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Death Relieves Patient Sufferer

Mrs. Frank L. Parks Passes Away on Sunday Last After Long Illness

Death came on Sunday afternoon last to Mrs. Josephine R. Parks, wife of Frank L. Parks, well known merchant of this city, and gave release to a wonderfully patient sufferer who had for a long time been in ill health. Only on Thursday last she returned to the city from Calgary with Mr. Parks, and it as seen at that time that the end was not far distant. For about three years Mrs. Parks had been in poor health, and more or less bedridden the latter part of the time, but her indomitable courage and fortitude of spirit never left her, and friends often remarked on the wonderful optimism the sufferer displayed in the face of such discouragement.

A year ago this week Mrs. Parks left this city for the Gravenhurst Sanitarium in Ontario, where she underwent treatment, and she also went through some surgical operations at Montreal, being away for about six months. The relief obtained from all that medical skill could do proved but temporary, however, and the same is true of specialist treatment which had been taken lately in Calgary. It proved to be one of those cases where human skill is baffled.

Mrs. Parks had been residing in this city for seven or eight years, and visited here for some time prior to her marriage. There is a little girl three in September, left to mourn the passing of her mother, besides the bereaved husband. One sister resides at Greenville College, Greenville, Illinois, another at St. John, New Brunswick, where her mother is also still residing. There is also a brother still surviving, who cannot be exactly located. The late Mrs. Parks was in her thirty-ninth year.

The funeral took place from the family residence on Pooley Avenue on Tuesday afternoon at 3 p.m., Rev. W. T. Tapscott of the Baptist church, conducting the services at the house and at the cemetery. A profusion of flowers bespoke the love and esteem in which the deceased lady was held, and the admiration which her brave fight for life aroused. Twenty-six cars followed the hearse in the funeral cortege to the cemetery.

To the bereaved husband and motherless little daughter the sincere sympathy of the community is extended.

The pall be arers were Messrs. H. S. Haynes, G. B. Brown, E. L. Staples, S. Clark, Lloyd Crowe and F. L. Constantine.

COMPLETING WORK OF GEOLOGICAL SURVEY IN THE DISTRICT

Dr. S. J. Schofield, of the University of B.C. staff, reached the city last week, and with two assistants is now engaging in the work of completing a geological survey of the East Kootenay district. Some time ago the Prospectors' Association asked the federal authorities to permit Dr. Schofield to complete this survey work, and received through the provincial department of mines word that this would be done. Dr. Schofield appeared on the scene last week and has already established a camp at Joseph Creek some seven miles or so out of the city at the foot of Baker Mountain. He intends to work up and down around the Kootenay River, using a car where possible, the intention being to complete the topographical map of the district by joining up that of the East Kootenay with that of the Windermere, which have already been done. The prospectors have full confidence in the work of Dr. Schofield and great satisfaction is felt in the fact that he is being allowed to complete the work.

It is also announced that Dr. Schofield while here will deliver two lectures under the auspices of the university extension department, and he has also been specially asked to lecture on a general view of East Kootenay's mineral resources, and ways and means of developing them. He may also be called upon to do some inspection work, and may look up some new phases of formations that have come to light during the process of development.

MINISTER OF LANDS LOOKS OVER ST. MARY'S IN VIEW OF IRRIGATION

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands in the Oliver government at Victoria, was in the city for a short time this week, arriving on Tuesday evening, and leaving again on Wednesday noon's train. His mission here is understood to have been connected with the possibilities for irrigation on St. Mary's Prairie. On Tuesday evening the minister met a hurriedly called meeting of the executive of the Board of Trade and a few other interested citizens, when an informal discussion was held. On Wednesday morning Mr. Pattullo was driven out over the Prairie country, which is certainly looking its best this year, to gain a first hand knowledge of the stretch of country affected by the proposed irrigation scheme. There is of course nothing definite yet decided in regard to it, and a lot of preliminaries would have to be gone through before anything could be put on foot.. The cost per acre would have to be determined and if it proved to be within reason, steps would have to be taken for the organization of a water district, the land involved bearing the cost of the scheme

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Kastner, of Fernie, relatives of Mrs. T. S. Gill, motored from that city this week, and were in attendance at the wedding of Miss Bertha Gill on Wednesday.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR "GET-TOGETHER" MEETING

According to word received from Mr. B. G. Hamilton, secretary of the Associated Boards of Trade for South-Eastern British Columbia, a good program is being lined up for those who are taking in the trip to Invermere this week-end, to attend the "get-together" arranged by the Associated Boards. Delegates from the local boards of Golden, Windermere, Fernie, Creston and Cranbrook are expected to be present, and in addition, a number of visitors from outside points. Included in the latter may be Mr. J. Kingham, of Victoria, president of the B. C. Associated Boards of Trade, Mr. Semmans, of the C. P. R. Natural Resources Dept., Calgary, and others also possibly from Calgary, F. A. Starkey, of Nelson, West Kootenay Board of Trade Commissioner, and Dr. S. J. Schofield, well known geologist, of Vancouver, who is now engaged in survey work in East Kootenay for the Dominion Government.

As at present arranged, the gatherings will take place at Invermere, in the Community Hall of the Canadian Pacific Camp, At 8 p.m., fast time, there will be a dinner for the visitors, both ladies and gentlemen, followed by a program of speeches, and some music, for which Cranbrook talent will be present. On Saturday morning a short business session will be held, following which the day will be given over to golf, tennis, and other recreations of which the Windermere country offers a variety. A dance that evening will wind up the official program.

It is hoped that as many as possible from Cranbrook will be able to go up. A number have already signified their intention of doing so, and an effort is being made today to arrange the cars and their occupants for the trip.

GOLF NOTES

A fortnightly sweep-stake competition has been arranged by the Tournament Committee of the Cranbrook Golf Club, open to both ladies and men, which will not only be of great interest to participants, but will enable the Handicapping Committee to fix handicaps with much greater accuracy than heretofore.

Before commencing a round, competitors purchase a card, price 25c and at the end of the round the card signed by the opponent is deposited in a box in the Club House.

Every fortnight the box is opened and the entrance money, or its equivalent in golfing requisites, is presented the the competitor having the lowest net score, and the handicaps will be adjustable according to the scores handed in.

The secretary is in receipt of a letter from the Coleman Golf Club offering full playing privileges in the Coleman golf course to any member of the Cranbrook club, and has replied offering similar privileges in the Cranbrook course to Coleman members. This arrangement now exists between Cranbrook and Fernie, Waldo, Windermere and Coleman, and it is hope that it will in time extend to all other courses from Nelson to Lethbridge.

PROPOSING SUBSTANTIAL ADDITION TO SCHOOL AT KOOTENAY ORCHARDS

Mr. W. H. Wilson, chairman of the School Board, and Mrs. J. Jackson and W. A. Nisbet, members of the board, were out to the Kootenay Orchards School on Friday night of last week and met about twenty citizens of that section to talk over a proposed addition to the building, which is now overtaxed. The original proposal to put on a small addition at a cost of about $250 has widened out into a more substantial proposition, and the board is now having plans drawn up by Mr. J. F. Huchcroft for the erection of an addition to the south side of the building, to measure twenty feet, the full width of the schoolhouse, by ten feet, on a cement basement. A furnace may also be put in to heat the building. In the new addition the cloak rooms would be fitted up, and also a small room for the use of the teacher. The present anterooms at the north end of the building will be torn out, giving the entire floor spece of the schoolhouse as at present, for schoolroom purpses.

The present enrolment of the South Ward School is about twenty-four, and another eight or so are expected to be on hand for the opening of the fall term.

Census Taking Is On This Week

Enumerators Started Out Wednesday on Big Hunt for Information

Commencing on Wednesday of this week, June 1st, the Census of the Dominion is being taken. The census has been called "the largest single act of administration of the government," in reference partly to its physical extent—the census organization covering every section of the country for a complex and many-sided task—and also to the great importance of census results in the general machinery of government.

Two enumerators have been working in the city proper this week, Messrs. D. R. Ferguson and Chas. Kerr. They covered something over two hundred families the first day, but will not likely complete their part of the work for about three weeks. J. Benson is the enumerator for Wycliffe, and Mr. James is appointed to cover Kimberley and Marysville. S. S. Simpson is busy at Moyie and points west, and F. J. Coe is engaged on the district at Rampart and east.

The success of the census depends largely upon the co-operation of the people. Without general appreciation of the ends in view, and without the cordial assistance of individual citizens toward those ends, a good census will be imposible. A brief description of the scope, methods and purpose of the census and its place in statistical and general administration will therefore be of interest and utility at the present moment.

It may not be generally known that the credit of taking the first census of modern times belongs to Canada. The year was 1666; the census was one of the colony of New France. There had been earlier records of settlement at Port Royal (1605) and Quebec (1608), but the census of 1666 was a systematic "nominal" enumeration of the people, (i.e., a record of each individual by name,) taken for a fixed date, showing the age, sex, place of residence, occupation and conjugal condition of each person. The results are to be seen in a document of 154 pages in the Archives of Paris, of which a transcript is in Ottawa. Altogether this census recorded 3,215 souls. When it is recalled that in Europe the first modern census dated only from the eighteenth century, whilst in the United States no census was taken before 1790, the achievement of the primitive St. Lawrence colony in instituting what is today one of the principal instruments of government in every civilized community may call for more than passing appreciation.

At Confederation the British North America Act specifically mentioned "the census and statistics" as falling within Dominion as distinguished from provincial jurisdiction (Section 91.) The first Dominion Census Act was passed in 1870, and the first census was taken thereunder in 1871. Similar comprehensive censuses have followed every tenth year, namely, 1881, 1891, 1901, and 1911.

The census on June 1, 1'21, is therefore the sixth comprehensive decennial to be taken since Confederation.

In Canada the fundamental legal raison d'etre of the census is to determine the representation in our federal parliament. As is well known, the British North America Act gave the province of Quebec a fixed number of seats (sixty-five) in the Dominion House of Commons. The number assigned to the other provinces was pro rata, with an arrangement that the first readjustment should take place in the completion of the census of 1871, and that a similar readjustment should follow every subsequent decennial census. The census is thus taken primarily to enable a redistribution bill to be passed by parliament.

But the census has far wider uses than to fix electoral representation. It constitutes, in fact, under the modern system, nothing less than a great periodical stocktaking of the Canadian people, designed to show from the widest angle the point that has been reached in the general progress of the nation. It is dificult within brief compass to explain how this function is fulfilled. Fundamentally, the importance of the census hinges upon its analysis of the human element or man power of the country. The people themselves after all are the basic asset of every state. Their numbers, sex, age, occupation, racial origin, language, education, etc., etc., are facts in themselves of the greatest moment. They constitute, moreover, the background against which almost all other facts must be projected of

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J. Vallance Burns, an old time rancher of the Fort Steele section, but lately of Prince Rupert, has been in the city again, staying at the Cosmopolitan hotel. Mr. Burns is a veteran of the 42nd Highlanders in the British Army, a famous Black Watch regiment, and went through the Sudan campaign of the '80's and also the South African war, enlisting from Fort Steele for the latter, though he was over age at that time, and had some little difficulty in getting in.

DEATH REMOVES ANOTHER OLD TIMER OF THE DISTRICT

The ranks of the real old timers of this section are gradually being thinned, and on Saturday last, the hand of death removed another in the person of Mr. Peter Rabichaud of Kimberley and Marysville, who passed away at Kimberley. The body was brought in to Cranbrook on Saturday evening. He aws fifty-four years of age, but cancer had its dread hold upon him, and for the past few years he had not enjoyed good health, fighting continually to stave off the inroads of the disease.

Mr. Rabichaud had been in the district for about twenty-five years. In the early days he was employed at the Marysville smelter and was also engaged in lumbering in that section. He had been at Kimberley of late. The late Mr. Rabichaud had many friends in this city and in the district among the older residents, and many of these were in attendance at the funeral which was held on Monday morning from the Catholic church.

The deceased is survived by his wife, while Mrs. F. LeClerc of this city is a sister, and Mr. Harry Rabichaud, well known railwayman, is a brother.

EIGHT RESIGNATIONS IN FROM TEACHING STAFFS OF CITY

Wednesday being the day by which according to the school law teachers intending to resign at the end of the term are required to have their resignations in to the school board, eight members of the staffs of the city schools have done so.

From the High School, Principal Armstrong, Mr. Hugh Robertson and Miss Q. E. Shields have all placed their resignations in the hands of the Board, though there is a possibility that all of these may not be considered as final. From the South Ward School both teachers have resigned, Mr. Louis Eckert, principal, and Miss Grigor, assistant. Three from the Central School staff have also resigned, these being Principal Arthurs, Miss Cartwright and Miss Trevarrow.

WEDDING

DOOLAN—GILL

The outstanding wedding of the season took place on Wednesday afternoon of this week, June 1st, when Miss Bertha May Niergarth Gill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Gill of this city, was united in marriage to Mr. Edward Lawrence Doolan, of Cranbrook. The weddig was an outdoor affair, taking place on the verandah of the home of the bride's parents, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Father Murphy, of St. Mary's church.

The bride was married in her travelling costume of sand colored tricolet, and a French braided turban hat in sand, trimmed to match. She carried a beautiful bouquet of Ophelia roses, and was unattended. The bridal couple took their place on the verandah under a pretty arch of wild blossoms, white and mauve lilacs, and a white bell, while masses of flowers and foliage, consisting of ferns, palms, and baskets of flowering geraniums were in evidence plentifully.

There were about fifty guests in attendance at the ceremony. Miss Muriel Wallinger played the bridal march, and during the signing of the register at the close of the ceremony Mrs. F. M. MacPherson very effectively sang "Because." The decorations of pink sweetpeas, and smilax, also baby's breath and white satin ribbon which were seen inside the house were also much admired, and the customary wedding cake was prominent in the centre of the table. A buffet lunch was served later in the afternoon after congratulations had been extended to the happy couple, girls of the G.B.C. X.Y.Z. Club assisting.

Messages of congratulations and good wishes were received from Mr. C.A.K. Gill, now at Retlaw, Alta., brother of the bride, who was unable to attend the wedding, and from other relatives at Morris, Man.

A host of friends of the young couple escorted them to the station where they boarded the eastbound train for Winnipeg and south to Morris, Man., where they will visit the bride's grandmother, Mrs. P. Kastner, at her home, "Oakwood." Mr. and Mrs. Doolan will be away about two weeks, it is understood, and after returning here will go on to Kamloops, where they expect to make their future home. Every good wish is extended to them by their friends here, who hope the blue birds who were in evidence at the wedding, flying in and out of their nest over the arch and wedding bell during the ceremony, may truly be emblamatic of future happiness.

The numerous and costly gifts which were in evidence indicated the unusually wide popularity which the bride and groom enjoy in the city. Their gift to Miss Wallinger was a beautiful gray leather purse, and to Mrs. MacPherson a hand painted china bowl.

Added interest accrues to the wedding from the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Gill, parents of the bride, are themselves this week celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of their weding.

Impressions of Annual Conference

Recent Methodist Gathering at Victoria Was Memorable One in Many Respects

The 31st Annual Conference of the Methodist Church of British Columbia which has recently concluded its sessions in the Metropolitan church at Victoria, was one of the most remarkable in the history of that ecclesiastical body.

The conference church is probably the finest church building in British Columbia. The interior has just been decorated at a cost of twelve thousand dollars, the major part of this expense being borne by the family of the late David Spencer.

The attendance at the Conference was the largest on record, and is in itself an index of the growth of the church in the province. Over 200 ministers and laymen were in attendance, and from the beginning to the end of the conference great interest was shown in the affairs under consideration. The stationing committee, the most responsible committee of the conference met on the first Monday and after working two whole days and nights, submitted its first list of stations on the Thursday noon. The ministerial session opened on Wednesday morning under the chairmanship of Rev. B. C. Freeman, of Vancouver. The character, standing and ability of each minister and probationer came under review and reported in each case as satisfactory. Four probationers were accepted into full connection with the church.

Two of the ministers, Rev. Dr. Lange, of Port Simpson. and Rev. J. Laycock of Vancouver, were reported as having died during the year. The educational standing of the probationers was keenly received, the demand for a high standard being very pronounced.

The general session opened on the Thursday following. Election of president for the year resulted in the election on the second ballot of Rev. Capt. J. H. Wright, of Robson Memorial church, Vancouver. Mr. Wright enlisted with his son as a private during the great war, but eventually received a commission; this election was very popular, especially with the returned-men of the conference. Rev. R. M. Thompson of Victoria was elected secretary of the conference.

After this the work of the conference was entered into with great earnestness and during the whole proceedings the conference was enthusiastic and aggressive. The various reports were all of a remarkable nature, and every department of the church showed an increase and signs of great vitality. The general statistics report showed that the membership in B. C. was 16647, an increase during the year of 879. The amount raised for all purposes during the year was nearly half a million dollars, an increase of $79,000. The Ladies' Aids Societies raised $46,907, an increase of $5,000, while the W.M.S. in raising $17,280 increased their offerings by $',000.

The report of the Sunday School committee was also very encouraging. Plans were made for an aggressive campaign during the year especially in regard to the work of evangelism. The figures were as follows: Scholars, 21324; teachers 1874; total membership 23198, an increase of 1872. The amount raised by the Sunday School $41,592.00, an increase of $8,300.

The Missionary report was given by Dr. Sipprell and Mr George Bell. These gentlemen pointed out that the success of the missionaries had thrown more responsibilities upon the church as a whole. From all parts, the path of obligation was being opened out and the Board of Missions requested for next year 1½ million dollars to carry on. The conference of B.C. pledged itself to raise next year $40,000 as their share of the amount, this being an increase of 25% over last year's giving. The amount raised during the year was $32,000.00, being an increase of $5,000.00.

The report of Columbian College was received with great enthusiasm. Never before had such a report been presented. Not only was the financial position phenomenal but the work of the college has been such that a chorus of approval is being heard. Dean Coleman of the University of B.C. stated it was impossible to endorse too highly the standards and accomplishments of Columbia College. It now takes its place among the finest educational institutions of the Dominion.

Th report of the committee on evalgelism and social service is generally awaited with great anticipation. This year showed no exception, and the report in itself raised the whole conference to a high degree of enthusiasm. Never for many years has such a clear, concise, common-sense report been given. Never has the committee shown greater knowledge of both the social and economic order, and of religious conditions, than was manifested in this report. The clause dealing with the liquor act was very emphatic, the Conference declaring itself as being absolutely pledged to total prohibition. The new act was stated to be inconsistent anl illogical, and in some ways failing to win the support of even many of its chief supporters during the campaign. Many of its inconsistencies and impossibilities were pointed out, and the need for continued organization of the prohibition forces was emphasized.

It was also apparent to all that there was a real desire for religious development, but certain conditions were existing which were powerful hindrances to successful evangelism. It was pointed out by the committee that the question of social amusement and the standardizing of such was a subtle danger. The educational attainments of many high schools were jeopardized by the accepted conditions. A wave of pleasure and sport and of questionable amusement had swept over the country, and even Christian people were accepting without a challenge, the conditions which are seriously impairing the life of the young people of today.

It was further pointed out that in many of our university and high school social gatherings, moderndances were the accepted standard of social amusement, apparently showing no regard for the desires of those who conscientiously objected to such. It was also shown that young people who did not accept the dance room as the standard of social life were ostracised.

The conference agreed that the at-

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CHAUTAUQUA TICKETS WILL BE PUT ON SALE SATURDAY

The drive for the sale of Chautauqua tickets takes place on Saturday, the 4th inst., and the following canvassers were appointed at a meeting of the Chautauqua Committee held on Wednesday evening:

Dist.
1, Pooley, Martin and Lumsden—G. J. Spreull.
2, Burwell and Garden—Dr. Fergie. O. Bristow.
3, Fenwick and Norbury—W. F. Attridge, F. W. Burgess.
4 Armstrong and Hanson—W. S. Santo, C. P. MacDonald.
5 Durick and Clark—S. Fyles, R. T. Tiffin.
6. French, Dewar and Watt—R W. Lee, J. T. Sarvis.
7 Dennis and South—J. W. Spence, W. G. Morton.
8, North of Baker and Prairie— P. Adams, F. A. Williams.
9, Slaterville—C. A. Cock. W. D. Gilroy.
10, Van Horn and Baker—E. Paterson, F. M. MacPherson.
11, Wycliffe—S. Clark, L. Crowe.
12, Kimberley— N. Burdett, J. J. O'Neil.
13, Wattsburg—G. C. Robson.
14, Fort Steele—E. H. L. Attree.

Tickets are also on sale at the following places of business: Cranbrook Drug & Book Co., McCreery Bros., J. Manning's, Beattie-Noble Ltd., Fink Mercantile Co., Ltd., Cranbrook Trading Co., Government Employment Bureau, J. B. Haslam's, MacDonald's Grocery and the Kootenay Telephone Office.

The prices are the same as last year, viz., adults $3.00, students $1.50, children $1.00, and in addition the amusement tax of 10% will be payable at the gate the first time ticket is presented.

Buy your ticket early.

MR. HAROLD ANDERSON GIVES FINE PROGRAM AT RECITAL HERE

Any disappointment felt in regard to the musical recital announced for Friday evening last at the Recreation Club was on account of the slim attendance and certainly not as to the quality of the program which was given by Mr. Harold Anderson, the promising young concert pianist, who has already established more than a local reputation. The few who were present enjoyed a splendid musical evening, and those who did not tage advantage of the opportunity presented to hear an artist clearly of the first water missed a rare treat beyond any question.

The program Mr. Anderson gave was as follows:

(a) Largo ..... Beethoven.
Pocato, Fugue in D Minor, Tamfig
(b) Nocturne ....'.. Harold Anderson.
Humoresque Norwegian.
Harold Anderson.
In Mid-Ocean ..... MacDowall.
Witches' Rance ..... MacDowall.
(c) Suite by Chopin—
Waltz in a Flat.
Prelude.
Nocturne in A Minor.
Etude. "Black Note Study."
Ballad in G Minor.
(d) Prelude in G Minor Rachmaninoff.
Prelude in C Sharp Minor
Rachmaninoff.
Hungarian Rhapsody. No. 12
Liszt.

For the two encore numbers Mr. Anderson gave MacDowall's "To a Wild Rose," and "The Rosary."

On Saturday evening Mr. Anderson kindly repeated the same program at Wycliffe.

Will the Questions Be Answered?

Vancouver Liberal Gets Handsome Price for Warehouse for Liquor Board's Use

With the coming into operation of the liquor control measure within two weeks or so in this province, the working out of which devolves upon the liquor commissioners, a board of three members, several points have come to light of late which can scarcely be said to inspire any great confidence on the part of thinking people in the measure. Criticism is direected at the board on several scores, not as any personal criticisms, but rather at the government officials to whom the board is tied by being responsible "to the lieutenant-governor-in council." This means of course, that the liquor board is only hypothetically an independent body.

The Vancouver Sun recently brought to light the details of a purchase deal which was put through by the government, by which it acquired for the sum of $150,000 a warehouse to be used for storage purposes by the liquor board. The Sun charges that first of all the government overpaid Mr. Chas. E. Campbell, a prominent Vancouver Liberal, and owner of the building, not less than $67,500. It arrives at this figure by having an independent valuation made of the property in question by the Vancouver Real Estate Exchange, a reputable body of which all the prominent Vancouver real estate firms are members. They have given a valuation of the property at $82,500. The property is actually assessed by the city of Vancouver at something over $50,000.

The Sun thereupon addresses the following questions to the Premier of the province:

1. Do you intend to ratify and adhere to the purchase of the warehouse premises for $150,000?

2. Or do you intend to demand repayment of the sum paid in excess of real value?

3. Why was this property purchased by private contract, without official valuation and without regard to other warehouses in Vancouver, equally suitable and available at less than half the price paid by you?

4. Why was not the transaction handled by the Government Purchasing Agent?

5. Do you attribute the overpayment to error or to political favoritism, or to some other cause?

6. Will you take the public fully into your confidence and tell them everything you know and believe about this transaction?

Premier Oliver, now in the east, airily says he never worries about anything in the Vancouver Sun, but the people of the province are entitled to a better explanation than that. The attorney-general and Mr. Campbell have both issued statements in reply, but in neither case are the allegations of the Sun denied flatly, and the hedging which characterizes these announcements only serves to deepen the suspicions of the people at large that there is something to hide. Even Liberal members of the Legislature are demanding a full explanation of the deal. There is need for open dealing in a transaction of this kind at all times, and in this particular case specially to open methods ought to have characterized the deal of the government.

And this is saying nothing of the $65,000 beer men's donation to the Liberal campaign funds last fall which has just come to light, in return ostensibly for certain beer priveleges which were to have been handed out and haven't been, nor yet of the $200,000 or $300,000 in customs duties that the province has got to put up to get its liquor out of bond, while private owners had sufficient perpicacity to release their supplies before the new duties went into effect. And on top of it all the government is going to "control" liquor in this province when any person is still going to be allowed to ship in from outside all they need.

There is some simple irony in the wail that flow comes from Victoria to the effect that "it is now apparent, owing to unforeseen conditions, that the government is not likely to derive anything like the revenue expected from the operation of the liquor act."

STANDING IN THE EAST KOOTENAY BASEBALL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	
Wycliffe	3	0	1000
Waldo	2	1	666
Fernie	2	1	666
Cranbrook	1	2	333
Wardner	1	2	333
White Spruce	0	3	000

In the league baseball games held on Sunday last Fernie beat Cranbrook at Fernie by 12-5, Wycliffe beat Waldo 3-1, and thereby put themselves at the head of the league, and Wardner beat White Spruce, putting the latter in the cellar.

The games set for Sunday next are Cranbrook and White Spruce here, Waldo versus Fernie and Wardner versus Wycliffe.

It may be that your eyes are becoming weak and you are afraid to acknowledge it. That is the way with a good many people, both old and young. The young, particularly, seem afraid to admit their failing sight, but it is no novelty nowadays and certainly no disgrace. We will remedy any defective eyesight quickly, accurately and at low cost.

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TAKING THE CENSUS

The period for taking the decennial census is here again, and it is interesting to note that this institution dates back to the dawn of civilization. Moses numbered the Children of Israel thirty-five hundred years ago. Five hundred years before this even there is a record of a statistical investigation having been held among the Babylonian people, while Chinese history shows an attempt to have been made to number the populace about the year 3000 B.C., and from other sources it is known that there was a similar attempt on the part of the Egyptians about the year 2500 B. C. The taking of a census in the year 1717 B.C. by David achieved some evil notoriety from the fact that it is recorded how it provoked divine wrath, and this was cited in comparatively modern times as an argument against attempting a complete enumeration of the people. Solon, the famous Athenian lawgiver introduced the census into Greece, and it was also adopted by Julius Ceasar in the Roman Empire. The Emperor Charlemagne in the ninth century took an enumeration of his domains, and the well-known Domesday Book of William the Conqueror is celebrated in British History as one of the most famous of mediaeval census takings.

In connection with the census now being taken in Canada, there are many questions to be answered, and some will wonder what motive could prompt these interrogations.

In connection with these somewhat elaborate and searching series of inquiries the following points should be clearly understood: That no question has been inserted merely for the gratification of curiosity or because the information would be interesting, but only because it has a bearing on basic social or economic conditions. The answers given by the individual are absolutely confidential, every employee of the census being under oath and penalty against revealing any individual item, and the Bureau of Statistics itself being forbidden to issue any statement that would lay bare any personal matter. Though the name of each person is taken down this is not for the purpose of associating the individual with any of the facts that are recorded, but merely as a check on the accuracy of the enumeration. The census is first and last for statistical purposes and cannot be made the basis of any direct administrative action. Let it also be noted that census enumerators are required to use courtesy and tact in collecting the information, though refusal to answer a census question is penalized by statute.

FROM THE VIEW-POINT OF OUR CONTEMPORARIES

Hold on to Your Job

If the seamen, the printers, the miners, the plumbers—the whole bunch of good workingmen—will take our advice, they will arbitrate, negotiate, conservate, meditate, mediate, cogitate, argumentate and expostulate in setting forth their desires, but will be careful not to vacate their jobs. It is a mistake to assume that they are infallible, or that their demands are necessarily just, and it is the last word in folly to invoke the loss and waste of idleness by striking.—Houston Post.

An Extra $62,000,000

Sir Henry Drayton looks to the sales tax to provide the extra $62,000,000 he will need this year to make income equal outgo. It will do it easily. Up to the end of March this year the sales tax in its present modified form has brought $45,000,000 to the Dominion treasury—Calgary Herald.

Caught Napping

While private individuals had the good sense to take their liquor stocks out of bond before the Federal tax became effective, the provincial government blandly sat by and allowed the duty to descend upon 34,000 cases which could have been rescued in time to save the people of British Columbia this extra $340,000 tax.

The excuse given by the provincial authorities was that they wanted to test the power of the Dominion to tax provincial property.

Subsequent events have shown that there is no intention of making a test case of the matter and never was.

The taxpayers of this province lost a straight $250,000 by a piece of foolishness which has made the Oliver regime a laughingstock in the eyes of the whole of Canada.—Vancouver Sun.

The Teacher's Work

Character building ought to be the aim of every teacher. It is of more importance than reading and writing, arithmetic and spelling, indispensable as those rudimentary branches may be. It will give a feeling of grave responsibility to any teacher, with a class of thirty or more boys and girls, to reflect that in the course of not many years a certain number of those children will have grown up to be good citizens, earning their living, doing their duty to themselves and to others, while another portion inevitably will have become derelicts, criminals or human misfits, and failures. Any teacher may do something, some may do much, to increase those in the first classification and reduce the number that fall into the second. Nearly half of the child's hours awake are in the care of the teacher. It is a sacred trust, second in importance only to that of the mother and the home.—The St. Paul Pioneer Press.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Extracts from the Cranbrook Herald of this date, 1900

Fort Steele shows signs of a revival to something like the old-time activity.

R. E. Beattie has purchased George Morrow's house on Baker Hill, and will move there next week.

Last week a horse belonging to Harold Pollard performed the feat of swimming across Moyie lake.

Thomas Caven returned Monday from an extended trip through West Kootenay and the Boundary country.

An interesting rumor has gained currency among railroad men to the effect that the Canadian Pacific Railway will within the next few months be face to face with the necessity of relaying the steel on the Crow's Nest road.

George Leitch while working with the planer at the mill last Friday was unfortunate enough to catch the thumb of his left hand on a saw, losing the upper portion of that member.

C. H. Pollen has a force of men at work near the mouth of Boulder creek on leased ground, and there is every reason to expect that the property will pay a handsome dividend to the company.

THE WEATHER

Officials thermometer readings at Cranbrook.

	Min.	Max.
May 26	48	64
May 27	33	53
May 28	25	64
May 29	27	73
May 30	36	73
May 31	34	80
June 1	43	71

J. Daly, of Sirdar, was in the city yesterday.

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Budget Developed Much Eloquence

The Recent Debate at Ottawa Brought Forth Good Speakers From East and West

(Correspondence)

OTTAWA.—The Budget debate just concluded is the best that parliament has heard for some years. There are some observers who may disagree with this opinion, but a few considerations will show that it is quite warranted. True, many of the speeches have been dull—some very dull—but on the other hand one must go far back to recall four better or even as good speeches in a budget debate as those of the Prime Minister, Mackenzie King, Crerar and Dr. Clark.

During the war the budget was discussed n a formal manner. Whatever the government wanted it got without question. The last man and the last dollar principle was all persuasive in getting money and in silencing criticism of expenditure. For two years after the Armistice the war was made to bear responsibility for the heavy financial load, and there was much justification for this. It is a sign of returning "normalcy," as President Harding would say.

Going back to pre-war days, after the defeat of Fielding in 1911 the Liberals had not a good financial critic. A. K. Maclean filled the gap, but he didn't shine as Cartwright or Foster used to do. The reason is a temperamental one, the member for Halifax not being of a naturally critical nature. When Foster was out of the House the Conservatives in opposition had their own troubles in producing a financial critic. Sir Edmund Osler was tried one year, and because of his financial standing many thought that a find was about to be uncovered. Strange as it may seem, able financiers do not always make the best finance ministers, much less the best financial critics.

Hon. T. A. Crerar must be given credit for delivering undoubtedly the most effective criticism of a Budget heard during the last ten years. Some may think it impossible that he was more effective than Fielding and yet it is so. Today Fielding stands in parliament, not as a critic, but as one tendering advice and giving counsel, drawn from the experience of over forty years of political life. He serves both the country and his party well, but age naturally dulls the edge of criticism.

Crerar's speeches this session have stamped the National Progressive leader as one of the best informed members on the practical side of the country's affairs. His wide experience in big business naturally gives him a ready insight into this feature of the nation's affairs; while his effectiveness is increased by a mass of thoroughly up-to-date information.

By nature Crerar is not as good a critic as some other men, he having an agreeable, sunny disposition that inclines him to co-operate rather than to oppose. But on this occasion he had been stung into action by the caustic criticism of the Prime Minister, and his characterization of the Progressive group as a dilapidated annex of the Liberal party. Had it not been for these observations, which got under Crerar's skin, it is improbable that he would have made nearly as effective a speech as he did.

The Prime Minister's effort, which in point of sheer ability, it would be difficult to surpass, was quite different from that of Crerar's. For pure brain power, quick thinking and general resourcefulness it was the best of the debate. One could readily see that the Prime Minister was after something more than a triumph in the House. He was after party solidarity in the country, especially in York-Sunbury, where the Conservative ranks are being seriously invaded by an old-time Conservative, now the Farmers' candidate.

Mackenzie King's speech was good as usual, which is saying considerable, and covered a wide range. In comparison with that of the other two leaders it lacked in incisiveness, but it aroused the Liberals to a high degree of enthusiasm. Whatever else critics may say of the Liberal leader they must admit that he is an eloquent exponent of the principles of his party.

Laurier prepared himself carefully for his parliamentary duties, but one is safe in saying that not since the days of Blake, has a Liberal opposition leader had the details of political affairs better in hand than has Mackenzie King.

Every budget debate produces a certain number of dreary speeches, but after making due allowance for this, it must be said that in the present one, the back-benchers developed an unusually large number of good points. There is something to be said against the existence of a number of groups in parliament, but it must be admitted that a third party is in a position to advance constructive ideas, and that to an extent that a regular opposition is not. Rightly or wrongly the business of a regular opposition is to oppose, and this attitude dominates its whole discussion of policy. A third party will rarely oppose all that a government does. If it amounts to anything at all, it will endeavor to be constructive in order to make good.

It is surprising that the group of government private members from the prairies had so little to say in the debate. Dr. Cowan spoke and quite fluently, but the rest were strangely silent. This is the more surprising when it is recalled that many of them can speak well. Politically this is a mistake, for the prairie representation is growing so rapidly that a strong endeavor should be made to influence such opinion through debate in the House. Many, of course, think that the Prime Minister's speech covered all the ground, and it did; but it is a good sign in a representative when on an important occasion he is willing to give a reason for the faith that is in him. One may have his own opinion of the value of most political speeches; but after all is said and done a politician is judged possibly more by what he said than what he does. In practice the average M.P. can't do a very great deal, but he is expected to say a great deal about what others do.

Dr. Cowan being the only prairie member that the Westerners sitting to the left of the Speaker had to shoot at, naturally received much attention, but being an old campaigner he stood it pretty well. Maharg's speech being his last in parliament, he made it a telling presentation of the needs of the West, his position as head of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers enabling him to do this to advantage. Reid's effort contained much good material. Johnston, who has had a good session did especially well, as also did H. O. Wright. Gould, who has developed into a very ready speaker, wound up the cases for the Progressives. White, Alberta's only Liberal member, made a statement for the farmers of his province. The task of replying to these fell upon Dr. Tolmie of British Columbia.

Glancing over the House it is apparent that the eloquence is quite widely distributed. With the Prime Minister, Crerar and Dr. Clark, the west is splendidly represented. From Ontario, on the government side, Hon. Hugh Guthrie is now the best debater. Sir George Foster is much the more eloquent, but like Mr. Fielding, he has got beyond trying to draw the applause of the boys behind him every time he opens his mouth. Sir George is better in proportion as he stays away from party politics, which he now seems to give a wide berth. He will, however, do all he can to sustain the government. On the Liberal side Mackenzie King is by far the most eloquent from Ontario.

In a group of French-Canadians eloquence will always be found and it is today well represented by Lemieux, Lapointe, Beland and lesser lights such as Cannon, Archambault, Pacaud and others. Among the Maritime province members Fielding is by far the most outstanding speaker, while from British Columbia Stevens is the best. Between the English-Canadians and the French-Canadians, however, there is this difference; the latter are eloquent in two languages, the former in only one. If the English prepared as carefully as the French the standard of speaking in Parliament would be much raised. The French are not satisfied with good matter, they must also have good form.

SOME CHANGES IN SCHOOL TEXT BOOKS FOR COMING YEAR

Dept. of Education Announces Some Alterations Affecting Public and High Schools

xForty-one new schools have been opened by the department of education in the province since July 1, 1920, Hon. Dr. J. D. MacLean, provincial secretary and minister of education| has pointed out recently. Besides thirteen new schools or additions have been authorized and are going up and seventy-eight new institutions, towards which the department has made grants, have been erected or are in course of building.

Mr. S. J. Willis, superintendent of education, also pointed out how large the task of conveying children to and from the schools in country districts has become and shows that sixteen areas have this privilege, with a total cost in this school year of $11,002.

Important announcements are made for the first time as to new handbooks and facilities, which will come into operation when the public schools open next fall.

Syke's Elementary Composition will be replaced by Alexander & Mowat's Elementary Composition (Gage & Co.) The new book is now in use in all the western provinces. A new History of England has been prescribed, namely, "History of England for public schools with War Chapter" (MacMillan & Co.) The text books in arithmetic, Books I. and II., by Smith & Roberts, are being revised.

In writing the former copy book system will be discontinued and an up-to-date method of teaching by instruction substituted. Realizing that the old copy book plan has not given satisfaction from the standpoint of either interest or results, the education department, ten months ago, commenced an investigation of the most prominent writing systems.

As a result of these investigations and a close observation of the trend of progress during the past few years in the field of writing, it became apparent that the muscular movement method of writing is now the standard method used by practically all the public and high schools and business colleges of Canada and of the United States. Particularly noteworthy is thefact that in all business colleges where intensive training is given in penmanship, this method has displaced all others both because of the superior results accomplished and because of the present day demand for a rapid, legible and free style of writing.

A complete system has been worked out by Mr. H. B. MacLean of the Vancouver Normal School who, for a number of years has made a study of this subject. Mr. MacLean was associated with the Education Department in making these investigations and has presented a plan which is considered to be better adapted to the needs of the schools than any other examined. This method will go into operation at the beginning of the next term.

In order to create greater interest in the subject on the part of both pupil and teacher, Mr. MacLean has worked out a system of pupils' certificates and awards to be granted in each of the classes on the attainment of a certain standard of writing. Further particulars will be announced respecting the advantages that will be offered to teachers of the province through a free correspondence training course which will consist of a thorough training in the technique and pedagogy of this method of writing, leading to a penmanship diploma.

In the first year of high school Stevenson's "Kidnapped" will replace Scott's "Ivanhoe" in the literature course, and the Dominion high school arithmetic (Gage & Co.) will be used instead of Milne, Book III.

In the second year of the high schools the present text books in English literature will be replaced during the term beginning September next by the following:

English literature: Longer Narrative mm mm mm mf mfm mm m Poems (Jeffries,) (Macmillan Company Limited,) and any two of the following: (a) Specimens of the Short Story (Nettleton,) Henry Holt & Co.); (b) Scott, Quentin Durward (Thomas Nelson & Sons Limited, Toronto); (c) Shakespeare, Julius Caesar (Stevenson,) Copp-Clark Co. Limited.)

The High School English Composition, Western Canada Series (Stevenson and Irwin,) (Copp-Clark Co., Limited, Toronto) will be used in all grades of the High School in place of Syke's.

The course in botany has been revised and Groom and Penhallow's text book replaced by several reference books for pupils' use.

The texts in Junior Matriculation Latin have also been changed.

The British Columbia Correspondence School was established in April, 1919, for the primary purpose of assisting those men and boys who are engaged in coal mining and who desire to prepare themselves for certificates of competency under the Coal Mines Regulation Act of this province.

Since its inception 125 students have enrolled in the various courses, which consist of a preparatory course for boys in English, arithmetic and drawing; and further advanced studies for managers, overmen, shotlighters and mine surveyors. The men who take up the more technical instruction do so with the intention of taking the examinations given by the board of examiners of the mines department.

In addition to the above, the department deemed it wise to inaugurate a correspondence course suitable for those children who live in isolated districts beyond the reach of the public schools. So far 243 pupils of various ages living at lighthouses and other isolated parts of the province have enrolled. These are supplied with free tuition and textbooks. The subjects covered are the same as those taught in the public schools up to and including the senior grade.

Roy Sharp, of Nelson, spent the fiddle of the week here.

SOUTH WARD SCHOOL REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

Division I.

Senior Third Reader

Peter Brennan, Mack Horie, Pearl Gooderham, Bert Laurie and James Dalziel equal, Edgar Sanderson, Leslie Sainsbury, Kenneth McNeil, Winnie Malone, William Taylor, Kenneth Bassett, Jessie Cassels.

Junior Third Reader.

Frank Brennan, Florence Finley, Louisa Taylor, Frank Malone, John Horie, Jessie Tito, Grace Tito, Mildred Middleton, Pat Macdonald, James Drew.

Senior Second Reader.

Hazel Williams, Kathleen Haley, Elsie Wood, Stephen Magro.

Junior Second Reader.

Mary Gooderham, Mary Macdonald, Lucille Rosling, Alice Harper, Alex. Dalziel, Josephine Marapodi, Carmela Naso, Beulah Hill, May Russell, Walter Barrett, Marion Cuthbert, Margaret Malone, Annie Harbinson, Henry Taylor.

Division II.

First Reader.

Leslie Philips, James Atchison, Emily Taylor, Tresa DeLucca, Lillian Russell, Bertram McLean, Dorothy Worthington, Clarence Johnson, John Magro, Edwin Haley, Syiva Hill, Rosi Magro, Josie Blefare.

Second Primer.

Clarence Barrett, Mimi Blefare, Angelo Marapodi, Billy Whiting, Owen Haley.

First Primer.

Nora Malone, Rosi Blefare, Nooch Tito, Franklin Wood, Barbara Worthington, Percy North, Dolly Johns, Octavia Hendricks, Richard Jones, Ronald Coleman, Edith Sullivan.

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Dealing with the program of the Junior Red Cross work in the British Columbia Division, it is conceded that the extension of the Junior Red Cross organization in this province is really one of the most important duties which devolves upon the Society. Upon the children in the schools depends much of the Red Cross support of the future. With the arm approval of the Provincial Department of Education and the various boards of school trustees, the Society purposes establishing Junior Red Cross branches throughout the province with separately organized units in all the larger schools. This being done, it is proposed to create a "Junior Red Cross Sick Childrens' Fund," which will be devoted to providing hospital treatment and care for sick children who are not in a position to receive proper hospital treatment. In the extension of this branch, it is also proposed to provide country vacations for delicate or convalescent city children, who are otherwise unable to secure such a holiday. The ultimate purpose of the Junior Fund, however, will be to assist in the establishment of a Childrens' Hospital or Ward in this province so that our sick children may be assured, at all times, of the very best care and attention from nurses and doctors, specializing in childrens' work.

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With the taking over of the newly built Kuskanook wharf last week by the Dominion government the new Sirdar-Kuskanook link in the transprovincial highway was officially thrown open for use by motor tourists. Captain Fred Cogle and H. Perry Leake, the contractors, turned over the structure to R. A. Kirkpatrick, assistant to P. E. Doncaster, Dominion resident engineer for the eastern interior. A semaphore for use in signalling the C.P.R. boat is now being erected.

For this season, at least, cars will be carried by the steamer from Kuskanook to Nelson, or from Nelson to Kuskanook. Eventually, when suitable slip accommodation is provided for this special purpose at Balfour, motorists will have the option of taking their cars off at the Outlet and driving in to Nelson.

The coming into use of the new link means that the gap between Creston and Nelson has been bridged and all the motor traffic of the transprovincial highway so far as constructed in the interior of this province, with that also from the connecting international roads, may now flow uninterruptedly across Kootenay lake.

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CHARLES MAIR

Poet and Imperialist

(By Rev. R. G. MacBeth, M.A., in the Vancouver Province.)

The following eulogistic reference to Mr. Chas. Mair, East Kootenay pioneer, and until lately a resident of Fort Steele, wil be read with interest by all those who have enjoyed his acquaintance:

One hot but exhilarating day up in the East Kootenay or Windermere country, I motored over from Cranbrook to Fort Steele, on the way up towards Golden. The "fort" was not an imposing walled fortress, but a few log buildings now deserted, as is most of the town, which was once a bustling enough place. The fort, however, had historic interest because it was built in 1887 by the redoubtable Superintendent Sam Steele of the Mounted Police, who after service to the Empire that earned him knighthood, died in England where he had gone in command of the Second Canadian Division in the recent Great War.

It was owing to some rather lawless proceedings on the part of an Indian chief named Isadore that Steele, with Inspectors Wood and Huot and 75 of his famous riders in scarlet and gold, had been ordered into the Kootenay where they erected headquarters and soon secured peace and order after the usual police manner.

Fort Steele, too, was near the still more historic Wild Horse Creek where, years before, hundreds of miners had swarmed in successful search for the precious metal that is the standard of monetary value in the world.

Mair and Schultz

But my visit to Fort Steele that summer day was not on account of these elements in the early history of the locality, though they had their attraction, but because, residing there largely for climatic advantages, was Mr. Charles Mair, a famous Canadian writer and a passionately loyal Imperialist. I can recall Mr. Mair from the days of my early boyhood in the Red River country. I remember seeing him in company with Dr. (late Sir John) Schultz, that intense Canadian statesman who had much to do with the early history of the west and to whose insistent efforts in the Dominion senate in later years we owe so largely the opening up of the Peace River region.

In appearance Dr. Schultz and Mr. Mair were in somewhat considerable contrast. Schultz was of almost giant proportions, tall and powerfully built and very stately of carriage. Mair was equally distinguished in his way but he was less in stature though of very strong broad-shouldered build and ruddy countenance.

When I began to know Mair in a personal way, his fair hair and moustache were getting prematurely grey. Today, he is in his 81st year but having always lived an outdoor active frontier life he is remarkably strong, vigorous and quick in his movements. His letters, which I have the privilege of receiving from time to time, are literary gems in style and full of up-to-date observations on the events of the hour.

Prisoners of Riel

Schultz and Mair were much together in those early days, as I grew to know later, because they were ardent Canadians who resented the attempt of Louis Riel to prevent Canada from taking possession of the west. They were both taken prisoners by the rebel leader who had practically all the firearms in the country at his disposal and both were marked out for vengeance. But they both escaped from imprisonment. Schultz, after being concealed from Riel in my father's house for some days, secured the services of a loyalist native, Joseph Monkman, and took a hard snowshoe trip to Duluth, and thence to Toronto. Mair went from Portage la Prairie with that powerful frontiersman, J. J. Setter, and by snowshoes also reached St. Paul. They all met in Toronto and there with the leadership of Col. Geo. T. Denison, the present magistrate in Toronto; W. A. Foster, Haliburton, and others, not only roused Ontario to the condition of things in the west but established firmly the "Canada First" party which had such a strong influence for imperial unity in a critical era. Canada and the empire are under deep obligation to that group of strong men than many in our day realize. Schultz, Mair and others from the west returned to see the Riel regime in Fort Garry come to an end and to take in the formative periods of our history.

Author of Tecumseh

Mair from his youth in Lanark county in Ontario, had been deeply interested in literary undertakings. And it must be gratifying to him who always contended that Canada should build up a literary instinct with her own genius and shot through by the splendid light of her own land to find that clubs of Canadian authors flourish in all our cities and have their members scattered far and wide by the rivers, hills and plains of the Dominion. He has been specially invited to come to the meeting of authors in Vancouver and he will receive a royal welcome. If that meeting can prevail upon him to write his reminiscences for publication it will have rendered a service of distinct national value.

Mr. Mair is probably best known as an author by his "Tecumseh," undoubtedly the finest poetical drama in the historical literature of Canada. It is the glowing and fervidly patriotic story of the famous Indian chief who became the great ally of Sir Isaac Brock in the extraordinary war of 1812 which we almost forget in these days when the two great branches of the English-speaking race are being drawn ever closer together by the ties of a common ancestry. But Brock and Tecumseh made a wondrously gallant and victorious fight in that day, though they both paid with their lives the high price of their loyal devotion. Mair's drama, which is purely historical, abounds in splendid declamatory passages, brilliant descriptions and sublime reaches of impassioned patriotic speech. It is worthy of special local mention that Colonel Nichol, a soldier of great gallantry and sound judgment and who was without doubt Brock's ablest and most trusted officer, was the grandfather of the present lieutenant-governor of British Columbia.

An Indian Patriot

Mair portrays Tecumseh as a fervent lover of his own race who dies with a prayer "O Mighty Spirit, shelter—save—my people." By his own request the chief's braves bury him in the woods in a grave that no one has ever found. And there is a true touch of chivalry in the fact that Harrison, the American general who had heard of Tecumseh's death, wished to find the body and give it fitting military burial. But soldiers who were sent out returned and said:

"Tecumseh's body can not be found; 'twas borne away by friends who would not name the place if they were tortured." And the drama closes with Harrison's fine words:

"Sleep well, Tecumseh, in thy unknown grave,
"Thou mighty savage, resolute and brave;
"Thou master and strong spirit of the woods,
"Unsheltered traveller in sad solitudes;
"Yearner over Wyandot and Cherokee.
"Couldst tell us now what hath been and shall be."

Mair's peoms form a splendid volume in themselves. They breathe the birds and flowers, the seasons, the mountains and rivers and plains are everywhere. He has a fine study in verse as a tribute to the memory of his great friend, W. A. Foster, of the "Canada First" party. And everybody knows his strong tribute to the life in Canada of Thomas D'Arcy McGee, the brilliant Irishman, once a rebel against Britain who later condemned the Fenianism that would separate the green isle from theempire. Mair's poem should be read in these days.

On Sub-Arctic Regions

Mr. Mair had much to do with Indian treaties and half-breed commissions on western frontiers in the interests of peace and brotherhood of the new country. His excellent book "Through the Mackenzie Basin" takes us on a great trip through the Peace, Athabasca and Mackenzie areas. It is written with the pen of a lover of nature and with the style of one who knows how to draw from "the well of English undefiled." He gives just estimate of the great work done by the North West Mounted Police and by the devoted missionaries who have ventured bravely into sub-arctic regions in their unselfish devotion to duty. There is a strong vein of prophecy in the close of the book where Mr. Mair speaks about the new day that shall dawn on those vast regions that are now seeing the fulfilment of his words. He said years ago:

"The generation is already born, perhaps grown, which will recast a famous journalist's emphatic phrase and cry 'Go North.' Well, we came thence. Our savage ancestors, peradventure, migrated from the immemorial East and rocked the cradle of the supreme race in northern snows. It has travelled far to the enervating south since then, and to preserve its hardihood and sway on this continent must be recreated in the high latitudes which gave it birth."

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CENSUS TAKING IS ON THIS WEEK

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the latter are to have real significance.

As already remarked, the primary task of the census is the enumeration and description of every man, woman and child in Canada. Good business dictates that when so large an organization as this requires has once been created, it should be put to every available purpose. In other words, the "overhead" must earn its maximum. The census therefore should deal not only with the people themselves, but directly with the people's institutions and affairs, insofar as the latter can be properly brought within its scope.

Approximately fifty per cent. of the population of Canada is dependent upon agriculture, and the most expensive part of the census organization is that of the rural districts. For agriculture moreover, the ordinary population enumerator proves a satisfactory field agent, most of the process of agriculture being familiar ones and such as an enumerator who lives in an agricultural district can well cover. Hence the decennial census of the Canadian people is a census of population and agriculture, that is, a comprehensive survey of the Canadian people themselves and of their primary industry.

The schedules used in the census are five in number dealing respectively with (1) Population, (2) Agriculture, (3) Live Stock, fruit growing, etc., (4) Industrial and Trading concerns, and (5) Blindness and Deaf-Mutism. Merely to state the questions asked on these would be impossible here. The population schedule carries some thirty-five columns, recording for each person the name, family, kind of dwelling, age, sex, conjugal condition, birthplace, citizenship, education, occupation, etc., in necessary detail. The schedule relating to agriculture was drawn up in consultation with Dominion and Provincial Agricultural Departments and other authorities, and will elicit a wealth of information on such features as farm acreages, land values, buildings, implements, crops, fertilizers, farm labor, orchars, small fruits, farm gardens, live stock, poultry, animal products, forest products, land tenure, irrigation, drainage, co-operative marketing, etc. The schedule on industrial and business concerns collects only the name, address and class of each; this is for the use of the detailed annual inquiry conducted through correspondence by the Bureau as previously described. The record of the blind and of deaf-mutes is to facilitate the work of educational and other institutions for these classes.

One object of the census being to determine parliamentary representation, the act directs that census districts shall correspond as nearly as possible to the federal contituencies for the time being.

For the remote and seldom penetrated regions or Ungava, Northern Ontario and the west, the organization of the fur trading companies and of the various church missions have been engaged. In other similar regions the Royal Canadian Mounted Police will take the census, whilst the agents of the Indian Department will perform a like service for the Indian population on reserves and elsewhere. An officer of the Department of the Interior will descend the Mackenzie river, for purposes of the census. Even in districts that are closer, there remain a large number of cases where pack trains must be organized, steamers chartered and similar special means employed to ensure that no section of the country escapes enumeration.

For the compilation of the census an extra staff of 350 to 400 clerks will be engaged at Ottawa.

It is expected that from two to five weeks from June 1st will suffice in normal localities for the completion of the field work. After the third or fourth month it should be possible to give out the first results for many cities, towns and countries, etc. As to when the final count by provinces for the entire Dominion will be available, so many unforseen contingencies are possible that prophecy is dangerous, but it is expected that five or six mnoths should enable a close approximation to be made.

Altogether, the census will cost about two million dollars. The amount set aside this year is about one million and three quarters, but there was a vote of $50,000 last year for equipment and preparatory work, and another quarter of a million will probably be required in 1922 and 1922 and 1923 to finish.

Ottawa.—Several thousand English women, selected for suitability in domestic service, will in a short time be sent to this country by the Salvation Army, declared Commissioner B. C. Lamb. of the Salvation Army headquarters staff, Londan, England, and head of the Salvation Army Immigration work. Commissioner Lamb is at present in Canada conferring with the government and looking over the labor situation with a view to absorbing immigrants from England.

TIMMINS, Ont.—Much activity is prevailing here in the local mines and conditions are improving rapidly in view of the phospective relief from power shortage. The big producing mines are being overhauled and everything is being put into shape in order to bring their plants up to full capacity. One firm, the Hollinger Gold Mines, are calling for contracts to carry out their $500,000 housing and improving plans.

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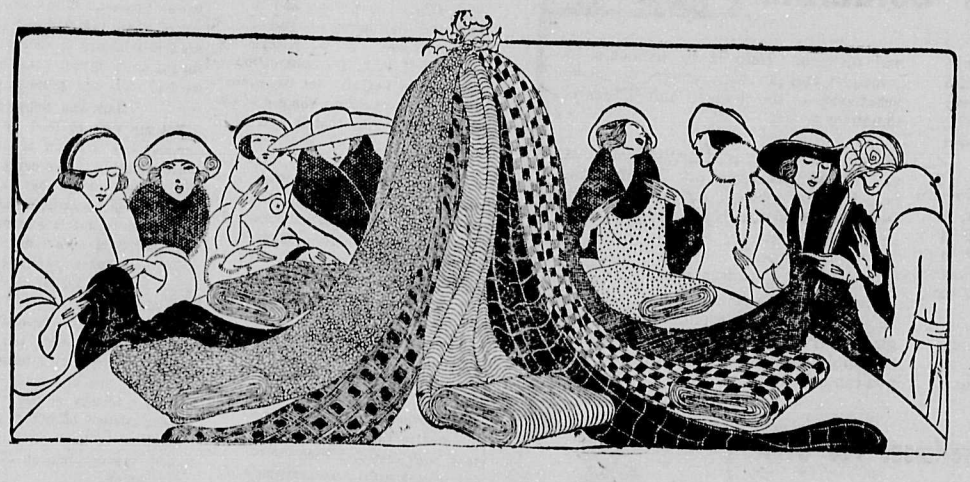

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C. R. C. NOTES

A meeting of the entertainment committee was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Spreull and the following program was outlined for June; but owing to Chautauqua week, an extensive program was not made:

Saturday, June 18th, will be the children's party which will take the form of a picnic out on the prairie a short distance from town. Anyone volunteering the services of their car kindly notify the convenor, Mrs. Green. Cars will leave the C.R.C. at 2.30 sharp. The committee in charge is as follows: Mrs. Green, convenor, Mrs. MacPherson, Mrs. Binning, Mrs. Moffatt, and Mrs. Ed. Paterson, assisted by Florence Bradley, Hester Thompson, Margery Burton, and Nora Wallinger.

Wednesday, June 29th, club picnic. This picnic is for all members and will be held at St. Mary's river near the Mission. Every one will take their own basket and the club will furnish hot coffee. The canteen will have on hand soft drinks and ice cream. The athletic association has charge of the games and contests for which prizes will be given. Cars will meet at the club at 2 o'clock and will convey all members to the picnic grounds in time for the sports and supper at 5.30.

The next meeting of the entertainment committee wil be held on Tuesday, June 21st.

An Aquatic meet will be held in the C.R.C. Wednesday, July 5th, under the supervision of Mr. Mirams and Mr. Clark. All kinds of water stunts will be put on including racing, diving and comic stunts. Prizes will be given by the club.

A Club baseball team is being organized and will play local and out of town teams this season. The first game will be with the Y.M.C.A. on June 9th, at 7 sharp.

Several business men have requested Volley ball and Hand ball games in the club so teams will be organized and reguar games put on. Mr. Mirams wil coach these games and anyone desiring to play kindly hand their names in to him.

"FINEST GRAVEL ROADS IN THE INTERIOR," SAYS DR. J. H. KING

Minister of Works Looks Over Highay Work During His Recent Trip

VICTORIA, B.C.—British Columbia is now beginning to see some tangible results of the good roads programme launched by the provincial government and being carried out by the department of public works, according to the Hon. Dr. J. H. King, minister of public works, who is back in Victoria after a three weeks tour of the highway system of the interior.

"The people are pleased with the progress made and the class of road being constructed," said Hon. Dr. King. "Even boards of trade in the interior are passing resolutions commending us."

"It is a matter of great satisfaction to travel over the road system of the interior and find the way we are making headway."

"It is as beautiful a piece of road as there is in the country," said the minister of the Revelstoke-West opening up Malakwa Valley.

The road between Nelson and Trail is being made a standard road and part of the trans-provincial highway.

"There will be considerable tourist travel over our road system in the interior this season," Dr. King went on. "The tourists will some into the province from Alberta and from Washington."

From the Alberta boundary cars can travel over the trans-provincial highway to Kuskanook on Kootenay Lake. From there cars are taken by Canadian Pacific Railway boats up the lake to Balfour. Arrangements have been made for a $5 to $7 rate for cars on this boat trip.

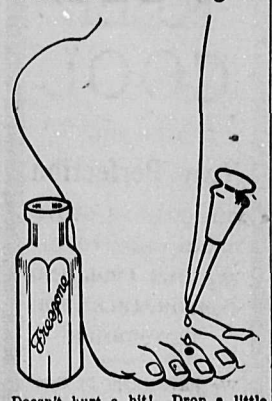
There are also a few miles to be linked up between Rossland and Grand Forks. Cars can take this trip without any trouble now by a short detour through American territory. From Grand Forks there is a through road connecting with the Okanagan and central part of the province.

"The Cranbrook-Fernie-Columbia district is getting some of the finest gravel roads in the country," Hon. Dr. King said. "We are letting the contract for the diversion around Moyie lake, seven miles. This will be a Dominion aid project. There is also considerable work between Goatfell and Creston, also a Dominion aid project."

At Rossland a delegation asked the minister for an extension of the Rossland-Cascade road, 4½ miles into the Velvet mines, recently taken over by Rossland people, so that ore could be shipped directly into Rossland and so make it possible to operate the mines at full capacity. The mines would employ between sixty and seventy men. The government is now considering the proposal.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



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REPORT FROM CENTRAL SCHOOL FOR MONTH OF MAY

Division I.

Entrance Class.

Examinations in Writing, Nature and Health, British and Canadian History, Spelling, Arithmetic.

Pupils graded according to marks obtained, and no allowance made for absences.

Hester Thompson, Murray McFarlane, Hope Taylor, Eddie Spence, Connie Bassett, Alex Cassidy, Dorothy McKowan, Trilby Rebel, Marjorie Burton, Della Baxter, Willie Selby, Loretta Leclerc, Alex Nisbet, Eustace Lee, Ray Hill, Marion Henderson, Winton Manning, Mildred Clarke, Ernest South, Irene MacKenzie, Lawrence Walker, Louise Kelsey, Nora Home, Mamie Washington, Harold Dow, Norma Wallinger, Wilbert Middleton, Leslie Sneddon, Earl Fennessey.

Full attendance, 2.

Satisfactory standing, 22.

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Division II.

In order of merit.

Jean Ward, Jean Vahey, Melville Leask, Esther Challender, Lillian Jackson, Gertrude Patmore, Arthur Shankland, Marion Atchison, Chester Roberts, Frank Hawkesworth, Ted. Worthington, Kenneth Campbell, Henry Godderis and Frank Roy equal, Malcolm Brogan, Daisy Whittaker, Norman Parker, Clara Galbraith, Doris Haynes, Andy Cassidy, Margaret Horie, Amy Williams, Marguerite Starritt, Pat Kennedy, Bennie Murgatroyd, Billie Taylor, Alice Manning, Rita McBurney and Archie Finley equal, Meryl Carson, Joe Brogan (sick), Mark Kennedy, Cyrus Pow, Edward White, Ila Slye, Jimmie Malone, Wilhelmine Woodman, Jack Dixon, Annie Laurie.

Number enrolled 40.

A. WOODLAND.

Division III.

Class standing for May.

First Class—Above 75%

Florence Binning, Eileen McQuaid, Vaughn Roy and Marguerite Godderis equal, Kathleen Dallas, Margaret MacDonald, Philemon Belanger, Suma Margawa, Mary Stevely, Sandy Pascuzzo, Ivy Dezall.

Second Class—60 to 75%

Kenneth Parrett, Marguerite Caven, Irene Mueller, Winnifred Beale, Jean Wallinger, Ray Beech, Milton Walker, Alleyne Wallinger, Gordon Shaw, Margaret O'Brien, Effie Charboneau.

Third Class—50 to 60%

Lilian St. Eloi, Loran Jordan, Pearl Pritchard, Cleland Parkin, Mary Beattie, Beatrice Blain, Edith Johnson, Leonard Parkin, Billy Green, Sam Shaw, Ernest Laurie and Albert Johnson equal.

Fourth Class—Below 50%

Lucy Pascuzzo, Ivy Sanderson, Frank Tito, Harry Kembal, Robert Taylor, Warren Bowness.

Not graded on account of absence: Robert Pelton, Elvin Leask, Kathleen Strachan, Jack Harper, flDorothy Townsend.

Number enrolled 45.

Perfect attendance 19.

Average attendance 42.43.

Percentage of attendance 94.29.

M. E. STAPLES.

Division IV.

Enrolment 49.

Pupils having perfect attendance 26.

Percentage of perfect attendance 92.37.

Class standing, names in order of merit.

Leng Lee, Jim Robson, Ray Brown, Jack Cummings, Graham Dale, Ronnie Haynes, Cyril Lee, James Johnson, Marion Miles, Jack Genest, Hilliard Simpson and Madeline Woodman equal, Ethel Speers, David Frame, Arnold Holdener, Evelyn Ward, Donald Burton, Selina Dion, Evelyn Bowley, Jessie Brown, Harland Clark, Lillian Lewis, Jack Swan, Roy Corbett, Netty Johnston, Aubrey McKowan, Catherine Harrison, Jack Henderson and Sherman Harris equal, Edwin Jecks, Malcolm Harris, Cyril Harrison, Willie McDonald, Elsie Willis, Helen Briggs, Willie Spence, Kelvin Walker, Jean Beattie, Jimmie McFarlane, Allan Gill, Hazel McCoy.

Absent—Jean Home, Harry Lewis, Hilda Steward, Gwen Worthington, Harry Paterson, Melville Reade, Tom Marshall and Grace Mosely.

S. D. WHITE.

Division V.

In order of standing.

Margaret Willis, Loraine Crane, Phyllis Thompson, Dorothy Shaw, Mariam Williams, Nancy Nisbet, Dan Brake, Marion Kummer, Elizabeth Miller, Harry Heise, Margaret Eye, John Metcalf, Mabel Clark, Gordon Rankins, Marion Carr, Calvin McBurney, Etta McGill, Birthell Benson, Kathleen Henderson, Margaret McInnis, George Fanning, George Kemball, Jean McPhee, Merriel Richardison, Ronnie Moffatt, Ruth Chalender, Sophie MacGregor, Joe Little, Naomi Pow, Allan Shaw, Bertie MacDonald, Frank Martin, Robert Willis, Bernice Strachan, Isobel Frame, Grace McClure, Willie Duncan, Ida McGregor, Loretta Rabichaud.

M. L. CARTWRIGHT.

Division VI.

Standing in Class.

A Class—Senior Second Reader

Nora Miles, Ardelle Crane, Mildred Bridges, Ernest Worden, Leitch Paterson, Dennis Turner, Harry Roy, Norma Surtees, Helen Heise, Clifford Haynes, Annie Moore, Arthur Sakaguchi, Hazel Simpson, Nellie Sakaguchi, Rose Burton, Elmer Holm, Paul Harrison, Molley Johnston, Nellie Miller, Lowell McCoy, Molly Blain, Mary Huchcroft, Billy Cameron, Garnet Patmore, Mary Rankins, Rupert Porter, Harry Fanning, Kathleen MsFarlane, Bernice McDonald, Mary Robertson, Elsie Parker, Simon Frost, Margaret Luscombe, Jean Pow, Tony Frost, Bud Parker, George George.

B Class—Junior Second

Stanley Porter, Lillian Dale, Clifford Grant, Jean Niblock, Willie Price.

Perfect attendance.

Rose Burton, Ardelle Crane, Lillian Dale, Harry Fanning, Helen Heise, Mary Huchcroft, Lowell McCoy, Bernice McDonald, Kathleen McFarlane, Nora Miles, Nellie Miller, Garnet Patmore, Stanley Porter, Mary Rankins, Mary Robertson, Arthur Sakaguchi Nellie Sakaguchi, Norma Surtees, Dennis Turner.

MISS BLANKENBACH.

Division VII.

Standing in class.

Nancy Miles; Jessie Musser, and Sheila Paterson equal; George Futa; Dorothy Bridges; Douglas Patton and Katherine Martin equal; Enid Shankland; Donald MacDonald; Kathleen Dezall; Jack Hall and Irene McInnis equal; Allan Phillips and Helen McGill equal; Alice Tucker and Doble MacDonald equal; Florence Pattison, Joseph Genest, Ernest Kennedy, Grace Pritchard, Eileen Gray, Billy Lunn, equal; Ellsworth Ryan; Margaret Johnson; Ellen Wiles; Dorthy Steward; Lawrence Grant.

Perfect attendance.

Cetral School.

Kathleen Dezall, Ernest Kennedy, Nancy Miles, Katherine Martin, Florence Pattison, Sheila Paterson, Ellsworth Ryan, Enid Shankland, Alice Tucker.

K. H. DOUGLASS.

Division VIII.

Standing for May.

Second Reader.

George Roberts, Leslie Kuhnert, Thomas Moore, Jack Parker, Chrissie Charboneau, Harold Holdener, Margaret Farrel, Elva Walker, Pauline Bowness, John Richardson, Archie Leitch, Willie Hayward, Alex Williams, Eugene Kennedy, James Brookes, Winnie Steward and Lillian Webster equal, Lloyd Burgess, Albert George, Gene Ingham, Dayle Richardson.

The following were absent for whole or part of the examinations:

Ida Lancaster, Malcolm McPhee, Mary Crozier, Phyllis Jeffrey.

First Reader.

Donald MacKenzie, Joe Walkley, Leonard Lamphier, Garnet Blaine, Billy Crawford, Wright Speers, Ben Walkley, June Collins, Mike Frost, Jean Macdonald, Jessie Grant, Reginald Shaw, Norman Galbraith, Allan Downey.

The following were absent for whole or part of the examinations:

Maurice Godderis, Kathleen Nisbet, Edna Taylor, Bertie Pelton.

Perfect attendance.

George Roberts, Marian Gill, Alex Williams, Eugene Kennedy, Elva Walker, Wright Speers, Jean Macdonald, Donald MacKenzie, Allan Downey, Pauline Bowness.

P. M. G. MACDONALD.

Division IX.

Class standing.

First Reader.

Winnifred McQuaid, James Huchcroft, Neil Calder, Harry Christian, Ruth Bond, Hazel Clapp, William Harrison, May Strachan, Kenneth Tucker, Kathleen Sheppard, Bobby Muirhead, Jack Wong, Eunice Moore, Berta Jones, Hilda Robinson, Gerald Eye, Donald McInnis, Eddie Leonard, Jean Rutledge.

Perfect attendance.

Neil Calder, James Hucheroft, Gladys Burton, Yuel Guthrie, Donald McInnis, Horace Mullin, William Harrison, Bobby Muirhead, Carrie Spence, Kenneth Tucker, Elliot Harris, Robena Miller.

Second Primer—Class standing.

Horace Mullin, Arthur Lodge, Gladys Burton, Ruth Fanning, Elva Turner, Robena Miller, Kathleen Sheppard, Marshall McPherson Yuel Guthrie, Elliot Harris, Ruth McKowan, Frank Campbell, Jimmy Dixon, Madeline Wise, Florence Steward, Raymond Luscombe, Pat Harrison, Pauline Wise, Wesley Chambers, Roy James, Harvey Moir, Banford Jeffrey, Robert McGregor, Harry Walkley, Hazel Bowley, Nancy McCrindle, Leverne Lamphier, Carrie Spence.

ELLEN B. PATERSON.

Division X.

Standing of Class.

First Primer.

Jessy South, Olive Norgrove, Donald McDonald, Melva Parrett, Gordon Dezall, Evyonne Williams, Mary Fife, Lily Matson, Lewis Holm and Mary Pritchard equal, Murray Rombough, Mary Roberts, Marie Collins and Helen Gilroy equal, Florence Johnson, Donald Cameron and Norman Blaine equal, Cameron McDonald, Cyril Harrison and Watson Hall equal, Edna Baxter and Mah Ken equal, Frank McClure, Violet Moore, Chesley Davidson, Jessy Cassidy, Sadie Gibbs, Richard Slye, Elmer Davidson, Florence Jordan, Barbara Patton, Allen Patmore, Francis Curle, Jack Roberts, Harold Porter and Harold George equal, John Rhodes, Edgar Offin, Leona Johnson and Edna Shaw equal, Edith Walker.

Perfect attendance.—Jessy Cassidy, Harold George, Mah Ken, Melva Parrett, Donald McDonald, Donald Cameron, Florence Johnson, Frank McClure, Olive Norgrove, Barbara Patton, Evyonne Williams.

L. TREVARROW.

DIVISION XI.

Standing of Pupils.

Willie Stevely, Ernestine Menard, Evelyn Holdener, Norah Simpson, Margaret Pow, Jack Tucker, Billy Burton, Jack Pattinson, Mary Lee, James Lunn, Marguerite Walkley, Gordon Speers, Carl Mullin, Harvey Birce, Katherine Baker, George Moore, Christine Williams, Sidney Moore, Kathleen Macdonald, Theo Laurie, Annie Frost, Dorothy Macdonald and Joe Ward equal, Pearl Walkley, Leonard Porter, Robert Stevely, John Niblock, Bernard Nibock, Robert Luscombe, Gordon Davidson, Stanley Whittaker, Frankie Morrow, Pearl Steward, Marguerite Morrow.

Perfect Attendance.—Harvey Birce, Sidney Moore, Gordon Speers, Jack Tucker, James Lunn, Willie Stevely, Ernestine Menard, Leonard Porter, Robert Stevely, Frank Morrow, Christine Williams.

Pupils enrolled 38.

Average attendance 32.33.

MISS MacKENZIE.

COLUMBIA LAND DISTRICT

Take notice that I, George H. Scott, of Nelson, B.C., intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the South bank of the Kootenay River, about 1½ miles above the bridge at Canal Flats, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 17th May, 1921.

14-18 GEORGE H. SCOTT.

COLUMBIA LAND DISTRICT

Take notice that I, Stirling Grainger, of Invermere, B.C., intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum under the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the South bank of the Kootenay River about 1½ miles above the bridge at Canal Flats, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 17th May, 1921.

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The Methodist Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Chester, Hanson Avenue, on Thursday, June 9th, at 3 p.m.

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Tungsten Lamps, 40w. 45c
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Fishing Contest now in full swing—Prize of Premier Fly Rod $85.00, tapered line $12.00, English fly reel $12.00 for the largest trout caught in the district on a Split Bamboo Rod. Moffatt's Variety Store.

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Eight Knights of Pythias candidates received the rank of Knight at the K.P. lodge meeting Tuesday evening.

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Boys Sateen Blouses, reg. price is $1.65, special price $1.35. Get them from Moffatt's Variety Store.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Womens' Institute will be held at the Parish Hall June 7th at 3 p.m. Mr. Armstrong, principal of High School, will address the meeting. Ladies wishing to become members should do so at this meeting as only those who were members by June 30th can compete at the annual Flower Show to be held in the Fall.

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A movement is on foot among some of the fraternal societies of the city to undertake the cleaning up of the cemetery, and putting it in respectable condition. The aid of the city may be asked in the proposal, and also the co-operation of the board of trade, and June 22, a Wednesday afternoon half holiday, is spoken of as a tentative date for the cleaning-up bee. In the meantime the matter is being discussed by the different societies interested.

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All our Ladies' Misses' and Children's White Canvas Shoes at a discount of 25%, or one-fourth off the regular prices. Come early while the sizes are complete.
W. D. HILL,
The Ladies' Wear Store.

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Bed, Mattress and Springs. Our low prices win every time. W. F. DORAN, Cranbrook Exchange.

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Read Beale & Elwell's advertisement on this page for Residential Snaps.

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A candidate was received into membership of the Baptist church on Sunday evening last by the ordinance of Baptism performed by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Ttapscott. A large congregation was present and heard a very effective sermon from Mr. Tapscott on "A Sample Conversion."

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Special—3 days only, Girls' Chip Straw Hats, regular 50c now 40c, at Moffatt's Variety Store.

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The Edmondson Orchestra has a busy week-end booked up for next week. On the 8th, Wednesday, they are providing the music for the L.A. to B.R.T. "Poudre Ball" at the Parish Hall. The evening following there is a dance at the Handley Hall, Kimberley, at which they are playing, while on Friday the orchestra is playing for a dance at Bull River.

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Messrs. Ratcliffe & Stewart are now open for business in their new garage location, formerly the Edison Theatre. They are offering a full garage service, general repair and battery work, tire repairing and vulcanizing. They have purchased the gasoline pump and tank formerly in use at the Hanson Garage service station on Baker Street, and have had it installed this week. The new garage is also carrying a full line of parts and accessories.

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Dinner Sets from $18.00 to $48.50 per set at Moffatt's Variety Store.

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who by their kindly help and thoughtfulness have endeavored to brighten the time of bereavement, I desire to extend sincere thanks.
FRANK L. PARKS.

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Social-Personal

Rev. R. W. Lee returned on Saturday afternoon last from Victoria, where he had been attending conference.

Boys' Khaki Combination Overalls, all sizes, at Moffatt's Variety Store for $2.25.

The frost of last week did considerable damage to city gardens, corn and potato leaves and some flowers being nipped to the ground.

Mayor J. A. Genest has become the owner of a Buick car, being the successful tenderer for its purchase from the Customs Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staples and little daughter, of Erickson, were guests at the home of Mrs. Staples' sister, Mrs. H. A. McKowan, in this city over last week-end.

After the snowfall of last week the St. Mary's Prairie country is looking fine, and farmers of that section are quite optimistic as to prospects for this season's harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Palmer, who spent some time in the city last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Palmer, left last Sunday, returning home to Nelson.

Mr. Alvin E. Perkins, well known piano tuner, has been in the city since last week-end on professional business, and has been engaged busily ever since.

In response to an invitation from a representative committee of the place, Principal Armstrong of the High School, will go to Wycliffe on Sunday evening and conduct service there.

Rev. W. T. Tapscott of the Baptist church is expecting to go to the Coast later in the month to attend the sessions of the B.C. Baptist Convention, on the program of which he has been given a place.

Mr. B. A. Moorhouse who recently came to the city to engage professionally in the practice of civil engineering and land surveyoing, has taken offices in the Hanson Block, adjoining those of Messrs. Gurd & Spreull.

Mr. J. S. Roberts, representing Cassidy's, Ltd., wholesale crockery dealers of Vancouver, was in the city during the week-end. While here Mr. Roberts availed himself of the golf links and states they are of the best.

Mr. J. L. Palmer, formerly of the Cranbrook Cartage and Transfer Co., has been appointed the resident agent of the Imperial Oils, Limited. He has taken offices in the Hanson Block, adjoining Messrs. Beale & Elwell.

Mrs. Sam Fyles and Mrs. Leaman, who left recently for the Old Country, arrived on the other side of the Atlantic on the 19th of last month, it has been learned, though no personal word has yet come from the travellers.

Miss A. Woodland of the Central School will preside as formerly at the forthcoming high school examinations, while Mr. H. R. Robertson ,of the high school, will be presiding officer at the entrance examinations at the public school.

We have a full line of Mirror Spoons and Wm. Croft & Son's upright dry flies; very best tackle on the market.
Moffatt's Variety Store.

Mr. A. G. Langley, District Mining Engineer, of Revelstoke, is expected to be in this district shortly, to undertake some special inspection work at different mining claims in this vicinity, several of which have already been arranged for Mr. Langley.

Miss Donna Argue was home from Calgary last week, where she is attending the Garbutt Business College. On Friday evening she entertained a number of young friends at her home, and a very enjoyable time was spent. Miss Argue returned to Calgary on Saturday last.

The proposal has been made that the Recreation Club hold a Field Day here for Dominion Day, July 1st. An effort is being made to ascertain if anything of this nature is planned to take place at Fernie, and if not, something may materialize here.

F. A. Starkey, of the Nelson Board of Trade, is expected to arrive today on his way up to Invermere, where he will attend as a representative of the West Kootenay Boards. An effort is also to be made to have Mr. Starkey address a meeting of the Prospectors' Association in this city on Saturday, if it is found possible to work it in.

The cool weather of the past few days has caused the flood waters to drop considerably, to the intense relief of many who were anticipating trouble from the fast-rising waters. It was the rapid rising of the waters of Wild Horse Creek which was responsible last week for the railroad accident near Fort Steele, a trestle having been undermined. Repairs to the track were soon completed, and the wrecking crew extricated the engine on Friday.

Boys All-Leather Belts, reg. $1.00, now 75c, at Moffatt's Variety Store.

R. Sinclair, of Yahk, was here Saturday last.

Mr. H. Arnold, of Mayook, was in the city Wednesday in connection with legal matters.

Mr. Sam. Shaw is confined to his home as the result of a serious attack of Bright's Disease.

Whist drive and dance in the Parish Hall next Wednesday evening, the 8th. You'll have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin returned last week-end from a visit to Calgary, Banff, Revelstoke and other points.

Representatives from all over the country will attend the D.O.K.K. Carnival at Lethbridge on the 15th inst.

Mrs. Cann, and her daughter, Miss Bessie Cann, formerly of Fort Steele, have left for Calgary to join Mr. Cann, who is with the Canadian Pacific Natural Resources Dept., there.

Hans Hanson, formerly of Wycliffe, and now with the C. N. P. Lumber Co., Wardner, was in the city at the beginning of the week.

John Gard and W. Whiting made a trip to Monroe Lake recently and report fairly good luck. One of the bag weighed 1 pound and 5 ounces.

Mrs. David Halcrowe and family arrived in the city early this week to join her husband here, and they have taken up residence in their newly acquired home on Burwell Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Farrell are now occupying the house on Burwell Avenue which they recently purchased. Mr. and Mrs. Moore, the former occupants, have moved into rooms in the building on Fenwick Avenue next to the former King Lumber Co. office.

Little Barbara Beale who returned from the Coast last week with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Beale, has been making good progress toward recovery after her recent long spell of illness and surgical treatment. It is still necessary for her to make a daily visit to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adlard are leaving on Saturday for Nanaimo, where Mr. Adlard will attend sessions of the provincial lodge, I.O.O.F., and also the Encampment, while Mrs. Adlard will attend the provincial Rebekah Lodge meetings. Mr. J. H. Cameron, will also attend the provincial lodge meetings, expecting to leave Friday, and Mr. Harry White is also attending as a provincial Grand Lodge representative.

Japanese Cocoa Mats, regular price $2.00, now $1.60. Moffatt's Variety Store.

NIGHT TELEGRAPH SERVICE; REQUEST NO-PHONED MESSAGES

Since the discontinuance of the night service at the commercial telegraph office, all night wires have been handled at the yard office, as formerly. In connection with this convenience which the company thus offers the public, the practice of patrons phoning messages in for dispatch over the wires is now causing some little inconvenience. There is no objection to this course at the regular commercial office, but at the yard office at night to go to the phone and perhaps take a long night letter means that the operator is taken away from his instrument, sometimes for an unreasonably long time.

The company is therefore asking the public to discontinue the practice of phoning night messages into the yard office, feeling sure that no hardship will be worked by asking for the delivery of the messages in person or by messenger, when they will receive the same prompt attention as heretofore.

Night messages may be filed at the commercial office at any time during the day before six p.m., and phone messages may also be taken there as heretofore.

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3rd, Value — Because that is the relation between quality and price.

W. H. WILSON,
JEWELER

Mr. and Mrs. T. Bates and daughter were visitors here this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jecks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Simpson, of Eureka, Mont., passed through the city Thursday last on a motor tour.

Mr. L. Douglas Rengger, Baritone, (Imperial Conservatoire, Moscow,) voice production and violin. Studio 201 Burwell Ave. Phone 141.

We have 50 girls dresses to sell within a week at 20% below the regular price—Great Bargains— Moffatt's Variety Store.

W. Parker, of Winnifred, Alta., who was hurt some time ago at Rampart, when he suffered abadly twisted back, is still in the hospital, other troubles having developed in his case. He is understood to have been given up for gone more than once, but is now getting along pretty well.

Rev. J. B. Sterling, formerly of Saskatoon, but now of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Nelson, passed through the city on Monday, coming this far by car from Saskatoon, accompanied by a brother. Mrs. Sterling and little daughter joined Mr. Sterling here, and they proceeded on by rail to Nelson, Mr. Sterling leaving the car here so he could be sure of reaching Nelson in time for an engagement. It is expected he will return in a day or two and proceed to Nelson with the car.

Ladies may wear calico, voile or print dresses, and men won't have to wear a coat at the dance next Wednesday night in the Parish Hall.

The funeral took place this afternoon of John McIlivrey, who was found drowned at Bull River last week. The remains were turned over to F. M. MacPherson, undertaker, by the provincial police, and the Veterans interested themselves in the funeral of their comrade, the deceased being a returned man. Rev. E. W. MacKay, of Knox Church, conducted the services.

Inspectors DeLong and Daniels of the High School and Public School Departments respectively, were both in the city this week for a short time looking to their particular interests. Inspector DeLong will forward formal reports to teachers and the High School Board at a later date, but he expressed himself as being well pleased with the general condition of the High School work here.

J. B. Haslam has introduced an innovation into the city which has been in evidence at the Auditorium of late. He has secured the exclusive contract to cater to the audiences at the Auditorium for all the road shows, and the cute little Dutch girls he has engaged offer candy, ice cream, soft drinks, etc., for sale during the performance, bearing a sign to indicate whose enterprise is responsible for their appearance. Judging from the reception that has been accorded the little saleladies, the audiences have appreciated the new refreshment service.

G. H. Scott, of Nelson, has been in the city this week, and made a trip up to Perry Creek on Tuesday, where he is interested with some associates in some promising mining claims. Mr. Scott has purchased a small two-stamp mill which will be installed at the property as soon as possible, and the claims will be thoroughly tried out. Mr. Scott is also interested in some coal claims near Canal Flats, which show good anthracite indications. As soon as the high water in the Kootenay river abates some systematic prospecting will be carried out to ascertain the extent of the deposits.

Don't forget the "Poudre Ball" in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening, June the 8th.

While out on a fishing trip last week with his son Stanley, W. D. Hill met with a mishap, the effects of which only came to light today, when he went to the doctors. The car stopped at a difficult piece of road on the way to Fish Lake, and Mr. Hill got out to push. The wheels were skidding, and in pushing Mr. Hill slipped and struck his side on the running board of the car. While feeling some pain at the time, he did not believe any serious harm had been done till today when increasing pains prompted him to get medically examined. It was then revealed that a rib had been broken, for which Mr. Hill is now taking treatment.

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Everything in Curtain Scrims, Marquisettes and Lace Curtains at one-quarter off the regular selling price.
W. D. HILL.

A project is on foot to hold united church services at the Chautauqua tent on Sunday, June 12th, morning and evening possibly. In the evening the railwaymen's organizations are expecting to hold their annual anniversary service. If Dr. Gordon, who is announced on the Chautauqua program to be here on Saturday, is able to give another address on Sunday, a joint service may be held in the morning in the tent, as well as in the evening.

Full line in Boys' and Girls' Canvas Shoes at lowest prices—Our prices win every time—Moffatt's Variety Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kingham of Victoria, were in the city for a day or two this week, guests at the Cranbrook. They came in by way of Spokane, and left on Thursday's train for Invermere, where Mr. Kingham, as president of the Associated Boards of Trade of B.C., will attend the gathering there this week-end. They expect to make the trip back by car.

IMPRESSIONS OF ANNUAL CONFERENCE

(Continued from Page One)

tention of the minister of education be called to the matter and tha the be asked to take such steps as will in some degree eliminate the acceptance of such standards of social life, which are impairing the religious moral and educational life of our young people.

The conference passed the foregoing resolution by a unanimous standing vote. The conference also passed an unanimous resolution protesting against the provincial government raising the indemnity to private members and cabinet ministers, while at the same time it sought to practice economy in regard to the unemployment within the province.

During the conference several remarkable debates took place but none drew forth such intense feeling and excitement as the report on evangelism and social service, and the whole attitude of the conference was toward a great spiritual march and advance.

A great number of memorials and resolutions were dealt with involving some "knotty problems" and in almost every case the debates were of a high order.

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