

PEMBERTON CEMETERY

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To residents of Pemberton Meadows, Pemberton and Mount Currie,

At a public meeting Messrs Morgan Miller, George Mitchell, and R.H.E. Taylor were appointed as trustees for the purpose of being holders of the deeds of the cemetery as soon as it was possible to make a legal transfer of the property. These trustees would be the "owners" of the cemetery on behalf of the Pemberton District ( including Pemberton, Pemberton Meadows, and Mount Currie ).

It was found that the "Title" could not be Registered with the Land Registry Office if the trustees were private individuals and consequently the Pemberton Branch of the Canadian Legion were asked to, and consented to accept the position of trustees, in place of the three mentioned above, and with their approval.

Although the Pemberton Branch of the Legion will be legally responsible for the operation of the cemetery, they desire that the actual operation be in the hands of a committee representative of the whole district. Under this system the management would be in conformity with the wishes of the public meeting mentioned above. The committee chosen consists of Messrs Morgan Miller, George Mitchell, John Ronayne, Gerald Ross, D.A. Johnston, and E.H. Gethen ( the last two are Legion representatives ).

With the position of the legal ownership clarified; management of the cemetery will be facilitated and means of obtaining a stabilized income established; with an assured source of income it will be possible to have the necessary funds for repairs and maintenance.

Residents of the district are requested to suggest a specific name for the cemetery. Names of private individuals or representative of only a section of the community are considered undesirable. Names suggested should be sent to E.H. Gethen as soon as possible after receipt of this letter. The name selected will be chosen by the party of this letter.

This letter is issued by authority of a meeting of the trustees appointed by the public meeting and representatives of the Legion, headed by the Legion President, Mr C.J. Graham.

Signed:- Eric H. Gethen.  
(Secretary)

Mountain View by J.A. Tauler

Pleasantvale by Mrs. J.A. Tauler

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