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Prepare for the Ball to be given by the B. of R. T. and L. A. on New Year's Night

New Party Comes Into Existence

Third Party May Be Figure In Next Provincial Election in British Columbia

"To get Oliver out and not let Bowser in," is the slogan of the new Provincial Party, organized by the political committee of the United Farmers of B.C., which was in session at Vernon for two days last week.

The conference, which was attended by fourteen delegates of farmers from Nicola, Kamloops and North Okanagan, was behind closed doors, but John Redman, the chairman, stated that all other organizations "who are disgusted with the two political parties will be invited to come in with us to form the Provincial Party."

The name "Provincial Party" was officially adopted. He stated that the "broadening out" policy had been adopted, and that a convention of all farmers interested in the movement was being called for January 13 at Vernon, to complete further organization.

After the January meeting, which precedes the annual convention of the United Farmers convention, also to be held there, labor, business men and others will be invited to sit around the table and plan a campaign.

"The enormous fixed provincial charges and increasing high taxes, already a heavy burden to the farmer, that were also being felt by the ordinary citizen of British Columbia, were responsible for our action," said Mr. Redman.

A membership fee of 25 cents was fixed, and J. F. Tener, of Falkland, who has been prominent in United Farmer circles, was appointed organizer for the district by the committee, and will start out on the job within a few days.

The committee proposes that local political organizations shall be set up in all agricultural ridings.

John Redman, Kamloops, is chairman of the organization, and B. G. Stewart, Nicol, secretary.

The platform adopted by the committee follows:

The party should be a union of all citizens in British Columbia under the name of the Provincial Party.

The Provincial Party will urge upon the Dominion Government the absolute necessity of establishing foreign trade areas, known as free ports, in Vancouver and Victoria.

The establishment of an industrial research department to ascertain the scientific use of by-products, agricultural and industrial, now going to waste.

The absorption of involuntary unemployment by the provision of productive work, non-competitive with established industries.

Land settlement in conjunction with Imperial and other authorities.

The amendment and re-drafting of the Water Act.

Rural credits.

Drastic cutting down of the cost of administration.

Adoption of the general recommendations on the P.G.E. contained in the Sullivan report.

Ultimate exclusion of Orientals.

Amendment of the Liquor Act.

Completion of the B.C. University.

The resolution that was the basis of the new and larger organization follows:

That, in the opinion of this meeting, the present political situation in the province has become so grave that it is the duty of men of all classes to unite in an effort to save the province from bankruptcy. For this purpose we, as farmers, under the terms of the resolution by which the committee was appointed, stand prepared to co-operate with business and labor interests to abolish the misgovernment which is causing deep concern and alarm to patriotic citizens everywhere.

NEW FEATURES WILL START IN THE HERALD NEXT WEEK

A new stereotyping outfit will be in use in time for next week's issue it is hoped, that will allow of a number of new features being introduced. In addition to providing an up-to-date cut service for the benefit of advertisers, several bright features will become available for use in the paper, including a comic strip, cartoon, topical illustrations, etc.

The service, for which The Herald has obtained the exclusive franchise in this territory, is undoubtedly the best of its kind, and was secured after a thorough investigation of the other services extant. This move has been under way for several months, and everything points to its going into full use next week.

ELKO HAPPENINGS

"The Old Historic Burg" is again on the map. Old residents, who have for long been sojourning on the Prairies and other parts, are daily coming back to the city by the canyon. Bill Winsor, Charlie Johnson, Joe Sheridan, Joe Hockley, Jack Thomson and many others are again in our midst. And, nightly, as of yore, the crowd gathers around the big bellied stove in the Columbia Hotel to swap lies and tell the tales that beguiled many a winter evening in the days of long ago. And one and all emphatically assert that they are here to stay. When a count of noses was made last Thursday evening, what was at first considered a strange steer was found in the bunch. On pawing him over for his brand, however, the discovery was made that another longhorn had drifted back to the home range. Jack Lewis had come to town. The reminiscence club that night entered into session with a full quorum.

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Harold White has completed his preliminary survey of the proposed scenic road along the east side of Sheep Mountain. Elko is already rich in beauty spots; but the opening of such a highway as the Sheep Mountain cut off will make of the town the most attractive summering place in the interior of British Columbia.

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Cap. Carruthers was a business visitor on Tuesday.

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The new skating rink is a scene of activity these frosty nights. If the young folks displayed half the activity in rustling wood as they do in the making of ice, coal strikes would be the least of our worries.

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The Elk Hotel, recently acquired and taken over by William McKay of Waldo, is being renovated from cellar to garret. Jack Thomson is in charge of the work. In addition to the regular table de hote dining room, the hostelry will boast a commodious cafe that, when finished in a panelled beaver board effect, will compare favorably with the restaurants of much larger towns. A pipeless furnace will be installed to heat the rotunda and the rooms on the south side of the building.

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The new hydro-electric company is rushing its work of construction. This week is to see the laying of the foundations for the dining camps and sleeping quarters for the large force of men required to construct the four thousand feet of tunnel from the dam site to the power plant at the Big Basin below the falls.

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At the site of the proposed pulp mill at Phillips' Bridge, nine miles south of the town, some thirty men are busy in the erection of buildings. No construction machinery, however, has arrived on the ground to date.

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A splendid piano has been installed in the Community Hall above Lewis Foisy's garage. It is just a question which possesses the greater attraction for the young people, the new skating rink or the monthly dances at the Community Hall.

PICCARIELLO AND WOMAN ACCOMPLICE ARE FOUND GUILTY

Sensational Trial Comes to an End When Death Sentence Is Meted Out to Accused

One of the most sensational murder trials in the west reached its concluding stages on Saturday last when at Calgary Mr. Justice Walsh imposed sentence of death on Emilio Piccariello and Mrs. Florence Lassandro, of Blairmore, for the murder of Constable Steve Lawson, formerly of Fernie. This is the first instance in the province of Alberta when a woman has been sentenced to hang. In imposing sentence the judge stated that in the case of the woman there might be some hope of clemency being extended on account of her sex, after the evidence has been forwarded to the minister of justice at Ottawa for the customary review. The date of the execution was set for the latter part of February. After the jury had returned their verdict the judge stated that he heartily concurred in it, and felt that a grave miscarriage of justice would have occurred had any other verdict been arrived at.

There has as yet been no evidence of any appeal, and if the sentence is carried out, it will be but five months from the time of the crime. The Piccariello case has so far cost the province of Alberta in the neighborhood of $15,000, the attorney general of the province states.

PRIZE WINNERS FROM WINDERMERE AT PROVINCIAL POTATO FAIR

District Makes A Particularly Good Showing In Netted Gem Variety

R. Gladwyn Newton, B.S.A., Superintendent of the Invermere Experimental Farm, was in the city over Sunday night, leaving for Invermere on Monday morning. He was on his way back from Grand Forks, where he attended the Provincial Potato Fair held there last week. Mr. Heath, of Invermere, was also at Grand Forks, and remained there a day or two longer in charge of the Windermere exhibits.

The potatoes from that district made a particularly good showing in the Netted Gem classes, as reference to the following list of prizes won will show.

CLASS A — CERTIFIED SEED

Lot 1, Netted Gems: 1st J. W. Moreland, 3rd R. R. Bruce.

Lot 6, Miscellaneous: 2nd A. J. T. Walker (Wee McGregors).

CLASS B — UNCERTIFIED SEED

Late Long, Netted Gems: 1st H. S. Fuller, 2nd R. Ballantyne, 3rd F. Jones.

CLASS C—COMMERCIAL POTATOES

Early White: 5th P. M. Stoddart, ..

Late Round or Oval: 3rd R. R. Bruce, 4th J. S. Johnson.

Late Long, Netted Gems: 1st J. W. Moreland, 3rd H. L. Fuller, 4th H. H. Peters, 5th R. R. Bruce.

DISTRICT DISPLAY

Windermere Second.

SPECIALS

Best Sample of Netted Gems, Certified: J. W. Moreland.

Vanbright Cup for Best Sample of Commercial Potatoes: J. W. Moreland.

CRANBROOK BOY IN BICYCLE ACCIDENT AT NELSON ON MONDAY

E. A. Hill on Tuesday received word that his son Ray had been in an accident at Nelson. The Nelson News recorded the facts of the accident as follows:

"Ray Hill, a student at the Nelson High School, received painful injuries and a narrow escape yesterday morning about 8.30, when he was thrown from a bicycle on which he was riding in Fairview.

"The youth, who lives on the north shore, was on his way to school, on his bicycle, and was hanging onto an automobile getting a lift into town. As the car branched out onto High Street from Nelson Avenue, another auto coming from the opposite direction, caused the driver of the car on which the boy was hanging to swerve in to one side and so let the approaching auto pass. In so doing the boy and wheel were swung onto the bank at the side of the road, the youth receiving several bad cuts to his face, and his bike being badly smashed. The motorist picked the lad up, and rushed him to the Kootenay Lake General Hospital, where his wounds were dressed. He was then taken to his home."

DATE OF SECOND MUSICAL SOCIETY CONCERT IS CHANGED

Program Given Wednesday Evening Last to be Repeated on December 19th

It is announced that owing to an unforseen conflict in dates, the repeat performance to be given by the Cranbrook Musical Society in aid of the Veterans' Christmas Tree fund will be held on Tuesday evening, December 19th, at the Auditorium. The first announcement was that this would be given on Wednesday evening next, but at that time it was not known by those in charge of the arrangements that Friday of next week, Dec. 15th, had been booked for the minstrel show at the Auditorium, to be given by the Kimberley Hockey boys. In order to avoid any appearance of conflict in the dates the Musical Society program was therefore put back to the following week.

The program to be presented on the 19th will be varied slightly from that given on Wednesday last, which everyone admits was one that will bear hearing again, and it is hoped that a crowd just as large, or larger, will be on hand to help both the Musical Society and the good work of the Veterans.

R. G. Newton returned on Sunday evening from Grand Forks where he attended the provincial potato fair as superintendent of the Invermere Experimental station. He called at the Herald office to relate the good success the Windermere potato growers met with at Grand Forks, and went on to Invermere on Monday's train.

CENTRAL SCHOOL REPORT FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Total enrolment at Central School for November, 532.

DIVISION I.

First Class, 75% and over.

Peter Brennan 79.85, Billie Taylor 78.55, Jack Cummings 77.64, Ray Beech 77.42, Sophie Mader 77.14, Winnifred Beale 77, Ena Davey 76.50.

Second Class, 60% to 75%.

Jessie McInnis 74.85, Adrelle Owen 74.78, Margaret MacDonald 73.57, Graham Dale 72.14, Mabel Stender 71.21, John Heimsing 69.93, Alleyne Wallinger 69.64, Wilhelmine Woodman 69.50, Leonard Parkin 68.52, Ronald Haynes 67.84, Ethel Speers 67.07, Robert Pelton 62, Loran Jordan 61.75, Pearl Pritchard 61.21, Edith Johnson 61, Marion Miles 60.28.

Third Class, 50% to 60%.

Marguerite Caven 59.85, Cleland Parkin 59.85, Harland Clark 58.92, Warren Bowness 57.57, Effie Charbonneau 55.28, Elvin Leask 53, Ivy Sanderson 52.92, Ernest Laurie 51.

A. WOODLAND, Teacher.

DIVISION II.

Number enrolled 41; perfect attendance 28.

Tom Marshall 71.2, Evelyn Ward 63, Jack Genest 62.1, Malcolm Harris 61.2, Mary Daniels 59.7, Sherman Harris 59.1, Jack Swan 58.5, David Frame 58.3 Catherine Harrison 57, Arnold Holdner 56.8, Edgar Sanderson 55.9, Ejnar Ericksson 55.6, Lillian Lewis 55.5, Murray Garden 54.7, Jack Henderson 54.2, Ray Brown 53.9, Donald Burton 53.6, George Heimsing 53, Leslie Sainsbury 52.4, Jessie Brown 50.6, Billy MacDonald 50.5, Pat Taylor 50.2, Doris Shaw 49.7, Bert Laurie 49.4, Jas. Dalziel 49, Aubrey McKowan 48.4, Kenneth McNeil 48.3, Mac Horie 47.5, Hilliard Simpson 47, William Dargie 46.7, Henry Kemball 45.4, Fred Collings 44.8, James McFarlane 44.6, Harry Patterson 44.2, Tom Collings 43.7, Willie Taylor 42, Melville Reed 41.2, Happy Newton 38.5, Netty Johnston 38.2.

Absent during exams, Paul Gooderham, James Johnston.

F. E. MAGEE, Teacher.

DIVISION III.

Phyllis Thompson 84, Josephine Pascuzzo 81.3, Florence Finley 81, Marion Kummer 79, Frank Brennan 77.3, Dan Brake 77, Cyril Harrison 76.5, Harry Heise 76, Margaret Willis 75.6, Elizabeth Miller 75.3, Frank Malone 74.1, Jean Home 74, Bill Wolfe 73, Fraser MacKay 72.6, Selina Dixon 72, Willie Spence 71.6, Elsie Ericson 71.5, Jack Barber 71, Edith Carlyle 68.5, Birthel Benson 68, Gwen Slye 67.8, John Metcalfe 67, Kenneth Bassett 65, Mabel Clarke 64.6, Marion Williams 63, Hazel Campbell 62, Margaret McInnis 61, Robert Taylor 60, Etta McGill 59.6, Helen Collings 59, Bertie McDonald 58.6, Elsie Willis 58, Hilda Steward 56.5, Madeline Woodman 56, Jean McPhee 55.5, Marion Carr 55.5, Colvin McBurney 53.3, Helen Briggs 53, Winnifred Malone 50.

Absent through illness, Margaret Eye, Allan Gill,, Nancy Nesbit, Pearl Saunders, Harriet Home.

Total enrolment 47.

DIVISION IV.

Enrolment 38; perfect attendance 26.

Junior Fourth—George Fanning 64, Gordon Freeman 63, Evelyn Bowley 62, Kathleen Henderson 60, Grace McClure 59.6, Jessie Tito 59, Robert Willis 58, Walter Fanning 57.8, Ronald Moffatt 57.5, Ruth Challender 57.1, Frank Martin 56, Fred Stojack 55, George Kemball 54.5, Billy Flett 54.4, Allan Shaw 53.8, Gordon Rankins 53, Mary Genest 51.4, Ruth Kennedy 51.3, Madeline Demichel 50.4, Jessie Cassels 50, Pat McDonald 46.7, Jack Horie 46.2 Isobel Frame 42, Eva Stender absent.

Senior Third—Nora Miles 90, Mildred Bridges 83, Denis Turner 82, Ernest Worden and Audrey Collier 78, Leitch Paterson and Helen Heise 75, Melanie Lebeau 74, Nellie Miller 67.5, Ida McGregor 67, Sophie McGregor 65, Norma Surtees 64, Joe Little 61, Billy Cameron absent.

S. D. WHITE, Teacher.

DIVISION V.

Senior Third—Paul Harrison 67.4, Hazel Williams 66.7, Arthur Sakaguichi 66.7, David Weston 66.4, Garnet Patmore 66, Rita Strachan 65.4, Mary Hucheroft 65.3, Mary Cox 63.5, Mary Rankins 61.5, Simon Frost 60.4, Hazel Simpson 60.2, Kathleen Haley 59.8, Harry Roy 59.7, Nellie Sakaguichi 59.3, Ethel Pugsley 57.8, Jas. Drew 57.7, Elsie Wood 56.4, Rose Burton 54.8, Mary Robertson 54.7, Nellie Owen 53.8, Clifford Haynes 52.8, Harry Fanning 51.8, Thos. Moore 48.8, George Pelton 45, Bud Parker 42.8.

Junior Third—George Futa 73.8, Sheila Patterson 66.8, Irene McInnes 65.2, Lowell McCoy 63.8, Clarence Scholey 60.6, Kathleen McFarlane 60.2, Stephen Magro 58.4, George George 58.3, Elsie Parker 56.3, Molly John-

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PRINCE OF WALES MAY COME TO KOOTENAYS FOR BIG GAME HUNT

Interested Through Commander Pilcher, Who Has Hunting Lodge at White Swan Lake

Two distinguished visitors were in the city on Saturday and Monday last, in the persons of Commander Pilcher and Lieutenant Booth of the Royal Naval Reserve. Both of the gentlemen named were participants in the Battle of Jutland where Admiral Beattie effectually nipped in the bud Germany's aspirations to win for herself the proud title of Mistress of the Seas.

The Commander and Lieutenant Booth with Mrs Pilcher have been hunting for the past six weeks in the White River country under the guidance of Jimmy White and Billy Stork, well known guides of Fort Steele. This is the second excursion that the Commander has made into East Kootenay in pursuit of the elusive mountain sheep. He looks upon this district as a veritable El Dorado of the hunter of game.

So enthusiastic has he become that he has purchased the Broadwood Ranch at the foot of White Swan Lake, for the express purpose of creating a base from which to conduct future hunting expeditions.

In the course of a conversation with a representative of the Herald the Commander spoke of the possibility of the district being honored by a visit from the Prince of Wales, perhaps next fall. He has been in correspondence with the Prince on the subject of hunting in this district, and the royal sportsman is interested to the extent of seriously considering a trip into Kootenay.

While in the city the naval officer visited C. J. Lewis for the purpose of viewing the mountain sheep head which hangs in his home on Lumsden Avenue. They unhesitatingly pronounced it the most perfect specimen of the Ovis Canadensis they had ever seen.

"But," said the Commander, turning to Jimmy White, his guide, "there must be some just as good on White River."

Jimmie, his eyes still on the head, nodded assent.

Jimmy and the Commander are a hard pair to beat. Next fall, if they do not surpass, or at least equal the Lewis trophy, it will not be for lack of trying. And then there is Lieutenant Booth. He too is living for the day when a record sheep will fall to his rifle—and when the amateur middle weight champion boxer of the British Navy really means business he usually gets results. Gentlemen all, may success crown your efforts.

This year, the bag of the party consists of two very fair mountain sheep and two mountain goats.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY KEY CITY LODGE FOR NEXT TERM

At the regular meeting of Key City Lodge, No. 42, I. O. O. F., held last week, the semi-annual election of officers took place, resulting as follows:

Noble Grand ..... E. G. Dingley
Vice-Grand ..... R. Burtch
Recording Sec. .... W. C. Adlard, P.G.
Financial Sec. ..... W. D. Gilroy, P.G.
Treasurer ..... F. G. Morris, P.G.

The remaining officers are appointed at the installation meeting early in the new year.

BLUES ARE HOSTS AT SUPPER AS LOSING SIDE IN CONTEST

On Wednesday evening at 6.30 at the Parish Hall the Reds, as winners in the A. Y. P. A. membership contest, enjoyed a good supper at the expense of the Blues, who lost out. Following the substantial supper which was provided, a list of toasts was proposed, interspersed with the singing of a number of song classics, such as "To-day is Monday," "Old McDonald Had a Farm," and other gems. A. E. Leigh acted as toastmaster, and the first, to the King, was responded to in the customary manner by the singing of the National Anthem. That to "The Church and the A. Y. P. A." was responded to by the Rector, Rev. F. V. Harrison, and Miss M. Baxter, the president of the society. "The Reds" were toasted, and this was responded to by Thos. Hogarth and Fred Ryckman. "Canada," was responded to by F. G. Morris, and by the singing of "O, Canada." "The Ladies" were given their customary toast, spoken to by K. Wasson and C. Shaw, and this was followed by one to "The Men," to which the speakers were Miss Virginia Wolfe and Miss Evelyn Anderton.

After the close of the program a dance was enjoyed till about 10.30.

OBITUARY

JOHN YUILL

The following, taken from an Edmonton paper, refers to the late Mr. John Yuill, father of Mrs. A. S. Ward, of this city, who was called away last week to be with her father in what proved to be his last illness, but who arrived too late to be with him when the end came. A good many people came to be acquainted with the late Mr. Yuill during the visits he made to this place, and still others dated their friendship with him back to earlier days in Ontario.

"The funeral service of the late John Yuill, who passed away in the city Monday, November 27th, following a long period of declining health, at the age of sixty-six years, was held on Wednesday afternoon from Connelly & Armstrong's private chapel. Hundreds of friends gathered to pay their last respects to one whom they had known and respected for so many years. The chapel was crowded long before the service, which was conducted by the Rev. C. W. Branscombe. Interment was made in the Edmonton cemetery.

"The floral offerings, which were extremely beautiful, included a magnificent tribute from the family in the form of gates ajar. Other floral tributes were received from Mr. and Mrs. McNeil, Hazel and Hughie, Mr. and Mrs. John McNil, staff of Hudson's Bay Co., staff of James Ramsey, Ltd., Mr. and Mrs. Wismer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKinley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lang, Crafts, Lee and Gallinger, Essie and Jock, Westminster Church Choir, Mr. and Mrs. H. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Umbach and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Greig, Mrs. Speer and Louise, Eva and Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Clenaghen, Sue and Alfred, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. George Bremner, John and Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, A. Fanjoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins, Aggie, Eddie and Mabel, Westminster Session, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bryan and Lilah, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Third, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Haddow, Wholesale Dept. of Hudson's Bay Co., Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wood, Alberta Motor Boat Co., Mr. and Mrs. Dickle, David and Eva McClure.

"The pall bearers were Robert Lee, D. McClenaghan, J. H. McKinley, Wm. Haley, John Deatty, and Owen Marryatt."

HANNAH BOYTER

The death occurred on Friday, December 1st, of Mrs. Thomas Boyter, of Cranbrook.

Mrs. Boyter was an old resident in this vicinity, and had been an invalid for some time finally succumbed to cerebral hemorrhage. The funeral service was held on Thursday afternoon in the Presbyterian Church, Rev. E. W. McKay officiating. Interment was made here.

Home to come Tuesday, tmftettement was made here, the body being brought from the Coast. Flowers were in evidence at the funeral from the following friends:

Family, pillow; Mr. and Mrs. W. Hughes, heart; Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor, spray; Annie and Family, spray; Mr. and Mrs. John Leask, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Flewelling, spray; Mr. and Mrs. McEachern, spray; Mrs. Bridges and Mrs. Hinton, spray; Mr. and Mrs. J. Woodman, spray; Mr. and Mrs. H. Bridges, spray; T. E. Austin, spray; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Kay, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coleman, Wycliffe, spray; Mr. and Mrs. A. D Bridges, spray

Fine Program of Music Given

Concert By Local Talent on Wednesday Was Very Creditable Event

It was shown on Wednesday evening that the people of the city are not unappreciative of good music presented by local talent, as some have charged in the past. The Auditorium was almost filled for the occasion, there being only a few vacant seats at the rear of the hall. The arrangements had been anticipated to the last degree, a good deal of care being noted in the matter of stage details, decorations, etc., trifles in themselves, but all contributing very definitely to the success or otherwise of any concert of this kind.

The result achieved may unhesitatingly be said to have been eminently satisfactory. Strengthened by the addition of some new faces, the original members of the Cranbrook Musical Society, who have stayed by the organization and seen in through parlous times, may now justifiably feel pride in what is being done. An organization is being built up that will do credit to many an older body in places of greater resources musically, and undoubtedly an organization of this kind is a community asset whose value is not to be reckoned by the ordinary mercenary standards.

Much of the credit for the good showing the Musical Society made on Wednesday evening is due to the firm hold on things which Mr. G. E. Bower, the leader, has taken in the direction of the different branches. In the short time he has been here Mr. Bower has obtained results which can only be due to a genuine faculty for musical leadership, which calls for a host of things besides sheer knowledge. Mr. Bower is obviously a man of experience with the baton, holding his musicians well under control at all times, which makes for a precision that cannot otherwise be gained, and permitting of a degree of sha-

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Falkland Island Battle Dec. 8th 1914

The Most Decisive Naval Action of the World War.

By Lieut. H. F. Helmsing.

The naval engagement designated The Battle of Falkland Islands, was fought on December 8th, 1914, by a squadron under Vice Admiral Sir Doveton Sturdee. The British ships engaging the enemy were Invincible, Inflexible, Carnarvon, Cornwall, Kent, Glasgow, Bristol, Macedonia and Canopus. Almost immediately after the fatal action off Coronel, Admiral Sturdee left for the scene with his squadron, in search of the German ships, and he arrived at Port Stanley on December 7th, about 10.30 a.m.

They re-coaled and got ready for their search when at 8 a.m. December 8th a signal was made, "A four funnel and two funnel man o' war in sight steering north." Kent was ordered to proceed to sea at once under full steam, when at 8.20 a.m. another column of smoke was reported to the south. At 8.50 a.m. yet another column of smoke was reported, and the Macedonia was ordered to weigh anchor and await orders. At the time of the welcome news of the German ships being in sight, the British ships were busy coaling, and some of the officers and men were preparing for a day's shooting, but no time was lost in preparing for sea in the hopes of meeting the enemy.

About 9 a.m. Kent was outside the harbour, and Gneisenau and Nurnberg approaching at about 20 knots, evidently expecting to find only Glasgow and Canopus at Port Stanley. At 9.20 a.m. Canopus opened fire on these two ships at about 11,000 yards range. The enemy at once hoisted their colours and turned away. A little later the two cruisers altered course as though to close with the Kent, when Invincible and Inflexible were evidently sighted, as they again altered course and proceeded to join the other ships Leipzig, Dresden and Scharnhurst. At 9.45 a.m. the British squadron sailed out of the harbour and a general chase commenced.

Shortly after noon the general order "Open fire and engage the enemy" was made, the range being about 16,000 yards. From this time on heavy fire was exchanged at varying ranges until at 9 p.m. it was reported that all the German ships with the single exception of Dresden, had been sunk. Dresden being the fastest of the German ships managed, between 4 and 5 p.m., during the heat of the action, to slip out of sight and escape. At this time her escape was made easier by a drizzling rain falling, which made vision very poor.

Thus was avenged the heroic deaths of Admiral Craddock and his gallant men at Coronel only five weeks previous. A rather significant fact to be observed is that prior to the destruction of Admiral Cradocks squadron on November 1st, 1914, shipping was proceeding as usual on the Pacific. As soon as news of Craddock's defeat was flashed around the world, all shipping immediately tied up, knowing that for the time being, von Spee ruled the Pacific. Just the same, as soon as the news of Sturdee's victory over von Spee was made known, all merchant shipping proceeded to sea again just as though no war was being waged at all, and they continued to trade from the date of the Falkland Islands battle without further hindrance from the Hun.

For a Bilious Headache
brew a cup of Celery King—natural herbs and roots—a gentle laxative and purifier. Tones up the liver and stimulates digestion. Makes you feel bright and vigorous. 30c and 60c, at druggists.

Stop that Cough
It distresses you and your friends—it is dangerous. A few drops of Shiloh, the 50-year old remedy, brings immediate relief. Shiloh stops that irritating tickling in the throat, loosens the phlegm and heals the tissues. Get Shiloh, at your druggists, 30c, 60c and $1.20.
SHILOH FOR COUGHS

Enquiries are still reaching the office of the Herald as to the supposed starting of the K. K. K. in Cranbrook.

Mrs. Robert Potter and young son are expected to arrive in the city from Spokane on Tuesday evening of next week, joining Mr. Potter, who has become associated with the Herald. They will reside in the Genest residence on Lumsden Avenue.

Mr. G. E. Hotson of Medicine Hat, the contractor who had in charge the construction of the original water works system in Cranbrook, was in Cranbrook on Saturday last renewing acquaintances. Mr. Hotson with his family was on his way from Medicine Hat to California to spend the winter.

The Home Bakery
To make Christmas Joy complete PHONE 87 for a
Christmas Cake
A large variety to choose from, and dinna forget some o' Bobby Frame's SCOTCH SHORT BREAD.
Also Cream Puffs and Cream Apple Pies, all made from the very best of materials fresh in.
Quality Bread, 3 loaves for 25c THE TASTE TELLS
We have just opened up a fresh shipment of McCORMICK'S FANCY BOX CHOCOLATES. They are a good line and the Prices Are Right.
R. FRAME, MASTER BAKER

NASH
Nash Passenger Cars and Trucks
FOUR AND SIX CYLINDER CARS, INCLUDING
The 1923 Sport Models
RATCLIFFE & STEWART

Santa's Christmas Message

to you should be heard in person, for it is one of the appeals to everyone.
Santa says that our work in home portraiture is a comparatively new art. The secret of our phenomenal success is that we make you feel at home among familiar surroundings, and catch you with a happy, natural expression.
Let us tell you about our work and arrange for an appointment for home portraits or groups.
Cranbrook Studio
Phone 404

A Wonderful Selection of $1.00 Gifts
BEGINNING SATURDAY
A W. D. HILL GIFT AT A DOLLAR sounds almost too good to be true, doesn't it? Well, it is true, and if you come in on Saturday you will be delighted at the wonderful assortment of appropriate gift articles you can choose from at this price. Just to give you some idea of the variety, we mention the following:
LADIES' SILK HOSE; HEATHER HOSE in all the popular shades; BOXES OF CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS; LADIES' FANCY COMBS; COLLARS; TIES; CAMISOLES; and a thousand other Yule Tide Gifts.
Let us, if possible, make all our friends happy, when it costs so little to do so.
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FINE PROGRAM OF MUSIC IS GIVEN

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ding that would otherwise be out of reach. His obvious versatility as a musician gave rise to some little disappointment that Mr. Bower himself did not have a place on the program all his own. Perhaps it is not too much to hope that this may be arranged for another concert.

The program presented was a well balanced one, and the ambition and enthusiasm which the choral and orchestral numbers showed set off very well the solo numbers, instrumental and vocal, which were given. While the Brahms "Hungarian Dance,, and the Triumphal from Verdi's "Aida" were each more pretentious pieces, the orchestra's best effort was undoubtedly the well known Berceuse from "Jocelyn," with its woodwind lead and predominating 'cello theme developed to its utmost value by Mr. J. K. Chorlton. The last orchestral number, "Serenade D'Armour," was also a very creditable number. Among the encore numbers of the orchestra were "Pizzicato," and "Aubade Printaniere."

The Glee Club, about thirty strong, gave four well rendered numbers, the tuneful "Bells of Dreamland," seeming to make the most appeal of their four numbers. A fine blending of the parts was noticeable and a clearness of enunciation. It should be possible for this branch to embark on to something more pretentious for a spring concert.

Mrs. M. Forrest, soprano soloist, contributed two songs to the program, and her finished platform manner added the last touch of charm to her numbers. She sang feelingly and with little effort, and was quite fittingly recalled after each appearance. For encore numbers Mrs. Forrest gave "A Dream," by Metcalfe and "Western Winds."

Mr. Chorlton's numbers on the 'cello must be counted among the classics of the evening. Few instruments are capable of interpretive faculties as the 'cello and Mr. Chorlton is a thorough master. His numbers were "The Swan," a graceful St. Saens composition, and for an encore he gave a "Melody,' by Gustave Hollaender. In the second part of the program Mr. Chorlton made another pleasing appearance with "Mendelssohn's "On Wings of Music," and being again recalled, he gave for an encore, a simple but exceedingly sweet old English air, "Dance Rustique," by Squire.

The banjo club, consisting of Messrs. Alan Graham, T. Steward, F. H. Pym and T. South, were popular contributors to the program, their appearance on the platform being warmly greeted, and all their numbers encored. Mr. South also gave a mandolin solo, and Mr. Steward a banjo solo which took immensely with the audience, so that they had to be recalled.

The accompaniments were in able hands during the evening, Mr. Bower accompanying for Mrs. Forrest, Miss I. Bidder for Mr. Chorlton, Mrs. A. Ashworth for the orchestra, Mrs. H. F. Helmsing for the glee club and Mrs. F. H. Pym for the banjo club.

The entire performance reflects great credit upon the Musical Society and its popular conductor, especially when it is remembered that it was but two months ago, October 6th to be exact, that Mr. Bower sailed from Liverpool, so that in a little over a month the various branches of the Society reached the state of efficiency indicated at the performance on Wednesday, showing that the city contains musical talent which with concentration and sound leadership can attain real musical heights.

At the close of the performance it was announced that a repeat performance would take place, the date for which was finally set for Tuesday, December 19, and at this time a slightly varied program will be given from the one presented on Wednesday. This is in aid of the Veterans' Christmas Tree fund for the children of veterans of the great war. Later another concert is to be given in the Star Theatre on Christmas Eve, Sunday December 24th, which will include carols and community singing.

CITY LIBERAL ASSOC. ELECTS OFFICERS AT ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the City of Cranbrook Liberal Association was held on Monday evening at the K. of P. Hall. One of the main items of business to come before the meeting was the election of new officers for the year, which resulted as follows:

Hon. President
Hon. W. L. McKenzie King
Hon. Vice-Presidents
Hon. J. H. King, Hon. John Oliver
President ..... A. DeWolf
Vice-Presidents ..... Thos. Gill and A. B. Smith
Executive ..... G. J. Spreull, J. F. Huchcroft, Bert Bell, E. Paterson, C. J. Little, Dr. F. B. Miles, H. Ferguson.

The office of secretary was not filled permanently at the meeaing, but J. F. Huchcroft is acting for the present.

The annual meeting of the district Liberal Association is to take place during the coming week.

Ice is now in good shape at the curling rink, and the enthusiasts are to be seen nightly wending their way thence armed with their brooms.

City Items of Interest

Don't forget the date. 41

What date? 41

December 15th is the date of the Kimberley Hockey Team Minstrel Show. 41

Dr. Wilson Herald of Kelowna was in the city Tuesday.

J. Heath of Invermere was in the city Tuesday.

W. H. Laird, provincial constable at Yahk, is in the city.

D. O. Thomas of Nelson, Income Tax Inspector, is in the city.

Fifty Blouses, travellers' samples, are on sale at B. Weston's Store. 41

Mr. Herbert T. Reilly of Victoria, was a visitor in Cranbrook on the 6th.

The P. Woods Meat Market opened for business on Saturday last with a nice line of home grown beef. 41

W. W. Douglas of Bull River brought in a carload of stock on Tuesday.

For your Club Bage and Trunks see B. Weston's, The Store That Sells For Less. 41

Pat Hanley of Trail, local representative there of the Mutual Life, was in the city Tuesday.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. McPhee on Tuesday, December 12th at 3 o'clock.

Six Only Ladies' Overcoats with fur collars, just come in. They are on sale at B. Weston's. 41

W. P. Ratcliffe of the Ratcliffe & Stewart Garage, was a business visitor to Calgary this week.

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TURKEYS! TURKEYS!!
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The Social evening of the Presbyterian Young People's organization will be held in the Schoolroom on Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

The installation of the now organ in the Presbyterian Church has been completed and will be in use at the services next Sunday.

The next Parish Hall Dance will be held on December 15th, and the third of the series on January 12th. Cards 8 to 10 p.m. Dancing 10 to 1. Gentlemen $1.00, Ladies 50c. 41

Afternoon Tea and Christmas Shopping, also bran dip for the children. Salvation Army Home League Sale, Saturday, December 9th, in the Presbyterian Schoolroom. 41

Mr. S. S. Davis, Inspector of Agencies for the Monarch Life Insurance Company, was in Cranbrook on business Monday.

Christmas without turkey is like a pudding without sauce. Order yours now—Phone 8, The Cranbrook Meat Market. 41

Mr. Floyd C. Rogers, the theatre magnate of Creston, is in the city. Mr. Rogers has installed a radio outfit and now enjoys the glad tidings that are being continually wafted about us.

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H. L. Stephens, who is well known in the Pass and who formerly had interests in Morrissey, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Stephens is now the owner of several hotels in Calgary.

ATTENTION! KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
The next regular meeting will be held Wednesday evening, December 13th at 8 p.m. sharp. Business: Nominations and conferring Rank of Knight. 41

"Casey," said Pat, "how do yez tell th' age of a turkey?"
"Oi can always tell by the teeth," said Casey.
"By the teeth," exclaimed Pat. "But a turkey has no teeth."
"No," admitted Casey, "but Oi have."
Casey had the right system. Try ours the same way. Cranbrook Meat Market, Phone 8. 41

Word reached the city last Saturday through one of his lodge affiliations that D. McKay, former business man of this city, and more lately of Vancouver and Trail, had been taken ill, and was in hospital at the smelter city. The following day the word came that he had passed away. Mr. McKay was for many years in business here running a confectionery business under the style of "The Palm." He leaves a widow in Trail.

Mr. A. McGregor Allan of Bellingham is the guest of Miss Jannette Carlyle.

R. E. Beattie, of Vancouver arrived in the city on Friday evening's train from the Coast.

Turkey subdued at last! How about a choice fresh killed bird for Christmas. Cranbrook Meat Market. 41

Sessions of the court of revision, to revise the municipal voters' list, will be held on Monday of next week at the city hall, at 8 o'clock.

The dolls with the hair stuffed bodies, long curly hair, and movable eyes, all for one dollar, are going fast at the Cranbrook Drug and Book Co. 41

C. Simpson was in the city on Monday looking into the possibility of establishing freight and passenger stages between Cranbrook and Kimberley and Cranbrook and Fort Steele.

R. P. Johnson, of Kingsgate, was in Cranbrook on Saturday last. It is gratifying to know that he has recovered to the extent of getting about with a cane, from his accident of ten weeks ago. His many friends are now hopeful of his resuming his former activity in the near future.

A serious accident took place yesterday at Canyon City, when an employee of the Canyon City Lumber Company, Mr. George Bentley, had the misfortune to break his spine. Mr. Bentley was driving a load of lumber when it upset, crushing the unfortunate man, resulting in paralysis from the hips down.

The members of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid are to be congratulated on the success of their sale which was held Saturday last in the Schoolroom of the Church. Approximately $650 was cleared, which sum we understand is to be donated by the Ladies to the New Organ Fund. Everything was disposed of, in fact the "Sold Out" sign was on many of the booths long before a number of the many patrons had spent their all.

The sisters and brothers of the late Angus McPhail wish to express their thanks to friends in the city for beautiful floral tributes and for kindness during their sad bereavement in the loss of a loving brother, and also to Dominion Express employees, Cranbrook; Dominion Express messengers; Nelson and Kootenay district fellow employees; Brotherhood of Dominion Express Employees, Local No. 15, Nelson. Revelstoke and Cranbrook papers please copy.—Vancouver Province.

CHARTER MEMBER OF B. OF R. C. IS GIVEN A FAREWELL PARTY

On Tuesday evening of last week the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ross was the scene of a most pleasant and enjoyable evening, when a large number of the members and friends of the local branch of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen gathered to say farewell to their popular brother Ross, and his good wife. Owing to continued ill health Mr. Ross finds it necessary for a time at least to try the Coast climate.

Many were the expressions of regret at the contemplated departure from their midst of Mr. and Mrs. Ross. The esteem in which the popular host and hostess were held and the loss that would be felt by their departure was conveyed to them in a few kindly words by Mr. J. E. Beaton, who said that he trusted that the return of spring would bring Mr. Ross back to Cranbrook completely recuperated, when a welcome would be waiting for them.

The departure of Mr. Ross, who is a charter member of the Brotherhood, will also be regretted by many other friends in this city where he has resided for many years.

Those present were Mr. J. E. Beaton, Mr. and Mrs. William Hewson, Clare Holden, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kemball, Mr. H. Kirklander, Mr. and Mrs J. F. Lunn, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Mr. Hugh McGill, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price, Mr. Charles Romano, Mr. and Mrs. D. Sneddon, Mr. and Mrs. James Whittaker.

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Boys' V Neck Pull-overs, sizes 30-32	1.50
Boys' Sweaters, sizes to 32	1.25
Children's Toques	.25
Ladies' All Wool Stockings, per pair	.75
Ladies' Dark Brown Oxfords, per pair	4.75
Ladies' Dark Brown Oxfords, with two straps, pair	4.95
Fancy Painted Cup and Saucer	.25
Boys' Velvet Suits, sizes 3 to 7	2.95
Ladies' Bedroom Slippers	1.50
Congoleum Rugs, sizes 9 x 9	15.00
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TORONTO

Mrs. Edward Cherpaw, of 14 Enderby Road, Toronto, writes: "When our married daughter was visiting us, her little child contracted a cold. She asked us to get a jar of Vicks VapoRub and she would prove to us what it would do. It certainly cured the child in short order, and we use it now in preference to anything else."

OTTAWA

Mrs. Ed. Lemire, of 389 Rideau St., Ottawa, Ont., writes: "I have used Vicks VaporRub for sore throat and colds in head with good results. I strongly recommend it also for eruptions of the skin, and all kinds of sores."

BRANTFORD

Mrs. W. F. Scrivner, of 32 Grey St., Brantford, Ont., writes: "We have found your Vicks VapoRub very beneficial in relieving colds on the chest and lungs. We have used it on the children and by keeping a bottle of Vicks on hand have kept them free from colds all winter."

QUEBEC

Mr. Paul Verrault, of 64 Richelieu St., Quebec, Que., writes: "I am only too glad to recommend Vicks VapoRub as I have used it for several cases, such as sore throats, colds in the head, and earache, and I have already recommended it to many of my friends."

WHILE the supply lasts, the coupon below is good at any local drug store for a test size package of Vicks VapoRub, the external, vaporizing treatment for all cold troubles.

Though new here, Vicks is a family stand-by in the States, where over 17 million jars are used yearly. Its success is due to its amazingly quick double action. Rubbed on, it penetrates and stimulates the skin. At the same time, its ingredients, released as medicated vapors by the body heat, are inhaled with each breath directly into the nose, throat and lungs. Thus colds are often broken up over night, croup relieved in fifteen minutes.

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To demonstrate their faith in Vicks, the manufacturers have authorized every local drug store to give out 100 test packages free.

Enthusiastic Over the New Vapor Method of Treating Children's Cold Troubles

HAMILTON

Mrs. R. Daugherty of 407 McNab St., North, Hamilton, says: "I think Vicks VapoRub one of the best remedies I have ever used. I have a child two years old, who seems to no sooner get rid of one cold than he has another. I find Vicks stops the coughing so quickly, when applied to his chest. I would hate to be without Vicks in the house."

MONTREAL

Mrs. James Hicks, 34-A St. Remi St., Montreal, says: "We have great faith in Vicks VapoRub. I used it on my children for colds in the chest, and found it relieved them even when the cold was very bad. My husband has been sick seventeen months with 'Flu' and double pneumonia and was taken to the hospital with not much hopes. He has used different salves but none to compare with Vicks."

LONDON

Mr. C. Phoenix, of 755 Grey St., London, Ont., writes us: "I am a hunter, trader and trapper, also a fisherman. I use Vicks VapoRub in place of liniments, because it is very handy to carry and gives such quick relief for small animal and insect bites, and for chapped hands and lips. I have not had a cold all winter."

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In answer to W. C. Dalglish, a New York engineer who wrote him as member for East Kootenay, to urge the locating of the projected Dominion ore testing plant near Nelson or in close proximity to the ore bodies, Hon. J. H. King, Federal Minister of Public Works, wrote:

"I acknowledge receipt of yours of the 16th instant, which I have carefully noted.

"In reply, I may state that I am hopeful of securing a vote during the forthcoming session of the Dominion Parliament for the establishment of an ore testing and sampling plant in the Province of British Columbia. As to its location, this will no doubt be carefully considered by the officials of the Mines Department, and I am satisfied that anyone who has knowledge of mining conditions in British Columbia realizes the importance of having such a plant established in the vicinity of the ore bodies."

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WINDERMERE DISTRICT NOTES

(Special to the Herald)

Invermere, B.C., Dec. 6.—Mr. R. Randolph Bruce leaves on Wednesday morning for Nelson and points south of here. From Nelson he will proceed direct to the Old Country with the intention of spending the winter there. This will mark the fifty-fifth time on which Mr. Bruce has crossed the Atlantic Ocean.

The Postmoster at Edgewater, Mr. D. C. Gemmell, has left for a three months' vacation, which he will spend in Scotland.

Miss M. McCubbin, a volued employee of the C.V.I., has given up her position here and returned to Ontario to reside.

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MONTHLY REPORT FROM SOUTH WARD SCHOOL FOR NOVEMBER

DIVISION I.

Perfect Attendance.

Josie Blefere, Muriel Collings, Louis Holm, Dolly Johns, Bertham MacLean, Murray Rombough, Lillian Russell, Emily Taylor, Nooch Tito, Rosaline Weston, Edith Wells, Dorothy Worthington, Franklin Woods, Ada Gammon.

Honor Roll

Highest in Second Primer, Edith Wells.

Highest in First Reader, Nora Malone.

Highest in Junior Second Reader, Rosaline Weston.

Highest in Senior Second Reader, Ruth Fanning, Muriel Collings.

DIVISION II.

Perfect Attendance.

Angelina Blefare, Ronnie Coleman, Lee Gammon, James Haley, Marguerite Marapodi, Albert Russell, Fred Reynolds, Edward Walsh, Laura Malone, Harry Solecki.

Honor Roll

Marguerite Marapodi, Victoria Pascuzzo, Albert Russell, Edward Walsh.

Primers—Ivor Barret, Ronnie Coleman, Hubert Linnell, Marion Leask.

IDA MacFLEURY, Teacher.

WYCLIFFE NOTES

A meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held on Friday last when matters of general importance were done over. It was decided to hold the annual Christmas Tree for the children and this matter was put in the hands of Misses Curley and Reekie, who are now going ahead with it. The Inspector's report was gone over, and several other importont matters were discussed. Everything was found very satisfactory. It was also decided to hold monthly meetings in the future, and the next meeting will be on January 3rd, 1923.

The characters for the play called "The Tryst" which will be staged some time in the first part of January, have been decided upon. Mrs. E. L. Staples and Mr. Harold Comery will act as stage managers and the following cast has been picked: Mrs. Briggs a widow), Mrs. C. O. Staples; Jessie Briggs (her daughter), Miss Dorace Staples; Lancelot Briggs (her son), Mr. Bert Johnson; Mrs. Curtis (a widow), Miss Agnes Reekie; Mr. Ingdolsby (an old friend of Mrs. Briggs), Mr. C. O. Staples; Rupert Smith (Jessie's lover), M. J. E. Jones; The Mysterious Voice, Mr. H. S. Young.

Nearly $50 was raised for the swimming pool fund by the sale of home cooking which was held in the Club last Thursday evening. There was an abundance of all kinds of good things to eat and many thanks are due to the ladies of Wycliffe who so generously donated toward the sale.

The drawing of the athletic teams raffle was held directly after the sale of home cooking and also proved to be a great success, oround $350 being raised to go toward maintaining Wycliffe's various athletic teams.

The snappy Wycliffe hockey sextette took the odd blast down to Lumberton on Sunday for the first mixup of the season and emerged victorious therefrom by a score of 8 goals to 3.

The local rink is getting in better shape every day and with the help of Heaven and continued cold weather should be good enough to skate on in a very few days.

Those who attended the Banff Orchestra dance in Cranbrook on Friday were Mrs. C. O. Staples, Miss A. Reekie, Messrs. Walter Staples, B. Johnson, J. Jones, L. Cluzel, and P. Franzen.

Mr. E. L. Staples is spending a few days at the Clarindale Stock Farm, Vauxhall, on business.

Mr. Wm. Crosby, an old time resident of Wycliffe, now living at Golden, B.C., was here a few days this week visiting with relatives and renewing old acquaintances.

Jimmie Jones is going to petition all the towns who enter teams in the Selkirk Amateur Hockey League to enlarge their rinks by several feet. Jimmie complains that when he is deposited full length upon the rinks by the force of somebody else's hockey stick he gets his feet tangled up on one end of the rink and bumps his head on the other.

It is reported that Lloyd Crowe was stretched out in front of the nets most of the time during the game at Lumberton on Sunday. Well, we suppose that's the only way Lloyd could stop 'em.

WYCLIFFE SCHOOL REPORT

DIVISION I.

Perfect Attendance.

Fourth Reader — Stewart McClure, Margaret McClure, Johan Pederson, Thelma Hawkes.

Third Reader, Seniors — Thomas Clark, Harold Johnson, Frances Foster, Florence McDermid, Maria Pederson, James Tanner, John Reid, Harry Ireland, Dominick Allegretto.

Third Reader, Juniors—Helen Maranchak, Mildred Hawkes, Ester Van Brugh, Opal Quick, Walter Johnson, Joseph Taylor.

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ELINOR H. CURLEY, Teacher.

DIVISION II.

Perfect Attendance.

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Percentage 93.32.

AGNES REEKIE, Teacher.

Railway News

Philadelphia.—The Canadian Pacific Railway has opened its new offices here in the Cross Building at the corner of Locust and 15th Streets. Growth of the company's business and the gradual movement of the city's most important business institutions in this direction were responsible for this move into larger quarters in the heart of the hotel, theatre and business district. The offices which have been handsomely fitted, accommodate both freight and passenger officials on Canadian Pacific rail and ocean lines, as well as representatives of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault and the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic Railways.

London, Ont.—This year the Canadian Pacific Railway has arranged to hold weekly first aid classes at London throughout the entire year and the instruction will be furnished by the employees themselves, many who have become very proficient in first aid work.

By this means those employees who have had previous instruction can drop into the classes from time to time and refresh themselves on the instruction, while the new employees, especially those in train and engine service, whose duties may require them to be absent from the classes one week, will have the opportunity of taking the instruction later on as the classes will continue throughout the year. E. T. Wright, C. P. R. storekeeper at London, is chairman in charge of the committee, which is looking after the formation of first aid classes on the London division.

Montreal.—Judge Choquet's warning issued some time ago threatening to fine the parents of boys causing damages in any part of the city was put into effect when he condemned fifteen mothers of arrested lads to pay $3.72 each for the acts of their offspring.

For some time there has been daily reports from the C. P. R. of destruction to cars and fixtures by youngsters who run wild through the yards and use the cars for playing hide and seek. The most serious accusations were laid against boys who were caught throwing stones at passing trains, endangering the lives of travellers. Judge Choquet gave a warning that he would hold the parents responsible for the acts of vandalism by children. When he had fifteen cases prepared for court he carried out his warning by making the parents pay the costs of the damages incurred.

Montreal.—From Finland to Duluth, Minn., via Montreal, travelling alone and tagged like a piece of baggage, is the record of Veikko Tuominen, aged eight, who stepped off the Canadian Pacific train in Duluth the other day, wearing a smile of confidence and trust in the strange world about him. He was on his way to his uncle, Frank Salini, at Virginia, Minn.

The lad recently became an orphan, and his uncle wrote to friends in Helsingfors that he would take care of the boy. Salini was unable to go to Finland for him, so little Veikko was tagged and placed in charge of the Canadian Pacific. He came from Helsingfors to England, where he was placed on board the S.S. Melita, and carefully looked after until his arrival at Montreal. Still a ward of the company, he was sent on to his destination. In all he travelled about 9,500 miles, and appeared to be as happy as a clam.

Parry Sound.—Parry Sound, Ontario, was last week the scene of the latest of a series of railway accidents that seem to indicate a growing carelessness on the part of motorists. It was another case of the motor car hitting a moving train, and there was about the event all the usual evidences of gross, foolhardy disregard of danger that marks most of these so-called accidents.

The engine was switching at the time, and was moving at about five miles an hour. The engine bell was ringing, and the whistle had sounded just before the engine whistled at the crossing. A motorist who was giving thought to the important fact that he was approaching a railway crossing could not have missed the warnings given, but in this case the auto rolled merrily on and struck the side of the engine, and naturally came off second best. Fortunately the occupant of the car escaped injury for which he need waste no thanks on his own watchfulness and careful driving. It might be a good idea to leave all approaches to level crossings unpaved, or make them so rough as to compel slow driving of motor cars, for in no other way will some people be persuaded to approach these crossings at a speed that will permit them to come to a stop when their lives depend upon their so doing.

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A NEW THIRD PARTY

"To put Oliver out and keep Bowser out." This is the sort of hymn of hate that the newly organized "Provincial Party" is raising in its efforts to attract to its banner those who feel they are at outs with both the old line parties. Theoretically the idea of forming a new party on these principles may appeal to some, but in practice it is not sound. Parties that are not founded on principles will not abide; they will survive no longer than the personal animosities that give rise to their origin. There is nothing in the announced platform of the new party that could not be striven for and achieved through the existing party channels, indeed some of the new party planks are to be found in the platforms of the old parties.

Any attempt to organize a party among those discontented with the present condition of the internal organization of other parties will merely result in gathering together a heterogeneous membership, in which there will be a sprinkling of sincerity, and a good deal of petty feeling injected by would-be politicians who are secretly nursing some bitterness born of disappointed hopes.

If the old line parties are rotten they cannot be cleaned any other way than from within. The heart of the trouble can never by reached by beating on the outside, and if the political purists who are seeking as they think to better things by rearing up another organization — which being also human will likewise be subject to the ailments of the flesh — could bring themselves to bear with their influence on the existing organizations, politics would have a better name. It is more blameworthy to back out than to hit out, but most people prefer to back out of politics rather than hit out at anything they know is not as it should be. Which is why politics have such a name.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Extracts from the Cranbrook Herald of this date, 1902.

Misses Lou and Ella Leitch visited with their brother George at Jaffray last Saturday and Sunday.

There will be a meeting of the share holders of the Cranbrook Electric Company at the Cranbrook Hotel.

A. Leitch, manager of the East Kootenay Lumber Company received word from Winnipeg Saturday from the C.P.R. officials, placing an order for 735,000 railroad ties.

The fact that Cranbrook is selected as the active headquarters for the Mountain Lumbermen's Association is further evidence showing the importance of this place as a commercial centre.

Guerney Patmore was able to get down town this week with the aid of crutches. It was his first trip out of doors since he was blown up by the acetylene gas machine in Kimberley.

The plans have been prepared by the C.P.R. for a depot at Morrisey, and the stone is already on the ground for the foundation.

J. J. Jackson, who recently purchased from Geo. Leask the house on Norbury now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. R. Frame, states that he will in all probability erect a store building on the property next spring, probably seventy or seventy-five feet deep. Just what use would be made of the new building it is not possible to say yet, but if there is not the proper return forthcoming from renting the place, it is altogether likely that Mr. Jackson will personally conduct a business there.

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—Vancouver Sun.

BREEDERS OF LAWLESSNESS

A month has passed since the Saskatchewan Government came into possession of full authority to shut the doors of the export liquor houses in that province. Yet they are still operating, in defiance of public opinion, and still bringing in their train bootlegging, rum running, bank robberies and murder. They are the principal factors in destroying the West's reputotion for sanctity, law and order.

These export houses, which are blending depots for bootlegging and rum running, are immensely profitable. By their blending operations, some of which have been fully described in recent issues of The Tribune, they are providing millions for their owners. Adept use of this money, as Dr. Peter Strang pointed out in a recent interview, has been a corrupting influence in Saskatchewan. The failure of the government of the province to act under the direct instruction of the Legislature to cut off this source of lawlessness leaves it gravely subject to the suspicion that it, too, has come within the scope of the corruption.—Winnipeg Tribune.

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If we get all the hens in the district to work, there'll be enough nice fresh eggs come to the breakfast table to serve four or five to each person, and eight or ten go into the cake for the whole family. Less than ten per cent. of the eggs consumed in the Cranbrook district are produced by our home farmers and back-lotters. Who, then, gets the benefit of the other ninety per cent? If you are going to keep hens, make them produce. If they slack on the job put them into a fine pot pie for Sunday's dinner. If you are going to have a farm, make it work. Don't be a grouch and damn the country because it doesn't produce a living. The farm will work for you if you will work with it. Be honest with your farm. You can be dishonest with a pig if you treat it unkindly. A limb on a tree for a hen roost at twenty below "ain't Christianity;" it's a crime, and if you pursuade that biddie to lay an egg, put her in the wonder show.

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Let us hear your troubles about your hens that don't lay. Bet they got "cooties" or something that belongs to that soulful family. If the winter is long and cold enough to keep us in the house we will try to give you something that will make you ashamed if your hens don't lay.

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Some people keep their winter's supply of eggs in water glass, some in lime water, and a large percentage are held in cold storage, but if you want them nice and fresh all the time keep your eggs in the hen and feed them out into the basket as required. Getting eggs at Christmas time is a question of feed and conditions, combined with good stock. A hen does not lay because she wants to—she lays because she has to. Then get on the job and show who's boss, you or the hen.

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The Banff Orchestra made their first appearance of the season at the Auditorium on Friday evening last week, and a good crowd attended, enjoying to the last number the good music they provided. A number of people from out of town attended, making the affair of a vastly different nature to the last appearance of the orchestra here.

Four pairs of Boys' Heavy School Hose, sizes from 5 to 7½, for $1.00.
W. D. HILL,
40 The Dry Goods Specialist.

A number of members of the Cranbrook Shrine Club went to Calgary at the beginning of the week to take in the annual fall ceremonial there. Among those attending were W. F. Cameron, Jno. Martin, A. J. Balment, E. T. Cooper and P. Adams.

The board of Harbor Commissioners of Vancouver, of which R. E. Beattie, formerly of this city, is a member, is under fire at the coast in regard to the dismissal from the service of nine employees, some of them of considerable standing, and veterans or fathers of veterans. Reorganization of the service to a greater degree of efficiency is given as the reason for the dismissals.

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40 The Ladies' Wear Specialist.

A. B. Longman this week disposed of his farm, "Fairacres Ranch," situated about three miles out of the city on the New Lake road. The property comprises about 84 acres in all, including forty acres of timber. The new owner is N. H. Wilson, who comes from the Lethbridge district of Alberta, and who has already taken up residence on the place. Mr. Longman expects to remain in the district for the winter at least.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Holiness Meeting at 11 a.m.
Sunday School at 3 p.m.
Salvation Meeting at 7.30 p.m.
Public Meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m.
Come and hear the Old Gospel Story.
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The Ladies' Home League of the Salvation Army will hold their annual sale of work on Saturday, December 9th in the Presbyterian Schoolroom. Sale open from 2.30 to 7 p.m. Buy your Christmas presents, home cooking, candy, etc., on Saturday.

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Roast of Pork Shoulders	22c to 25c
Shoulders of Lamb	15c
Loins of Lamb	25c
Fresh Killed Fowl	25c
Fresh Killed Young Chicken	30c
Roast Shoulder of Veal	12½c to 15c
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		Veal Shank	5c
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(Continued from Page One)

ston 54.6, Tony Frost 48.3, Eveard Lewis 46.6.

Number enrolled 42; perfect attendance 24.

B. GIBSON, Teacher.

DIVISION VI.

Mae Gooderham 79.33, Jessie Musser 76.66, Dorothy Bridges 66.5, Donald MacDonald 63.83, Katherine Martin 61, Emma Connolly 60.67, Walter Helmsing 60.16, Betty Lunn 60, Dobie MacDonald 59.5, Ida Lancaster 57.83, Chrissie Charboneau 57.5, Lorna Barber 57, Florence Pattinson 56.7, Grace Pritchard 56.5, Leslie Kuhnert 55.83, Enid Shankland 55.83, Helen Campbell 55.8, George Roberts 54.67, Grace Flett 54.3, Douglas Patton 53.67, Harold Holdener 52.17, James Brookes, 51.83, Beulah Hill 51.83, Jack Farrell 51.17, Helen McGill 50.17, Lucille Rosling 49.17, Pauline Bowness 49, Eileen Gray 48, Wilfred Pocock 47.6, Joseph Genest 47.5, Margaret Johnson 46.67, Dorothy Stewart 45.33, Stanley Porter 44.83, Lillian Dale 44.6, Rupert Porter 44.5, William Thomas 44, Jean Niblock 43.5, Ernest Kennedy 42.5, Malcolm McPhee 41.17, Ellsworth Ryan.

Absent for exams. George Hayman, Marion Gill, Margaret Luscombe.

H. D. DeCEW, Teacher.

DIVISION VII.

Number in class, 50.

Kathleen Worthington 79.33, Margaret Henderson 76.16, Mary MacDonald 77, Winnifred McQuaid 76.50, Alex. Dalziel 74, Josephine Marapodi 72.16, Kathleen Edmondson 68.50, Annie Moore 68, Alec. Dargie 67.50, Margaret Farrell 67, Carmela Naso 66.33, Roy Linnell 65.83, James Huchcroft 61.85, May Strachan 61, Garnet Blaine 60.50, Barbara Beale 60.33, Donald MacKenzie 60.33, David Harvey 59, William Harrison 58.50, Jack Parker 58.50, Walter Agland 55, Walter Barret 53.33, Alex. Williams 53.33, Robert Muirhead 52.33, Jean MacDonald 49, William Mc Coy 46.66, Donald MacInnis 45.50, June Collins 43.67, Maurice Godderis 42.66, Eugene Kennedy 38.50, Mike Frost 36.67, Helmer Erickson 36.67, Gene Ingham, 36.33, Ben Walkley 34.96, Joe Walkley 30.50, Winnie Stewart 51.66.

Not ranked on account of illness—Lloyd Burgess, Marion Cuthbert, Kathleen Nisbet, Margaret Malone, Lilian Webster, Gerald Eye, Billy Crawford, Alberta Jones, Claude Miller, Phyllis Jeffery.

A. SUTHERLAND, Teacher.

DIVISION VIII.

Sylva Hill, Wallace Downing, Robena Miller, Donald MacDonald, Nancy McCrindle, Madeline Wise, Edna Taylor and Arthur Lodge and Horace Mullin equal, Jean Rutledge and Eddie Leonard and Pauline Wise equal, Elva Turner, Ruth McKowan and James Dixon equal, Wright Speers, Hazel Clapp, Vivian Kemp, Hazel Bowley, Josephine Demichel, Bertie Pelton, Hilda Robinson, Raymond Luscombe, Gladys Burton, Frank Campbell and Patrick Harrison equal, Reginald Shaw, Allan Downey, Elliot Harris, Florence Steward, Robert McGregor, Roy James, Harry Walkley, Harvey Moir.

Junior Third Reader—May Russell 62, Henry Taylor 61, Leslie Phillips 60, Annie Harbinson 59, Alice Harper 58, Ruth Bond 53, William Price 40.

Number enrolled 43; perfect attendance 23.

P. M. G. C. MacDONALD, Teacher.

DIVISION IX.

Number enrolled 48; perfect attendance 21.

Margaret Cullen, Olive Norgrove, Lily Matson, Jessie South, Mah Ken, Melva Parrett, Dong Yun, Dorothy Flett, Mary Roberts, Chow Nam, Betty Genest, Eunice Moore, Gino Bigattini and Willie Cullen equal, Chow Hing, Edna Collier and Mah Chung equal, Cyril Harrison, Edwin Haley, Mary Lamont, Lucy Andrews, Sadie Gibbs, Phyllis Home, Marie Collins, Frank McClure, Florence Johnston, Dong Bang, Jessie Cassidy, Erilene Downing, Mary Pritchard, Edna Baxter, Norman Blaine, Allen Patmore, Leona Small, Marion Thomas.

Absent for one or more examinations on account of sickness—Donald Cameron, Beverley Collier, Gordon Dezall Mary Fyfe, Helen Gilroy, Hilia Poho, Lily Poho, Willie Steveley Yvonne Williams, Richard Slye, Chow Cul, Ellen Stewart, Elizabeth Stewart.

MURIEL L. BAXTER, Teacher.

DIVISION X.

A Class—Evelyn Holdener, Edgar Offin, Jessie MacKay, Harvey Birce, Christina Williams, Edna Shaw, Jack Pattinson, Buaya Futa, Cameron McDonald, Nora Simpson, James Lunn, Marguerite Walkley, Billy Whiting, Harold George, Owen Haley, Carrie Spence, F. Jordan, Mary Lee, Byron Kemp, Jane Nisbet, Violet Moore.

B Class—Hilda Gillis, Donalda Walker, Joyce Campbell, Dorothy McDonald, Theo Laurie, James Halcrow, Godfrey Helmsing, Gordon Speers, Billy Burton, Margaret Rutledge, Edith Walker, Barbara Patton, Lizzie Godderis, Joe Welsh, George Moore, Sidney Moore, Eyleen Thomas, Leonard Porter, Harold Porter, Joe Ward, Annie Frost.

Missed all examinations—Kathleen McDonald, Hilda Smith, Carl Mullin, Robert Steveley, Jack Roberts, Ethel Lewis, Chester Smith.

Perfect attendance 20. Number enrolled 49.

ELLEN B. PATERSON, Teacher.

DIVISION XI.

Number enrolled 49; perfect attendance 20.

First Primer—Charlie Wilson, Edward Romanuik, Chow Way, Elliott Dale, Betty Brown, James McDonald, Barry Hill, Marjorie Keyes, Cyril George, Bernice Coleman, Steve Romanuik, Marguerite Morro, Patricia Parker.

Second Primer—Tom Fugita, Kichi Margowa, Frank Morro, Angelo Provenzano, Stanley Heise, Catherine Hanrahan, Joe Wong, Cecil Morrison, Gladys Ratcliffe, George Langton, Doris Haley, Esther Leonard, Pearl Walkley Rudie Kozak, Jackie Parkins, Grace Sternburg, John Niblock, Thomas Miller, Faith Ryan, Robert Luscombe, Hunter McClure, Albin Erickson, Bernard Niblock.

SARA V. McCALLUM, Teacher.

DIVISION XII.

Number enrolled 48; perfect attendance 15.

Ella Bigattini, Glen Bowness, Edith Johnson, Claude Jordan, Cliff. Lamphier, Kenneth Lamphier, Muriel Little, Ruth Lundy, Phyllis MacDonald, David Miller, Barbara Muirhead, Dominic Naso, Sybil Norgrove, Fredie Shaw, Willie White.

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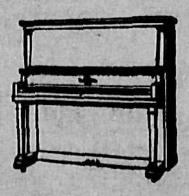

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Windermere St. Andrew's Society Put On Annual Gathering Last Week

(Special to The Herald)

Invermere, B.C., Dec. 4.—The honor and glory of St. Andrew did not suffer nor be allowed to dim when over forty brawny Scots with their lassies sat down to a sumptuous repast, prepared with due skill and in proper form according to the rites prescribed for observance for Scotland's patron saint.

The feast was set in the ball room of Hotel Invermere, and R. Randolph Bruce, "the Laird," as he was befittingly called, presided.

Those of the clans had heard the call from all over, and representatives were gathered from various outside points, not forgetting representatives from Cranbrook and Fernie.

The St. Andrew's Society of the Columbia Valley, be it known, claims the distinction of being the oldest, and in fact the only one in East Kootenay. In now celebrates its majority, for over 20 years ago the first gathering was held in the same place as this celebration, at a time when what is now Invermere was called Canterbury, and in the same room which was then the main one of the Canterbury Hotel. Mr. Bruce presided on that memorable occasion, but the faces which surrounded him then are changed, and of those at this last celebration there was but a sprinkling amongst them who could recall the first.

Year by year, barring the period of the Great War, these celebrations have annually been held in faithful commemoration of the occasion.

St Andrew's Night was sure a great night amongst the brethren of the Columbia Valley St. Andrew's Society, and then guests to the number of ninety odd all told. The brethren were out in force with their kilts and tartans, making a very vivid contrast to the attractive costumes as worn by the many ladies who graced the occasion.

The menu was strictly of the Scotch order embracing held broth, oat cake, scones, tatties and kale. Of course the honored place was held by the haggis, "Great chieftain of the Puddin' race." This was brought in on a platter, borne aloft on brawny Scots clothed in the kilt and specially chosen for the honor. These were preceded by three royal pipers, and was received with Scotch honors given standing taking the lead from the chairman. A splendid feature of this part was the excellent recitation given by Mr. Cecil A. Davidson in truly dramatic style of Burns' well known "Address to the Haggis." Rev. Mr. McGregor having first said grace, all present partook of the feast with relish.

The first part of the programme being over the toast of The King was given in befitting manner by singing the National Anthem. After this was the welcoming address to the visitors who had come from Golden, from Fernie, from Cranbrook, and from distant points in the surrounding country. To this Mr. Spreull replied in good form. Too much credit cannot be given to Mr. Allan Graham of Cranbrook and H. Watson of Fernie for the splendid instrumental selections which they gave, and to Mr. Graham in a special manner for his solos, the charming one which had reference to what would have happened had there been no apples on the tree, meeting with much favor.

Mesdames Graham and Spreull were amongst the ladies present from distant points. Golden was well represented in a quintette, comprising Charles A. Warren, Alexander Beattie, George Buckham, W. J. McRae and Mr. Callum.

Friday, December 22nd, will be visitors' day at the Central School, between the hours of 1.30 and 3.

Sid Simpson has taken the position in the provincial forestry office recently vacated by W. B. McConnell.

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Trafalgar Day Anniversary

Name of Nelson, Greatest British Sailor, Perpetuated Even In This Outpost of Empire.

On the 4th day of December, 1805, H.M. scarred battleship Victory dropped anchor at Spithead. She was sorely worn and battered by shot from her late encounter in the Battle of Trafalgar. Blood of men stained her every deck, and fresh evidences of her late encounter were all too plainly evident. It was not by reason of this she had returned to her vort. Her flag flying at half mast was a mute evidence of her mission, for on one of her decks lay all that was mortal of Viscount Admiral Horatio Nelson, brought home for burial with befitting ceremony in the tight little island for which he had fought, bled and died.

The life influence of Nelson is still perpetuated in Windermere District by his name being given to one of the physical features of the district. This point and the lessons which it bears Mr. Basil G. Hamilton, of Invermere, has for several years tried to impress upon the children of the local school by an annual address under the caption given below. It is only one of a series on matters of local interest, as it will be noted on reading, David Thompson being the first of the number. The address as given reads:

ADMIRAL NELSON

The Effects of His Life on Our Empire And Our Lake Windermere District

In the course of my last remarks, the subject of which was "David Thompson, the great western explorer and astronomer," a slight mention was made of the wonderful map which he had prepared and of the fact that on it he had shown our great mountain out west of us as Mount Nelson, and the nearest range of mountains to us in that direction as Nelson's Mountains. And what is now Toby Creek he showed as Nelson's Rivulet. There was also borne in upon us the fact that in doing so David Thompson had named them after Armiral Horatio Nelson, who a few years before had fought against the comhined fleets of France and Spain and won from them the mastery of the seas in the Battle of Trafalgar.

In touching on the name of Admiral Nelson I also said that if it was your desire, that at some day in the future I would say a few words relative to Admiral Nelson. Now this is what we have in view to-day. Before proceeding let us first deal with the object in view in giving you these addresses on the various persons with whom we have dealt.

Let me say I have heard with great pleasure and not a little pride, from some of you directly and indirectly from others that what I have been telling you in this manner is proving of interest. Now to come back to the remarks and tell you what the purposes are which thes remarks have in view.

First then let me say it is to show that you have a goodly heritage. We are all fortunate in being born under the British Flag—or at least in having some of the protection which it affords. With that flag above you or around you, you may go into the uttermost parts of the known world and have your rights as a British citizen respected and looked up to. One of the chief objects in view, then, is to emphasize this fact and to impress npon each and all the great benelt which the flag confers. It is hoped to show that we are all members of the one Great Empire, and that whether young or old, big or little, or wherever we live, as long as we or our parents are British subjects, we have our share and our responsibilities as members of the great British Empire as it is at present, and in the glorious history which England and later Great Britain has built up in the past. The right of being a British citizen is one which no person may buy.

What have been the main features in bringing us to this state before the world? Three that are chief have been the spirit of colonization, the perfecting of commerce, and the love of freedom.

Our forefathers, as they grew into nationhood, found themselves living on a small island, which is rich in its natural resources. They were first an agricultural people, and accordingly healthy and able to bear large families of healthy children. In time it became hard for all to live by farming alone, and so they started in to the perfecting of their tin mines and their coal mines and in the manufacturing of goods.

There not being much room for spreading out on the island, it was necessary to look abroad for more land; for parts in which to place the children, in order that they too might have a heritage, and in order that they too might grow to be strong and healthy, and that they might grow farm produce; so that while the people at home were developing the natural resources of the island the children abroad would use their manufactured articles and give back food to the mother country in return.

These were the first steps in land and sea greatness—manufacturing and colonizing, or in other words looking after her children, so that in due time her children might nourish her.

In order to get the required land for this purpose for her children, it was necessary to find it. All Europe was filled up with peoples. Now for many centuries the people of England had been so busy in working out her home government that they had not had time to look very far about, but in or about the year 1500, having settled the question of home government and as to who was to be boss, the King or the People, England had time to look further afield.

The great questions which had been threshed out at home and the victories which the masses had won, were freedom of government, freedom of speech and freedom of religion. These they were prepared to fight and die for if necessary. A long course of intermarrying and general mixing up had built the people of England into one homogeneous mass, so that when the time came to expand outside their island, they went forth to conquer as one man. They found that while they stayed at home that other nations had gone abroad. Marco Polo of Venice had told of Cathay and India, Christopher Columbus had discovered the southern part of North America for Spain; Spain had later been beaten aut of that part by France and had practically given it over and gone down to South America; Africa was largely peopled by savage races who fought among themselves and ate any person who came near them; India and China were already full to overflowing and at that time Australia had not been heard of. So that if England was to gain any territory there was no alternative but to fight and get it. This was not going to be an unrighteous war—no wars ever are in the minds of those who bring them on—for the nations owning these vast tracts of land in America were not doing anything worth speaking of with them except trying to discover gold and how to best abuse the natives.

So now we have come to the third great nature building feature of the British Empire, that it to fight for empire. In order, however, to fight successfully and to keep the channels open between their children and themselves, it was necessary for Great Britain to have ships. Up to now she had no regular navy of any account. The Empire's strength lay in little ships at first, and ships wherein their captains and their owners fought and won little fights on their own account. These ship owners were in the habit in times of national trouble of uniting all their ships under the command of one man who was called an admiral, or lord of the sea, and by these combinations our present fine navy finally came into being.

At this time the two great nations who had colonies in savage lands and the two great nations who practically ruled the seas, were Spain and France. Spain's King, Philip the Second, had tried to conquer England in the days of our Good Queen Bess, Queen Elizabeth, and had built a huge navy which he called the Armada, and which in time was miserably defeated by a gathering of England's small ships under Sir Francis Drake. It was many years after that before England was again seriously disturbed on sea. The next time it was by the French under Napoleon.

It was at this period that we reach the life of Admiral Nelson. Before we pass into that period let us once more review some of the secrets of Great Britain's greatness. As the late Queen Victoria once implied, the whole of England's greatness is built upon the Holy Bible. Some then of the secrets were first built into the foundation wall by reason of the small compass of the Motherland, throwing all its people into close communion or fellowship; in other words, giving them common ideas the one with the other. One person had not far to go to meet his neighbor. Another idea was that it was necessary to find room for expansion, and therefore they had to colonize, but the great underlying principle of all was the inborn desire for freedom in everything.

Being girt about by the ocean the people were isolated from the warring nations of Europe, and barring a few encounters in the early centuries, and the attack of the Spanish Armada, and a few others not so important the nation had not been subject to any sudden attacks from outside foes, and for this reason they were able to give attention to things at home, and after getting them settled had time to go out and conquer their close in neighbors the Welsh, the Irish, and later to make a union with the Scotch.

To all these they took the ideas which they had fought for and worked out so successfully and made them one nation as Great Britain and Ireland. The old saying "An Englishman's house is his castle" spread over the united people, and they all came to insist on freedom of speech, freedom of religion and freedom of government. Bound together, then, with these ideas, they were ready as one nation to get out and face the world.

In following up these ideas England had first opposed Spain and had beaten her in a sea fight. Spain at that time stood for tyranny and oppression in speech and religion. Then in time as Great Britain they turned on France which country had in many ways followed in the footsteps of Spain.

In Great Britain's groping around for the riches of Cathay and the Indies, and her search for the North West Passage, her sailors had gone to the north of France's possessions in North America, but not being able to get around there by water others had tried the passage overland, and the explorers and Great Britain through them, heard for the firrst time of the immense stretches of unoccupied land in North America which lay to the west of that claimed by France, and to which France barred the way. So not thinking this to be right and France being an old time enemy of England's, the united nation kept up the fight and in time took from France this Canada of ours and all her northern possessions in North America, and had started in to colonize it and introduce British principles.

Shortly after this a small man from Corsica who had come over to France began to make his way above his fellows as a leader of men. He had risen in the ranks of his fellows. He bore the proud name of Napoleon Bonaparte. This man had too many of the ideas which Great Britain stood for, but he had an unsatisfiable desire to conquer as well. In pushing forward his forces he had come into contact with Great Britain. By the year 1800 he was practically lord of Europe. He spread out and crossed to Africa with the idea too of reaching India, which had now become a British possession, and also looked to take back from Great Britain some of the possessions which France had lost to her. So a fierce struggle started in between these two nations on the sea. Spain revived a little, and she too resolved on helping France.

Finally an immense gathering of French ships was brought together from the various shipyards and called a navy, and with these Napoleon hoped to whip Great Britain's navy, which had been growing steadily since the days of the Armada, and behind the navy there stood the English admirals who also had to be counted upon. In this great fight which was to come about it was not first principles that were at stake, but the lust of conquest and at the forefront and at the hind end of it all was the personal force and the ambition of this one man Napoleon.

They say the times make the man, and as Napoleon was great so one in the English navy was rising to greatness in none other than Horatio Nelson. He stood for all that was good and true in the great British principles and was a lion in the way of his adversary.

Horatio Nelson was born on the 29th September, Michaelmas Day, 1758, at Burnham Thorpe, Norfolk, England. His father was the Rev. Edmund Nelson, Church of England clergyman, or rector of that place. His mother's maiden name was Chevallier. Nelson had naval blood in his veins, so as might be thought natural his parents started him off on that career, and at the age of thirteen we find that he joined the navy. Pretty early age to leave home, but it is forthy of note that even at the present day a person for that profession still has to enter at about that age.

When he was fifteen we find him away up in the arctic regions of North America, and true to the fighting spirit which burned within him, we learn that small and delicate though he was it is related that single handed he fought and killed two immense polar bears.

He passed through many other adventurous and trying experiences in different parts of the world on various voyages.

Owing to influence amongst his superiors in command of the navy his promotion was rapid, and at the age of twenty-one he had become post captain.

Brave and courageous in a fight he was ever in the front and as one consequence while fighting at Calvi in Corsica in 1793, a cannon ball striking the ground near him threw up sand with such force into his left eye as to destroy the sight of it for ever. Great as this misfortune was Nelson made use of it a few years after when fighting the Battle of St. Vincent. His superior officer in the fleet gave orders for the withdrawal of the ships. The flag signal was read to Admiral Nelson, who, pretending not to believe it put his telescope to his blind eye, pointed it to the Armiral's signal at that ship's mast head, and closing his other eye remarked, "I really cannot see the signal," and promptly gave orders for the ships under his immediate command to go into closer action. This luckily for him won the day, and brought about victory and its consequent reward.

On another occasion whilst attacking Vera Cruz in the Battle of Tenneriffe, Nelson lost his left arm.

He passed through other engagements after this and his conspicuous bravery and the ability which he had a chance to show repidly brought him to the front. His personality was very lovable and all his sailors adored him, as did the British nation. Perfect confidence was placed in him by all.

He was now a great man and in complete charge of his own fleet.

About this time he made a great personal failure in his life, but as this had but little to do with his general relationships to the nation we will say nothing more about it here.

On the 1st August, 1798, we find him in a fight with the French fleet in Aboukir Bay, Egypt, at the famous Battle of the Nile. The fleet of the enemy was in a very strong position, and stronger than that of the British, but by great daring and strategy Nelson's fleet beat them so badly that only two French ships were allowed to escape from the Bay, and these were afterwards captured and destroyed. It was in this battle that the French Admiral Casabianca had his ten year old son on board his ship L'Orient. The vessel was attacked and set on fire. The story goes that the father had told his son to remain in a certain place on the deck, and while separated from him the father was killed. The boy not knowing this refused to move from his post when asked to do so, and on being told that the ship would shortly be blown up. In time the fire reached the powder magazine and all that were then on board were blown to atoms, so the boy and the body of his father perished together. Some of you may have read the soul stirring poem by Mrs. Heamens, called Casabianca, which commences:

The boy stood on the burning deck,
Whence all but he had fled;
The flames which lit the shattered wreck
Shone round him o'er the dead.

And ends so tragically with:

And the boy, Oh! where was he?
Ask of the winds which far around
With fragments strewed the sea.

This incident, however, is only one of the many which illustrates war.

The Battle of the Nile had a great importance in another respect, in that it cut Napoleon with his French army who were in Egypt off from home and their base of supplies, and caused the French to give up their march on India, whither they were then bound.

Napoleon, greatly angered at the defeat of his project, returned to France, and determined to destroy the British fleet. He set to work in the building of another navy with which to attack Great Britain. This took about five years, and by that time he had it all assembled in the harbour of Toulon. Napoleon was very anxious to get it out of there, and the British as represented by Admiral Nelson were just as anxious that it should not escape. It was the intention of the French to join their navy with that of Spain. Admiral Nelson was on the watch to prevent this, and in order to do it he blockaded the Harbor of Toulon. That is, he spread his navy across its mouth and refused to allow any ships to either go in or come out. So determined was Nelson that the French navy should not escape him that for two years he never went on land from the deck of his good ship Victory.

In spite of all his precautions, however, the French fleet did get out, and joined with the fleet of Spain. Admiral Nelson started in pursuit, and did not get far, for on the 21st October, 1805, he caught up with them at Cape Trafalgar, and the Battle of Trafalgar was fought just off land. It was a fierce encounter. Each side was determined on winning for there were great odds at stake. The enemy was stronger than the British, but Nelson went in to win. Like all others of his class he did not know the word defeat or the word cant. Napoleon once remarked that the British never knew when they were defeated. This is only too true, for they were taught never to turn their backs on an enemy. It was theirs to do their duty as long as they were able to stand.

Before entering the fight Nelson thought he would remind his sailors of this, so he had the flags flown at his mast head which told this famous signal, the signal that every sailor got to know and that every Britisher should and does know at the present day. The signal ran—

ENGLAND EXPECTS EVERY MAN TO DO HIS DUTY.

No man appears to have failed in this, for the fight ended in the complete discomfiture of the combined fleets of France and Spain.

Just as the battle was at its height Admiral Nelson, who was standing on the deck of his ship, the Victory, easily distinguishable in his uniform as Admiral of the fleet, was struck in the breast by a musket ball fired from the rigging of the ship with which she was engaged. He sank to the deck and was carried below. His life fast ebbed away, but he lived long enough to know that the victory of his fleet had been complete. His sailors and the whole nation were heartbroken.

The C.P.R. appears to be having considerable trouble getting any of its agents at other points to "bid in" the job of station agent at Creston, which has been vacant for at least two months. The third call for bids expired on Tuesday, but there is no news available as to whether anyone has accepted the position or not. During the fruit shipping season this is the busiest depot on the Crow line, and each year sees the business increasing. Current report is that this year's October business at Creston depot was double that of October, 1921.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

11 a.m.—"WHAT IS CHRISTIAN?" Junior Choir.
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EDMONTON CONGREGATION BIDS FAREWELL TO PASTOR AND WIFE

Rev. and Mrs. Thompson Given Handsome Presentations on Leaving Edmonton

The following, taken from the Edmonton Journal, refers to Rev. W. K. and Mrs. Thompson, one time residents of this city when Mr. Thompson was pastor of Knox Church here. They were visitors here this summer when many old friends had the opportunity of renewing their acquaintance.

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A large gathering of members and friends of Erskine Church assembled on Monday evening to bid farewell to Rev. W. K. Thompson, the retiring pastor, and Mrs. Thompson. The Church was filled to capacity with the adult members and friends of the congregation.

At 8 o'clock Mr. W. C. McArthur introduced Rev. Dr. McQueen who acted as chairman for the evening. The first part of the program was musical, consisting of a piano solo by Miss H. Porter, a vocal solo by Miss D. Phelps, a vocal solo by Mr. Plunkett, bagpipe selections by Mr. J. Colville and Mr. Alex. McPhee, a vocal duet by Miss S. Scott and Miss V. Cummings, and a baritone solo by Mr. Pickles. Each artist was heartily applauded and responded to encores.

After the musical part of the program, Rev. Mr. Grant of Westminster Church, Moderator of the Edmonton Presbytery, spoke of the pleasant relationship between himself and his brother ministers and Mr. Thompson.

Dr. McQueen then made a few genial remarks, and Mrs. Thompson was asked to come to the front, where he addressed her on behalf of the Erskine people. Owing to the illness of Mrs. McEachern, Mrs. McPhee was called upon to present to Mrs. Thompson the box of Irish linen and a Limoges china dinner set, which was the gift of the congregation.

Dr. McQueen also addressed Mr. Thompson on behalf of the congregation, and he was presented with a writing desk and chair. These gifts were but a slight token of the regard in which Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are held by the Erskine congregation.

Mr. Thompson replied feelingly and thanked the Erskine people for their kindness to himself and family. Rev. Mr. Wilkie of Norwood Methodist Church and Rev. Dr. Millar of Robertson College, also spoke of the sterling qualities of Mr. Thompson and of their regret in his departure from Erskine.

Much of the success of the evening was due to the affable chairman, who by his wit and humor helped to dispel the gloom which might have marred the enjoyment of the evening.

A pleasant afternoon was spent in Erskine Church on Sunday when a large gathering of children assembled after their classes to say goodbye to Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Thompson, who had worked so faithfully among them during the past six years.

About three o'clock the parents of the children began to fill the church. The little tots occupied the front seats.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson were asked to come forward and little Milly Cruikshanks addressed them very feelingly on behalf of the Primary Department. Miss Wilmer Christman gave a capable talk on behalf of the older girls and Mr. James Fraser spoke on behalf of the boys of the Sunday School. He also presented Mr. and Mrs. Thompson on behalf of the Sunday School with a silver tea service suitably engraved.

Mr. Thompson gave a very suitable reply on behalf of Mrs. Thompson and himself. He told of their pleasant relationship since coming to Erskine and of the growth of the Sunday School until it reached the four hundred mark last Sunday.

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A very happy event took place recently in the Erskine manse when the Rev. and Mrs. W. K. Thompson entertained the choir and their friends at an informal social evening. During the evening the president and choir leader on behalf of the choir presented Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, who are leaving for Drumheller, with a reading lamp and smoking cabinet as a token of their appreciation of the happy years of association. Mrs. Thompson served a dainty lunch, and after a jolly evening the party dispersed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Thimpson and family every success in their new home.

RECEIVES WORD OF DEATH OF BROTHER AT DACCA, INDIA

Mr. A. P. Noble has just received the sad news of the death of his brother, the Rev. Peter Noble, at Dacca, Eastern Bengal. The deceased, who has been in Eastern Bengal for twenty years, was only last New Year awarded the King's Gold Medal, the decoration given "For Valuable Work Done in Bengal." Through his long residence, and the nature of his profession Mr. Noble had made himself invaluable to the British Government, his work as a publisher giving him a greater insight into the affairs of the country. It was in recognition and appreciation of the work done by Mr. Noble, that he was honored by the King. Dacca is a city of one million people, and a university centre. Mr. A. P. Noble had not seen his brother for twenty years, anticipating the pleasure of a re-union in the future.

. Local News .

R. Pearson, boiler inspector, is in the city.

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Mrs. A. H. McLean of Bull River visited Cranbrook last Friday.

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The largest assortment in Chinese Work aBskets at B. Weston's Store. 41

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Fred Archer of Canal Flats has been a visitor in the city this week for a few days.

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Tickets on sale for Kimberley Hockey Team Minstrel Show at Cranbrook Drug and Book Company. 41

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Ande Peite has finished his contract at Skookumchuck, and is enjoying a few days' lay off in Cranbrook.

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Phone No. 8, The Cranbrook Meat Market, for a nice fresh killed turkey for Christmas. 41

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Give the Kimberley Hockey Boys a good turn out at their Minstrel Show on December 15th. 41

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Mrs. P. Handley of Kimberley was a Cranbrook visitor on Friday last for the Banff Orchestra Dance.

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If you are contemplating a trip home to England, see Beale & Elwell, Steamship Agents. 41tf

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If your eggs are not white and clean or lack in flavor, they are not from Brown's Poultry Ranch 41tf

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A baby boy arrived at St. Eugene Hospital on December 3rd for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamrin of Wardner.

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Mr. John Tait of Nelson, Inspector of Telegraphs for the C.P.R., was a business visitor in Cranbrook last week.

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J. G. Turgeon. provincial Liberal organizer, was in the city Monday attending the Liberal rally on Monday night.

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The Baptist Women's Mission Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. A. D. Bridges, Lumsden Avenue, on Tuesday December 12th at 3 p.m.

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Too many Christmas presents to make? Buy some ready made. The Salvation Army Home League Sale, Saturday, in the Presbyterian Schoolroom, and have a cup of tea. 41

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Their food is clean and quarters sanitary. Ask your grocer for Brown's non-fertile new laid eggs. They will please Daddy and make the kiddies laugh and grow fat. 41tf

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In competition with other stores in the city the Cranbrook Drug and Book Co. landed three Christmas Tree orders, which shows that their prices this year are the lowest possible. 41

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Mr. Edward Lehman, wife and two boys arrived on Thursday evening from Salem, Oregon. Mrs. Lehman is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Tapscott, and they will be visiting for a few days.

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Mrs. C. W. Mimeyer of Edmonton was in the city Monday trying to arrange a date for a performance of a band. It is stated this would have been a high class entertainment, but conflicting dates prevented its appearance.

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J. O. Smith, who last week joined the staff of the Herald, was made the recipient of a presentation from the Young People's Soc. of St. Andrew's Church, West Summerland, before leaving for Cranbrook, in recognition of his work as leader of the church choir there.

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There will be a meeting next Wednesday, December 13th at 8 o'clock, in the Y.M.C.A., for the purpose of organizing a basketball league for Cranbrook and district. Delegates from Wycliffe, Kimberley and Lumberton are cordially invited. Everyone interested in basketball is invited to attend. 41

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P. W. Willis, of the Cranbrook Cleaners and Dyers, has purchased the business outright from G. B. Powell, and also takes over the building on Cranbrook Street where the business has been conducted. Mr. Powell intends moving his Singer Sewing Machine business to a new location, and for that purpose will get a portion of the McDonald Livery Stable building, which he owns, at the rear of The Herald Building, put into proper condition.

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C. E. Gough and P. M. Bezanson, of Grand Grairie, Alta., arrived in the city on Sunday, with the intention of making this place their permanent home. They are district agents for the New York Life Insurance Company, and believe this district offers a big field for their work. They intend when thoroughly established to bring their families to reside in Cranbrook, and in the meantime have lost no time in getting to work, reporting already this week some good business. It is expected that next week perhaps they may have their plans well enough advanced to be able to make an announcement of unusual interest to the public, and the young people in particular.

CRANBROOK ENTERS TEAM INTO SELKIRK HOCKEY LEAGUE

Club Officers Elected at Meeting Held On Thursday Afternoon

At a largely attended meeting in Dr. Huffman's office on Thursday evening, definite arrangements were made for the entry of a Cranbrook team in the Selkirk District League. The offer of the Cranbrook Recreation Club for the use of the rink was accepted, and the team will be entered as the Cranbrook Recreation Club Senior Team. Many matters of importance to the Club's interest were discussed. The players present all seemed anxious to get into the fray, and if the enthusiasm displayed was any indication of the team's success the other clubs will have to go some. Amateur cards for the entire team are being applied for.

The officers elected were as follows: Hon. President, Mr. Thos. Caven; President, Mr. F. Scott; Vice President, Mr. A. Batchelor; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Tom Hogarth; Business Manager, Dr. Huffman; Added member to Executive, Mr. F. Bamford.

In view of the fact that the Retail Merchants' Association rules will not permit of the solicitation of funds, it was suggested by one of the members present that an appeal be made through the press for financial assistance. Any donation sent to the Secretary Treasurer will be acknowledged through the papers.

ESLING OFFERS TO RESIGN IF CHARGES HE MAKES ARE NOT FULLY PROVEN

Desires That Investigation of P.G.E. Accounts Shall Be As Full As Possible

(Special to The Herald)

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 12.—W. K. Esling's annual attempt to delve deep into the arrangements between the Government and the Northern Construction Company in respect to the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, took a new turn in the Legislature on Friday last when the Rossland member, balked in his attempts to secure the officials and books of the construction concern before the Public Accounts Committee, rose to a point of privilege and made a sporting offer that he would resign his seat if his charges proved unfounded, but that the Premier should resign if Mr. Esling's claims are substantiated on fact.

Previously that morning, Mr. Esling had requested the Public Accounts Committee, before whom he is due to be questioned on account of his allegations that the Treasury has been looted of thousands of dollars, to have speakers' warrants issued for the accountant and the books of the Construction Company.

Scenting possible danger, the Liberal members of the Committee voted down a proposal to have these warrants issued immediately, Dr. K. C. MacDonald, North Okanagan, taking the view that the committee members should have the week-end to think it over. With the Session rapidly drawing to a close and with three sittings a day being scheduled to start this week, there appears little possibility of Mr. Esling's request being accepted or his sporting offer being taken up by Premier Oliver.

HEARD ON THE STREET

More men would go to church if there was a law against it.

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It is difficult to differentiate between a Bohunk "lit up" on moonshine whisky and a "nut" clothed in a little brief authority. If any distinction may be drawn it must be on the manner in which their respective "jags" are acquired. The former is illuminated because of his dalliance with the cup that cheers; the latter is intoxicated with his own importance. In any case they are equally drunk—and, their value as social factors has diminished to the vanishing point. A public official, whose brain pan could be conveniently covered by a walnut shell, is as much a pest as the hootin' tootin' disciple of Bacchus who is going large.

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Now it is the social uplift bee that is buzzing in John Oliver's thatch. John has lifted up his eyes, and behold, in the land he has seen much evil. His people have given themselves over to the worship of false gods. Emulating the leader of the ancient Israelites, John is about to set up a brazen serpent in the wilderness, upon which the people may look and be cured of the social sores that vex their tax-burdened souls. The Premier is nothing if not old-fashioned. Evidently he is a firm believer in the efficacy of a hair of a dog as a cure for the animal's bite. The people have sickened on taxes, he opines, therefore they must needs be made to pay more taxes to make them well again. The remedy is being compounded even now. His protege, Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, is to be elevated to cabinet rank. Willy nilly, the portfolio of social something-or-other is to be forced down the throat of the electorate.

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Quoting the old saw "It is a long lane that has no turning," it would seem then that crooked roads soon peter out. What about a government that travels in circles?

RECREATION CLUB NOTES

On account of the accident to the heating apparatus at the Club, the activities there have been somewhat limited of late. For this reason the customary dance usually held at the Club, and which would have taken place ordinarily on Friday evening, will take place at the Parish Hall instead of at the Club. Dancing from 8 till 11, music by the Club Orchestra.

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Although the Club operations at present are held up owing to trouble with the boiler, it is hoped before long that this will be remedied, and in the meantime skating at the rink is in full swing.

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It is hoped to form a city hockey league in connection with the Recreation Club to play at the C.R.C. Rink, so that there would be other games as well as the Selkirk League games.

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A hockey match, Married vs. Single, was to have taken place on Wednesday afternoon at the Club rink, but the benedicts failed to put in an appearance, though the single men were all ready for the encounter. The game should have been a good one, some married men taking a hockey stick in hand again after a lapse of about twenty years or so. At that time they were fast ones on the ice, and they may not have lost all their old time speed. It is hoped the game may yet be put on.

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Walter Kay returned on Sunday from Penticton where he attended the sessions of the annual convention of the provincial command of the G. W. V. A. as the delegate from the Cranbrook branch. He reports a spirited and useful convention which will result in strengthening the cause of the organization in the province. Space does not permit this week of referring to the matters brought up before the convention for consideration, but these will be referred to more fully in next week's Herald. Mr. Kay speaks in the highest terms of the hospitality of the people of Penticton towards the delegates.

SHIPMENTS OF ORE TO THE TRAIL SMELTER

Following is a statement of ore received at the Trail Smelter for the period during November 22nd to 30th inclusive:

Name of Mine and Locality	Tons
Knob Hill, Republic, Wn.	54
Quilp, Republic, Wn.	109
Standard, Silverton, B.C.	185
Silversmith, Sandon, B.C.	80
Wn. Black Rock, Northport, Wn.	84
Company Mines	8,517
Total	9,029

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Any $40.00 OVERCOAT..32.40
Any $42.50 OVERCOAT..34.45
Any $45.00 OVERCOAT..36.45
Any $47.00 OVERCOAT..38.10
Any $48.00 OVERCOAT..38.85
Any $52.00 OVERCOAT..42.15
Any $52.50 OVERCOAT..42.55
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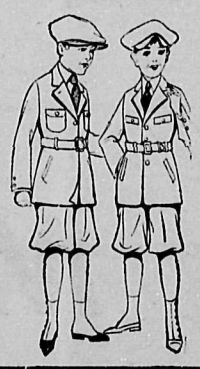

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Boys' 13.50 Suits..11.20
Boys' 14.00 Suits..11.60
Boys' 15.00 Suits..12.45
Boys' 16.00 Suits..13.25
Boys' 16.50 Suits..13.70
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1 SILK DRESS at 23.65
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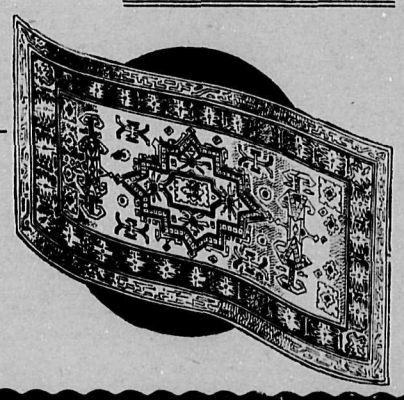

THE FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

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. Local News .

Insure with Beale & Elwell. 41tf

Work was suspended this week on the new school addition, inclement weather preventing further progress, and the workmen were paid off at the beginning of the week. Given another two or three weeks of mild weather the walls could have been up and the roof on, allowing of the inside work being continued, so that the place could have been ready for the opening of the new term in February. Unforeseen delays have held the work up, and now the completion of the addition must stand over till the spring.

Brown's hens go on the job at 3 a.m. and it's your fault if you fail to get the product of their cackle for breakfast the next morning. 41tf

Don't forget. Kimberley Hockey Team Minstrel Show at the Auditorium on December 15th. 41

Don't put it off a day longer. The rush for Christmas goods at the Cranbrook Drug and Book Co. means that there will be little to choose from the latter few days. 41

Just to hand—a shipment of Homespun and Flannel Dresses in all sizes and colors. Prices from $8.50 to $18.50. Come in and look at these garments while the Sale is on.

W. D. HILL,

Cranbrook Taxidermist

Mrs. A. Kummer of the Pioneer Bakery, has been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. W. A. Frohberger, of Calgary, Alberta. Mr. Frohberger comes highly recommended as an expert bread maker, and patrons of this bakery are now assured that the former satisfactory service and quality can again be relied on 41

The Annual Meeting of the Cranbrook Farmers' Institute

will be held at the

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