and expect to return the following day. If the discovery the Indian reports does not amount to anything, the Council will not pay out the \$50 promised.

Presenting a letter of recommendation from Engineer Norrington, Mr Sismay of Penticton, appeared before the Council, in regard to the possibility of securing a position here, giving him charge of the irrigation water in the season. He was informed that there would be no such opening in the immediate future, the work having already been provided for during the rest of the season.

At the suggestion of Coun. Borton an electric light committee was established. He said that just now the Public Works Committee was pretty hard pressed, and his idea of the use of the new committee would be to guide the new electrician into his duties, and to provide a body to whom such a man might look for instructions. The Reeve said it should be made clear that that all purchases for the plant should go through the office, as well as any sales of material, fixtures, etc. He named this committee to consist of Couns. Borton and Johnston. The Reeve is a member ex-officio as a matter of course.

A proposal from the Clerk to have a cupboard made in which the band instruments on hand at the Municipal Building could be given better storage was improved upon by the Reeve who said that the spare room should be fitted out with a little furniture so that it could be used as a room for special committee meetings where greater privacy could be had than is possible at the public sessions. It was close upon six o'clock when the Council adjourned. The next regular meeting was fixed for Saturday, October 9th, but a meeting to consider ways and means of undertaking work which will give the Siwash Flat section relief from their shortage of irrigation water, may be held before that time.

ACCOUNTS PASSED.

On the recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following

JAM CANS

AT

COST PRICE.

I have now on sale a large supply of jam tins placed with me by the assignee of the Okanagan Jam Co., to be rushed off at cost. This is your opportunity. Stock up now for present and future needs.

2 lb. Tins - 3 cents each
5 lb. Tins - 5 cents each

Just the thing for shipping jam to the soldiers—or to any one.

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Hotel Summerland	-	2.00
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Total		\$11,980.42

Soldier Goes Wrong

There arrived in Summerland last Saturday noon a young soldier who gave his name as Corporal John Ward of the Vernon camp, having ridden down from Kelowna in which city he had hired a horse with which to make the trip. For about two days Ward was a guest at Hotel Summerland, and kept the horse at the Pioneer Livery Stable, using it on two or three occasions during his stay here. As he did not come in for lunch at noon on Monday nor go to the stable for the horse some inquiries were made, and the last that could be learned of him was that he had been seen by Mr English going down the street on Monday morning. On Tuesday it was learned that he had somehow reached Penticton where he had been arrested on Monday night for passing a worthless cheque. His hotel bill, and that of the livery stable are of course yet unsettled.

Miss Olga Tunstall, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs A. C. Stournt, returned to Armstrong on Thursday.

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All Steel Extension,
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In varied Designs
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Shortage of Orchard Boxes.

"Fruit Union Row" are busy this week running off the balance of the season's output of peaches and musk melons, and have made a good start in on apples—the Wealthy and the Jonathans are in evidence. A few cookers are coming in as the result of the recent wind storm which resulted in a fair amount of wind-falls. The outstanding grievance, however, is the lack of a sufficient number of orchard boxes in which to convey the fruit from the orchards to the Fruit Union packing sheds. This is, however, a grievance for which there is a remedy—which cannot be put, at least not wisely just yet—which will doubtless be applied next year. If the owners were charged up with these boxes and credited with them upon their return, there would be a whole lot more care taken of the boxes for one thing.

Taxes Paid Yet?

That reminds me! Have you paid your taxes? The School Board are informed by the Education Department of an over-draft of over \$600 as a result of certain property owners here failing or neglecting to come up to the chalk mark on pay day with their little quota of government funds. The result is pretty "hard sledding" for the trustees. It therefore behoves every citizen, and absentee citizen too, "don't you know," to dig down after the needful—at least the school tax—and improve the financial "sledding" for the coming and the present year. Yes, sir. Pay your taxes.

Is Pentiction assuming the place in our business life that Summerland formerly held? The indications are that the great bulk of the outside shopping is going that direction.

"ROUGH ON RATS" clears out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't Die in the House. 15c. and 25c. at Drug and Country Stores.

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL MINING RIGHTS of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories, and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant. Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated. In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year. The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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Current Events — OF — Town & District

Mr Percy Thornber of Summerland spent a few hours in town on Wednesday.

Mrs H. Nuttall was amongst the number of shoppers who took in Pentiction on Wednesday.

Mr Helmer, manager of the Dominion Experimental Farm, Summerland, was a business visitor to town on Saturday last.

Miss Gladys Robinson and sister Kathleen returned on Wednesday from a week's visit at Vernon, where they were guests of Miss Margaret Ellison.

Mr G. R. Schreck of Buffalo, who has been here for a two-weeks' visit with his brother, Mr John Schreck of Keystone Ranch, left for his home on Thursday morning.

Frank Hughes of the Pentiction Herald staff found himself left on Sunday evening when the "Sicamous" gave the town the "go-by" on the course of its return trip south. Better luck next trip, Frank.

Miss Alice Myers met with a rather painful accident whilst busy making up peach boxes for her father last Saturday morning, when the hammer hit more than a nail-head, causing an ugly gash in her left hand.

Miss Emma Davies, who has had considerable preliminary training this season for hospital duties, has received definite instructions to report for duties at the Vancouver General Hospital on the 31st of October.

Kickinies are all the go at present, and fishing parties returning from Chute Creek report very good catches. Amongst the recent ones to report are Guy Ireland and Willie Mitchell who returned on Tuesday with a cartload of the rare and popular fish.

T. H. Boothe is in receipt this week of a letter from his eldest son, Reg. L. Boothe who is now in training in Shorncliffe, in which he states that he expects to complete training and to be transferred to "somewhere in France" about the end of the month.

During their stay in Vernon this week Miss Gladys and Miss Kathleen Robinson witnessed the review of the troops upon the occasion of the visit of the Duke of Connaught. Both girls speak in highest terms of praise of the excellent class of music furnished by the military bands.

A whist drive under Red Cross auspices is being announced for next Thursday evening at the home of Mrs Cash, who has so kindly offered to throw her doors open for the occasion. The details are being arranged by Mrs Cash and Mrs Languedoc. Doubtless an enjoyable evening is in store for all the neighbors next Thursday at eight o'clock.

Squire Hill, a well-known Naramatian has returned to town after about ten months spent chiefly in Montreal. The squire appears to be genuinely glad to be back again, declaring that he was determined enough in his resolve to walk back, if the C.P.R. had suddenly decided to go out of business and melt the rails of their system to make shells to fire at our enemies. Welcome back.

Travellers joke us about our climate, saying that we have but two kinds: the usual and the unusual. Would they joke if they were told that we have also two kinds of fruit trees? The usual kind which blossom in the spring and yield fruit in summer or fall; and the unusual, those trees that blossom twice, both in spring and also in fall, when the rest of the tree is loaded down. There are a number of apples trees in Naramata right now bearing fruit and blossoms too! Is this "usual" or "unusual"?

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Naramata Current Events (Continued).

Rev. H. A. Solly of Summerland conducted the service in the church on Sunday last.

Snow at the tunnel camp fell in a considerable quantity on Monday of this week. This is sure getting close home.

Mr Gordon Hayman is the lucky sportsman so far this week, capturing a fine young doe a little north of Mill Creek.

So far most of the hunting parties have returned more weighted down by loads of experience than with the much coveted carcasses of deer.

Word has been received from Ottawa of the safe arrival home of Mrs E. P. Poe, who is now enjoying herself as a guest in the home of her son.

The next meeting of the Women's Institute promises to be one of unusual interest as upon this occasion reports from delegates to the recent convention, Mesdames Reesor and Davies, will be read.

The free trips on the "Skookum" to Pentiction have of late been freely taken advantage of by at least those who wished to benefit by such a chance to see the shows put on the boards at the theatre.

Another recruit from Naramata, Mr W. D. Mackie, who has seen thirteen years service in India, left on Monday's boat for Vernon, where he has caught a place in Kitchen-er's army as a member of the Army Medical Corps.

"Booser," the faithful airedale dog belonging to Mr W. D. Mackie has been given in charge of Mr Wolstencroft, but the dog prefers to lie on the outside step of the now deserted cottage—doubtless awaiting the return of his old master.

Mr Will R. Bartlett has quite excelled himself as a holiday taker, as last week he managed to squeeze out two whole, real holidays, the one spent at Peachland, and another spent as a guest of Mr Robinson at the summer camp east of town. After such periods of dissipation our postmaster will once more settle down to the really serious business of being an efficient public servant.

Interest in Red Cross work is now in evidence, and it is a good sign—a sign of a healthy interest being taken in the welfare of the fellows at the front, who have had to run the gauntlet of pain and suffering. The women of Naramata have a reputation as trail breakers to maintain, and in Red Cross work will at least keep their part of the trail well and truly blazed. The next meeting of the society is to-morrow afternoon. Let every member who can, attend this meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs W. W. Mitchell. Only a representative number turned out, but those of the community who are given to under-estimating the work actually in hand by this really big concern—a society of serious women—should bear in mind that the women realize that the time to strike for prohibition in this province is at hand, and the gathering on Tuesday would seem to echo the sound now in the air of "Banish the Bar."

Mr J. M. Robinson, while camping at the Tunnel Heights, in the very heart of a magnificent pine and fir forest, became possessed with the idea of turning at least a portion of his pre-emption—or at least the timber standing on the same—into lumber, and while not definitely decided, he has actually under contemplation the establishment of a lumber camp, a camp equipped with a portable mill, and run by a good sized gang of men. If this dream should take form there will sure be things doing round Naramata this coming season.

What is being done by the Town Fathers—the Farmers' Institute—to see that the visitors from Calgary, representing wholesale fruit distributors and others—who are to tour the Valley in October, are given a chance to see Naramata? An opportunity such as this should not be allowed to slip by us unimproved. No use in morose talking. What we need is definite action. If our town and district is to maintain its name as a live, progressive and thoroughly up-to-date little community, we've got to get together and work and boost for our town.

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- Sliptivity Axle Grease, 3 lb. tin - .45
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- Home Made Cider Vinegar, per gallon - 1.00
- Coarse Salt (Liverpool), per 100 lb. sack - 1.75

The Naramata Supply Co., Ltd.

Naramata Current Events (Continued.)

Rev. R. M. Thompson will conduct the service in the church next Sunday afternoon.

Mr Tom Kenyon is expected home on a week's furlough from camp duties at Vernon.

Mr John Noyes reports that he has been successful in producing a fine sample of vinegar from ripe tomatoes. What next? Shall we start a vinegar factory?

Mrs Fred Simpson reports from her poultry yard a number of spring pullets sufficiently developed to have already begun to think of the "clucking" stage. The birds in question are not yet seven months old. The first eggs were laid before fully five months old.

Mr and Mrs James Wells purpose leaving for Calgary early next month, where they expect to figure as the principals at a golden wedding celebration. The family gathering will be held at Calgary at the home of one of the daughters, Mrs Hy. Price, thus making it comparatively easy for the other members of the family to congregate.

Next Friday afternoon, Sept. 24th, the parents are invited by the School Board and teachers to be present upon the occasion of the presentation of the Governor-General's medal to Master Stanley Stiff, in recognition of all round proficiency in his studies. The teachers and scholars are preparing a short program for the last half hour—that is from three till three-thirty. All who intend to come should try to be prompt—not too early—not a little bit late, so as not to interfere with the working hours of the school.

The government are determined to get after the "short change artist" who in the fruit business employs many and various means of giving the buying public the short end of everything, such as improper packing, lack of uniformity, improper grading, calling No. 8's No. 1's, and reducing the size of the package. Notices are being posted this month throughout the province wherever fruit is being shipped, and warning dealers against creating offences, and naming the no-inconsiderable punishments to be in readiness to pass out to any unlucky offender. Probably even we here in sunny Naramata would do well to read the notice from A to Z.

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Passing Events: Social, Personal, &c.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

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DAIRYING OR PEACH GROWING?

Lake View Ranch, Summerland, B.C. 16th Sept. 1915.

The Editor, Summerland Review.

Dear Sir, Mr A. A. Derrick's letter in your issue of 10th inst. no doubt contains a lot of useful information and advice, but to me it seems very questionable whether stock raising and dairying would pay on land valued, assessed, and taxed as high as the average orchard land in Summerland.

Were I to go in for this class of farming I would go back 12 miles from Summerland, to Meadow Valley, where I represent 180 acres, admirably adapted for this purpose, and the taxes are only \$30.15 per annum for the 180 acres, compared with \$445.80 for 45 acres here. Furthermore the capital required to launch out on such an enterprise here would be quite considerable, as it would mean removing the greater part of the fruit trees, sowing the feed, fencing, building a large cow shed with all the necessary accessories, and last, but not least, purchasing GOOD cows.

I note that the taxes on the 48 acre farm in Ontario, of which Mr Derrick gives us the profit and loss account, only amount to \$26 per annum, which is a very different figure to what we have to pay here.

On the front page of your last issue I note two articles, one concerning Vancouver from Inspector Cunningham, the other Calgary, both pointing out the tremendous shortage of peaches this year.

If this is truly the case, why, as with all produce of which there is a greater demand than supply, do not the prices go up? Mr S. J. Fee informs us that the Calgary market is hungry for peaches, and that he was astonished on going over this district to find tons and tons of peaches being left on the trees to mature and drop. Let Mr Fee place his orders direct with the Summerland growers and pay them a price that will leave them a small profit for their work, and he will doubtless be able to get all the peaches he wants to fill the hungry Calgary market.

For my part I cannot help but come to the conclusion that there must be something radically wrong in the marketing and distributing of our fruit, and the sooner the flaw is found the better for the whole community.

Yours truly, P. G. KOOP.

Mr W. C. Kelley motored to Penticton on Wednesday to attend to some court business.

William Steven brother of A. H. Steven, who enlisted at Vancouver into the Royal Engineers on his arrival from New Zealand, had expected to return to the Coast last week end, when his leave expired. He has now received an extension of his furlough, and will be here for yet another three weeks or thereabouts.

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WANTED—Removable one-man shack, in reasonably good condition for about \$10. Apply Review Office.

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FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay in stack. Thos. B. Young.

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Miscellaneous

FOR HIRE—Team and Mower. T. B. Young.

STALLION—French Coach Stallion, weight 1,400 lbs., stands at barn. \$5 for season. Thos. B. Young.

Roy Darkis has enlisted in the 54th, and went up to Vernon on Thursday morning.

Mr R. A. Barton and bride of Penticton were registered at Hotel Summerland early this week.

Mr James, our new municipal electrician, is expected here to enter upon his new duties on Monday next.

Mr and Mrs Magnus Tait and family are enjoying a camping holiday at Bathfield, west of Summerland, for a time.

Thirty-seven cars of fruit and vegetables started rolling from Vernon on Sunday last making a record shipment.

Mrs Lipsett and Miss Barracough, who have been recuperating at Halcyon Hot Springs returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs F. A. C. Wright boarded the boat last night for Vernon where she is taking her two boys to put them in the boys' school there.

Mr W. H. A. Moore expects to resume teaching next week. He intends having music studios both in Summerland and in West Summerland.

At the evening service in St. Andrew's Church next Sunday, the subject of Rev C. H. Daly's address will be "Our Schools." Parents and Trustees are cordially invited.

Mr T. N. Ritchie, who has been at the Coast on a business trip, is expected to return this week-end. During his absence his business is being looked after by Mr Will Ritchie.

Several gangs of men are shortly to be sent out along the K.V.R., between Osprey Lake and Princeton, to put that, the newest portion of the line, in good shape by trueing up and rebalasting.

Mrs Rivington and her sister, Miss Willan, are leaving this week end, the latter for the purpose of entering as a nurse in a hospital in San Francisco, while Mrs Rivington, who will accompany her sister as far as Seattle, will visit for a time with friends at Vancouver and Victoria before returning.

Though the building season has been a quiet one, yet one local contractor, Bert Harvey, seems to have been kept on the hustle. Mr Harvey is the only one who uses the local press to advertise his business, which probably accounts for the fact that he is getting the big share of the work that is to be done.

A cablegram was received last week by Mrs F. W. Andrew advising her of the safe arrival at Plymouth of her sister Miss Blott, who is one of the B.C. Hospital staff. The party landed at Plymouth on Sunday, the 5th inst. George Fisher and Elwood Bent are two other Summerland citizens on the same staff.

The small boys—and some of the larger ones too—are getting excited now that the kikaninnie season has started. The fish are not very plentiful as yet, though more numerous in some of the creeks than in others. By-the-way, something of the life history of this fish which makes its presence known but little more than a month each fall would be interesting.

A party of school teachers and friends, nine in all, made a driving excursion to Fish Lake last Saturday, and in spite of the fact that the lake did not live up to its name, a very pleasant outing was enjoyed. The party included Mrs Lister, Miss Mary Lister, Miss J. Rothwell, Miss Annie Dale, Miss Bateman, Messrs R. B. Forsyth, D. H. McIntosh, J. O. Smith, and David, Ernest, and Fraser Lister.

A very serviceable fixture, and in fact an almost indispensable necessity, in the form of a sink of special design has recently been installed in the sterilizing room at the hospital. The sink, which is of the very best adamant of English make, together with the fixtures and the cost of installation, is the gift of Dr Andrew. Water is served from one outlet, and the temperature of the water, as well as the pressure is regulated by pedal cocks conveniently arranged to be operated by pressure of the toe. Needless to say the Matron and her assistants are delighted with this new addition to the Hospital equipment, and the operating surgeons will no doubt find it a great convenience.

A. H. Steven shipped out another carload of fruit to Calgary last Wednesday night.

Robert Callan and George McLeod came down from the Vernon camp on Thursday's boat.

Mr G. J. C. White went up to Vernon this morning to attend a meeting of the executive of the United Growers.

After a visit of about six weeks to relatives at Victoria, Mrs John Tait is expected to return home this week-end.

L. C. Woodworth has leased his former slaughter house from the assignee of the estate, and is again entering into the wholesale meat business.

Mrs Hilborn came in on Tuesday evening's boat having stopped off for a day's visit at Kelowna on the return trip from the Institute convention at Salmon Arm.

The considerably worn decking of the C.P.R. carslip has recently been replaced by some very substantial 4 in. planking, which will no doubt stand much hard wear.

Mr F. H. Latimer, consulting engineer for the municipality, was about in the district early this week attending to some business in connection with our civic public works.

Mrs Kate Bentley, who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs Pares, has so far improved as to be able to return to her home. Her speedy recovery gives great satisfaction to her many friends.

The Duke of Connaught's car was supplied before it pulled out of Vernon on Wednesday with a quantity of fine peaches from Summerland, furnished through the thoughtfulness of Col. Cartwright.

Mrs Bateman of Vancouver, who is visiting with her daughter, Mrs G. L. McWilliams, was the soloist at the Baptist Church service last Sunday morning when she sang a beautiful solo, "My Task."

Services will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday next at 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m., to be conducted by Rev. R. W. Lee. In the evening, the anniversary of the Order of Rebekah will be duly recognized. Special music will be rendered by a united choir. All are heartily invited.

Mr J. S. Emerson, owner of the Fulton property, Peach Orchard, came in on Monday night and has been a guest at Hotel Summerland. Mr Emerson was joined here last night by his daughter-in-law and children and maid. It is probable that they will remain here for a considerable time.

Mrs H. A. Solly, one of the delegates to the Women's Institute Convention at Salmon Arm, returned last night. After the convention Mrs Solly came back as far as Kelowna, where she was joined early in the week by Mr Solly, and from there they went to Vernon to witness the review during the Duke of Connaught's visit. Mr Solly is officiating at a funeral at Westbank, and is expected home today.

Mr and Mrs May, and Mr and Mrs Theed were visitors to Princeton on Sunday and Monday of last week. Engaging an auto the trip was made to the mining town by way of Shingle Creek, Kermeos and Hedley. With the exception of a short piece between Trout Creek and Shingle Creek, the road was described by Mr May as being in excellent condition. At Princeton the party were shown about the district by Mr E. Waterman, Manager of the Princeton Coal and Land Company, with whom Mr May has had many years of acquaintance. The return trip was made over the K.V.R.

Miss Beatrice Anderson, who is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs Anderson of Peach Orchard, was in Bruges, Belgium, when that country was overrun by the Germans. With her sister she went over from Toronto to attend the marriage of another sister to a lace manufacturer of Bruges, expecting to be gone but a short time. It was not until after an absence of thirteen months that the sisters again reached Toronto, minus much of their luggage. The business of her sister's husband has since been completely destroyed, and he has gone to Ontario as an interpreter. It is understood that he has been offered the position of Belgian Consul at Ottawa, which he may accept, although he prefers re-engaging in lace manufacturing.

Mrs A. C. Stuart was a passenger to Kelowna on Thursday morning's boat.

Miss Helen Phinney leaves tomorrow morning for a visit with friends in Portland, Oregon.

The Ambulance League will meet next week on Thursday at 2.30 in the Men's Club. More old linen is urgently needed.

Mr Archie McNee of the Windsor Evening Record, an ex-president of the Canadian Press Association, is on a visit to his nephew, Dr J. P. McIntyre.

T. J. Garnett shipped a car of mixed fruit, mostly apples last Saturday to his brother, Ed. Garnett at Nanton, Alberta. The fruit was mostly from the Gartrell and Garnett orchards.

Mr Lavis, teller in the Bank of Montreal has obtained leave of absence and expects to go into camp at Vernon where he has already enlisted. His place in the bank has been taken by J. M. Ward, Vancouver.

For some months past the mail at the down town post office has been made up in the morning just before the arrival of the boat from Naramata. Henceforth it is the intention of Postmaster Hayes to revert to the former practice of closing the mail at 9 o'clock each evening.

Reeve Blair brought to the Council meeting last Saturday two horticultural curiosities which a few other fruit growers may be able to duplicate, but not many. They were a cluster of second crop strawberries, showing some fine red berries that looked the more appetizing being out of season, and a spray of apple blossom, which is a fall phenomena a little more common.

Mr and Mrs Frank Marshall, of Hotel Summerland, are building up for themselves a good reputation as entertainers, and this may be one reason why it is expected that the Whist Drive to be held this evening Friday, at the Hotel, will be largely attended. Another very good reason is that all the proceeds from the 25 cent admission charge are to be donated towards the local Red Cross funds.

The operators of the three local telephone offices had a very pleasant outing yesterday at Okanagan Falls. The party were taken down by motor by Mr Atkins, of the Summerland Telephone Company, and included Miss Conway, Miss Watson of the Government Telephone and Miss McLeod of the Okanagan Telephone Company. At Penticton they were joined by Miss Clark, a former operator in the Summerland Company's office.

The Okanagan Valley Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention at Summerland on October 20 and 21, instead of the dates originally named, the change being made to have lighter nights. One day at St. Andrew's Church, and one day at the Lakeside Baptist Church. The people will be asked to open their homes for the entertainment of the delegates. It is expected there will be an interesting and profitable program.

Sir Richard McBride has announced that the period of redemption for tax sales will be extended from one to two years in municipalities all through the province.

"REBEKAH" CHURCH PARADE.

The anniversary services of the Order of Rebekah, will be held on Sunday next, Sept. 13. The local lodge will duly recognize the anniversary by holding a church parade on Sunday evening. The members of the order, and also members of the I.O.O.F., will meet at 6.30 in the lodge rooms, and will then proceed to the Methodist Church, where a united service will be held, to be conducted by Rev. R. W. Lee and Rev. N. McNaughton. Special music will be rendered by the united choirs.

Mr and Mrs J. F. Faulkner, 2618 Ontario Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Frances Elizabeth, to Mr Ralph Harding Young, the marriage to take place in October. —Vancouver Province.

The editor of this paper has a warm place in his heart for the friends who bring or send in news items. It is the desire of this paper to give all the news of the time, and those who lend us their assistance to that end have our unbounded gratitude.

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E. Garnett, who left Summerland about two weeks ago to make the journey to Calgary by automobile, made the trip in five days. He experienced some minor car troubles, owing mainly to bad roads, but was fortunate in escaping tire troubles—the motorists' chief bane. His route was via Oroville, Grand Forks and the Kootenay Valley. When nearing Calgary he encountered a fall of soft snow.

NOTICE.
Present financial conditions make prompt collections a necessity. I am therefore compelled to refuse further credit to customers whose back accounts are not paid and to make it a fixed rule to insist on payment of each month's account on or before the 15th of the month following, when, if not paid, no further credit can be given until the account is settled.
W. R. SHIELDS.

Newsy Paragraphs
from
PEACHLAND

Mr Biggar of Kelowna was a guest at the Gummow home this week.

Roy Davidson, who has been visiting at Phoenix, returned home on Tuesday.

Harry Urquhart has enlisted at Vancouver. It is probable that he will enter the Vernon camp.

Mrs J. McLaughlin returned home on Tuesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs Kirby of Penticton.

There was a fair attendance at the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute held on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Bessie Geddes of Kelowna, who was for a few days the guest of the Misses Henderson here, returned home on Wednesday.

The Liberal-Conservatives held their regular monthly meeting on Saturday night. Little more than routine business came up for attention.

Bert Keating and Archie Seaton, who have been in the employ of the Westminster Trust Orchard, under Manager J. T. Long, reached home on Saturday.

The local park is to be cleared and cleaned up, funds for this purpose having been appropriated. The Council are just now asking for tenders for the necessary work.

Norman Pope is enjoying life in England, according to a recent letter received by his father, A. N. Pope. Norman had just had a short leave of absence, and the time was spent in London.

Miss Dancer and Miss Chapman of Summerland have been spending a week here, the guests of Mrs E. House. They are greatly enjoying their visit here, renewing old acquaintances of former visits.

A porcupine was captured on our main street this week by Emmet Shaw of the packing house. The animal was walking along the side walk when seen by Mr Shaw who caught it by clapping a fruit box down over it.

Mr and Mrs A. E. McGraw started out the other morning for a tramp among the hills in search of game. It was no surprise to their neighbors when they returned the same evening with a large brown bear and a coyote.

Fire Warden Hogg returned on Tuesday after a week's trip in the hills. This ends his work for the season, which closed on September 15th. Fortunately there have been no bad fires in Mr Hogg's district this season.

Mr Grant Lang of our local School Board left for Chilliwack last Saturday to attend the session of the B.C. Trustee Association, of which he is Secretary. Trustee Williams went out on Sunday to represent the Peachland Board at the convention.

Roy White and L. Hatfield of Summerland came up from that town by motor on Wednesday night of last week and spent the night with Roy's people before continuing to Vernon, where both have enlisted. H. Reynolds and George Needham accompanied them from Summerland.

AUCTION PROPOSED.

The Ambulance League are finding themselves a little low in funds, and just at present are devising ways and means to augment the same to enable them to carry on their work through the winter. Not only do they need money to buy wool for socks, and warm material for hospital garments, but they are particularly anxious to raise \$50 with which to buy the necessary material for making surgical dressings at their Red Cross meetings. To do this they are contemplating holding an "Auction Sale" at a near future date. Everybody is asked to look through their personal or household effects and send something from among them to be auctioned off for good of the cause. Fruit, vegetables or poultry or farm produce would be equally acceptable, in fact anything at all likely to sell. Further particulars will be given next week; this is only a preliminary notice to give everyone plenty of time to look through their possessions and decide what they will send to the Red Cross Auction Sale.

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