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Notice of Registration of By-Law

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Village of Athens, on the 30th day of July, 1923, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$40,000 for the purpose of the erection of a High School in the Village of Athens, and that such By-law was registered in the registry office of the registry division of the County of Leeds on the Eleventh day of August, 1923. Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this Thirteenth day of August, 1923.

E. J. PURCELL, Clerk.

For Sale

3 Milch Cows, 3 Yearlings, 3 Calves and about 150 Hens and Chickens.
S. E. BARNES,
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QUABBIN

Quabbin, Aug. —Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edgeley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larue on Sunday.

Miss Mary Hutchison, Ottawa, is spending her holidays under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hagerman and Mrs. M. Sparling motored to Kingston and spent the day with Captain John and Mrs. Carnegie.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warren, Lansdowne, were the guests Mrs. N. Hutchison on Friday.

C. E. Tennant has built a fine new porch and repainted his house which adds much to its appearance.

Roy Ruttle, of St. Catharines, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Ruttle, for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Mattie Hutchison, who has been a patient in Brockville General Hospital, is spending a few days with her son, Norman Hutchison.

Misses Nellie and Bessie Ashly and friends, of Toronto, who have been spending the last two weeks here with their parents, returned to Toronto by motor on Sunday.

Mrs. Maude J. Sparling, Boston, who has been spending the last week with her friend, Mrs. E. Hagerman, left for Ottawa on Thursday en route to British Columbia.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cross, Michigan, who have been guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mattie Hutchison, left by motor on their return trip this morning.

For Sale

On August 27th, between Athens and John Loverin's, Lansdowne Rear, a Ladies' Coat, brown cloth. Finder will please leave same with owner.

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Here and There

A discovery of excellent ochre (raw sienna) was recently made near Ellershouse Station on the Dominion Atlantic Railway. The color is uniform throughout, with very little gritty matter in the main body. The material can be burnt to produce a variety of colors from reddish brown to black. Prospecting is still going on.

Canadian Pacific S.S. "Metagama" westbound from Glasgow via Belfast, recently docked at Montreal and Quebec with the record number of 382 cabin and 1,078 third class passengers. This constituted a record only for ships of the size and type of the "Metagama," the Canadian Pacific Empress liners often having a far larger list.

Canadian Pacific Railway officials estimated that 61,000 men would be required to harvest the western crops this year. They expected to supply only 9,000 from the prairie provinces and British Columbia and made arrangements to carry over 50,000 from Ontario, Quebec and the east.

United States factories turn out chewing gum to the value of \$41,000,000 annually. The extent to which this product is used in this country can be appreciated when it is known that at the Canadian Pacific Windsor station, Montreal, a man is continually employed in removing gum stains from the marble floor.

Despite the fact that the new Basilica at Ste. Anne de Beaupre is still in course of construction, many thousands more have visited the shrine this year than in former years and at frequent intervals the Canadian Pacific Railway has been called upon to add special equipment to its regular trains to accommodate the pilgrims. The Redemptorist Fathers are investigating a large number of cures claimed to be miraculous.

E. L. Richardson, manager of the Calgary Stampede of 1923, held under the patronage of the Prince of Wales and Governor-General Byng, announces that, owing to the enormous success of the great rodeo July 9-14 it will be staged annually instead of at intervals of several years, as heretofore. The recent Stampede was attended by 137,800 people.

Only once in the history of Canada was the gold production record set in 1922 exceeded, and that was in 1900, when the Yukon placers reached the peak of their yield. During 1922, 1,263,364 ounces of gold were mined in the Dominion. The value is set at \$26,116,050, an increase of 36% over the previous year's figures. In 1900, 1,350,057 ounces of gold were mined and the value was \$27,908,153.

Canada's trade is climbing ahead. Total trade in the three months ending June was \$462,544,438, an increase of \$110,841,056 over the corresponding three months of last year. For June alone total trade was \$179,720,516, an increase of \$44,944,732 over last year. Domestic exports in the three months increased approximately \$50,000,000 and imports approximately \$61,000,000.

Imerson's Sale Register

MR. MINER SWEET will hold a Dispersion Sale of Farm Stock and Implements at his farm—half way from Morton to Seely's Bay on Main Road on Tuesday, Sept. 4th, at 1 p. m., sharp. No reserve as farm is sold.—H. W. Imerson, Auctioneer.

MR. S. H. BARLOW, will hold an Auction Sale of Household Effects at his residence, Delta, on Thursday, Sept. 6th at 1 p. m.—H. W. Imerson, Auctioneer.

IMERSON—The Auctioneer

Write or Phone early for dates or call the Reporter and arrange for your Sale.

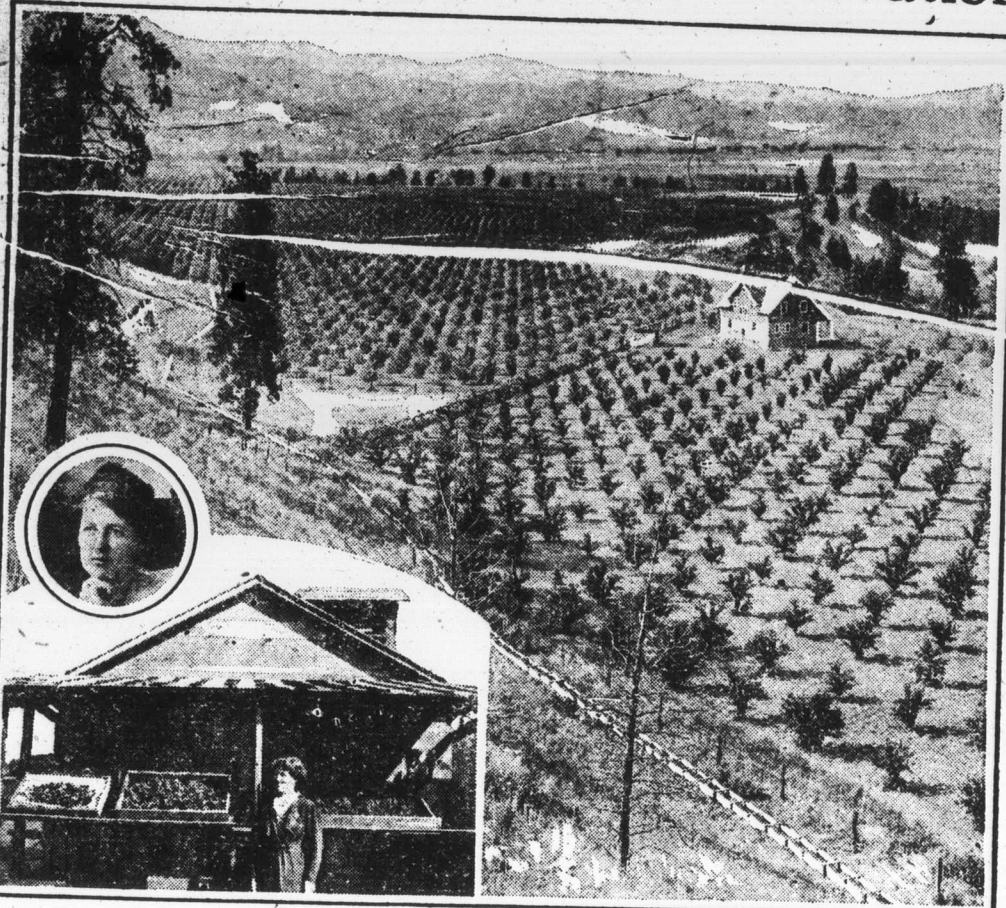
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Okanagan and Fruit Conservation



The view is that of a flourishing new fruit district in the Okanagan Valley near which Mrs. Smith (inset) has opened her dehydration plant (bottom left).

THE fruit products industry of Mrs. M. B. Smith of Naramata, Okanagan Valley, is a story of Canadian initiative that has assumed large proportions. After extensive research work and experimenting on a small scale, Mrs. Smith is this year opening up a large plant for the dehydration of fruit at Poplar Grove, between Naramata and Penticton, where seventy fruit products will be prepared instead of eleven as sent out by Mrs. Smith from her ranch on the benches.

The site of the new factory is a point in the very heart of the fruit district and convenient to the railway. A siding of the Kettle Valley Railway will be run into the premises.

The most important factor of the enlarged scope of the work is that the new industry will utilize much soft and perishable fruit that would otherwise go to waste as most of the fruit must be in a tree-ripened condition for dehydration and therefore much too ripe to ship.

Mrs. Smith was visiting on the prairies in the early stages of the war when conservation of food was beginning to be a vital question. She saw dried logan berries for the first time and it led her to dwell on the possibilities of the dehydration of other fruits and vegetables. Later, visiting in the Okanagan Valley, she was much concerned over the large

quantity of fruit and vegetables that could not be shipped so, with broad vision and patriotic idea, she began the evaporation of fruit. Mrs. Smith made an extensive study of the work and persisted, despite the fact that men of experience declared that she could not dry fruit, other than apples. Now she is in the unique position of being the first one in Canada who has dried fruit, other than apples, on a commercial basis. Her dried peach is the only totally peeled peach on the market, either in Canada or the United States.

Mrs. Smith, being very much interested in movements to promote the practical usefulness of women, declares that there is a large opportunity for women in this work. Having no desire to keep a monopoly of the new industry of which she may be said to be the founder, she hopes that all women in fruit growing districts may start small evaporating plants to care for their surplus fruits, not only for their own households but also for export.

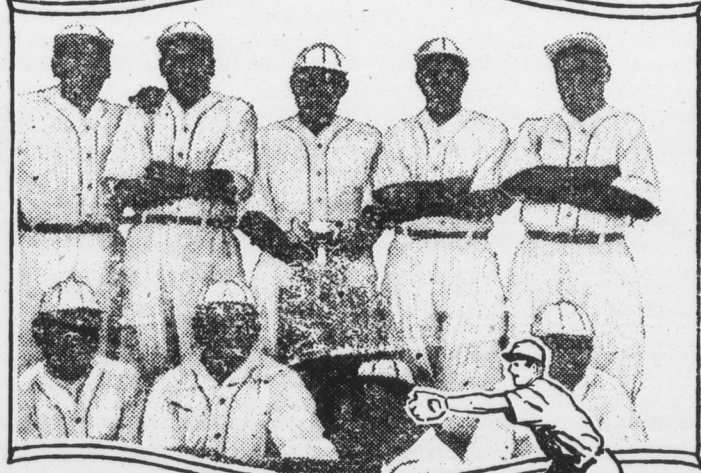
By dehydration a large part of the fruit and vegetables which otherwise spoil is saved. The products are so reduced in weight and bulk that one railway car or one ship will carry as much dehydrated fruit as ten of fresh.

Mrs. Smith, in continuing to make a study of conditions, is opening up a new field and demonstrating that women are the natural housekeepers of the race.

Kootenay Indians Baseball Champions



The Kootenay Indians who played such a prominent part in the pageant arranged in connection with the David Thompson Memorial celebrations at Lake Windermere, B.C., are not only expert riders and canoe-men, but have recently taken to baseball with wonderful enthusiasm. At the Lake Windermere District Fall Fair they played against a white team for the silver cup offered by Randolph Bruce, a local mine owner, winning it with a score of seven to five. The accompanying photographs show the team in their day clothes, and in their baseball rig-out. The team is captained by Dominic Nicholas, who is seen standing immediately behind the cup, and is supported by Martin Sam, Conrad Short, Christopher Joseph, Frank Whitehead, Noah Alpine, Gabriel Paul, Joseph Eugene, and Jerome Joseph. The Kootenays are one of the healthiest and most athletic tribes of Indians in America, the records of David Thompson over a hundred years ago intimating that they have always been a fine upstanding set of men. In the old days they were famous hunters, but now they spend more of their time farming and are adepts in the use of irrigation. During the pageant they appeared in wonderfully fine costumes, rich in blues and purples, and harmonious reds, making a display which greatly impressed their white brethren. Every Kootenay woman, and the horses they breed Indian is a born horseman or horse-



An Indian baseball team which won the championship of East Kootenay, at Lake Windermere, B.C.

are of fine quality.