



Water Rights In British Columbia

THE use of water is licensed, controlled and administered under the Water Act, 1939, by the Water Rights Branch Department of Lands and Forests. This control and administration is of paramount importance in all parts of the Province as it calls for judgment and foresight on the part of Water Rights engineers, who administer the Act, to ensure that the greatest number of users get sufficient water for their requirements.

The activities of the Water Rights Branch have continued to expand in volume and diversity. Applications for water licences, and enquiries as to possible developments, have shown a marked increase.

Reconnaissance and field surveys, aided by aerial photography, are among the duties performed by engineering parties in an effort to expand the water resources in this Province for irrigation purposes.

Flood control is yet another important duty of this Branch. Further, a number of surveys have also been undertaken to determine what water resources were available for supplying domestic water to various incor-

porated villages in British Columbia.

Snow being the principal source in British Columbia of water used for power, irrigation and for domestic supply, there is an increasing demand from users, technical men, and organizations for the bulletins on "Snow Surveys and Run-off probabilities," which are issued by the Branch each year, as on April 1st and May 1st. As each year adds to the length of record of the snow courses, the value of the accumulated data becomes more valuable to those charged with the administration and development of our water resources, whether by government or municipal activity, or by private enterprise.

A new technical activity undertaken by the Branch is a closer inspection, and periodical check, of the many small earth dams in use in this Province. Although for many years it has been the practice to require submissions of plans and specifications of such dams, the failure of a few of them made it necessary to require that the qualities of the material to be used be tested under laboratory methods before construction of new dams are approved.

Department of Lands and Forests
PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS -- VICTORIA, B.C.

Hon. E. T. Kenney, Minister.

Rod Gets Hooked With Wrong Hat

Arrested on a Williams Lake street during the week and charged with wearing the wrong type of headgear, Rod Mackenzie, prominent Lake business man and a former Cariboo M.L.A., was fined \$10 and costs by Justice of the Peace Harold Mainguy. All business men in that town must wear a 10-gallon lid until after the big stampede there on June 5 and 6, or suffer the consequences as Rod did.

Former Quesnel Woman Passes Away At Victoria

Death came to Mrs. F. M. (Sady) Walls at Victoria, B.C., on Wednesday, May 14, after an illness of about 12 months. Mr. and Mrs. Walls were former Quesnel residents, having operated a trucking and transfer business here for five years. In 1943 the family moved to Prince George, and have operated a business there since that time.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. E. Archibald and Miss Lillian, and one son, Melvin, and also three grandchildren, all of Pr. George; and her mother, Mrs. M. A. Fisher, of Victoria. Funeral services and burial took place in Victoria.

The sympathy of their many friends in the Quesnel district will go out to the sorrowing family.

PLANNING for TOMORROW'S FARMING

Dominion Experimental Station
Prince George, B.C.

This is a good time to use the new weed killer 2-4-D on the dandelions in your lawn. It can be purchased in most stores which sell garden seeds. Use according to directions and apply while the weeds are young and growing vigorously for best results. The weeds may show some leaf curling in two or three days but will not be killed completely for two or three weeks. Grass will not be injured if used according to directions but must be kept away from flowers and garden truck.

If your strawberry patch shows dead plants or if there are many dead leaves it is a good plan to start a new one. A new one can be started by transplanting young plants from the old patch or buying new ones from a nursery. Place the new patch on land which is free from grass and weeds. Space the plants 12 to 18 inches in the rows and the rows four feet apart. Plant as early in the spring as possible and keep the flowers off until July.

Considerable concern has been expressed from time to time regarding the wintering of alsike clover, particularly in view of Spring frosts. However the picture now would indicate that damage has not been serious. New seedlings of clover are generally thin and weak as a result of heavy grain crops last year. In such fields varying amounts of damage are found. In many cases however where the clover has now begun to grow, a fertilizer application will bring it along and make a good crop, tho some fields probably should be plowed and reseeded.

When chicks are overcrowded in the brooder house, troubles such as crowding, toe-picking and cannibalism frequently occur. It is therefore important that chicks be allowed plenty of room and that the brooder be kept at a desirable temperature. Rounding the corners of the brooder and inducing the birds to roost at an early age will also help to prevent this trouble. When the chicks are seen huddling, they should be spread out with the hands or with a broom.

Don't forget the big Elks Party on Victoria Day, May 24.

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Sunday School at 11 a.m. -
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WALKER—Born, at the Quesnel General Hospital, on Sunday, May 11, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walker, of Quesnel, a daughter.

COOPER—Born, at the Quesnel General Hospital, on Monday, May 12, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cooper, of Nazco, a son.

Personal Items

Preliminary to the Quesnel Race Meet on July 1 and 2, a district softball tournament will be held on June 29.

Ernie Buck, who has been a patient in the hospital for several months, was discharged recently and we are glad to say, much improved in health.

Our thanks are due this week to Chas. (Doc) Docherty, one of Cariboo's most enthusiastic and skilful anglers, for a fine mess of trout caught at Nine Mile Lake. One rainbow (we took the trouble to measure,) was an even 17 inches in length.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land

In the Land Recording District of Cariboo, and situate at Windt Creek, Alexandria.

Take Notice that I, Thomas E. Windt, of Alexandria, occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of Lot 3142, thence South 20 chains to L. 5053; thence West 20 chains; thence North 20 chains to L. 3142; thence East to point of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated May 7, 1947.
THOMAS E. WINDT,
38-42 Applicant.

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WANTED—Old Model "T" Ford in good condition. Apply to George J. Aitken, (Baker Creek) Quesnel, B.C.

FOR SALE—Cabbage and cauliflower plants, strong, healthy. Apply Jas. Williams, Quesnel.

WANTED — Woman to cook for seven men on modern farm for one month, commencing June 10. Give details to Edmunds Ranch, Macalister, B.C.

WANTED—Respectable young man, non-drinker, non-smoker, working days, requires quiet room for rest and study nights and evenings. Prefer to board same home also. Reply to Hugh Atrill, c/o B.C. Power, Quesnel, giving general particulars and price.

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FOR SALE — Studebaker 6 x 6 Truck, 219-inch wheelbase, eight ft. flat deck. In A1 running condition, good rubber. Apply P.O. Box 565, Quesnel, B.C., or inspect at Shingle Mill, Nick Broswick's, West Quesnel.

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FOR SALE—John Deere sulky plow with 16-inch stubble bottom, also breaker bottom, three-horse hitch. In A-1 condition. Apply John Boyd Estate, Cottonwood P.O., B.C.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Section 160)

IN THE MATTER OF Lot 8684, save and except the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Right of Way as shown on Plan "A"145.

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 5773M to the above mentioned land in the name of Donald McKinnon Macalister and bearing date the 3rd December, 1928.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE OF my intention at the expiration of one calendar month to issue to the said Donald McKinnon Macalister, a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, Kamloops, British Columbia, this 27th day of January, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Forty-seven.

C. McLEAN,

35-39 Registrar.
DATE OF first publication of this notice is April 12, 1947.

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