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## Traffic Still Demoralized.

### Penticton Cut Off From Both Boat And Train Service.

Lake and rail traffic in the south Okanagan is still very much curtailed on account of the severe winter weather. The "Sicamous" has continued during the past week to terminate her southbound run here, not being able to reach Penticton on account of the large quantities of ice at the south end of the lake. Passengers, and what mail and express the boat has for Penticton and south are still being conveyed by road from Summerland. During the mildness of last Sunday the "Sicamous" made an attempt to reach Penticton, but was not able to get through the accumulation of ice that the two days' thaw had not dispersed.

Traffic on the Kettle Valley line east and west has also been in a very precarious state, and it is now almost entirely suspended. Five of its six locomotives which maintain this service are said to be out of commission, and the sixth is not able to relieve the situation at all, being stalled, it is said, between two other engines that have already been put out of business. A car standing at the Peach Valley station in the process of being unloaded, was jacked up by a gang of men lately and the wheels at both ends removed, presumably to be put into use at the scene of the derailment of one or other of the locomotives.

Penticton is thus in the very unfortunate position of being deprived of communication from the north by the boat service, and from the east and west by the railway.

The "January thaw" that the Okanagan boasts of came last weekend, but certainly did not overstay its welcome. The zero weather of the previous week or two seemed to break on Friday night, and on Saturday most people were happily remarking that the cold weather had gone for good. Even those who would not commit themselves hoped inwardly it was the case. Sunday morning, mild and balmy, with sunshine and warm wind, a true chinook, strengthened these sanguine hopes. Before this mildness most of the snow disappeared, but before noon—what a change had come! Even the boasted Okanagan weather cannot claim freedom from fickleness, apparently. The wind suddenly changed to the north, warm rain changed to cold, driving sleet, and the beautiful spring morning developed into a regular depth-of-winter afternoon. That night many thermometers touched the zero mark again, and have not showed very much better since.

## Real Estate Prospect

In spite of the exodus of the skyline sub-division sharks to the American boom centres, says the Canadian Courier, Canadian real estate prices have continued to hold their own, and there is even a small amount of trading in city properties in eastern Canadian cities. Though there is no immediate prospect of the war's ending there is complete confidence on the part of all property owners that the declaration of peace will not only confirm present values, but for various reasons will enhance them. The feeling is apparently widespread, and well founded, if the reports of European observers are to be credited that there will be heavy immigration after the war. In ordinary circumstances it might be expected that a certain heavy proportion of the immigration would be absorbed by the United States. The war has however, established a sense of kinship between the people of the Allies and those overseas communities that have participated with them in the war. Canada of all the colonies stands the very best chance of getting new population. This cannot fail to have a marked effect on property values—both urban and rural—since with the looked-for increase in rural activity will be a complementary increase in urban operations.

Another consignment of wool has been received by the Summerland branch of the Ambulance League. Will any who wish to do knitting, etc., kindly apply to Mrs Solly for the material.

## Hospital Society Annual Meeting

### Efficient Board and Staff Get Deserving Praise.

### Fewer Sick in Community Causes Falling Off in Earnings. But Year Ended With Deficit of Only \$103.00.

The enterprise of the Directors of the Hospital in calling their annual meeting at the Hospital itself was justified when an increased number of the general public turned up and took an intelligent interest in the proceedings yesterday.

The Balance Sheet and Auditor's Report, as already published in the Review, was approved, and the report from the Ladies' Auxiliary brought some warm praise from the meeting, as showing what had been accomplished by that body.

On rising to move the adoption of the Matron's report, Mr W. J. Robinson spoke highly of the efficiency of the Matron in running the institution so economically. He pointed out that this, the second year of operation, gave some idea of what the normal conditions of the Hospital were likely to be. The policy of the Board, ably seconded by the efforts of the staff, had been to make the Hospital popular, and to obtain the confidence of the public, so that they would realize that the Hospital is the home for the sick of the district.

The Secretary's report showed an average of patients treated of 3.43 per day, as against 5.17 per day last year, and the feeling of the meeting was that this was a matter of congratulation, and although this meant a much smaller income it would be much better to support the Hospital by increasing their donations than by paying bills for the care of sick.

Dr Andrew stated that he was also not so busy as he had been, but that he did not consider that he had any right to complain. The doctor added that the Hospital was not in any pressing need of any new equipment, and that his knowledge of the patients treated in the Hospital had proved that complete satisfaction had been given to every one.

Reeve Blair and Magistrate English both bore testimony to the efficiency of the management and staff—evident from the reports carried away by patients and by the Balance Sheet presented, and while agreeing with them Rev. C. H. Daly stated that what had surprised him was the fact that the Hospital had not asked for more support from the people of the district. He admitted that our first energies must be towards the satisfactory conclusion of the great war, but yet that the Hospital, as the baby of the public, should not be neglected.

In replying on behalf of the Board, the President, Mr Mellor, stated that the Board considered the Balance Sheet very satisfactory for the present times, and that the small deficit of \$108 could be cleaned up by some special effort within the next month or so.

A room for the nurses and a storage cellar had been finished, the building and plant are clear of debt, and from a financial standpoint the Hospital is in a sound condition. To the question of whether or not the Hospital has fulfilled its mission by being of assistance to the sick of the community, the only possible answer after making all possible enquiries, and listening to the evidence offered at this meeting, is that the Hospital has more than done all that was expected, and has been a splendid success.

He admitted that he considered the Board had been efficient, ably assisted by the Ladies' Auxiliary and the staff, and acknowledged that the ability of Dr Andrew had been a large factor in the success of the institution.

The retiring members were re-elected, and at the Board meeting afterwards Mr H. C. Mellor was re-elected president for the coming year.

Special storage and shipping facilities have been provided in Rio de Janeiro for the Canadian fruit exported to that important South American market.

## Supply Company Sells Shoe Department.

### A. J. Beer Gets Stock and Goodwill of Down Town Business.

Under an agreement completed this week, A. J. Beer has acquired the entire stock of the boot and shoe department of the down-town store of the Summerland Supply Company. With it also goes the goodwill for that district, the Supply Company continuing in that branch at their upper store. At the same time the larger concern takes over some minor lines carried by Mr Beer.

With the larger patronage which he may reasonably hope to enjoy, Mr Beer will find it practicable to carry a larger and more complete stock, with a greater range in all lines, which will be of great convenience to his customers.

It is but natural in so doubling up his stock that Mr Beer should now find himself much overstocked just now in several lines. To remedy this, as well as to commemorate the occasion of the change, and impress it upon the public mind, Mr Beer at once decided to put on a sale at which footwear at prices never known here before would for a limited period be offered. Just how great the cut in prices is, and what real bargains are to be had, may be judged from a partial list contained in his advertisement on page 6 of this issue.

## To Foster Greater Consumption Of B.C. Products.

People who supported the petitions circulated some time last year pledging themselves to participate in the movement on foot to give all possible support to the industries of the province by insisting on buying the "Made in B.C." product, have received lately the first two numbers of the "British Columbia Consumers' Magazine," a new publication issued from Vancouver. It is designated as the official organ of the British Columbia Consumers' League, and its sixteen pages have been crammed full of the forceful logic supporting the "buy the home product" movement. It will serve a very useful purpose in emphasizing in the minds of the people the vital necessity of supporting the home province first of all. The little publication presents a lot of information relative to the mighty industrial and natural resources that B.C. has within her boundaries, and though it will be hard to estimate in plain figures the actual impetus that the new magazine is going to give to the "Made in B.C." movement, it is certain that it will have no little effect on the general situation in the course of a reasonable time.

## Government Aid On Irrigation System.

### Penticton May Ask Assistance Of Province.

Before the Penticton Municipal Council reaches any definite decision with regard to the irrigation problem there, it will seek the services of a government engineer in investigating the local situation, following which the Council will determine upon its future policy. As is generally known, says the Penticton Herald, the wooden irrigation flumes owned by the municipality will shortly have to be replaced, and in view of the heavy expenditure which this entails, the opinion has been expressed in many quarters that the Provincial Government should be asked to take over the whole system, or in any case to lend some assistance so that the municipal authorities might readily borrow money at a cheap rate for irrigation system purposes.

The Penticton Council has not yet declared itself upon the question, in fact probably does not know whether it desires governmental aid or not. But as there is a Provincial Government engineer investigating the irrigation systems in the north end of the Valley at the request of the private companies there, who are seeking assistance from Victoria, it has been deemed advisable to ask the provincial authorities to have this engineer sent to Penticton to examine the local irrigation situation.

## From a Summerland Soldier in England

### Speaks Well Of Summerland Apples, And Tells Of Military Life.

In a recent letter received by his parents, Mr and Mrs J. Treffry, Trout Creek, Private Joseph Treffry, who enlisted from here into the 54th Battalion, relates some interesting details of his military duties, and tells, too, of the good impression that Summerland apples made on some people who were previously unacquainted, apparently, with fruit of such quality. He says:

"Just a few lines to let you know that I am still in Old England. I have been very busy this last week or so, on guard and picket. Quite a lot of the boys were away on Christmas and New Year leave, and that left more duties for us that remained. If I had friends or relatives over here I could find time to visit them. I have been and am quite well, and am sending a three-quarter photo of myself in this letter. You will see by it I am a lot heavier than when I came over. I weigh about 180 lbs. now."

I cannot say when I will get over in France, perhaps not till spring. Everything is quiet here now, the Zepps have not visited us for a long time. They know where it's safe to be.

I got that box of apples at last. They arrived in good condition considering the time it took them to get here. Some of them were a little spoiled, but not so bad I had to throw any away. The people around here were surprised to know we could grow such large apples. I had been telling them about the fruit before the apples came, and they thought I exaggerated things, but when they came they were convinced.

Christmas Eve I went on guard at 8.30, and stayed till 8.30 a.m. on Christmas Day. I ate my breakfast in the guard room, and spent Christmas Eve there. After I came off guard at 8.30 in the morning I had the day off. In the evening the folks I am staying with were invited out and I went with them. I took some of those large yellow apples with me and you should have seen the folks' faces when they saw them. They looked at me as much as to say they were made of paper, so I gave them one, and the man looked it all over, felt it, then he said, "You don't see apples like that over here."

## Letter Of Condolence To Widow Of Late Brother

At the regular meeting of the local Lodge of I.O.O.F., the first since the death of Mr J. F. Faulkner, a charter member, the following official expression of sorrow and sympathy was feelingly proposed and carried unanimously: That

Whereas this lodge has learned with deep regret the recent death of Bro. J. F. Faulkner, a P.G. of this lodge and

Whereas the late Bro. J. F. Faulkner was a charter member and the first Noble Grand of this lodge, and the chief instrument in establishing the fraternity in this district, and had thereby endeared himself to the members of this lodge, to the extent that he was lovingly hailed as the "Father of Okanagan Lodge," Now therefore be it

Resolved that this lodge in regular meeting express its sincere sorrow at the loss of its late Bro. J. F. Faulkner, and that the sympathies of this lodge be conveyed to his wife and family.

F. W. ANDREW, P.G.  
J. E. PHINNEY, P.G.  
K. S. HOGG, Fin. Secy.

Rev. C. H. Daly was the presiding officer at the annual meeting of the Peachland congregation held on the evening of the 21st. Mr Daly says it was unanimously agreed by the congregation to do all in their power to carry on the union services with the Methodists for another year, and to retain the services of Rev. A. Henderson. There was manifested a firm spirit of unity between the two denominations, and the people of Peachland are very fortunate in having so talented a minister as Mr Henderson.

## Splendid Music at Glee Club Concert

### Crowded Hall Enjoys Excellent Program.

### Culmination of Weeks of Hard Work by Chorus of Seventy-five Ladies' Voices, Led by Miss B. K. Harrison.

Entertainments of quality, such as that put on yesterday evening in Empire Hall by the Ladies' Glee Club, never go amiss in Summerland, and in the almost unprecedented crowd that filled the hall another evidence was seen that people will support before all other kinds of entertainment one comprising a reformed program presented by local talent. It is something of an achievement in itself to gather together a ladies' chorus of about seventy-five voices, and the fact that such difficulties were overcome as the widely scattered homes, and other considerations usually thought of as almost unsurmountable in completing an organization of this kind, speaks very eloquently of the ability of Miss B. K. Harrison, who as conductor of the Glee Club was mainly responsible for its success.

If Empire Hall has ever held a larger audience, few know of it, for most people are agreed that the crowd in attendance last evening constitutes the tightest fit the big hall has seen within their memory. There must have been over three hundred and fifty people on the floor, not only occupying every available seat, but overflowing into standing room at the back and down one side. This count also takes no consideration of the seventy-five or so performers.

The program itself left nothing to be desired in the way of variety and quality. From start to finish it was a high-class event that well merited the support it got.

The main item was a cantata, "Three Springs" by the full Glee Club. It tells the story of the development and course of the springs from the little pool into a stream, on to a river, and then to the ocean, from whence through the agency of sun and wind they find their way back to their mountain source. The cantata is full of light and sprightly music. The choruses appealed to the ear, and set off so well by the solos rendered by Mrs G. M. Ross, the whole effort resulted in an artistic production of which conductor and chorus may well be proud. The final chorus was deservedly encored. At the conclusion of the cantata, bouquets were brought forward by little Glenn Graham and presented to Miss Harrison, and Miss Bena Logie, accompanist of the evening, fitting tributes to their hard work. Another number by the full chorus, "Rally Song," was presented with like excellence, and the patriotic chorus, "O Canada," at the conclusion of the program, sung with an unconventional, but most effective grouping of the voices, would certainly have been encored had the singing of "The British Women's National Anthem" not commenced without much pause.

"Hush Thee, My Baby" was a classic that about two dozen voices rendered most acceptably, and the "Japanese Love Song" by about fourteen young girls, was a chorus of a little different nature that the costumes and action set off splendidly. "Come Where the Lilies Bloom," a trio sung sweetly by Misses G. Robinson, G. Logie, and L. Brown also drew forth a deserving encore.

Piano quartettes are rare enough to be somewhat noteworthy, and the four accomplished pianists who took part in these numbers, Miss B. K. Harrison, Miss Bena Logie, Miss Edna MacLeod and Miss Madge Thomson, certainly succeeded in producing enjoyable items, the more so on account of the unusual degree of finish and precision that was apparent. The "Kitchen Symphony" provided something new and novel, and it was a revelation to most people that so much music could be extracted from such humble and mundane household articles. A tableau, "On the Field of Honor," depicting a dying soldier receiving an angel's ministrations, was a vivid reminder of present happenings that should not be out of anyone's mind

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It is impossible at this time to get any exact computation of the proceeds, which are to benefit the Red Cross funds, but it is certain that the net returns cannot be less than well over a hundred dollars. On their achievement, Miss Harrison, as leader, her lieutenants and all connected with the undertaking, have every reason to be congratulated. The people of Summerland have had some opportunity previously of enjoying Miss Harrison's well-cultivated musical talent, but never in such a pretentious undertaking. Its signal success is complementary enough as to her ability.

## Coast Mails Delayed.

### Heavy Snow in Cascades Disarranges Traffic For Several Days.

Heavy snowstorms accompanied by driving winds, completely tied up traffic on the C.P.R. main line in the Fraser River canyon in the Cascades for several days. As a result, mail, express and passenger traffic between the Coast and Interior was totally suspended. Mail leaving Vancouver on Saturday evening did not reach here till Wednesday night, the train carrying it having been stalled in the snow drifts, while the newspapers of Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, all came in together on Thursday night, there being no trains out of Vancouver after Saturday until Wednesday.

Huge snowdrifts completely buried the track for miles, and the storm has been described by C.P.R. men as the worst experienced for twenty years.

## Ambulance League Continues Strongly In Good Work.

The Summerland branch of the Okanagan Ambulance League may well be proud of the extensive work it has done in the past on behalf of the wounded soldiers, and the fact that it has just sent off its twenty-sixth bale of indispensable comforts is evidence enough of the fact that this energetic body of ladies are by no means weary of well-doing.

The contents of the 26th bale sent to the Red Cross Society by the Ambulance League from Summerland were: 70 pr. socks; 14 mufflers; 7 mitts; 2 pr. slippers; 3 suits pyjamas; 30 hospital handkerchiefs; 17 field handkerchiefs; 4 many-tailed bandages; 8 T bandages; 1 triangular bandage; 1 heel rest; 1 bundle face cloths (100); 20 tray cloths; 1 draw sheet; 80 wash rags; 5 dish cloths; 1 bundle old flannel; 5 bundles mouth wipes (500).

## THE WOMEN'S INSTITUTES.

The annual meeting of the Summerland Womens' Institute was held on Friday afternoon, January 21st, in the Men's Club with an attendance of 24. The Institute commences the year with a membership of 40.

As the president, Mrs W. H. Hayes, was unable to be present the vice-president, Mrs H. A. Solly took the chair. The secretary read the address from the retiring president, gave a report of the year's work, and also of the funds on hand. The communications were then dealt with, after which followed the election of officers for 1916. These are:

President—Mrs H. A. Solly  
Vice-President—Mrs J. W. Angwin  
Sec.-Treas.—Mrs J. Taft  
Directors—Mrs H. A. Solly, Mrs J. W. Angwin, Mrs G. Anderson, Mrs W. H. Hayes, and Mrs R. C. Lipsett.  
Auditors—Miss Aitchison and Mrs J. Galt

After the business part of the program, the new president gave an address, following which Mrs C. H. Daly also gave an excellent address on "Home and Country."

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### EVERY PLACE SHOULD HAVE IT.

A MORE ACTIVE COMMUNITY SPIRIT is pervading many of the small places in Canada. That is well for more reasons than one. It is a good thing the idea is exploded that only large cities have any need for such a spirit or are entitled to it. Local patriotism is just as much needed in a place of a thousand or two as in one of a hundred thousand, if it is to live and prosper. To be sure it is not the centre of so large a population, nevertheless it is a centre, and as such it is in duty bound to do the best it can and be the best it can, both for its own sake and the adjoining territory to which, commercially and otherwise it ministers.

Of course it is possible to foster a community spirit that is mainly selfish, a spirit that concerns itself solely with the community in which it exists. But that is a false spirit, destined in the long run to work injuriously to the place that gave it birth. The true community spirit is marked by wise loyalty, a hearty co-operation, real support of its business men and of its different institutions, and it can have and does have these features without in any way seeking to run down other places, which quite rightly, are seeking to advance their own good.

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### A NEW SCHOOL.

IF IT IS going to be necessary this year to open another primary school for Trout Creek children, it might be wise to consider the feasibility of bringing these children under the same roof with the primary children of the Town section. This could be effected if a building were erected somewhere between the two sections. If any new buildings are to be erected, motives of economy should prompt an investigation into this suggestion, which is by no means new. The present Town School building, while serving its purpose, cannot be said to be as altogether up-to-date and desirable in some respects as it might be. Moreover, its commanding site would surely be realizable into hard cash, and this sum would about care for the difference in the cost in erecting a larger building rather than a small one, and more too, if the government pays its usual share. There would still be a drive for the Trout Creek children, but not nearly as objectionable a one as at present.

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### SWINE HUSBANDRY.

The second edition of "Swine Husbandry in Canada," officially known as Bulletin No. 17, has been issued by the Federal Live Stock Branch, and may be had on application to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. This Bulletin covers the whole field of swine raising, giving the results of official experiments as well as the practices of successful farmer swine raisers. An interesting section describes the system of feeding hogs in Denmark, where combinations of food are prepared according to their food units, in which one pound of grain—wheat, barley, peas, corn, etc.—constitutes one food unit, which is equal to 8 lbs. mangels, 4 lbs. boiled potatoes, 5 lbs. alfalfa, 6 lb. skim milk or 12 lbs. whey. It is shown that the diet is varied in a definite way for pigs of different ages.

## Lower Feed Prices.

Prices Revised to Dec. 31st.

FLOUR, Robin Hood (98-lb.)	3.85
WHEAT - per 100-lbs.	\$1.65
OATS	1.60
FLATTENED OATS	1.70
FLOUR MIDDINGS	1.45
SHORTS - 1.30   BRAN	1.25
BARLEY CHOP	1.85
HOG FATTENER	1.55
WHOLE CORN	2.25
HAY (Ton)	18.00
FLAX MEAL	4.00
OYSTER SHELL	2.00
GROUND BONE (50-lb.)	1.50
BEEF SCRAP (50-lb.)	2.50

## Summerland Fruit Union.

## SEASONABLE SUGGESTIONS

For That Cough Use our Syrup of White Pine with Ammonium Chloride. It will stop it. Price 25c.  
If you feel Run Down and need a tonic there is nothing better than Tasteless Cod Liver Oil. Price \$1.00.  
To prevent Chapped Hands Apply our Cream after washing. Price 25c.

## McWILLIAMS' DRUG STORE

ADVERTISE IN "The Review."

### Newsy Paragraphs

from

## PEACHLAND

Rev. H. A. Solly of Summerland held service in the English Church last Wednesday evening. He was the guest of Mrs Clarence at Edgewater Inn.

Mr Southeran of Federal, Alta., arrived in town last week. We understand he has purchased property from Mr R. H. Huston, and intends to make his home here.

The Trepanier School was closed a few days this week as the teacher Miss Florence Whitworth, was laid up with a bad cold. We all hope she will soon be able to resume her duties again.

Mr and Mrs J. B. Robinson arrived home from Summerland last Monday morning. For some weeks Mr Robinson has been seriously ill at the home of Mrs R. C. Lipsett. We are glad to welcome him back, and sincerely hope he will soon be fully recovered.

### ICE CARNIVAL A BIG SUCCESS.

Mrs Town, Mrs Hay, and Mrs N. S. Davidson, the patronesses of the carnival held last Friday evening in aid of the Red Cross and Ambulance League, are to be congratulated, as it was a huge success in every way. The rink was tastefully decorated with flags. Although the evening was mild, the ice was all that could be desired, owing to the painstaking efforts of the rink committee. Those in costume were possessors of the ice till nine o'clock, when masks were lifted and the prizes given.

Messrs. Hay, Hardy and Sutherland acted as judges, and awarded first prizes to Miss Olive Ferguson as "Britannia," and Mr Somerville as "Knave of Hearts." The juvenile prizes were won by Verna Town, as "Canada," and Archie Seaton as "Cowboy," and were presented by Mrs Hay.

About fifty skaters were in costume, a number of which were comic. Barnum & Bailey's head clown created much amusement for all. Refreshments were served at Mrs Hay's home, and the proceeds of the evening, amounted to thirty-two dollars and ten cents.

Among those in costume were: Mrs W. A. Lang, "Gypsy;" Mrs N. S. Davidson, "Florence Nightingale;" Miss E. Pentland, "Summer;" Mrs G. Mitchell, "Daughter of the Regiment;" Miss K. Miller, "Madame Butterfly;" Mrs J. McGregor, "Crazy May;" Miss L. Morrison, "Maid;" Mr W. B. Sanderson, "Pierrot;" Mr Chas. Somerville, "Knave of Hearts;" Miss F. L. Whitworth, "Magpie;" Mr H. McCall, "Barnum & Bailey's Head Clown;" Miss C. Henderson, "Baby;" Miss O. Ferguson, "Britannia;" Mrs J. Elliott, "Little Red Riding Hood;" Mrs R. J. Hogg, "January;" Mr A. Ferguson, "Old Dutch Cleanser;" Mr G. H. Greta, "Clown;" Jennie Dryden, "Clown;" Mary Vicary, "Wales;" Lily Cousins, "Ireland;" Mary Miller, "England;" Mr W. O. Williams, "Dinah;" Mr E. Shaw, "Cowboy;" Ilvya Murdin, "Night;" Verna Town, "Canada;" Mr A. D. Ferguson, "Santa Claus;" Mr Lorne Shaw, "An Old Lady;" Mrs H. McCall, "Biddy;" Miss Bina McLaughlan, "Silver Bell;" Miss M. McLaughlan, "Queen of the Nations;" Miss M. Keating, "Winter;" Miss N. Buchanan, "Cow Girl;" Mr R. J. Hogg, "Mountain Ranger;" Mr J. McLaughlan, "Baseball Player;" Mr J. Moore, "Father Christmas;" Mr G. Robinson, "An Irish Gentleman;" Mr H. Keating, "Old Dutch Cleanser;" Mr L. Seaton, "Suffragette;" Mr A. Seaton, "Cow Boy;" Mr F. Cousins, "Uncle Sam;" Mr Walker Brown, "Hockey Player;" Albert Town, "Little Red Riding Hood;" Gordon Town, "Maid;" Nelson Keating, "Beggars Boy;" Austin Hay, "Irish Girl;" Ted Drought, "Royal Household Flour."

### IMPORTANCE of the TOWN PAPER.

T. H. Kay, who has taken over the Cranbrook Herald, and promises to make a live newspaper out of it, in his salute to the people of Cranbrook says: "We hope to enlarge and improve the Herald and make it more truly representative of the city and district. Capitalists and others living at a distance frequently form their first opinion of a community from the character of its newspaper, and the newspaper is often more important to a town or city than the inhabitants realize."

## LADIES' EMPORIUM

# GREAT Clearance Sale

### Too Much Stock and Too Little Cash

This is the condition of my business, as revealed by the annual inventory, and I am going to remedy it by putting my prices so temptingly low that you will be foolish not to avail yourself of the absurdly low prices, some of which are quoted below.

This is well termed

## A HALF-PRICE SALE

All kinds of FANCY WORK including stamped goods will be cleared AT 50 PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

PRINTS & GINGHAMS Regular 15 to 20 cents. SALE PRICE ONLY 10 cents.

EMBROIDERIES 15 and 20 cents. PRICES CUT TO 10 cents.

COLLAR & CUFF SETS All Kinds, Now selling AT JUST HALF PRICE.

I am much overstocked in RIBBONS Always useful and good value at Regular Prices, but they must be moved off and are now going at LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

ALL OVER LACES NOW JUST HALF PRICE.

CHILDREN'S HATS & BONNETS not many left, while they last at 50 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

A good line of BATH TOWELS All to be cleared at SALE PRICES.

YOU ARE INVITED to come in, look over my stock, and avail yourself of the unusual opportunity this Half Price Sale affords.

## The Ladies' Emporium,

MRS. A. MILNE, Proprietress.

## Buy Heat Producing Foods Now.

COLD WEATHER is again with us. Every household will now require foods that will help keep the body warm and healthy. Following are a few lines we suggest to every buyer of foods for the home.

### SOUPS

What is more nourishing or stimulating than a plate of steaming hot soup? Easily prepared from either packets or tins. Per Packet 5 cents, per Tin 20c; 3 Tins for 50c.

### MEAT EXTRACTS

After a cold drive a good dish of BOVRIL or OXO, helps to bring the body back to normal. BOVRIL 50c and 90c per bottle. OXO, 2 Packets 25 cents.

### HOT COCOA

Before retiring, a cup of hot COCOA is an ideal drink. COCOA is a food that is growing rapidly in favor, and should be in every home. Per 1/2 lb. Tin 30 cents.

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**Orchard Protection. Article III.**

Last week, under the heading, "Orchard Protection," we discussed the organization of the Fruit Protective Associations in the State of Washington, and noted that their primary object was to assist in the complete eradication of fire blight, and to foster a spirit of closer co-operation between the fruit growers and the Horticultural Inspection Department of the State. We now wish to continue this discussion. Nine of the best authorities on blight control in the north-west, including such practical fruit growers as W. P. Sawyer, the Wapato Pear King, who gave the fruit growers of British Columbia such an able address in Victoria at the B.C. Growers' Convention in 1913; F. G. Carlisle of Kettle Falls, orchardist, and one of the best known practical growers in Washington; F. E. De Sellem, Inspector-at-Large at North Yakima; and Prof. V. I. Saffro, Entomologist of the Kentucky Tobacco Product Company, producers of the well-known Black Leaf 40, all unite in unanimously supporting "Community Organization" as the most effective aid to the control of blight.

Mr Luke Powell of Prosser, Washington, says, in regard to organized effort against blight: "Fire blight cannot be successfully controlled in any district where it is widely disseminated, unless the fruit growers are organized and co-operate in using the most efficient methods of eradication. I say this after four years of experience." Mr Powell was the Horticultural Inspector who attracted such wide attention through his success in getting the business men of the city to turn out at 4.30 a.m. each day for several weeks to help the growers control blight. In a personal letter to the writer, Mr Powell gives this testimony of his work and efforts: "Now, the climax of the whole work came last spring, when we had a very severe attack of blight. The Grangers, or better say Ranchers and Commercial Club men, were feeling quite kindly toward each other, when blight broke out so badly. Many of the Ranchers were so discouraged they were ready to throw up and quit. I am frank to confess that I was up a tree myself, when Mr L. L. Linn, President of the Commercial Club, County Auditor, and a leader in the public spirit of the community work, came to me and offered me the help of the Commercial Club men to cut blight. I was to take from eighteen to twenty out each morning at 4.30 a.m., superintend the work, and they would work until seven o'clock, and return in time to go to work at eight. This did not appeal to me at first, and I turned it down, but later in the day a Rancher came to me asking for aid, and so I proposed to him to bring out these green fellows and cut his blight. He agreed, and so we tried it out. Before the season was over we cut for about six weeks. We had sixty men enlisted, lawyers, preachers, merchants, doctors, retired ranchers, business men, and even visitors. The crews of twenty men went every third morning, the business men furnished the machines. They did good work, and healed any breach between Rancher and Town man so tightly that so far there has not been the slightest showing of a break. Other communities copied ours, but they did not seem to get the results, and I think I can sum that up in a few words, 'Our men did not do this because someone else did, but because they had the community interest at heart'."

The business men of Prosser realized that on the success of the orchardist depended the success of their different enterprises, and they faithfully gave of their time and money to help the fruit grower. However, they would not have turned out as they did, if they had not first of all, realized that the Ranchers were organized, and doing all that they could for themselves. Knowing this they gladly put forth their best efforts in protecting the interests common to the community. Help yourselves, fruit growers of British Columbia by organizing, and you will find not only the support of your neighboring town men behind you, but that of the Provincial Government, which will quickly recognize and appreciate your efforts.

It is this spirit and principle of co-operation, backed by united action that is most needed to make fruit growing districts prosperous centres. An orchardist cannot make the greatest success unless the community in which he is located is generally prosperous. Only by pulling together to combat the problems common to each neighborhood is the full advantage of the efforts of each and every grower obtained. These advantages in turn are the results of organized effort, and are well established in the state to the south of us through the medium of the Fruit Protective Association. Fruit growers and business men unite in testifying to the working practicability of this.

In studying the Fruit Protective Associations as applied to the control of blight in the State of Washington, it has occurred to the Department of Agriculture that these organizations should serve equally well in fighting all pests and diseases peculiar to the separate districts of the fruit growing area in the Interior of the province. In recognizing that blight is a community problem and not an individual one, since each infection may be the source of blighting the neighboring orchards, it is quite apparent that most of our common economic pests are equally general, and that the advantages obtained from organizing to fight blight, would apply in controlling such pests as aphids and scale insects—or such diseases as Apple Scab and Powdery Mildew. Whatever pest or disease threatens the orchards of a community, united action by growers is sure to prove more effective and cheaper, than individual, spasmodic effort.

**GROWERS DO MORE FOR THEMSELVES.**

The Department of Agriculture has always done a great deal for the fruit grower. It has freely and ungrudgingly given support along every line of endeavor, and has given serious consideration to all requests made by growers for assistance. There is now an increasing sentiment among orchardists of the province, that growers should do more for themselves, and in offering to each orchard community the opportunity to form a Fruit Protective Association under the guidance of the Department of Agriculture, the government feels that a step toward making this possible for growers has been taken. It will, however, rest entirely with the growers just how strong and prudent the organizations become, and to what extent the growers in any community are willing to meet each other on the basis of give and take, necessary to gain united action.

**GOVERNMENT SUPPORT.**

In suggesting that fruit growers organize, the government does not want to give the impression that it intends to stop doing its share toward making the orchard industry a success. Far from that—but it does feel and realize that with orchard interests united, it can more quickly, economically, and effectively, carry on its efforts in your behalf. At present, each District Fruit Post Inspector has a very large orchard area to cover, and with more orchards annually coming into bearing ago the difficulties of properly helping growers to control the pests and diseases is constantly increasing. To meet this under the present system of inspection, a great many more inspectors would soon be required to patrol adequately the orchards, report the presence of pests, and suggest control measures in time to be of value. Often an inspector may pass through several orchards before he finds a grower who is in real need of assistance—in other words, the inspector has to hunt out the grower who needs him most. Of how much more assistance could the inspector be if he could go directly to those who need him most—how many more could he serve in a day—how much more certain could the inspector be of keeping in touch with the real orchard problems of his territory. The Department feels that with the fruit growers organized, those needing assistance will promptly report to the chairman of his neighborhood, who, if the case requires immediate attention, will phone the District Inspector, and in other cases will drop

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**ADVANTAGE TO OUTLYING DISTRICTS.**

It is not possible to furnish every orchard community with a District Inspector, and many sections with a large number of orchards have not received such attention as have the more heavily settled districts. At such points, Fruit Protective Associations should prove of great assistance, and regular visits of the nearest inspector could be obtained by making the request through the chairman. Consequently these organizations will make it possible for the government men to cover a larger area, and increase the efficiency of its inspection service without added cost.

If you are a fruit grower take the first opportunity that comes to you to discuss this question with the District Inspector. It is the intention of these articles to point out to fruit growers what the Fruit Protective Association is, and what service it can render to you, if you do your share in co-operation.

Next week an outline of a working organization will be suggested and discussed, for which we request your close attention.

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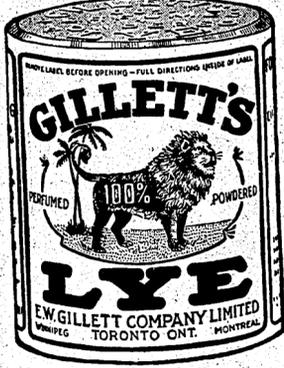
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## Annual Meeting of Farmers' Institute

Officers For 1916 Selected.

The annual meeting for election of officers for the coming year for the local branch of the Farmers' Institute of British Columbia, was held on Friday evening last as per announcement. The attendance was fully up to standard, and was much above the average. The reports of the officers went to show that the Institute is in a sound position financially and that with a little more of the "get-together" spirit to actuate the membership throughout the year, still better results would be sure to follow.

In the course of the election of officers it was decided to proceed to appoint first, a board of directors, as is the regular plan as outlined in departmental instructions, and to allow the directorate select their own officials.

In response to the call of nominations some six names were placed before the meeting which resulted in Messrs Geo. Cook, J. H. Pushman and T. H. Boothe being selected. In a meeting of these three directors, held subsequently, it is learned that the officials for 1916 are now:

President George Cook.  
Vice-President, T. H. Boothe.  
Secy.-Treas., J. H. Pushman.

The practice of holding monthly meetings is to be continued, and to follow as far as possible an outlined program now in course of preparation. This plan, if adhered to, should result in a greater amount of useful work being done in the course of the year, and one which should tend to distribute the work more evenly on the shoulders of the membership as a whole.

When the question came up as to the advisability of giving instructions to their representative to the convention at Victoria, shortly to be held, Mr Armour brought up the question of having the government urged to offer a small bounty for the destruction of such birds as magpies and hawks, in order the better to safeguard the lives of so many harmless birds which do so much for the welfare of the fruit industry.

### NARAMATA SCOUT DOINGS.

#### Troop Put Through Their Ambulance Tests

The Scout Hall on the evening of Thursday week was the scene of interesting proceedings. The occasion was the test for Second Class Ambulance. Of the sixteen Scouts now enrolled, fifteen were in attendance, all of whom were successful in passing the numerous practical tests in order to qualify for Ambulance Badges. A number of parents and friends of the boys were in attendance, some of whom assisted in judging the merits of the answers of the boys to the lengthy list of test questions.

Much credit is due the present Scoutmaster, Mr J. C. Williams, for his untiring efforts in behalf of the boys, who appear to appreciate the work being done. It certainly would have delighted former leader, Mr Pitman and also Dr Will Robinson, who when he was here taught the methods of First Aid, to have noted the ready and manly replies of the lads.

It is likely that in the near future the boys may put on a concert in the public hall, when the instruction in dumb-bell and Indian club exercises now being conducted under Mr Nuttall will be exhibited for the benefit of the parents.

The following was the program followed in the course of the tests: Fireman's test; Drag a man with a rope; Make a stretcher; Show the position of the main arteries; Show how to stop bleeding from a vein and from an artery; Show difference in treatment between external bleeding and internal bleeding; Improve a set of splints; Show how to treat burning; poison, choking, grit in the eye. Those assisting in the judging were Mesdames Reesor, Wolstencroft, Williams, and Hughes, and also Messrs T. H. Rayner, T. I. Williams, H. O. Hughes and Capt. F. J. Languedoc.

The boys now entitled to wear the Ambulance Badges are S. Allen, H. Allen, Ed. Boothe, R. Boothe, J. Bruce, Earl Hughes, Ira Hughes, W. Mitchell, H. Reesor,

### Current Events — OF — Town & District

Mr and Mrs J. M. Robinson spent a few days in Summerland this week.

Mr Fred Young, after a few weeks' stay in town, left on Monday for Victoria, prior to returning East.

Pruning operations were discontinued by all but the more desperate of our weather "dares" during the recent relapse into the cold north winds.

T. H. Boothe spent Saturday in Penticton, and on his return trip was accompanied by Master Frank Hughes, who was here on a visit with his folks over the week-end.

The call for a volunteer library has so far met with very gratifying results, and before long we hope to be in a position to acknowledge the full list of donations, through the agency of this column.

Mayor Jones of Kelowna, Liberal-Conservative candidate for provincial honors in the forthcoming election has planned to visit Naramata and Summerland early next week. It is understood that Tuesday is the day set aside for a visit to Naramata.

Both the "Sicamous" and the C.P.R. tug "Naramata" were anchored here over Saturday night last and till the warning of the sudden storm came on Sunday afternoon, when both vessels sought shelter on the south side of Trout Creek point.

The two ferry boats, "Skookum" and "Trepanier," moored to the old mill wharf north of town, during the sudden and terrific storm of Sunday afternoon, came in for some pretty rough handling. Fortunately no serious damage was done to either vessel, and the public may soon expect to see the regular service again resumed.

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### Naramata Current Events. (Continued).

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Miss Bessie Mitchell was the guest of honor at a charming afternoon tea given on Tuesday by Mrs P. S. Roe.

Mr Harold Steers paid a visit this week to his brother Ernest, now at work on the K.V.R. west of Princeton.

Free tickets refunded all Naramata friends buying goods at Beer's Big Shoe Sale, to value of \$5 or more. See page 6.

Mr J. E. Kirt of Peachland was a guest at Syndica House over Sunday, and while here took advantage of the chance thus afforded him of looking up a few of his friends.

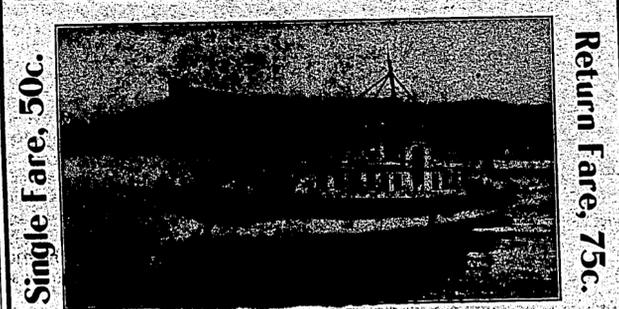
The C.P.R. steamer "Sicamous" — or was it her weather-wise captain — while anchored here for the week-end, evidently foresaw the hurricane that swept down the lake on Sunday afternoon, and wily put out to sea an hour or so beforehand, and sought safer anchorage on the south side of Trout Creek point.

A mighty conflict of the elements between the two old time rivals, the south and the north winds, on Sunday resulted in the latter winning a decisive victory. The change in temperature was sudden as it was unexpected. Alas for the hopes of an early spring! We are yet in the grip of King Winter, with his numerous reinforcements of north winds.

Roy Boothe, of the 11th C.M.R., stationed at Willows Camp, Victoria, writes entertainingly of a recent experience. Through the courtesy of certain officials he was taken aboard a submarine at Esquimalt, and for two hours was out to sea — most of the time spent down among the fishes. His letter states that the men of his bunch after being, many of them, for over a year in training in khaki, are impatient to get where they are nearer the front — a privilege doubtless soon to be accorded them.

The Junior Epworth League meeting held at the home of Mrs P. I. Williams on Friday evening last proved more than ordinarily interesting, and withal instructive. In fact the innovation of holding the meetings at least occasionally at the homes of the parents more directly interested in the progress of this young society may become a feature at least of the winter programs. In addition to the regular routine service there were four papers read by four of the youthful members. Papers, the preparation and reading of which must have involved no little effort on the part of these young boys: Cecil Rayner, Arnold Stiff, Harold Allen, and Earl Hughes. The meeting was in charge of Master Hodley Reesor.

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Myrtle Rebekah Lodge, No 32, will meet in Oddfellows' Hall on Wednesday, February 2nd, at 8 p.m.

The receipt of \$11.65 from the Five Hundred Club is gratefully acknowledged by the treasurer of the Ambulance League.

Rev. N. McNaughton returned on Friday evening last week from Winnipeg, where he had been called by the sudden death of his father.

Presbyterian services will be held at St Andrew's Church next Sunday morning, and in the Methodist Church at 3 p.m. Rev. C. H. Daly will conduct both services.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the home of Mrs Mary Campbell on Friday afternoon, February 4th, at three o'clock.

On the Flat, on Sunday morning Spring had come, perhaps you'd think.

But next day the place was looking like a bloomin' skating rink.

Mrs R. C. Lipsett expects to leave for Victoria the first of the week, where she goes to attend a meeting of the members of the Advisory Board of the Women's Institutes of B.C.

Mr S. B. Snider has returned to Summerland from the Coast, where he has been since about the first of the year. He also sent along some of his furniture and household belongings to go into the new house recently erected on his Giant's Head lot.

Pte. Percy Holder, now in England, was able to get leave from camp to spend Christmas with relatives. He with some of the other boys, has been suffering from a cold, but by early consulting a doctor, soon threw off the attack, and according to a letter received by his sister, Mrs M. Tait, is fully well again. Mrs Tait says he did not find it necessary to go into hospital as was reported.

In response to numerous requests for another stanza to be added to "Okanagan Weather," and inasmuch as the weather man has made some additions himself, the following is submitted:

These frigid days, that freeze our spuds,  
And ruin all our peach tree buds,  
And nip us through our warmest duds,  
And make us blather,  
That form ice in our water main  
And paralyze our septic drain,  
Take these and give us back again  
Our Okanagan weather.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St Andrew's Church held its annual meeting recently at the home of Mrs Daly. The financial report was a most encouraging one, the sum of \$400 having been raised through the organization during 1915. The new officers are:

Hon. President - Mrs Fraser;  
President - Miss Aitchison;  
Vice-Presidents - Mrs J. J. Mitchell,  
Mrs H. Sutherland,  
and Mrs J. C. Brown;  
Secretary - Mrs J. Tait;  
Treasurer - Mrs A. H. Steven.

The first meeting of the year of this vigorous organization will be held at the home of Mrs A. Moyes next Thursday at 3 p.m.

Mr J. M. Robinson will probably go down to the Coast on Monday to attend to some matters of business.

The Home Comfort Club will meet at the home of Mrs J. Rowley on Thursday, February 3rd, at 7 p.m.

Mr J. B. Robinson, who has now quite recovered, from the sudden illness with which he was stricken just before Christmas, returned to his home in Peachland on Monday morning.

Still later reports received here from some of his companions confirm the first reports that Pte. Geo. McLeod died of pneumonia and not of diphtheria, as quoted in these columns last week.

Another of our citizens, Mr S. Bartholomew, has enlisted. He went up to Kamloops yesterday where he joins the 102nd with the object of transferring later to some position in the forces for which his experience specially qualifies him.

Mr D. E. Hatt has been asked to give recitals at several towns in the northern end of the Valley, giving readings from his publication "Random Rhymes," and leaves early next week. He expects to be away about a week.

The two weeks' lecture course to be held under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute, through the Department of Agriculture, Victoria, will commence on Wednesday morning next, 2nd February, in the Campbell Hall, West Summerland. Everyone should avail themselves of this opportunity. Fee for Course \$1.00.

Methodist Church services will be conducted on Sunday next at 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. by Rev R. W. Lee. At the morning service the subject of address will be the "Re-Incarnation." The evening service will be held in St Andrew's Church, when Rev R. W. Lee will speak on "Is the World Upside Down?" A hearty invitation is given to all.

Provincial Live Stock Commissioner, W. T. McDonald, announces that the Department of Agriculture will add a pig-raising competition to its field crop competitions carried on every year, mainly through the various Farmers' Institutes. The entries for these different competitions have increased from 365 in 1913 to 812 in 1915, and this year the department is proposing to extend still further the scope of these competitions.

Rev and Mrs W. H. Ellis, of Shaunavon, Sask., who attended the meetings of the Baptist Union at the Coast, broke their return journey to make a trip down the Okanagan. Mrs Ellis is an old friend of Mrs Thos. Garnett's family, and Mr Ellis has many old friends here as well. They were entertained by Mr and Mrs Thos. Garnett and took occasion to call on a number of their old friends. They went out on Tuesday morning.

The first meeting of the 1916 Board of Managers of St Andrew's Church was held at the home of Mr and Mrs J. G. Robertson last Monday evening. The attendance was excellent. The following officers were elected:

Chairman - J. G. Robertson;  
Secretary, - A. H. Steven;  
Treasurer, - Lee McLaughlin.  
Messrs D. Gray, R. Johnston and C. W. Lees are the latest additions to the Board which is beginning the new year with a considerable measure of enthusiasm.

There is no fruit which has so many legends associated with it as the apple. Owing to the apple being such a common, everyday fruit, few people ever stop to consider its real food and medicinal value. Eaten raw there is no better stimulant for a sluggish liver, as an apple or two eaten before retiring for the night will often be more effectual than the use of drugs.

Rev. Charles Baker, pastor of the Yorkton, Sask., Baptist Church, was with the pastor in the pulpit of the Lakeside Baptist Church, and drew a very interesting and instructive lesson from the incident of Christ and blind Bartimeus. Mr Baker was one of the prairie representatives at the recent Baptist Union sessions held in Vancouver, and stopped off here on his way home by special invitation of Mr and Mrs W. C. Kelley, old friends of prairie days. Mr Baker takes a keen interest in educational matters in Yorkton, and gives some hours each week instructing High School boys in manual work of which he has long made a hobby.

**THE SMALL TOWN KICKER.**

There are fancier towns than our little town, there are towns that are bigger than this; and the people who live in the tinier towns all the city excitement will miss. There are things you can see in the wealthier towns that you can't in the town that is small; and yet up and down there is no other town like our own little town after all. It may be that the street through the heart of our town isn't wide, isn't long, isn't straight; but the neighbors, you know, in our little town with a welcome will wait. In the glittering streets of the glittering town with its palace and pavement and thrall, in the midst of the throng you will frequently long for our own little town after all. If you live and work in our town, in spite of the fact that it's small, you'll find that the town—our own little town—is the best of a town after all.—Ex.

Four strong allies of the Kaiser which are rampant just now, according to a prohibition exchange, are Scotch whisky, Irish whisky, English ale, and a Canadian concoction known familiarly as "kill-at-forty-rods."



**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.  
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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Some of KALEDEN'S  
**BEST NURSERY STOCK**  
to be Sold at BARGAIN PRICES.  
Consisting of Fruit, Ornamental and Shade Trees; Shrubs and Roses. Offered by—  
**A. G. GUILD, Nurseryman, PENTICTON,**  
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**Grasp this simple fact !!!**

OUR CHARGES are astonishingly small in comparison to the service rendered. With free collection and delivery—no freight charges—and only the bare cost of the labor—our CASH ON DELIVERY SYSTEM enables us to actually save money for the housewife who formerly has attempted to have her washing done at home—a most hopeless operation this weather, at any rate.

Phone 711 for Particulars. **THOS. H. RILEY,** Agent for Penticton WHITE Laundry.

**YOUR COAT**

The coat made to fit You—that is your coat if it is tailored-to-your-measure by the House of Hobberlin. The fitting is to your individual figure and will not fail to please—be you ever so particular and exacting.

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The Man Who Saves You \$\$\$'s  
Summerland and West Summerland  
Phones 34 and 24

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**COLD, ISN'T IT?**

That is, it is cold for Summerland.

The Kind of Weather that makes Telephone Users Appreciate the Service Given Them

How much nicer to transact your business over the phone, than to go tramping or driving about the district!

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Hundreds of dollars were saved to our customers last year in Discounts. Begin the New Year by paying Cash and saving dollars.

**T. N. RITCHIE.**

**THE Annual Meeting OF THE SUMMERLAND Liberal-Conservative Association**

will be held on  
**Monday, January 31st, at 8 p.m., in St. Stephen's Parish Hall,**  
for the Election of Officers and Other Business.

**Mr. J. W. JONES,** the candidate of the party in the forthcoming election, will be present, and will be glad to meet as many of his friends as can make it convenient to attend.

**C. H. CORDY, Secretary.**

# GREAT SHOES SALE

I HAVE PURCHASED the entire Stock of Boots and Shoes of the Summerland Supply Co.'s down town store. This places me in the position of having many lines **OVERSTOCKED**. I am therefore offering the combined stock for sale at  
**Unprecedented Bargains.**

Nearly \$5,000.00 Worth of Shoes

(the largest single stock and the greatest range of styles and makes ever offered to the Public of Summerland) will be, to the last pair, including RUBBER, FELT, LEATHER, CLOTH TOP SATIN, VELVET, FANCY "TURN," CANVAS and other Footwear, from Size 0 for Snookums to Size 11 for Daddy, REDUCED 20 PER CENT, 25 PER CENT, 30 PER CENT, 50 PER CENT,

and even **60 per cent.**

More than half the best makes in the country are represented, such as Beresford's, Bell's, Minister My'les', Vassar's, Leckie's, McCready's, Ames Holden, McKillop's and many others.  
Also some American makes.

## Shoes For Men

- Eight Eyelet HIGH TOP ORCHARD BOOTS, Regular \$4.75, SALE PRICE \$2.40
- TAN 14 inch BLUCHER ORCHARD BOOTS, Regular \$6.85, SALE PRICE \$3.45
- GUM RUBBERS, Size 11 only, Four Eyelet, Rolled Edge, Regular \$3.90, SALE PRICE \$1.95
- PATENT OXFORD, Regular \$4.25, SALE PRICE \$2.15
- GUN METAL OXFORD, Regular \$4.25, SALE PRICE \$2.15
- TAN CALF OXFORD, Regular \$4.60, SALE PRICE \$2.30
- ALL FELT, Regular \$2.75, SALE PRICE \$1.40
- FELT TOP DONGOLA COVERED LEATHER SOLE BLUCHER, Regular \$2.75, SALE PRICE \$1.40
- VICI KID GOODYEAR, Regular \$5.25, SALE PRICE \$3.95
- PATENT GOODYEAR WELT BLUCHERS, Regular \$6.00, SALE PRICE \$4.50



GUN METAL CALF BLUCHER, Regular \$5.75, SALE PRICE \$2.90

- TAN CALF BLUCHER, Regular \$5.75, SALE PRICE \$4.60
- DONGOLA PLAIN TOE OXFORD, Regular \$3.00, SALE PRICE \$1.50
- GUN METAL RECEDE TOE, New Last (Beresford), Regular \$6.00, SALE PRICE \$4.80
- BERESFORD CUSHION SOLE, Arch Support Built In, Regular \$6.50, SALE PRICE \$5.20
- PATENT LEATHER DANCING PUMP (McPherson Style), Regular \$4.25, SALE PRICE \$2.15
- CANVAS SHOES ALL DESCRIPTION, 50 PER CENT OFF.

## Shoes For Misses

- DONGOLA BLUCHER, Regular \$2.50, SALE PRICE \$1.25
- STRONG PEBBLE BALMORALS, Regular \$2.50, SALE PRICE \$1.25
- DONGOLA PATENT TIP OXFORDS, Regular \$2.50, SALE PRICE \$1.25
- Regular \$1.90, SALE PRICE .95
- Chocolate DONGOLA OXFORDS, Regular \$1.75, SALE PRICE .90
- DONGOLA BLUCHER, Patent Tip, Regular \$1.75, SALE PRICE .90
- RED DONGOLA BLUCHER, Regular \$1.60, SALE PRICE .65
- Regular \$1.80, SALE PRICE .75
- GUN METAL, BUTTON, Regular \$2.70, SALE PRICE \$2.15
- GUN METAL, LACE, Regular \$2.50, SALE PRICE \$2.00
- NECHRO CALF BLUCHER, Regular \$2.40, SALE PRICE \$1.90
- CHOCOLATE BLUCHER, Regular \$2.60, SALE PRICE \$1.95

- GUN METAL BLUCHER, Regular \$3.20, SALE PRICE \$2.55
- GUN METAL Mary Jane PUMPS, Regular \$2.40, SALE PRICE \$1.90
- Patent MARY JANE PUMPS, Regular \$2.65, SALE PRICE \$2.10
- Tan MARY JANE PUMPS, Regular \$2.40, SALE PRICE \$1.90
- ROMEO Felt Slippers, Fur-Tipped, Regular \$1.25, SALE PRICE .90
- Regular \$1.00, SALE PRICE .70
- CANVAS SHOES ALL DESCRIPTION, 50 PER CENT OFF.

## Shoes For Children

- DONGOLA BLUCHER, Regular .85, SALE PRICE .45
- DONGOLA STRAP SLIPPERS, Regular \$1.25, SALE PRICE .65
- DONGOLA BALMORALS, Regular \$1.50, SALE PRICE .75
- CHOCOLATE BUTTON, Regular \$1.00, SALE PRICE .75
- GUN METAL BLUCHER, Regular \$2.40, SALE PRICE \$1.90
- PEBBLE BLUCHER, Regular \$2.00, SALE PRICE \$1.60
- SOFT SOLES, Regular .75, SALE PRICE .40
- Regular .50, SALE PRICE .30
- Regular .35, SALE PRICE .20

## Shoes For Boys

- DONGOLA BLUCHER, Regular \$2.75, SALE PRICE \$1.40
- TAN CALF BLUCHER, Regular \$3.90, SALE PRICE \$3.10
- Heavy DOUBLE SOLED BOOTS, Exceptionally Strong, Regular \$3.40, SALE PRICE \$2.70

- HOCKEY BOOTS, Regular \$1.75, SALE PRICE \$1.40
- MENOGRAIN, Regular \$2.85, SALE PRICE \$2.30
- RUBBERS, Regular .90 SALE PRICE .60
- OVERSHOES, Regular 1.50, SALE PRICE .60

## Shoes for Youths

- BOX CALF BLUCHER, Regular \$2.25, SALE PRICE \$1.80
- TAN CALF BUTTONED, Regular \$3.25, SALE PRICE \$2.60
- PEBBLE GRAIN, Regular \$1.90, SALE PRICE \$1.50
- GUM RUBBER BOOTS, Regular \$1.50, SALE PRICE \$1.20
- PLAIN OVER RUBBERS, Regular .65, SALE PRICE .40

## Shoes For Women

- TAN CALF STOUT SOLE GOODYEAR WELT BLUCHER, Regular \$5.00, SALE PRICE \$2.50
- PATENT LEATHER LACE GOODYEAR, Regular \$4.75, SALE PRICE \$2.40
- DONGOLA PATENT TOP, BUTTONED, Regular \$3.25, SALE PRICE \$2.45
- PULL-OVER RUBBERS, Regular \$1.05, SALE PRICE \$.85
- Regular \$.90, SALE PRICE \$.70
- GUN METAL OXFORD GOODYEAR WELT, Regular \$4.25, SALE PRICE \$3.40
- VASSAR GUN METAL PUMPS, Regular \$3.75, SALE PRICE \$3.00
- COLORED SATIN PUMPS, White, Pink and Blue, Regular \$2.60, SALE PRICE \$2.10



- 2 Buckle OVERSHOES, Regular \$2.50, SALE PRICE \$1.90
- TAN OXFORDS, Regular \$3.25, SALE PRICE \$1.65
- CANVAS SHOES, All Description, 50 PER CENT OFF.
- TAN CALF TIES, Regular \$3.75, SALE PRICE \$3.00
- Brown SUEDE PUMPS, Regular \$4.75, SALE PRICE \$3.80
- JAEGER SLIPPERS, Regular \$1.00, SALE PRICE \$.80
- JAEGER SLIPPERS, Regular \$1.25, SALE PRICE \$1.00
- HOCKEY BOOTS, Regular \$3.55, SALE PRICE \$2.85
- PATENT PUMPS, Regular \$4.25, SALE PRICE \$3.40

- K BOOTS, Regular \$7.50, SALE PRICE \$6.00
- PULLOVER RUBBERS, Regular \$1.10, SALE PRICE \$.90
- 10 in ELK ORCHARD BOOTS, Regular \$8.50, SALE \$5.95
- DOCTOR'S SPECIAL, Regular \$6.50, SALE PRICE \$5.20
- FELT SLIPPERS, Regular \$1.50, SALE PRICE \$1.05
- Chocolate Romeo SLIPPERS Reg. \$2.75, SALE PRICE \$2.20
- DONGOLA SLIPPERS, Regular \$1.50, SALE PRICE \$1.20
- 3 Buckle OVERSHOES, Regular \$3.60, SALE PRICE \$2.50
- 3 Eyelet GUM RUBBERS, Reg. \$2.95, SALE PRICE \$2.35
- HOCKEY BOOTS, Regular \$3.50, SALE PRICE \$2.80

## Four Pairs of \$5.00 Shoes

(Your Choice) will be given  
**FREE**

to the four persons who guess the nearest to the number of Shoe Laces shown in my window. No person will be allowed to win more than one pair. One guess for every dollar spent will be allowed.

**Don't Miss the Largest Shoe Sale Ever Held in Summerland**  
Sale Begins To-morrow Morning, Saturday, Jan. 29th,  
and Continues until Further Notice. **TERMS CASH.**

DON'T WAIT TILL SPRING to buy your summer requirements in Footwear, fit up the family NOW, while the OPPORTUNITY is YOURS, and put your money out at 50% to 100% interest.

# A. J. BEER

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1916.

## Ice Arrests Mail Boat.

### Report Channel To Be Opened.

Only once in a generation, but that is quite often enough. Not for twenty-three years has this favored part of the globe experienced such a long "spell" of cold freezing weather, and if it continues much longer Okanagan Lake will be covered with a solid sheet of ice from end to end, as it was in 1893, and once before within the memory of the pale-face, in 1869—twenty-four years before.

For more than a week the big C.P.R. steamer "Sicamous" and the steel tug have been fighting to keep open a channel through the bridge of ice several miles in extent at Kelowna. Except for that obstruction there has been little ice to interfere with navigation between the Landing at the upper end of the lake and Summerland and Naramata at the south—Penticton having been shut off by ice for some days—until Monday night, when the drifting ice blown from the north, constantly lengthening the sheet covering the south end of the lake, had so far enlarged the latter as to include the wharf at Naramata. That night the boat broke the ice, but did not attempt to return. Tuesday night the Sum-

merland wharf was reached and the get-away made on Wednesday morning with considerable difficulty. But Captain Robinson was not going to be easily defeated, and that night again headed his ship for Summerland, but when within a short distance of his destination had to give up. For a time it looked as though the boat would be frozen in, but Thursday noon she got free and headed north again.

Finding the boat could come no further Postmaster Hayes, accompanied by J. Lawler with his car, went up to Crescent Beach on Thursday forenoon, and with a hand sleigh walked off to the boat, and brought to the Summerland and West Summerland mails.

It is reported on good authority that preparations are being made to open a channel in the ice between Summerland wharf and open water, two or three miles away. A report from the Landing to the effect that the "Okanagan" and two barges are being prepared for ice breaking supports this. Another story from this same source says the "Sicamous" will not come further than Kelowna to-night, continuing south in the morning.

### DEMAND FOR POTATOES CONTINUES.

The demand for British Columbia potatoes in Eastern and other centres continues brisk. It is estimated that various shipments, totalling one hundred cars will be dispatched to points in Eastern Canada this week from potato growing districts in this province. The inspectors are rigidly examining the shipments so as not to impair future shipments through careless grading and inspection. "The outlook for the potato grower was never so good in all my experience," states Inspector Thomas Cunningham. "We are appealing to all to protect the industry by their co-operation with the department in the efforts to keep up the grade."

Legislation which, if it proves workable, is likely to draw down blessings upon the heads of the framers, from the smaller town merchants, is being introduced in Manitoba, providing for the taxation of all mail order business carried on within the province. The measure defines mail order business as including all commercial and mercantile concerns, wholesale or retail, that distribute to the consumer at large a catalogue, price list, book, or pamphlet setting forth different articles for sale.

How few individuals really understand the dietetic value of apples. They are regarded by many as merely a tasty addition to a meal. Few people give a thought to their health-giving qualities.

### SCHOOL ESTIMATES SLIGHTLY INCREASED.

(Continued from page 1.)

qualified for this work, the lectures to include subjects related to our principal industry, were proposed by Mrs. Ross, and more of this will likely be heard later. Mrs. Ross also submitted a request from the secretary of the Farmers' Institute that opportunity be given older pupils to learn fruit packing, shortage of fruit packers being one of the reasons advanced for making the request.

### CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SUMMERLAND.

## LIST OF LOAN BY-LAWS

Representing the Bonded Indebtedness of the Municipality

No. of By-Law	Date of By-Law	Amount of By-Law	Purposes of By-Law	Period to run	Rate of Interest	Amt. to be levied for Interest	each year for Sinking Fd.
9	1st Dec. 1907	\$15,000.00	Road Improvement	20 yrs.	5 p.c.	\$750.00	\$503.72
10	1st Dec. 1907	5,000.00	Park	20 "	5 p.c.	250.00	167.90
11	1st Dec. 1907	4,000.00	Roads	20 "	5 p.c.	250.00	167.90
21	5th May 1910	77,000.00	Municipal Site	30 "	5 p.c.	3,850.00	1,372.92
22	5th May 1910	17,500.00	Purchase Irrigation System	30 "	5 p.c.	875.00	312.03
23	5th May 1910	17,500.00	Purchase Domestic Water System	30 "	5 p.c.	875.00	312.03
24	5th May 1910	23,500.00	Purchase Electric Light System	30 "	5 p.c.	1,175.00	419.00
25	5th May 1910	80,000.00	Improvement Irrigation System and plant	30 "	5 p.c.	4,000.00	1,426.40
26	5th May 1910	44,500.00	Domestic Water System Improvement	30 "	5 p.c.	2,225.00	793.44
28	1st Dec. 1910	2,500.00	School Purposes	10 "	5 p.c.	125.00	208.23
35	1st Dec. 1911	2,500.00	School Purposes	10 "	5 p.c.	125.00	208.23
42&64	1st Dec. 1912	12,000.00	Irrigation Improvement	30 "	5 p.c.	600.00	213.96
43&65	1st Dec. 1912	2,000.00	Electric Light	20 "	5 p.c.	100.00	67.16
57	1st May 1914	20,000.00	Irrigation Improvement	20 "	6 p.c.	1,200.00	671.64
66	1st Nov. 1914	\$10,000	Irrigation Improvement	5 "	8 p.c.	640.00	2,000.00
		Paid 1915	2,000				
		Amount now due	8,000.00				
			\$332,000.00				
						\$17,040.00	\$8,844.56

### GOVERNMENT MARKET FOR VANCOUVER.

The Provincial Government is shortly to be urged to establish and maintain a government-owned market at Vancouver. This suggestion originating in the fruit and vegetable section of the lower mainland, will likely come before the forthcoming Farmers' Institute Convention to be held at Victoria, in the form of a resolution to be voted upon. It is argued that while the consumers of the Coast cities had already largely increased their consumption of British Columbia produce during 1915, and there had been a marked decrease in the fruit and vegetables imported from the other side of the line, the grow-

Total Amount payable yearly, being Interest and Sinking Fund \$25,884.56

Total Amount now at credit of Sinking Fund:  
Debentures repurchased out of Sinking Fund \$18,000.00  
Cash in Bank 11,127.75  
Reserve 10,868.57

\$39,996.32

### SUMMARY.

ers of this province must still make further efforts to capture the trade by much greater care and thoroughness in their methods of marketing the produce. Another recommendation that will probably come before the convention as a suggested matter for resolution is that the pint measure be adopted as the standard for marketing berries and currants.	Roads, \$19,000.00
	Park, 5,000.00
	Municipal Site, 1,000.00
	Irrigation, 220,500.00
	Domestic Water, 62,000.00
	Electric Light, 19,500.00
	Schools, 5,000.00
	\$332,000.00

## Fancy Biscuits & Dainties for Reception, Social and Evening Party



Having a Reception or other Social Function? If so we have an attractive line of Fancy Food Stuffs and Dainties that will surely appeal to your guests, such as

Assorted Fancy Biscuits, in half pound packets, worthy your attention

Potted Meats and Peanut Butter for sandwiches

Olives, plain and stuffed; very fine quality in various sized bottles

Delicious Tea, Cocoa and Coffee, the brands that will not disappoint your guests

Other fancy lines include Caviar, Sardines, Salad Dressing, Rusks, Confectionery, Jelly Powders, Junket Tablets, Icing Preparations for Cakes, etc.



# Summerland Supply Co.

# People's Auction SALE

## THURSDAY, Feb. 10th,

Commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Sale to be held in G. N. Gartrell's Building, Adjoining Okanagan Telephone Office.

The following is a partial list of the goods to be Sold Without Reserve.

Dressers	Bed Linen
Washstands	Dishes
Bedsteads, Single and Double	Kitchen Utensils
Bedsprings, " "	Pictures
Mattresses	Blankets
Rugs	Comforters
Curtains	Upholstered Easy Chair
China Cabinet	" " Rocker
Book Shelves	Writing Desk
Centre Table	Sofa
Heating Stove	Washing Machine
Kitchen Range	Single Buggy
Cane Chair Rocker	Jumper
	Set Single Harness

And other articles too numerous to mention.

### TERMS CASH.

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