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T. D. Caven Passes Away

Succumbs on Saturday Last at Vancouver to Attack of Pneumonia

WAS FORMER MEMBER

Word received in the city on Sunday last of the death at Vancouver the day before of T. D. Caven, has excited much regret all through the district. He was exceedingly well known, and very few of his friends here had any idea that he had been seriously ill. He succumbed to an attack of pneumonia, death taking place at the General Hospital on Saturday afternoon.

The late Thomas Donald Caven, through his long connection with the C.P.R. here and the years when he was before the public even more prominently as a member of the legislature for the Cranbrook riding, was a familiar figure to everyone in the city. He was born at Belleville, Ontario, and was in his 53rd year. His father had been member of the Ontario legislature, and an uncle, Principal Caven of Montreal, was known to many older residents from the East.

Mr. Caven came to the Crows Nest district at the time of the construction of the railway in 1897 and 1898. Previous to that time he had spent some years in Calgary working in various capacities. He was a brakeman on the construction train laying the steel westward from Lethbridge through MacLeod and on westwards towards the spot where Cranbrook was later to be established. The steel reached this point in the middle of 1898. The engineer of the construction train of which he was one of the crew was Thomas S. Gill, of this city, the conductor being "Salty" McKenzie whom some old time railroaders will recall. On the completion of the Crow's Nest line and when its operation was commenced with Cranbrook as the divisional point, Mr. Caven was running out of this point and soon gained promotion as a conductor, and was altogether 26 years in the service of the C.P.R. In the early years, he was a good deal in public life in different ways, undertaking trips to the East on business connected with conductors and railroad men, and it was not long before he took an active part in local politics. He was a strong Conservative and in 1903 the district known up until that time as South-East Kootenay was divided for purposes of representation in the legislature, and Cranbrook was given the privilege of electing its own member. The Conservative nomination at that time was divided equally between the late Mr. Caven and J. A. Harvey, former Fort Steele barrister, who later withdrew in favor of Mr. Caven. The Liberals had nominated Dr. King and this election proved the first of several occasions in which they were opposing each other for the honor of representing the district. Dr. King won the first election, but in 1909 when Mr. Caven was put up the second time, he was elected, and again in 1911 he was returned to Victoria by acclamation. What Tom Caven did for the district during those years is still talked about. The country was opened up with roads, bridges were built and to this day there are many parts of the Cranbrook district which are still served by the original roads built with the appropriations which he secured for the district while its member. It was an era of solid growth and material prosperity for Cranbrook and a good deal of the prominence which the district obtained then was due to the perseverance and energy of Mr. Caven while at Victoria. Dr. King regained the seat in the big upheaval which put the Liberals back in power in 1916, and in 1920 at the next election Mr. Caven lost the seat by only a very narrow majority, the matter not being decided until the count of the absentee votes. W. R. Ross, K.C., now of Kimberley and Cranbrook, was a member of the house at Victoria at the same time as Mr. Caven. He finally left the service of the C.P.R. in 1924 and last year the family removed to Victoria, disposing of their house here.

In addition to the widow and one daughter, Miss Marguerite Caven, who are both so well known here, there are two sisters residing in Calgary, and a brother in the United States. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at Vancouver, being attended by his relatives from Calgary. The last rites were conducted under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge, the late Mr. Caven having been a member of the Cranbrook Lodge, A.F. & A.M. No. 34, as well as Rocky Mountain Chapter, R.A.M., Selkirk Preceptory and the Cranbrook Shrine Club.

Generous impulses were characteristic of Mr. Caven and many friends can testify to the helping hand that he had extended on not a few accasions. All who knew him join in extending to Mrs. Caven their sympathy in the shock of her bereavement, Mr. Caven's death occuring after an illness of only three or four days.

PYTHIANS CELEBRATE 62nd ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR INSTITUTION

Since the installation of the K.P. Lodge in Cranbrook there have been many celebrations of the founding of the Pythian order, but not in the recollection of any present at the big function in Castle Hall last Thursday has there been one more thoroughly enjoyable than that which marked the 62nd birthday of the order. The pleasant affair started at 10 p.m. following the regular meeting of the Pythian Sisiters Nemple No. 23, when to the strains of music of the Robinson Orchestra, dancing commenced. Interspersing the dance numbers were a number of musical selections, all of which were thoroughly enjoyed. "Pal of My Cradle Days" as sung by Mr. Harry Collier was well received and brought hearty applause. "Love's Old Sweet Song" was nicely rendered by Mrs. Brumbey, her encore also being very acceptable. Banjo selections by Billy Steward were also very pleasing to listen to. Mrs. Chas. Harrison, who is a comparative stranger to Cranbrook audiences, was heard to advantage in two well rendered selections, the hearty applause which she received being well merited.

Just before the supper dance, a huge cake, beautifully decorated and on which had been placed 62 candles, marking the age of the Pythian Order, was brought in and placed on a pedestal in the centre of the hall. The lights in the hall were extinguished and the candles lit, the effect being a most pleasing one, as the merry throng danced around the illuminated cake. Following this dance, Sister Mrs. H. G. Long, in an appropriate address, presented the cake as a birthday remembrance from the Pythian Sisters to the Crescent Lodge.

The address which Mrs. Long gave at this time was as follows: "Chancellor Commander, Sisters, and Brothers of Crescent Lodge, No. 33, and friends. It affords the Sisters of Cranbrook Temple, No. 28, a great deal of pleasure to be your guests this evening in assisting to celebrate the 62nd anniversary of the grand organization of the Knights of Pythias, for we as the Sister Temple realize that without your order we would be unknown as Pythian Sisters.

"Our Temple, though scarcely a year old, has made excellent progress both socially and financially, and we are looking forward to our first anniversary of the local Temple in the near future.

"On behalf of Cranbrook Temple, No. 28, I can assure you we have spent a delightful evening, and when Crescent, No. 33, celebrates their 63rd anniversary we'll certainly be here.

"Here's to the good they're doing.
Where'er they happen to be;
Working in Friendship,
Benevolence and Charity.

"We hope you may all meet them
And clasp their hands in greeting;
We know if you do, you'll find this true;
'Twill be a happy meeting."

Mr. E. A. Hill suitably replied for the Lodge, paying tribute to the invaluable worth of the Sister organization. This event was followed by supper served in the banquet hall, it being necessary to make two sittings to accomodate the large number present. With apologies to one of our Cranbrook merchants "when the Pythian Sisters Sisters put on a supper, it is genuine," aptly fits the case and this one was no exception. Everyone enjoyed the birthday cake which was a product of the culinary department of the Victoria Cafe. The dance continued until 2 a.m., everyone feeling that the K. P. birthdays could not come too often.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the K. of P. Hall on Tuesday, March 2nd. Mrs. Rothwell, of Wardner, will give a paper on Home Canning and hints or preparing same for exhibition. Mrs. Rothwell was judge at the Fall Fair here last year, so a paper by her should be of help to intending exhibitors. A hearty invitation is extended to all ladies by the Institute to attend. The prize lists for the flower show will be ready for members. A musical program will be given and afternoon tea will be served. Mrs. M. S. Blackburn will give a solo during the afternoon.

KIMBERLEY SPORTSMEN WITH CLUB

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Delegation From Cranbrook Attends Meeting There Wednesday Evening

A good meeting of Kimberley sportsmen took place there on Wednesday evening of this week at the K. P. Hall, when it was decided that the efforts of the Cranbrook and District Rod and Gun Club would be backed up to the fullest extent possible by those interested in Kimberley, the feeling being that this would better serve the needs of the case than the organization of a separate club for Kimberley.

A delegation from this city attended to lay the matter before the meeting, those making the trip up being Messrs. W. F. Cameron, C. J. Lewis, H. J. Collier, C. J. Little, J. P. Fink, F. H. Dezall, D. Halcrow, J. F. Guimont, A. S. Ward, J. Martin, A. C. Bowness and W. Steward.

E. S. Shannon, who was the chairman of the meeting, explaining how it had come to be called, and Ted Nagle acted as secretary. Mr. Guimont explained the varied activities of the club in the district, and how it was carried on in the interests of the sportsmen from all parts. The opinion was expressed by J. S. Fisher, of Kimberley, that it would serve the purpose best to have Kimberley co-operate with Cranbrook. Dick Burke felt there might not be a sufficient number in Kimberley to form a separate club which could function effectively. A motion was accordingly made by these two, and carried, along those lines.

A number of the Cranbrook men spoke on different aspects of the work being carried on by the Rod and Gun Club, and the ways that might be employed to raise some funds in Kimberley. F. H. Dezall suggested the formation of a small committee that could work with the executive of the club and would be able to present the matters especially of interest to Kimberley. Mr. Fink mentioned the value the sporting attractions have to the tourists, and mentioned that Mr. Drayton of Fort Steele, who has spent upwards of $200,000 in the district in connection with his mining claims, came to the district originally for some hunting. C. J. Lewis recalled that twenty-six years ago he had been at the Black Bear Mine, near the site of the present concentrator.

Some of the Kimberley sportsmen, in making suggestions regarding the fishing to be had in the district, advocated that Cherry Creek and a portion of Mark Creek be closed for a time at least, and the presence of so many suckers in St. Mary's Lake was also referred to. Among those from Kimberley who spoke in this connection were Frank Carlson, Ted Nagle, George Holland and Dick Burke.

Frank Guimont replied to the suggestions which were made, and the Kimberley committee appointed comprised Messrs. Dick Burke, D. Sutherland, J. Sanderson and A. A. Ward. The last named was unable to be present, and his unavoidable absence was much regretted.

Thanks were extended to the visitors from Cranbrook before the meeting adjourned.

GAME BOARD PASSES RECOMMENDATION TO LIFT BAN ON TRAPPING

Several recommendations for the coming season to be made to the government, were passed at a meeting of the Game Conservation Board of B. C., held at Vancouver last Thursday. The most important of these was the abolition of the closed season for black bear. These bear are becoming a menace to farmers in some districts and are also said to be killing a large number of deer. If the board's recommendation is adopted, shooting of black bear will be permissible at any time during the year.

No other changes to the big game laws were suggested, and it was decided that the laws for migatory birds should remain as at present.

Termination of the close season imposed for some years past on trapping in any part of the province south of the C.P.R. main line will also be recommended to the Provincial Government.

As the result of a survey conducted by the board it was learned that beaver are particularly plentiful in various parts of the province. It will be suggested that an open season be declared next year.

Members of the board in attendance were M. B. Jackson, chairman; Dr. P. D. MacSween, New Westminster; Thomas Booth, Nanaimo; Major Allan Brooks, Okanagan, and Hon. J. A. Buckham, Golden. Chief Game Inspector Furber and Frank Butler, secretary, were also present from Victoria.

First Auto Show In E. Kootenay

Hanson Garage Staging Unique Display of Their New Models

NEW FORD MODEL

In the last issue of this paper was seen the announcement of the big automobile show to be put on at the Auditorium on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 26th and 27th. This show is something entirely new for this district, and already much interest is being created among auto fans. From what can be learned, the affair will be a minature of the big shows that have recently taken place in the larger centers, and while the display of cars will be limited to those in which the garage responsible for the conducting of the show is interested, namely the Ford, McLaughlin-Buick and Oldsmobile cars, many other features of the larger affairs will be in evidence. All the latest appliances in use on the cars and the many accessories available for the convenience and comfort of the motorist will be on display.

Besides the showing of the cars mentioned, the Goodyear tire products will be much to the fore, while in another section of the show, Imperial Oil Limited will hold sway. Here the good points of their well known "moving spirit" will be told and samples will be seen of the many oils and greases without which the humble Ford or the far-famed Lincoln would be more useless than the oldest shay. Showing the latest models of the makes of cars named above will be experts from Winnipeg, while outside representatives of the Imperial Oil and Goodyear Tire Company will be in charge of their respective displays. With the price reductions on the Ford cars just announced, the models of this make will doubtless receive special attention. In recognition of the show and the magnitude of the sales of the Cranbrook agency, the Ford Company are sending Mr. MacPherson a new Sport Model from the Winnipeg Assembly line. This will be the first of its class in the West. This car is a classy product and was sold to a local party as soon as a view of it was seen. Mr. George Sutherland, who holds the sub-agency at Kimberley for the Fords, McLaughlins and Oldsmobiles will also be represented at the show. An added pleasure will be the presence of an orchestra.

To get the cars in the Auditorium it will be necessary to take the casings off the doors.

HON. R. R. BRUCE ARRIVES IN OTTAWA AND IS SWORN IN LIEUT.-GOV.

Hon. R. Randolph Bruce, the newly appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the province, arrived this week on this side of the Atlantic, after spending most of the winter in England. Proceeding direct to Ottawa, he was sworn into his new position, which he will now be taking up very shortly. It is not known yet whether he will be going straight through to Victoria or whether he will first pay a visit to his home in the Windermere.

C. G. I. T. GIRLS TAKE PART IN SERVICE AT UNITED CHURCH

Sunday morning the service at the United Church was in charge of the members of the C.G.I.T., who put on what was known as one of their demonstrations, the young ladies taking in charge the entire service. In a short address to the members of the C.G.I.T., the pastor, Rev. B. C. Freeman, paid high tribute to the valuable work which they were doing, claiming that the community had been enriched by their organization and their efforts. With regard to the matter of the class of literature being read today, some was, of course, good, but he felt that fiction was being read instead of the better class. There is, however, something beyond the knowledge of books that was in the assertion of one's own personality. He called to their attention the importance of finding their own personality. Everyone had a mission. That of the Saviour was as he stated, "I have come that ye might have life."

The speaker stressed the importance of each having some ideal, and more particularly to be devoted to that ideal, a devotion that carries them out of themselves. He instanced the case of Florence Nightingale and others. He concluded with the statement of the Saviour, "I am come that ye might have life and have it more abundantly."

Much credit is due the members of the C.G.I.T. for the manner in which they conducted the service.

GOLF CLUB MEETINGS MONDAY EVENING; OFFICERS ARE NAMED

The annual meeting of the Golf Club was held in the City Hall on Monday evening, a large number of members attending, resulting in a thoroughly successful meeting. The financial statement was presented by M. A. Beale, and showed the club finances to be in excellent shape. The election of directors for the ensuing year resulted in the following being named: Mrs. Nellie Hogarth, Messrs. A. Graham, T. M. Roberts, W. Robertson and W. R. Grubbe. W. C. Marshall was appointed auditor.

Following the Golf Club meeting a meeting was held of the shareholders of the Golf & Country Club. Mrs. G. J. Spreull was elected ladies' captain, and Mr. C. O. Staples men's captain. The committee of four, two ladies and two gentlemen, were elected to deal with the matter of entertaining visitors who are expected to come here for the annual tournament of the Crow's Nest Pass Golf Association, which takes place here in June. This committee will consist of Mrs. G. H. Thompson, Mrs. M. McCreery, Mr. Alan Graham and Mr. C. O. Staples. This committee may be further enlarged at the discretion of these members.

A meeting of the directors was held the same evening, when the following officers were eleeted:

W. R. Grubbe ..... President
A. Graham ..... Vice-President
M. A. Beale ..... Sec'y-Treas.
A. Graham .... Chairman Greens Com.
W. Robertson .... Chairman Tournament Com.
Mrs. Nellie Hogarth .... Chairman House Com.

The golf links have been further enlarged and improved, and it will not be long before the committee is at work getting the greens in shape for another season. A large increase in membership is anticipated.

Any further information as to this will be gladly furnished by the secretary upon inquiries at his office.

ROAD MACHINERY SALESMAN SPEAKS WELL OF CRANBROOK

(From The Lethbridge Herald)

J. B. Turney, on his return from a business trip through Eastern British Columbia, speaks in glowing terms of the progress noticeable in the city of Cranbrook. The city is selling $45,000 worth of bonds to be spent as follows: $15,000 on new road building equipment; $22,000 for the necessary labor; $8,000 for new sidewalks with concrete curbs. The city has placed an order for a complete gravel crushing plant. The ground gravel will be mixed with tarvia and 1,000 feet of 76-foot street and 6,200 feet of 46-foot tarvia street will be built.

This work will be a continuation of the program launched last year. A park, suggested by the lovely Galt Gardens of Lethbridge, will be created on two city blocks in the heart of the city and more trees will be planted in the residential section. A strictly modern tourist camp will be maintained this summer covering one and a half acres. It will be fitted with hot and cold showers, sewer connections, stoves, utensils, etc., and will be beautifully treed. Mr. Turney secured a large order for road-building equipment while in the city.

WEDDINGS

KLINESTIVER—ROBERTSON

On Tuesday afternoon of last week a wedding of considerable interest to Lumberton people was solemnized in Spokane, when Miss Margaret Robertson of Portland, Oregon, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Robertson of Cranbrook, and Mr. H. P. Klinestiver, manager of the Spruce Mills, were united in marriage at the Presbyterian Church on Cannon Street, at five thirty o'clock. The couple were attended by Mrs. Allie, of Spokane, and Messrs. A. H. Stewart of Lumberton, and G. C. Robson now of Spokane, but formerly manager of the Spruce Mills at Lumberton. A dinner was served to the wedding party at the Davenport Hotel shortly after the wedding ceremony took place. The bridal couple left on the evening train bound for Portland from which place they departed for San Francisco, and Los Angeles, on the following morning. They will spend some time at the latter place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal. Root, sister and brother-in-law of the bride who formerly lived in Cranbrook and are well known in this district. Mrs. Klinestiver is a graduate nurse, having received her degree in Calgary, and has followed her profession in Portland, Oregon, for the greater part of the time since her graduation. She is a daughter of Mrs. Margaret Robertson of this city and the late J. M. Robertson. Mr. Klinestiver has made his home in this district for the past twelve years during which time he has been employed in the lumber industry in Jaffray, Bill River, Yahk, and for the past five years in Lumberton. On the return trip from Los Angeles some time will be spent in Portland, Seattle and Vancouver before returning to Lumberton where they will occupy the newly furnished house which has been fitted out by Mr. Klinestiver. A royal welcome will be in readiness for the newlyweds when they arrive in Lumberton the first part of March, and the Lumberton band will be out in full force.

LOGGER SUSTAINS NASTY ACCIDENT AT SKOOKUMCHUCK

Arthur Blake Meets With Bad Mishap When Log Crushes His Leg

Between 4 and 5 Thursday afternoon last, Mr. Arthur Blake, who was engaged with his father, J. W. Blake, on a logging contract for the Crow's Nest Lumber Company at Skookumchuck, met with a serious accident through which he will be laid up for some time. It appears that the unfortunate man was dogging a chain of logs down hill, a string of seven or eight logs tied end to end and pulled down by a team. It is the practice when the logs start to come too fast to swing the horses to one side, and the hook from the team to the chain is so arranged that it immediately becomes disconnected, letting the logs go on. Mr. Blake had done this, but the logs jumped the skid way, and before he could get out of the way he was caught between the logs and a stump, the left leg being badly crushed from a little above the knee to a little above the ankle. At the time of writing it is not known to what extent it might be injured. Jas. Blake, brother of Arthur, hurried on horse-back six miles to get a car, in which, after the injured man was given First Aid, he was conveyed to the St. Eugene hospital, where the wound was sewn, the victim having to undergo the ordeal without the use of chloroform, on account of the loss of blood which he had sustained. With the last report from the hospital, Mr. Blake was progressing favorably. It is only about a year ago that Mr. Blake was the victim of another accident, in which he was hit by a flying hook, which broke his ankle. His many friends regret to learn of his recent misfortune.

SPOKANE ZIPS APPRECIATE GOOD TREATMENT IN B. C.

The Herald has received the following letter from the manager of the Spokane Zips, relating to their recent tour throughout this part of the country, which will be read with interest:

Spokane, Washington,
February 19th, 1926.

Editor, The Herald,
Cranbrook, B.C.

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the hockey fans of Spokane, I desire that you convey to the hockey players of Cranbrook, Kimberley, Wycliffe and Fernie, our thanks and appreciation for their hospitality and sportsmanship while the Spokane Zips were in British Columbia, in contrast to the treatment accorded them in Alberta.

It is possibly the best thing that could have happened that our boys took the trip to B.C. during this season, and the Hockey Association there is now confronted with a situation regarding exhibition games which would necessarily arise next Fall. Your four towns there will have the matter straightened out by that time, as this is not the last trip that Spokane hockey teams will take through the Crow's Nest Pass.

It is to be regretted that Blairmore did not fulfill their contract with our team, as did your four B.C. towns, because we would have had an actual ruling in regard to exhibition games threshed out in Alberta as well as in B. C., with no loss financially on this trip, as actually resulted.

There is more than a suspicion that the officials who prevented the Blairmore game had more consideration for the professional game than for the amateur. Our team being strictly amateur players, there was no occasion for anyone being offensively officious.

As a former resident of Grand Forks, B.C., and High River and Drumheller, Alberta, and my home town Renfrew, Ontario, where hockey players are raised, I wish to see Spokane on the hockey map, and with the help of your good sports in the Pass, our international games should be a pleasure and satisfaction to all concerned.

Again thanking you,
I am,
Yours very truly,
JACK C. KNIGHT.
1929 W. Gardner

Manager of New Bank

Mr. Saunders, formerly of the Bank of Commerce branch at Manyberries, Alta., arrived last week-end and has gone to Kimberley to take charge of the new branch of the bank which has lately been opened there. Mr. Ross, recently of the inspectors' department, and who was in the Cranbrook branch for a short time, is with Mr. Saunders at Kimberley.

Kimberley Is Winner of Series

Piles Up Score of 23 Goals to 6 in Games With Greenwood

WILL PLAY IN FINALS

Kimberley hockey fans to the number of 300 journeyed to Cranbrook on Saturday night to witness the first game of the two-game series between Greenwood, winners of the Boundary District, and the Kimberley Intermediates, winners of the East and West Kootenay sections. Accompanied by the band a jolly time was had on the trip to Cranbrook. The fans, led by the band, marched to the rink, where they loyally backed and cheered their hockey warriors on to victory.

First Game Not One-Sided

While the result of the first game was 10 to 2 in favor of Kimberley, it was in reality not an indication of the game from the spectators' standpoint, for while the score was one-sided, the play was interesting from start to finish, the Kimberley boys never letting up for one minute, it being apparent that they were not taking any chances of a sudden reversal of form on the part of the Greenwood players. In fact, up to within actually 5 minutes of the end of the second period the score was 3 to 1. The last 7 goals which our boys tallied were secured in the last twenty-five minutes of the playing periods. Every man on the Kimberley team was out to do his best, and that they succeeded will not be questioned by anyone, because it would be difficult to point to one weak spot in the whole team. Great credit is due to the Greenwood boys for the plucky fight which they put up. Their effort to hold back the onslaught of the Kimberley team in the final period was much to their credit, and with a more experienced goalkeeper, the difference in the count possibly would not have been as great. Morrison on the forward line and Taylor on the defence were the outstanding players for the losing team, the last named only receiving his doctor's permission to leave Greenwood a half an hour before the departure of the train. It would be difficult to differentiate between the players on the Kimberley team. Peever in goal and Musser and Rochon on the defence played an absolutely unbeatable game, while the forwards, Huffman, Blumenaeur, Lilly, Gill and La Fortune, all played star games.

Huffman carried off the lead in the scoring honors with 5, while Blumenaeur and Lilly each counted 2 and Rochon 1. The game was exceptionally clean considering its speed. Greenwood players, while admitting they had met a superior team, anticipated that after a two days rest from the travel, they could put up a better fight on Monday night. It was noticable that the first five minutes of the three periods that Greenwood played a very fast game, which would indicate that they lacked the practice or the support of spare players.

Kimberley Starts Scoring

The game started with the play going to Greenwood territory. Morrison of Greenwood started away with the fine rush which Huffman stopped, carrying the puck again to Greenwood territory. Hallett (G.) made a good stop and returned. Blumenaeur checked and passed to Mus-ser, who made the first shot on Greenwood goal, but failed to score. Taylor (G) got in some nice work, Peever was drawn out to save score. Huffman, who was playing fast hockey, made a good rush practically the full length of the rink, but failed to pass the Greenwood goal. Blumenauer next made a rush on goal, Greenwood's goalkeeper dropping on his knees to save. From a face off in front of goal, Morrison (G) rushed, but was stopped by Musser, who returned and again forced Greenwood goal to drop. Rochon followed later with a long left which went over the nets. This was followed quickly by hot shots from La Fortune and Huffman. Carlson (G) staged a good run, which was blocked by La Fortune. Ten minutes after the start of the game, Blumenauer scored the first goal with a clean shot from the blue line. Soon after the face off, Lilly rushed, but was stopped by Morrison (G), who was playing a great game for the visitors. Morrison gave Peever a difficult one to stop. The pretty combination play of Gill, Huffman and Lilly failed to count by a narrow margin, as also did another pretty piece of work by Huffman and Rochon. Morrison relieved and again called on Peever to save. Lilly from his own blue line rushed the full length of the rink, but failed when tied up by the defence. Rochon went full length of the rink alone, but was stopped by Taylor (G). From a face off in front of the Green-

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ANOTHER BIRTHDAY

THIS number of the paper marks the entry of the Herald into its twenty-eighth year. Occasion is taken to point this out as being the most effective answer to the forecast made about this time last year in other quarters, that before another year had rolled around there would be another unhallowed, if not unnamed, grave in the journalistic cemetery of the East Kootenay. Perhaps a word of gratitude ought to be added in acknowledgement of the magnanimity which has so graciously allowed this paper to remain in business for another stressful year. An idea is being fostered, apparently, that there is a Moses standing on the mountain top of newspaperdom in this part of the country with arms outstretched, the fall of which would spell our doom, just as it did for the rebellious children of Israel. If we are shortsighted so that we cannot see just what fragile props there are under those beneficent arms, we are strong enough in nerve to make up for it, and we can therefore complete the metaphor by saying that like these other desert-roamers of long ago, we are also headstrong. So far as present intentions can be relied upon, there is not much likelihood of any further change in the situation in the newspaper field of the East Kootenay by the time another year still has passed by.

To become quite serious, however, not everyone is of the opinion that Cranbrook is too small a field for two newspapers. It can be truthfully said that the fact there are two papers established in the city is actually the means of saving users of advertising space a considerable sum of money every year. Per unit of circulation, newspaper space is being sold in Cranbrook at the present time at a lower rate than any other place of its size can show in the province, and it is not giving any secrets away to state that it is away below the level that dominion and provincial newspaper conventions, and costs analysis specialists, have determined as the proper rate. That statement is not conjecture, but fact. If there was but one paper circulating, and if it could truthfully claim to be covering the constituency which both had formerly, it would be justified beyond any question, in raising the rates for its different classes of advertising to higher figures—and it would get them. Those advertisers, therefore, who are only making use of one paper, are thus getting the advantage of the presence in the field of the other, whether they care to acknowledge it or not.

This paper has consistently set itself against the practice of filling its columns with cut-price advertising, bogus advertising on which a chance is taken whether it will be paid for or not, unwarranted free advertising, or large spaces bartered for on a "take it out in goods" basis. All these are practices by which a newspaper can be made to look big, but they are at the same time practices which are strongly condemned by those who have any understanding at all of what is right and proper in carrying on a newspaper.

It is felt quite safe to say that never at any time in the twenty-seven years past has The Herald organization been quite as widespread as it is today. Including the two principals of the firm there are nine persons actually connected with the output, and the annual disbursement for wages alone, which means actual money circulated in the city, amounts to about $8,500. These figures provide a basis for comparison which any intelligent person can ponder on to get the right perspective on things, and will answer the question as to whether the city can afford the luxury of two printing establishments.

Furthermore it is in order at this time to state that The Herald is no longer excessively burdened with the obligations of former regimes which would hinder progress and development. Whether the wish that it were so lurks in the mind that gives utterance to the thought, or not, the facts are as stated above.

Competition is keen, as it naturally would be when two plants seeking to serve a community can make pretensions of being up-to-date. In fact it is getting so keen that once again there is some possibility of it taking the roof from over our heads. What this might lead to is open to question. In the meantime it is the intention of this establishment to metaphorically go on sawing wood.

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WORTH TALKING ABOUT

THE winter that the East Kootenay has enjoyed this season, as everyone knows, has been something worth while talking about. It is the kind of winter that the Board of Trade, or somebody interested in the history of the district, should take the trouble to compile in statistical form, put into print and circulate far and wide, which could be done without the twinges of conscience which must have attended the distribution of some of the earlier literature regarding the possibilities of the district. Figures never lie, and the winter now just on its last lap will be remembered as the most remarkable ever experienced in the history of the East Kootenay. Old timers can recall one or two winters that closely approach the present one for mildness, but not quite equalling it. It has not yet, on any occasion this winter, gone below zero here, though a comparatively short distance to the east, over the Alberta boundary, there have been zero temperatures, and eastern Canada has seen the thermometer go many degrees below, accompanied by severe storms. Only last week, no farther away than Calgary, it was below zero, while Cranbrook suffered a few degrees of frost.

Perhaps it is only a freak of nature, perhaps the winters are, as some contend, getting milder, but mankind is proverbially forgetful of what has gone in the past in the way of unpleasantness, and a winter like the present one will serve a useful purpose in giving people generally a new interest in the district. It is a winter that will be talked about, and next year in the grip of away below zero temperatures, people will take comfort in recalling what a wonderful winter it was last year.

BUS HIT BY TRAIN NEAR KIMBERLEY; NO ONE INJURED

What might have been a very serious accident took place on Tuesday morning when Brown's bus was leaving Kimberley for the return journey to Cranbrook.

Approaching the railroad crossing on Wallinger Avenue Mrs. Brown, who was driving the car, failed to notice an ore train backing from the Tunnel Mine, and commenced to cross the track; too late she observed the oncoming cars and attempted to pick up speed, not quickly enough, however, to prevent the collision.

A rear wheel of the stage was torn off and it was driven some 20 yards from the place of impact.

Fortunately Mrs. Brown retained her presence of mind, otherwise the conveyance must have been completely wrecked, and possibly injuries received by some of the three passengers (2 ladies and 1 child) travelling in it.

The locomotive was proceeding quite slowly and there appears to be no blame attached to the crew, but it is well to recall that an automatic alarm at this point, to herald the approach of trains, has already been recommended by Kimberley Board of Trade.

Mrs. Brown is to be commended for calmness in hazardous circumstances, and she and her passengers are to be congratulated on a providential escape from injury.

GYROS BUSY WITH "THE BEAUTY SHOP" TO BE GIVEN SOON

A big cast of eighty talented ladies and gentlemen are hard at work, both afternoon and evening, with the determination to make the forthcoming production of the big musical comedy "The Beauty Shop" an outstanding success. This rapid-fire, melody-enrtancing affair is being sponsored by the local Gyro Club, and their members are enthusiastic over what they believe will establish a new high standard in the way of local theatricals.

Cranbrook's most prominent singers and dancers will appear in the principal roles, then there will be groups of pretty girls as patrons of the beauty parlor, manicures, etc. Male singers will be seen and heard as hairdressers, patrons, creditors, etc., and the chorus promises to be of unusually high order.

The costumes and the stage settings are said to be something very much out of the ordinary, and include everything from the modern "flapper" and society lady to the most colorful Spanish senoritas and Corsican peasants. The dates are March 11th, 12th and 13th, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at the Auditorium.

Scene From Mirthful Musical Play, "The Beauty Shop," Gyros Are Presenting Here

Good progress has been made this week with the rehearsals for the presentation of "The Beauty Shop" which is to be given by the Cranbrook Gyro Club on March 11th, 12th and 13th.

INTERESTING GAMES FEATURING BOWLING TOURNAMENT NOW ON

Play-Off Games to be Arranged Next Week; Good Scores Being Made

On Thursday last the Little Five met the Y.M.C.A. on the C.B. Alleys. Y.M.C.A. capturing 4 points, rolling 2159 pins, Little Five 1843 pins. The same night the Railroaders met the I.O.O.F. on the Y.M.C.A. alleys, the I.O.O.F. capturing 3 points and the Railroaders 1. I.O.O.F. rolled 2310 pins, while the Railroad boys 2193. This was a very exciting game throughout.

On Friday the C.B. Alleys met the K.P.'s on the Y.M.C.A. alleys, the K. P. team capturing 3 points and the C.B.A. 1 point, score being K.P. 1991 pins, and C.B.A. 1902 pins. The same night the Scandinavian Brotherhood of East Kootenay met the Bee-Hives on the C.B. Alleys, the Bee-Hives capturing all four points, score being, Bee-Hives 2311 pins, S. B. of E. K. 2057 pins.

On Monday the C.B. Alleys met the Railroaders on the C.B. Alleys, the Railroaders capturing all four points, score being, Railroaders 2365 pins, C.B. A. 1999 pins. Only one game was played on account of the hockey game.

On Tuesday the I.O.O.F met the Y.M.C.A. on the C.B.A., the Y.M.C. A. capturing 3 points, and the I.O.O. F. 1 point. Score—Y.M.C.A. 2343 pins, I.O.O.F. 2285 pins. This was a very close game at all times, Taylor of the Y.M.C.A. rolling 217 and Towriss of the I.O.O.F. 202. The same night the Bee-Hives were to meet the Little Five on the Y.M.C.A. alleys, the Little Five forfeited the game, giving the Bee-Hives four points, the Bee-Hives rolling the game to count pins rolled 2071 pins.

The standing of the tournament at the close of Tuesday's games is as follows:

Teams	Plyd.	Pins	Pts.
I. O. O. F.	5	11,304	12
Bee-Hives	5	11,088	16
Belangers Railroaders	5	11,030	11
Y. M. C. A.	5	10,881	16
K. of P.	4	8,401	8
S. B. of E. K.	4	8,227	9
City Bowling Alleys	5	9,710	3
Little Five	5	7,285	2

Highest individual score (1 string) Taylor, of the Y.M.C.A., rolling 217 pins.

Three highest consecutive games in "Y" alleys, Towriss, of the I.O.O. F. Three highest consecutive games in "City" Alleys, A. Holdener, of Bee-Hives.

Eight games will finish the first part of the tournament, which are to be played up to Tuesday night, when it is understood a meeting will be called to draw up the play-off games.

OFFICIALS OF CRANBROOK B.P.O.E. INSTALLED AT KIMBERLEY ON MONDAY

Monday evening last a herd of Cranbrook Elks numbering 35 journeyed to Kimberley where in the new Odd Fellows' Hall the installation ceremony for the officers of the Cranbrook Lodge was performed. That a most excellent time was had was vouched for by all who were fortunate enough to be able to take the trip to the Mine city. Officers were installed by Past Exalted Ruler R. E. Crerar and Past Exalted Ruler S. G. Clark of Cranbrook. The officers installed were as follows:

Exalted Ruler.... Bro. P. W. Willis
Esteemed Leading Knight Bro. W. Guthrie
Esteemed Leading Knight Bro. W. Burton
Esteemed Loyal Knight Bro. E. L. Attree
Secretary ..... Bro. Longman
Treasurer.. Bro R. W. Edmondson
Inner Guard ..... Bro. D. R. Deane
Tyler ..... Bro. P. J. Morine
Trustees—Bro. G. E. McLean, Bro. W. Hill and Bro. H. Laker.

Twelve members were initiated, two to the Cranbrook Lodge and ten for the Kimberley Lodge, after which the company sat down to an excellent supper provided by the Kimberley Lodge. During the evening music was furnished by the Cranbrook Elks own orchestra under the able baton or W. Burton. The new Odd Fellows' hall was crowded to capacity. The visit of the Cranbrook delegation to Kimberley was in the nature of a return one to that of the Kimberley Lodge at the time of their recent nomination and election here.

Social Gathering

Maple Leaf Rebekah Lodge held a social gathering in the lodge room on Wednesday night, to celebrate the 19th anniversary of the establishment of the lodge here. Cards occupied the first part of the evening, and a little later the nature of the occasion was revealed when a birthday cake in four tiers, decorated with nineteen candles was brought in, round which the company sat for supper. The cake was the creation of Mrs. Dan Campbell, and the honor of cutting it fell on Mrs. T. S. Gill, a past Noble Grand and a charter member of the lodge, assisted by Bro. John Manning, another of the old members of the lodge.

LOCAL NEWS

A. B. Smith left on Wednesday for Nelson to attend a district meeting of the Farmers' Institute being held there.

Responding on Tuesday evening to the seventh alarm this month, the fire department went to the Dale home on Garden Avenue, where a chimney fire had caused the alarm to be sent in. There was no damage resulting.

Mrs. P. J. Gougeon was welcomed back to the city the beginning of the week, after a stay at the Mayo Sanitarium at Rochester, Minn., from which it is gratifying to learn she has experienced considerable benefit. After a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Honeyman, in this city, she will proceed to her home in Kimberley.

An item of interest to the friends of Miss Myrtle Garden, who is at present attending the provincial Normal School at Victoria, was received in the city recently. On March 3rd, Miss Garden will be heard singing with a chorus given by the Victoria Normal College. On March 23rd she will be heard over the same radio in a vocal solo. Miss Garden before leaving Cranbrook was a pupil of Mrs. J. H. Warren.

Rehearsals for "The Beauty Shop," the production which the Cranbrook Gyro Club is putting on next month, got away to a good start on Monday evening, and have been going strong ever since. Mr. H. V. Lewis, who is undertaking the direction of the production, has some good material to work on, and the chorus will number between eighty and a hundred. Mr. Chester Staples has consented to take the leading male role, it is stated, and the remainder of the cast is now being chosen.

The Duchess of Westminster was a party to an action before Mr. Justice Morrison, at Vancouver last week, when the Canadian Pacific Railway company obtained an order against Cranbrook Estates limited for a reference before the registrar in respect of lands in and near Cranbrook. The Duchess was a party for the reason that she had advanced moneys on the property. The Cranbrook Estates, Limited, is the company to which the Townsite Company's holdings in this vicinity were transferred some years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bowness returned on Sunday last from their trip to western and southern Pacific States, leaving here the 6th of January. The party went to Portland, thence to San Francisco, from where they journeyed by car to Los Angeles, where three weeks was spent. They then journeyed south visiting the recently far famed Tia Juana. Mr. Bowness in conversation with a representative of the Herald reports having the pleasure of meeting many Canadians in the south country among who were Ex-Premier Dahl of Prince Edward Island, Mr. and Mrs. McKinstry and son and daughter, recently of Cranbrook, James McBride, Hugh Stevens of Calgary, Bay Staples, T. C. Spence and others. Mr. Bowness was much impressed with the wonderful activity in San Francisco, stating that the regulation of the numerous traffic on Market Street in San Francisco was in itself a most interesting feature. The paved roads of California are a great inducement to motorists.

HOME TALENT NIGHT WEDNESDAY IN AID OF SOLARIUM FUND

Wednesday evening, whether it was the production of Zane Grey as a novelist or whether Tom Mix as a movie actor, or the program advertised to be presented by the Women's Institute at the Star Theatre, or the combination of the three, we do not know but at no popular night has there been such a demand for seats for attendance as that of Wednesday evening last when long before the time for the start of the concert part of the program, the hall was filled to capacity. The picture presented was an interesting one in which the famous Tom Mix won the applause of his many admirers. The program presented by the Institute was a very creditable one, each number being heartily applauded and encores demanded. The program was as follows:

Mr. James Coutts, song; Mr. Gould, banjo solo; Mrs. Brumby, Song; Mr. Hutchison, comic song; Roy Linnell, violin solo; Mrs. Chas. Harrison, vocal solo; Miss Gracie Higgins; song and dance; Mr. Bert Bell, song.

From the proceeds a donation was given by the Star Theatre to the Women's Institute for the Crippled Children's Hospital Fund.

CRANBROOK RINKS FAIL TO LIFT THE BOWNESS CUP

Monday evening two rinks journeyed to Kimberley in quest of the Bowness cup which is at present lodged in the Mine city. The Cranbrook rinks had blood in their eyes and had arranged for the band to be out on their return to welcome them and the cup, but whether it was the higher altitude or the lead and zinc fumes that bothered our representatives, they were doomed to disappointment.

The challenging teams were as follows:

No. 1—A. C. Bowness, Geo. Anton, E. H. McPhee, John Martin, Skip.

No. 2—H. Collier, C. A. Towriss, A. S. Ward, W. F. Cameron, Skip.

Rink No. 1 was defeated by a rink skipped by Shaw 12 to 10, while rink No. 2 lost to Skip James by 11 to 9. The visitors failed to lift the cup but brought back recollections of a most enjoyable game.

ROTARIANS FAIL TO BEAT KIMBERLEY CURLERS IN FRIENDLY GAME

A rink of Rotarians from Cranbrook visited Kimberley one evening last week for a friendly game with a Kimberley rink.

The visitors were obliged to take the short end of a 13-7 tally, but were compensated in some measure by the hospitality extended by Charlie Cook.

The visitors were: W. Harris 1st, M. A. Beale 2nd, B. McPhee 3rd, F. Marsh skip; and the local rink was composed of A. Higgins 1st, C. Cook 2nd, W. Lindsay 3rd, E. S. Shannon skip.

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WYCLIFFE NOTES

Dr. Rutledge of Cranbrook was a business visitor to Wycliffe on Friday last.

Mr. E. L. Staples left last Thursday for the Company's farm near Vauxhall, Alberta, and is expected to return home this week.

Mr. C. H. Cotter, C. A. and Mr. F. G. Winspear of Calgary are in Wycliffe this week conducting the annual audit for the company.

The whist drive was held as usual in the Recreation Hall on Wednesday evening last. After an enjoyable series of games, the prizes were awarded as follows: gentlemen's first, Mr. A. Yager; ladies' first, Mrs. W. Johnson; gents' consolation, Mr. J. Foster, and ladies' consolation Miss Florence McDermid. Supper was served by Mrs. J. S. Staples and Mrs. A. Staples, who proved themselves genial and capable hostesses.

Mrs. M. Weisnowitch and infant son returned to Wycliffe from the St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, the end of last week.

Many Wycliffe residents availed themselves of the opportunity afforded by the putting on of the special evening train between Cranbrook and Kimberley on Saturday evening last, and made the trip to Cranbrook, the majority visiting the rink to witness the hockey match between Kimberley and Greenwood teams.

On Monday evening, Feb. 22nd, the ladies again met to make final arrangements for the bean supper to be held in the Recreation Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 26th. A goodly number of ladies were present in the church, testifying to their anxiety to make the occasion a success and raise the fifty dollars needed for the church expenses. A very appetizing supper will be served, and the ladies are hoping to see a large gathering as a reward for their efforts.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Clark were Kimberley visitors on Friday evening last.

Mr. Magnus Johnson from Wardner has commenced duties as grader in the Staples mill, and has taken up residence here along with his sister and nephew.

Mr. Morris Mindlin, from Calgary, was staying at the Wycliffe Hotel for two or three days during last week. He was showing his usual line of tailored goods.

The Wycliffe boys journeyed to Kimberley last Wednesday to play their return hockey game with the Kimberley boys, and after a one-sided game Kimberley won out by twelve goals to two. Owing to the Wycliffe rink being in such poor shape, the Wycliffe boys had been unable to turn out for practice for some considerable time, hence the above result.

YAHK NOTES

A very enjoyable whist drive was held in the Yahk Mill Hall last Saturday night by the Ladies' Guild of Yahk. No doubt there would have been a considerably larger attendance if a private party had not been held at the Anderson home on the Yahk Flats the same evening, and at which a large number of young people were present, and from all reports greatly enjoyed themselves.

Mrs. Bill Smith of Camp 21 is paying an extended visit to Erickson.

Mrs. Pattison of Cranbrook was visiting friends in Yahk this week.

Charlie Olson, the well known Swedish wrestler, who has been in Yahk for the past month, has now started active training for his coming match with Bill Root, of Athol, Idaho. Olson realizes that he will have to give his best to stand any chance with Root, who although a young man, is very well versed in the art of "Catch as Catch Can." However, Olson is confident of getting the two falls, and promises the "fans" that attend a wrestling match well worth the watching. While Olson will have the entire backing of the Swedish population, Bill Root will also have considerable backing from the large number of friends he has made in this district by his clean cut ways, whether in sport or play.

Mrs. J. L. Johnson returned to Yahk last week from Cranbrook.

It would seem that Yahk is going to be a boom town, as it is reported that a large gold claim has been staked by Mr. Sampson and a partner, only a few miles out of Yahk. Mr. Sampson was in town last week with some fine looking exhibits panned from his claim. Just where the claim is is being kept very quiet, but it is somewhere in the vicinity of Yahk.

Considerable activity is also being shown in the newly formed Yahk Granite Company's quarry, which is about three quarters of a mile out of Yahk.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Peterson returned to Yahk from Cranbrook on Monday.

A big dance is being given at Eastport next Friday night by the Boundary Orchestra, which is now becoming well known for the snap and pep it puts into its playing, and for the new dance hits it is constantly bringing out. It is hoped that the Yahk people as a whole will turn out and take this dance in, as they are assured of a real good time and eats, also the road between Yahk and the boundary line is now in passably good shape, several cars having recently made this trip without chains.

Mr. Albert Barnhardt, of Glenlilly, was called away last week to attend the funeral of his mother in Eastern Canada.

St. John, N.W.—Potato exports this season to December 9 this year, season to December 9th this year, since the beginning of the shipping amounted to 242,364 bags and 42,318 barrels. This compares very favorably with 235,167 bags and 11,144 barrels of potatoes shipped during the corresponding period of the previous year.

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We fellows on the street are wondering how long poor Sir Henry Thornton is going to stand for having to take his "running" orders from the political bosses at Ottawa. His position is far from enviable. Placed in absolute control of the destinies of the C.N. Railway he is, as a railway executive, looked up to by the people of this country as the man responsible for the making or the breaking of our Nationally owned railways. If we have another fifty-million deficit we are going to get after him and ask him why, and we expect him to tell us. On the other hand, if he does well he will never get a chance to tell us how he did it, the Minister of Railways will ask for the bouquets.

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The control of the one great factor in railway losses or profits is evidently not to be left to Sir Henry's discretion. We refer of course to the subject of his freight rates. From reports coming from Ottawa it is evident that the fixing of rates, at least on coal and wheat carried by the National lines, is to be done by one or both of the two minority groups now running the business of the business of the country. We can well imagine a man of Sir Harry's type soon turning heartily sick of this outside interference and doing the only thing natural to a strong man, and that is throw up his job as a protest and let the farmers run the railways themselves.

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Should such be his intention he is evidently going to go the whole hog at playing their game before doing so. A demand has gone out for a cut rate over the C.N.R. over two and a half months, to allow fifteen thousand tons of coal to be moved to Quebec, where there is a supposed shortage of this amount. The President evidently sees in this command a nice chance of reducing his operating costs so he comes out with an order for six hundred thousand tons of the same coal for railway uses, the bulk of which will be banked in various places over Quebec. Sir Harry may be getting one back at his bosses in this, but, unfortunately, the people will have to pay the bill.

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Further demands have been made for other special cut rates over the C.N.R. on grain to both Eastern and Western points, the "special" quoted being implied at cost under cost. We can already hear another outburst by the President of the C. P. R. against this unfair and susidized competition directed against his lines and he certainly has grounds for a big kick. We are thinking that if these conditions get fairly going those operators who are looking forward to the recently demanded increase in wages are going to be out of luck. They may be looking for jobs.

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When will these politicians of ours realize that we fellows on the street not only read our newspapers but that we can read between the lines pretty often? We wonder just how many votes Tommy Church counted over in his mind when he raised in the House last week the puerile question as to whether the C.N.R. operators in the Toronto terminals were "overworked" and expressed his understanding that their work was very "onerous." If he really succeeded in counting imaginary votes, we fellows can tell him that these will be numerically discounted by the votes of the C.P.R. terminal operators, who, with exactly similar "onerous" duties were not worthy of his fatherly care.

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We are glad to see that a newspaper of the standing of The Toronto Saturday Night" should carry on its "Front Page" expressions of well founded convictions on the one subject dear to the hearts of we fellows on the street. This well known international writer says: "Let us think and act nationally." "It strikes me that if we had more confidence in ourselves and less confidence in Uncle Sam we would get along better." "In a word we should see ourselves, Canada, not provincially, but nationally." He strikes the keynote when he says: "What this country wants is a get-together-club composed of some nine million people." Let us inaugurate a get-together-club and elect our federal members of Parliament from our members. We fellows earnestly believe that if we ride this National horse of ours hard enough we are going to get up in front.

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The question: "Is it possible for the East to meet the West on the common ground of Canadianism" has been very ably answered in the affirmative by Mr. W. A. Irwin in Macleans Magazine of February 1st. He refers to the recently inaugurated National campaign by the Federation of Boards of Trade and heads his article "A black eye for Sectionalism." This is another right move in the direction of that much wanted "purely Canadian" propaganda which we fellows on the street have been talking about for a long time. What about joining our own local Board of Trade?

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The great fight of Prince Albert is all over. The Czar of present-day Liberalism is once again upon a very wobbly throne and the Independent has lost his deposit. This latter fact should please the Premier, especially as he is convinced that this now lost money came from some very doubtful source. Mr. Burgess, however, says he is satisfied as he has attained his declared object and fought his "Protest." "Such as our motive is, our aim must be." All very nice, my soldier boy. But we know exactly how you will feel. You have our admiration and our sympathies as well, and we sincerely trust that amid the din and noise of the victor's song of "Long Live the King," you realized the nobleness of seeking the truth and the beauty of finding it.

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Bye-the-bye, we are now wondering what the condition of the good old "pork barrel" is now. It's quite a long time since this was the subject for our curb chat, and we will have to discuss it one of these days. I believe a good appropriate time would be after the decision on the Hudson Bay Railway is given. Especially when we learn as to whether it is to be built on "contract."

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The big scandal or the "Customs Probe" is digging away daily, and the going is far from weary. While no bomb-shell has yet been found, or at least none been told of, lots of ammunition is being piled up and many axes sharpened. We would liked to have heard that tilt between Mr. Stevens and the "flour and feed" merchant who acted as the go-between for brewers and government in that most profitable transaction in alcohol. The profit, of course, went to the brewers. The type to which the famous Bisaillon belongs is not quite apparent to us yet. He is the French Canadian of either the "deep and cunning" or the "dull and stupid" school. His method of adding up his or the government's banking deposits points to his being a mixture of both.

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As showing the type of official who evidently appeals most to our Ottawa bosses let us quote how this now famous grafter employed by the government explained one of his private deposits. This was for a sum of $14,000 paid into his own account. He said he sold his automobile for $2,000. Later he bought another one for $1500. This made $4000. He resold it and this made $6000. "For the remainder there is my salary and bank discounts and I borrowed $2000. The total is $14,000." Can you beat it? And yet the government knew in May last year that this man was making deposits of sums up to $69,000 into his own account. And still McKenzie King kept him on the job. "Birds of a feather flock together."

You can't "correct this sentence," but be sure to pause at the comma: "When a merchant does not advertise, the merchandies."

INCOME TAX FORMS PROVINCIAL LEVY ARE DIFFERENT

The new assessment forms have arrived, and already many provincial income tax assessment forms have been sent out. Some new forms have been entered on the assessment sheets this year. A heavy penalty is imposed on taxpayers who do not make returns promptly.

Form No. 7 B is a new one on which returns must be made by wage earners, salaried men, business men, and simple partnerships.

Returns by corporations and joint stock companies must be on this form.

In the case of any business concern, a balance sheet, trading account and profit and loss account must be rendered.

Forms in triplicate will be sent out to all taxpayers. Returns must be made by March 31, by salaried men, and businesses whose fiscal year ends on December 31. Corporations and others whose fiscal year ends on a later date have three months from that date in which to make returns.

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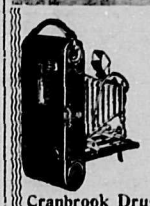

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SYNOPSIS

Bob Wilson and Caroline Dale are on a picnic together when they are startled by the incessant blasts of a motor car siren. A moment later three policemen appear, searching for an escaped convict. Bob and Caroline, withdrawing, soon meet the convict—Spike—who calls Wilson by his name and demands protection from him. As a threat he aims the steel spike that serves in lieu of a missing hand, at the girl. In a desperate struggle Wilson bests the culprit, who declares he'll "get even."

CHAPTER VII—Continued

The policemen glanced at Bob sharply. He faced them unflinching and morose, but remained silent. Then the officers laughed incredulously and one pushed Spike roughly, starting him off toward the road and the patrol wagon.

"What are you raving about, insulting Bob Wilson like this? Why he's one of Crater City's leading citizens."

Now Spike and the officers were gone; Caroline and Bob were left alone. A troubled and questioning look pleaded from her eyes; there was so much now to explain. But complications had become hopelessly entangling, and Bob's mood for confession was gone. He nourished in its place a sullen and ingrowing conviction that it would be futile to combat the ironical tempers of Fate. So, while he was solicitious and kindly in his reassurances that restored the half-hysterical girl to a certain mood of calm, he maintained for the most part a moody and uncommunicative silence during their rather nervously hurried walk home.

It was twilight when they reached the O'Leary gate, tired and dustily hot of body—even wearier and more fevered of mind, from the afternoon-long conflict of taut and restrained nerves. Caroline, looking into his drawn and troubled face, tried to comprehend; Bob, looking into her eyes so filled with sweet concern, tried to talk. Neither succeeded.

He requested her to ask the Widow to continue in charge of Bob through the night; he wanted to be alone, he said, unbothered by the care of the youngster.

"Can't I help you, Bob, in any way? Do you want to come in a while and rest and talk?" she offered hopefully.

He hesitated, for he did want to; but he was not this moment the master of a pliable will. The jolts and the fears of the day, climaxed by the upsetting encounter with Spike, had set his heels far back in a morass of old inhibitions. He dully said that he must be going, and he went—*without a soft word to compensate* her for the clean heart she had opened to him; left her trembling, tearful, uncomprehending, at the garden gate staring after him.

Bobby, unaware of the peril, sat laughingly in the little wagon.

Far down the street, near the centre of town, an *itinerant minstrel* was grinding out of his hand-organ the undesignedly ironical strains of "The End of a Perfect Day." The cloying sentimentally of the music caused a bitter, choking laugh to rise in Caroline's throat. She turned and ran forlornly into the house—for a tossed and wakeful night, and a perplexed morning after.

Bob did not call for her, though she waited vainly up to the last possible minute and then loitered all the way to the depot hopeful that he might overtake her. Nor did she hear from him or of him up to the time she fininshed work for the day.

Though it had been a comparatively easy day, she was tired and listless when, in mid-afternoon, she emerged from the rearside door of the lunchroom into the dinky street that paralleled the tracks and started for home.

A rattle and racket on the cobblestones and excited squeals in a familiar child's treble attracted her attention up the street along the unfenced yards. She saw scampering across the street and into the yards a large, black alley cat and helter-skelter in full cry after it Bobby's dog, harnessed to a little cart in which Bobby sat holding on for dear life and screaming gleefully, enjoying the thrill of his young life.

The cart swayed and pitched dizzily, but Bobby held on; all four wheels left the ground, and Caroline, watching, caught her breath for fear it would turn turtle when it bounced over the low curbing, but by some miracle of the laws of motion, it recovered its balance and plunged on, rightside up.

The dog, stupid in his mad chase, never hesitated at the margin of the yards, but started across the tracks. He came to grief in a hurry, though, on the very first track, where the cart skidded and became securely stuck with a suddenness that jerked the dog back upon his haunches and almost catapulted Bobby headfirst to the ground. The cat, with tail swollen and straight, made good his escape; while Bobby excitedly encouraged the dog in its lunging efforts to free the cart and continue the pursuit.

Caroline sighed with relief when she saw that the dangerous career of the youthful driver was halted. She hurried up the street, calling to him to desist in his attempts to carry on the race. At the same time, Jim came out of a store on the far side of the street and, locating Bobby after a quick and perturbed visual search, also started toward him.

So far Caroline and Jim had not seen each other; but they did see, simultaneously and with equal horror, a new danger that suddenly loomed over Bobby—a puffing switch engine bearing rapidly down upon him. Bobby, unaware of the peril, sat laughingly in the little wagon prompting the efforts of the dog to tug free.

The engine, moving fast, was within a few yards of the marooned youngster, and it seemed futile to reach Bobby in time to snatch him to safety. But they tried—each screaming at him, each unaware of the other's approach. The engineer of the switching engine had his back turned, watching the signals of his brakeman on the long line of empties he was shunting about. There was no hope of him seeing Bobby in time, for even now the engine was too close to be stopped.

Then, with startling suddenness, the danger was over as quickly as it had arisen—for the engine crossed a switch to the next track, within ten yards of where Bobby sat in his cart. With a momentum that could not be checked at the last moment Caroline and Jim raced to the spot of averted danger, arriving at right angles to each other and in unison reaching down to snatch Bobby out of the cart. At the instant they did so the tugging dog finally succeeded in his efforts to move the cart—and although he progressed no more than a foot or two, it was enough to make Caroline and Jim miss their aim and collide pump into each other's arms. They *straightened up in a daze, arms* around each other, taking in what had happened with bewildered glances—the switch engine chugging harmlessly down another track, the dog with his mind at ease and off the cat now seated on his haunches scraping his tail on the cindered roadbed, and Bobby waggling his finger at them in glee.

"Shame—shame—Daddy Jim is hugging the lady!"

Caroline and Jim became awkwardly conscious of the truth of Bobby's charge, and the more so because startled looks around the general vicinity revealed more than one laughing yardman watching them also. Caroline quickly separated from Jim, laughing to cloak her embarassment. Jim was flustered, too; and relieved himself in the physical work of lifting Bobby, his cart, and his dog off the track onto the safety of the street.

Caroline and Jim fell into step behind Bobby, who drove his steed now at a sedate pace. Both were breathless, with nerves still quaking from the excitement.

"I had just stopped into the cigar store for a moment, thinking the youngster would be safe enough outside—but you can never tell. We were on the way down to meet you, Caroline—"

Caroline looked surprised, and Jim smilingly enlightened her.

"—you see, today is Bobby's birthday and we're going to have a party. Bob will be home in time for it, and I want you to come," he said with a personal inflection that Caroline did not notice in her glad interest to be able to do something for Bobby. She said enthusiastically:

"Of course, I'll come—and I'll bake a cake if you want me to, Jim!"

Jim and Bobby were equally delighted with this offer.

"Lordy, that will be wonderful," enthused Jim. "Bob went out very early this morning on a special call—"

Caroline's face brightened perceptibly at this intelligence, but unnoticed by Jim, who went on,

"—but I had penned a note for him before I turned in, telling him to get home as early as he could and to bring his best girl."

(To be continued)

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ARTICLE No. 21

One of the best known bridge players was asked the only thing he would take into consideration the greatest quality one player *ter to have and he replied* without any hesitation: "The ability to play losing cards well." Think that over carefully, for it is a regular lesson on the game. Learn to play your losing cards well and the good ones will take care of themselves.

One of the most unusual succession of hands ever known was *held* by a well-known player the other night and as they are very good illustrations of the preemptive or shut-out bid, it is well worth while to discuss them. The three hands were held in succession and are as follows:

Hand No. 1

Hearts — A, 10, 9, 8, 7, 5, 3, 2
Clubs — J, 9, 2
Diamonds — A
Spades — K

The dealer and second player passed and third player, holding the above hand, bid four hearts. All passed and *he failed to make his contract* by three tricks. His opponents, however, had an easy game in spades so the shut-out bid saved the game.

Hand No. 2

Hearts — 7
Clubs — K, Q, 9, 7, 6
Diamonds — none
Spades — A, K, Q, J, 9, 7, 6

The dealer passed and the second player, with the above hand, bid four spades. All passed and he made five odd. In this case the shut-out bid probably made little difference.

Hand No. 3

Hearts — A
Clubs — A, Q, J, 7
Diamonds — A, K, Q, J, 9, 7, 5, 4
Spades — none

The dealer with the above hand bid five diamonds. All passed and he made a little slam. The opponents could have made five odd in either spades or hearts. In this hand, also, the shut-out bid made little difference. The hands, however, are remarkable for being held in succession by the same player, something that probably will not happen again in a decade.

The hands given in the preceding article were illustrative of the proper bidding of two-suit hands and are well worthy of careful study. The question in each case is, what would you, as dealer, bid?

Hand No. 1

Hearts — A, 10, 9, 8, 7
Clubs — A, 10, 8, 7, 6
Diamonds — 7, 6
Spades — 6

The proper bid with this hand is one club. If overbid by either opponent or by partner, bid the heart. The reason for preferring the club to the heart as the first bid is that partner is more apt to overbid the club than the heart and so gives you a better chance to bid both suits.

Hand No. 2

Hearts — 8
Clubs — 6
Diamonds — K, Q, 9, 4, 2
Spades — K, J, 10, 7, 6, 5

With this hand the better bid is one spade. The spades are much stronger than the diamonds and should be rebid before showing the diamonds. For that reason the one spade is preferred to one diamond.

Hand No. 3

Hearts — none
Clubs — A, K, Q, 10, 4
Diamonds — 10, 7, 6
Spades — A, K, J, 10, 7

In this hand both suits are of fairly *equal value so one spade should be the* first bid. If overbid, show the clubs.

Hand No. 4

Hearts — A, K, Q, 7
Clubs — K, Q, 10, 8, 7, 6, 5
Diamonds — none
Spades — Q, 6

With this hand, one club is the proper bid. Clubs should be rebid at least once before showing the heart suit. The clubs are so much longer and stronger that the hand will undoubtedly give the best results with that suit as trumps.

Hand No. 5

Hearts — A, 8, 6
Clubs — K, J, 9, 5, 3
Diamonds — K, J, 9, 5, 3
Spades — none

This is a very doubtful hand. It is really a sound pass but the two-suit character of the hand makes it a tempting proposition to bid. If you do decide to bid, *one diamond is correct. Whenever the* two suits are of fairly equal value, always bid the higher value first.

Hand No. 6

Hearts — K, Q, 8, 4, 3
Clubs — Q, 10, 9, 8, 7
Diamonds — 7, 2
Spades — J

This hand should undoubtedly be passed. Hand No. 5 is on the border line but this hand is just under. Pass with the firm intention of bidding the hearts on the next round if the bidding makes such a course expedient. These example hands comprise most of the usual types of two-suiters, and the bidding as given should be carefully studied.

LUMBERTON CHIPS

On Tuesday afternoon of last week a wedding of considerable interest to Lumberton people was solemnized in Spokane, when Miss Margaret Robertson of Portland, Oregon, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Robertson of Cranbrook, and Mr. H. P. Klinestiver, manager of the Spruce Mills, were united in marriage at the Presbyterian Church on Cannon Street, at five thirty o'clock. The couple were attended by Mrs. Allie, of Spokane, and Messrs. A. H. Stewart of Lumberton, and G. C. Robson now of Spokane, but formerly manager of the Spruce Mills at Lumberton. A dinner was served to the wedding party at the Davenport Hotel shortly after the wedding ceremony took place. The bridal couple left on the evening train bound for Portland from which place they departed for San Francisco, and Los Angeles, on the following morning. They will spend some time at the latter place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal. Root, sister and brother-in-law of the bride who formerly lived in Cranbrook and are well known in this district. Mrs. Klinestiver is a graduate nurse, having received her degree in Calgary, and has followed her profession in Portland, Oregon, for the greater part of the time since her graduation. Mr. Klinestiver has made his home in this district for the past twelve years during which time he has been employed in the lumber industry in Jaffray, Bill River, Yahk, and for the past five years in Lumberton. On the return trip from Los Angeles some time will be spent in Portland, Seattle and Vancouver before returning to Lumberton where *they will occupy the newly furnished* house which has been fitted out by Mr. Klinestiver. A royal welcome will be in readiness for the newlyweds when they arrive in Lumberton the first part of March, and the Lumberton band will be out in full force.

Mr. Herman, of Wausaufi, Wisconsin, one of the stock holders of the B.C. Spruce Mills Ltd., motored over from Wardner on Wednesday afternoon of last week and spent a few hours here looking over the plane of the Spruce Mills.

Mr. P. Walsh, chief engineer of the Spruce Mills departed for Calgary on Wednesday afternoon of last week where he will spend a week's holiday febore returning to Lumberton.

Miss Phyllis Dweeley entertained eleven of her little friends on Saturday afternoon of last week the occasion being her ninth birthday anniversary. The afternoon was delightfully spent in playing various games. A sumptuous birthday dinner had been prepared by the little *hostess' mother for the occasion* which was relished by the little tots. The guests departed for their homes early in the evening after having spent a most pleasant afternoon with Miss Phyllis.

Mr. A. H. Stewart, returned from Spokane last Wednesday afternoon where he attended the wedding of Miss Margaret Robertson, and Mr. H. P. Klinestiver.

Mr. Norman Craigie was called to Creston on Monday afternoon of this week owing to the death of his mother. The funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon.

The regular weekly meeting of the nesday evening of last week in the Lumberton Club was held on Wed- Lumberton Hall. Seven tables of court whist were in play during the early part of the evening. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge of the program after the conclusion of cards. The remainder of the evennig was spent in dancing. The evening's program was concluded at twelve o'clock.

It is beginning to look like the sawing season is rolling around once more, now that some of the members of the sawmill crew are reporting back on the job once more. Jack Goodman, sawyer on the day shift last year, was the first to put in an appearance some little time ago, Charley Appleton, band saw filer, who has been in the employ of the Spruce Mills for the past few years as band filer returned on Friday afternoon of last week and started out on Monday morning in his new uniform. Fred Andrew, sawmill superintendent for the past two summers returned from his home at Los Gatos, California, on Sunday, where he has been spending the winter months with his family. Cave put in his appearance from Camp three and will start in the mills soon.

Fernie Old Timer Passes

Death came suddenly to another Fernie oldtimer on Wednesday of last week at Medicine Hat, in the person of Wm. Henry Whimster, aged 76. Deceased, who was for many years a prominent citizen and police magistrate of this city, came here from Portage la Prairie with his family in 1898, and resided here until about three years ago, when they moved to Penticton. About six months ago they went to reside in Medicine Hat with their daughter, Mrs. Thos. Hargreave. Deceased leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn his death. The daughters are Mrs. A. J. Burnside, of Toronto, and Mrs. T. H. Hargreaves, of Medicine Hat. The sons reside, Bert at Nelson and Keith at Penticton. All their oldtime friends in Fernie extend their sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.—Fernie Free Press.

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KIMBERLEY IS WINNER OF SERIES

(Continued from Page One)

wood goal Huffman scored. On a rush, Rochon was stopped by Gallipau (G), who returned and gave Peever a hard one. At 9.20 Huffman scored, following a good play and pass by Lilly. Peever stops hot one from Gallipau; Lilly fails to score after a rush three quarters of the rink. Musser shoots and fails. Lilly assayed a rush but was checked by Watson (G), Blumenauer and La Fortune make a good get away. Huffman shoots on goal as time is called. Period ends 3-0. The intermission was enlivened by the playing of the band.

Greenwood Gets One

At the start of the second period, Greenwood took command of the game. Morrison (G) scored in about half a minute. Blumenauer was sent to the time box for two minutes. Peever was next called upon to stop 8 shots in rapid succession, 4 from Morrison, 3 from Taylor and 1 from Carlson. Lilly relieved the situation for a while. Carlson was sent off for two minutes. Hallett shot a hard one at Peever. After eighteen minutes play Huffman scored, followed two minutes later by another goal by Lilly. Peever was forced to leave the net to save the goal. Rochon relieved a bad looking combination of Morrison and Carlson. Lilly made a rush from his own blue line with a pretty play, and with a very fine shot scored Kimberley's 6th goal. Rushes by Gill and again by Musser were stopped by the hard work of Taylor. Gallipau with a neat shot made Peever extend himself to save. The Gill-Huffman combination was blocked by Carlson. This was followed by a combination play by Rochon and Huffman, the doctor apparently refusing to have any goals handed to him, as he missed a wide-open goal. Combination by Carlson and Taylor was spoiled by Peever. Rochon and Huffman again stormed the Greenwood goal, the doctor again refusing to score without a guardian in the nets. Huffman, apparently to retrieve himself, got in some very pretty stick handling, but failed to score by a few inches. Lilly and Blumenauer concluded the second period with shots on goal. Score at the end of the second period was 6-1.

Both Score in Third

Three minutes after the start of the third period Huffman secured Kimberley's 7th goal from a scrimmage. Rochon shoots from center, but fails. Blumenauer tries a shot. Musser takes a long rush but fails to score. Huffman after four minutes of play again scores. Blumenauer rushes full length of rink but is stopped by Watson, who returns to Peever. Lilly rushes but is stopped by a grandstand save by Carlson. Musser, Gill and Blumenauer all get in pretty individual play. Rochon finally scoring after four minutes. Watson after a good rush is stopped by Musser, Rochon taking the puck and fails to score by a small margin. Blumenauer scores Kimberley's 10th and last goal after 4 minutes. Rochon was retired for checking Musser. It may have appeared foul to the referee, but to many of the spectators it appeared unintentional. Musser and Gallipau featured a fine piece of combination work, scoring Greenwood's second goal and the last one of the game. Following the game, the Kimberley boys and their rooters paraded the streets and crowded the cafes, all naturally feeling good due to the success of their team. There was but one topic in the air, that being the trip to Victoria, it being conceded that the game series with Greenwood was already as good as won. J. F. Scott was referee; Ashton Powers was judge of play. These two gentlemen handled the game to the satisfaction of all.

Goal umpires, J. McLean and J. Blumenauer.

The players were as follows:

Kimberley—J. Peever, goal; G. Musser, R. defence; P. Rochon, L. defence; H. Blumenauer, Centre; C. Gill, R. forward; Dr. C. W. Huffman, L. forward; spares A. B. Lilly, E. La Fortune, S. Mills.

Greenwood—H. Royce, goal; R. Carlson, R. defence; L. Taylor, L. defence; C. Morrison, Centre; A. Gillipau, R. forward; J. Hallett, L. forward; spares J. Pudde, W. Watson, Geo. Clerf.

Y.M.C.A. NOTES

The interior of the Y.M.C.A. is being renovated from top to bottom by the C.P.R. Foreman W. Walby and his assistants, C. Bidder and J. Fenton are certainly proving their ability as decorators and when completed the building will look as good as new. The C.P.R. officials here, Messrs. T. R. Flett and J. Robertson are to be complimented on the splendid condition and appearance in which they keep the Y.M.C.A.. It is indeed a credit to the company and an asset to Cranbrook.

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Secretary Clark in making his rounds for memberships has been received most cordially and many times congratulated on the splendid work being carried on for the young men and boys of our city through the Y. M.C.A. There is every reason to believe that this year's membership will be the largest ever.

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The men in charge of the work here feel that if a company like the C.P.R. is willing to spend hundreds of dollars every year for the upkeep of the building and the support of the "Y" work that every last man in Cranbrook should be linked up with the association, and in this way show his appreciation for what is being done through the Y.M.C.A.

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The Employed Boys' Brotherhood which meets every Monday night is going strong. Two weeks ago Mr. F. Marsh spoke on "The Relation of Thrift to the Rest of Life," and urged every boy to start right now to keep a budget and thus keep a strict account of his income and expenses. He proved in black and white just what a few cents saved every month would become if deposited in some savings department regularly every month. The boys appreciated his talk very much and hope to have the pleasure of hearing him again.

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The city bowling league is in full swing and much interest is being manifest. The "Y" boys are quite elated over their success as they now stand in first place. They are not bragging over their present position but intend to keep knocking down pins and hope to stand on the peak when the league ends.

WARDNER NOTES

The C.G.I.T. girls are busily practising for a pageant, which will take place in the church on March 2nd. The pageant, for which the girls are being trained by their leader, Mrs. J. E. Scaniand, assisted by the teachers of the Sunday school, is to be held in co-operation with the joint promotion week of the C.G.I.T. and Tuxis Boys and Trail Rangers. No admission is charged for the pageant, neither will a collection be taken. Everyone is invited to be present, so it is hoped that a good turn-out for the occasion will be made. The idea of the pageant is partly to illustrate the work done by the C.G.I.T. girls of Wardner, and its mission.

Guesses as to the amount of peas the jar contains are being handed in to J. Martinos store fast and furious this week. The contest closes on Saturday evening and the prize is a set of table silver.

Now that the spring weather is appearing and cars are coming out of their garages, attendance at the weekly club meetings of the Wardner Recreation Club is gradually falling off. Only about nine members were present on Thursday evening, but all gathered at a large table and spent a jolly hour or two playing the game of hearts. The club will soon be adjourned until next winter.

Mrs. Ora Lewis and son Francis, of White Sulphur, arrived in Wardner on Wednesday of last week and will spend an extended visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Peppler. Mrs. Lewis is well acquainted in this district, having resided here for a long period some years ago. Gordon, the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, is at present studying at the Academy of Nova Scotia, where he is making quite a reputation for himself, especially in the line of poetry, two of his poems are being published by the school magazine this month; one of them is to be "adopted" by the school, being a poem of the school colors and is entitled "Emerald and Gold." The many Wardner, Bull River and Jaffray friends are pleased to hear of Gordon's success.

Geo. Powell, the nightingale of the Singer sewing machines, made his first spring call on Wardner residents. This is the first time George's famous "toot-toot-toot" has been heard for some months.

Mrs. Elmer Thompson and sons Roy and Kieth, and Mrs. Frank Thompson journeyed to Bull River via the stage on Saturday and spent the afternoon visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wynne motored to Cranbrook on Saturday evening, making the journey in the Holtons' new Ford touring car, which they purchased on Wednesday last.

C. C. Snowden, the oil magnate, of Calgary, spent Friday in town, booking the trade. Friday and Saturday seemed to be the store managers' "at home" day as far as commercial salesmen were concerned, a dozen at least descending on the town, until the store clerks and managers were also strongly tempted to descend also, but to the cellar, out of sight.

Mr. Hugo Nelson, official grader of the Western White Pine Association, spent Friday in Wardner, inspecting the grades of the C.N.P. Lumber Company.

Messrs H. W. Birch, John A. Lawson and Fred Leard motored to Wycliffe and Lumberton on Friday morning to look over the Staples and B.C. Spruce Mills plants respectively.

Miss Astrid Johnson spent the weekend visiting at the home of her parents in Jaffray.

Miss Isabel Taylor has left her position in the Company cookhouse and left for her home in Waldo on Monday evening. Her place has been taken by Miss Vera Renstrom.

Mrs. Elmer Thompson received the sad news on Monday morning, by telegraph, of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. John Craigie, at the home of Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Ed. Repsomer, of Creston.

Dr. G. E. L. MacKinnon, of Cranbrook, motored to Wardner on Friday evening last, to pay a professional call on Mr. Geo. Sinclair, who has been seriously ill for the past week.

Rudolph Danstrom has resigned his position as clerk in Martinos' store, and left for his home in Jaffray on Saturday evening. Rudolph was a Wardner visitor again on Monday.

Olaf Wold, of Barons, Alta., arrived in Wardner on Monday of last week, joining Mrs. Wold and daughter, who are spending the winter visiting Mrs. Wold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Haney. Mr. Wold has been taking chiropractic treatment in Calgary.

The Greenwood-Kimberley hockey matches being held in Cranbrook last week-end proved big attractions to Wardnerites. On Saturday evening those motoring in included John A. Lawson, A. Stevenson, Harry, Rollie and Elmer Thompson, C. Napoleon, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wynne. On Monday evening again those motoring in for the match included Harry, Sam and Rollie Thompson, and Dyer Elderking.

Johnny Holland, of the Bull River power plant staff, spent Sunday evening visiting friends in Wardner.

Mr. Taber, of Tabers' Chocolates, spent the week-end in Wardner soliciting business in the candy line.

Another sign of the fast coming spring. The Wardner football team has been busy this week kicking around the pigskin with more energy than skill, we must admit. Needless to say the baseballs are coming out as fast as the pussy-willows and the new Ford cars.

Mr. Ora Lewis, of White Sulphur, arrived in town on Friday, for a few days' visit with Mrs. Lewis and son Francis, who are here on an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Peppler. Mr. Lewis left again on Sunday evening for his work in White Sulphur, where he is employed as planer foreman.

Walter MacKenzie spent a few busy days last week selling raffle tickets on a fine large table lamp. The raffling took place in the Company store on Saturday evening, when Ole Helman proved to be the winner with the lucky number four.

Raffles seem to be the main thing in town this week. Emil Shelborn is also selling raffle tickets on his accordian. Mr. Shelborn plans on using the proceeds from the raffle to purchase a new piano accordian. There are hopes for the return of the old barn dances yet, evidently.

Bachelor fare seems to appeal to a number of male Wardnerites. The latest addition to these ranks is Angus MacRae, who has joined Rev. Dingle and Mr. Iverson in their bachelor apartments.

Several pupils of the Sunday School were presented with their bibles on Sunday last by the president, Mrs. Jack Guest. The bibles are an award for regular attendance, and those receiving them included Billy Sinclair, Edwin Bakkam, Louise Lawson, Edith and Jennie Moberg, Gudrun Johnson, Kathleen Sheppard, John Scanland, Kathleen and Dorothy Scanland, Sven Moberg, Ingrid Bakken.

Miss Louise Lawson, Miss L. Corbett and Mr. Lawson of the hotel, journeyed to Cranbrook between trains on Saturday; Louise making the journey for music lessons.

In spite of predictions of long hair coming into style, two more Wardner feminine heads sacrificed their flowing locks to the shears of the barber this week.

The roads were again kept hot on Saturday evening by those who motored out to Jaffray to attend the dance at the Limbocker residence. Those attending included Misses Ira Taylor, Thora Muir, Astrid Johnson, and Messrs. Rudolph Danstrom, Pete Hurry, Jack Cumberland, Billy Mader, A. Stevenson and John A. Lawson.

The number of stray cats which have been howling around town the past few weeks is rapidly decreasing since a couple of local junior sportsmen have become owners of air rifles.

Mrs. R. Reed left on Monday noon for an extended holiday with her parents in Wycliffe.

KIMBERLEY NEWS NOTES

Dan Pierce, who has spent the winter months at his home in P. E. Island, arrived back in Kimberley on Wednesday and will resume his position with the C.M. & S. Co.

Mr. G. S. Blaylock of Trail, general manager of the C.M. & S. Co., paid a visit to town on Wednesday.

Miss Marguerite Meister entertained a number of her friends on Thursday, the occasion being her 9th birthday.

The bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Geoff. Warren on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Brown of Vancouver, who represents the House of Hobberlin, was doing business at Foote's store two days this week.

Jack Taylor of Cranbrook was a town visitor on Thursday last.

Ned Handley of Nelson was a business visitor to the town the first of the week.

The C.G.I.T. tea held in Summers' new store on Thursday last was very encouraging, the room being filled all afternoon. A tidy sum was realized, which will go toward buying costumes for the girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Lilly of McDougall Heights was presented with a handsome case of silverware and tray Wednesday evening by a number of the boys who have been associated with Mr. Lilly for a number of years, and who is very well known in town. The very best wishes of his friends accompanied the gift.

Mrs. C. A. Foote entertained at tea Friday afternoon last.

Mrs. E. E. Jackson returned home last week, having spent a few weeks holidaying in Spokane.

Mrs. S. Alexander of McDougall Heights left on Monday for a two weeks' visit at Nelson with her mother, Mrs. Fletcher.

Mrs. (Dr.) Davis entertained a number of friends at bridge last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Kettles of Pincher Creek was a visitor to town this week looking for a location to build and settle in Kimberley.

The many friends in Kimberley of Mr. Tom Caven were deeply grieved to hear of his sudden death in Vancouver this week. Mr. Caven was well and favorably known in town, and the sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Buckman of the Concentrator was operated on at the St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, this week.

Master Robert Barr entertained a number of boys at his birthday party last week-end.

Mr. Warren, president of the C. M. & S. Co., was a town visitor over the week-end.

A meeting of the Rod & Gun Club was held in town on Wednesday evening.

Kimberley had a good fall of snow Tuesday night.

Kimberley has been favored with a little colder weather, and consequently the curlers are having some good nights at the rink, the ice being in very good condition.

Mrs. Brown's bus was in a bad accident Tuesday morning. While making the railway crossing to Blarchmont the bus was hit by the ore train. Fortunately, by Mrs. Brown keeping her nerve, no one was injured, and while the bus was only slightly damaged this will be repaired and on the road again at once.

The Elks' meeting Monday night was well attended, and a large number from Cranbrook were present. New officers for Cranbrook Lodge were installed and several initiations. Refreshments were served during the evening and a very enjoyable time was spent. The Elks' orchestra from Cranbrook was also in attendance.

Kimberley Piles 'Em Up

Big Score in Second Game Played in Cranbrook With Greenwood

BETTER TEAM WINS

The second big hockey game, which took place on Monday night, was also well attended and proved another lively encounter. Kimberley started with a lead of eight points. Greenwood started to press matters, and in less than 10 seconds Peever had a hot one to stop, but in about one minute Mills, who replaced La Fortune on the line, scored for Kimberley. Greenwood's goalkeeper seemed to have trouble in watching the play, leaving his goal open when luckily shots by Rochon and Blumenauer went wide. Royce, in goal for Greenwood, was forced to come out to stop a combined play by Rochon and Huffman. Gallipau relieving made a good rush, stopped by Rochon. Lilly on coming on the ice started a nice piece of combination work with Rochon, making two onsets on Greenwood's goal, Royce saving well. After eight minutes of play, Blumenauer scored on a Huffman-Gill-Huffman combination. Lilly at this juncture made a grandstand rush, showing some very good stick work, but failed to score. Gallipau, Morrison and Taylor called upon Peever to save in rapid succession. Huffman followed with two rushes which were blocked in both instances by Taylor. Lilly tried hard to score, but was robbed of goal by the good work of Royce. Carlson rushed, but was stopped by Musser. Huffman, Lilly and Musser tried hard to score, but were foiled by Taylor. Morrison and Hallett kept Peever guessing for a few moments on a combined attack. Blumenauer and Gill get in two good rushes, followed by combination play by Gallipau and Morrison, the period ending 3-0.

Kimberley Adds Three More

Two minutes after the start of the second period, Mills scored on a pretty shot. Musser scored the first and only penalty of this game. The play became a little ragged, but soon tightened up when Lilly and Blumenauer got in some good work, Blumenauer scoring later on a Lilly-Huffman-Blumenauer combination. A dangerous looking rush by Morrison was stopped by Lilly, followed later by a combination play by Morrison and Taylor up the entire length of the rink. Kimberley were now pressing hard. The Greenwood defence apparently weakened. Musser scored Kimberley's fifth goal, followed immediately by a score by Morrison, being Greenwood's first goal. After a minute later, Lilly carried the puck all the way from goal to goal and scored. With Peever outside of the goal, Morrison shot wide. The second period ended 6-1 in favor of Kimberley.

Heavy Scoring in Third

The third period was high, wide and handsome so far as scoring was concerned. Gallipau and Morrison had individual plays and some very fine combination. After a very fine double combination play which kept Peever on the move, Rochon and Blumenauer rushed, followed later by a high shot by Mills. For the next two minutes play went from end to end, Huffman, Gill and Blumenauer distinguishing themselves. Musser finally scored on a slow shot from centre. After 10 minutes of play a regular bombardment on both goals began, with the goalkeepers having to stop many hot shots. The first was scored by Lilly, followed by one for Greenwood by Morrison. Gill scored on a rebound from Huffman. Rochon and Lilly failed to tally. Rochon on spectacular play scored number 10. Morrison scored number 3 for Greenwood, who had passed Gallipau. Huffman gets an assist from Lilly, scoring number 11. Peever was forced down to a scrimmage by Greenwood, Lilly following with some good work. Hallett scored Greenwood's 4th and last goal. Huffman on a pass from Rochon scored the 12th, and the same player a 13th on a pass from Gill. Greenwood's defence was weakened during this last period through absence of Taylor, who was forced to retire with a sprained ankle.

Huffman again led in the score honors with 4, Mills 2, Blumenauer 2, Lilly 2, Rochon 1, Musser 1 and Gill 1. It was noticable that the most of the goals were scored unassisted. Ashton Powers handled the game to the satisfaction of all.

Loud cheers were sent up for the Greenwood players by the Kimberley players and their supporters. When in conversation with a representative of the Herald the Greenwood players expressed their appreciation of the cordial treatment tendered them by Kimberley during the games. They appreciated the courtesy shown them while in Kimberley, and hoped to **have the pleasure of again meeting the Kimberley players.**

LAKE WINDERMERE NOTES

(Special to The Herald)

Invermere, B.C., Feb. 24th.—The forestry department of the province under the direction of Major C. H. Colson, District Ranger, are calling for application for the position of assistant ranger. Examinaton of applicants for this appointment will be held at Cranbrook, Invermere and Nelson on the 8th, 9th and 12th of March respectively.

The district is about to suffer a distinct loss in the departure of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gore, of Athalmer, who shortly leave to take up permanent residence in Nelson, where Mr. Gore enters into commercial life. During their residence here both Mr. and Mrs. Gore have taken an active and leading interest in all matters pertaining to the betterment of the community.

John Manderson, a homesteader from Alberta, who for many winters has been working as a miner in the Paradise mine, passed away recently at the general hospital here and was last week buried at Windermere.

Mrs. Edwin Ede, of Windermere, gave a public bridge function recently at her home in aid of the G.W.V. A. of the district and was enabled to enrich the treasury of the association very considerably. The prize winners were Mrs. C. Crock for the first in the ladies, Mrs. Walter Jones second and Mrs. A. M. Chisholm consolation. Amongst the gentlemen, Frank Stockdale came first, Bert Rutherford second, and C. Crock took the consolation.

Mrs. Arthur Waddington, of Nanaimo is visiting her hister Mrs. W. Howard Cleland of this place.

MOYIE NOTES

The Hard Times dance under the auspices of the Moyie hockey team held on Saturday, Feb. 20th, was largely attended. Miss M. Conrad and Frank Looney won the prizes. A lap supper was served by the boys. Music was given by local talent.

Miss Ida Pearson is spending a while at Kimberley.

Mrs. Sam Roberts of Skookumchuck enjoyed a short visit here with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cumberland.

Constable and Mrs. Sharpe registered at the Cameron house on Friday.

A party from Vancouver viewed the Aurora Mine across the lake this week.

The Central Hotel is under repair.

Mr. Gordon Taylor, Riondell, B.C., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cameron through the week.

Messrs Clifford Oughtred, Al. Ritchie and Mr. Styles, all down from Kimberley, registered at the Cameron House on Thursday.

Jim Diamond said hello to his friends here during train hours on Thursday.

The usual Lenten services were solemnized in St. Peter's Church on Ash Wednesday, February 17th.

Mr. McLeod, an eye specialist from the coast, visited the school and village during the week.

Miss Florence Agland returned to Lumberton on Tuesday last.

For probably the first time in the history of the game in the Kootenays, a number of Moyie fans went by car to attend the hockey game in Cranbrook on Wednesday night of last week.

Miss Sadie Whitehead is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson and family, former citizens of Cranbrook, have taken up residence in Moyie. They will shortly open up a business concern. We wish them the best of good luck.

Master Stanley Roberts has returned to his home in Skookumchuck after several months stay in Moyie.

CRESTON SPORTSMEN FIND PARTRIDGE TOO DESTRUCTIVE

Partly due to an almost prohibitive cost of around $5.00 per bird delivered from the coast to Creston, and numerous complaints as to the damage the birds do to both vegetables and grain crops, the Rod and Gun Club has decided not to secure any more Hungarian pheasants for liberation in the Creston district. This was decided at the February meeting held last week. All available revenue will be used for the planting of wild rice on the Kootenay Flats sloughs with a view to still further improving the duck and geese shooting. The club has decided to incorporate under the laws of British Columbia, and when this is completed stock will be offered for sale to erect the new club house in the village. A three month's option has just been taken on the site.

Grazing Commissioner Here

T. P. McKenzie, grazing commissioner, of Victoria, was in the city last week-end and on Saturday addressed a meeting of the stockmen of the district at the city hall. Speaking on questions relating to the better control of the range. The annual meeting of the Cranbrook and district Stockbreeders' Association **was held the same evening.**

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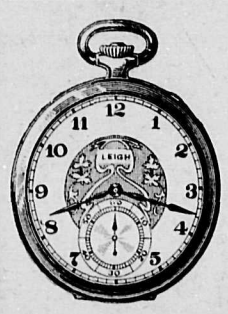

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Cranbrook shareholders of the Carbondale Coal Company held a meeting last Friday evening in the Venezia Hotel, at which they heard statements from Joseph Fontaine, who explained the steps which were being taken to reorganize the company, and by which it is expected it may shortly be put on a producing basis. The capitalization of the company is being reduced, and a new company being formed to take over the existing stock, and this will be incorporated under a dominion charter. Original stockholders have the privilege of exchanging their old stock for common stock in the new concern, and an issue of preferred shares in the new company is being marketed to put the mine at Ardley on a producing basis with the aid of new machinery. Mr. Fontaine has already received some subscriptions for the new issue since his arrival in the city. The company has assets consisting of their plant at the mine, leases, etc., amounting to $275,000 on a conservative basis.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Trainmen will hold a whist drive and dance at the Maple Hall, on Tuesday, March 2nd. Cards, 8-10; dancing 10-2. 52-1

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The city is erecting an implement shed adjoining the present building at the rear of the fire hall, which will be used to house the new road machinery now on order and other city equipment.

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A very enjoyable dance was held by the high school students on Friday evening of last week at the Parish Hall, which in addition to being very largely attended by the students themselves, was also graced by the attendance of a good many of the parents, the teachers, and the majority of the trustees. That the students are thoroughly up-to-date in their dancing taste is evidenced by the fact that there were two Charleston dance numbers on the program, so that now it can be said that Cranbrook is thoroughly up-to-the-minute. Dainty refreshments had been arranged for by the committee of students in such a capable way as to excite much favorable comment. By some this dance has been characterized as the most enjoyable of its kind that has been held in connection with the high school.

At the conclusion of the Greenwood-Kimberley hockey game on Monday evening, the Greenwood team were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ward, where a very pleasant time was spent, music and dancing having their place on the impromptu program, as well as the refreshments which were served. It was the intention of the Kimberley boys to have entertained the visitors from the boundary, but in this commendable intention they were forestalled by others. The visitors expressed themselves in the highest terms of the hospitality shown them, and it is good to know that they left town with pleasant recollections of their week-end in Cranbrook, even if they were not able to take away the right to play in the finals which they naturally coverted.

On Tuesday, March 16th, the ladies of St. Mary's Church will hold a shamrock tea in K. of P. Hall. Cards from 8 to 10 p.m., special prizes. Fee 50c. There will be candy and some home cookery. 52-1

G. W. Smith, editor of the Greenwood Ledge, one of the boundary papers that has a long and interesting history behind it, dating back to the times when Greenwood enjoyed a larger measure of prosperity and importance than at present, was one of the party coming over to Cranbrook with the hockey team that put up a game fight against the huskier Kimberley Intermediates. Mr. Smith was an interested visitor at the Herald office, looking over the plant. Greenwood, some sixty miles from Beaverdell, and connected to it by road, has received some benefit from the mining revival that has been experienced there. The Sally mine at Beaverdell, which it was reported was taken over by outside interests, is again being worked by the local company that brought about the new development there, and a crew of eighteen or twenty men are now working the mine.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Special prices on new Batteries at Service Garage. Phone 34 1tf

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Newton Oakley, of Moyie, on Saturday, February 28th, at the St. Eugene Hospital, a son.

Mr. Ross Carr is making a transformation of the interior of the L.D. Cafe. The interior is being newly decorated from back to front and top and bottom, giving it a very much improved appearance.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Gill, of Kimberley, at the St. Eugene Hospital, on Monday, February 22nd, a son.

Ellen Saunders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Saunders of this city, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. Eugene Hospital on Monday, February 22nd, and is now progressing favorably.

For sales and service Nash and Star cars. See Ratcliffe & Stewart. 33tf

Monday last had some considerable interest to those connected with the Scout movement, being the sixty-ninth birthday of Sir Robert Baden Powell, the famous founder of the Boy Scout movement.

D. M. Macdonald, accountant at the Bank of Commerce, returned to the city on Saturday last, after having been at Kimberley in connection with the opening of the branch of the bank there.

For first class automobile repairs see Ratcliffe & Stewart. 33tf

Mrs. George Storrar left on Thursday of this week for Golden and Revelstoke, where she will visit with friends for a while. It is likely that she will establish her home in one of these two places in the near future, if she can find a suitable house.

The Fernie School Board estimates were laid before the council there at a meeting last year. Their budget this year calls for $39,000, an increase of $4000 over last year's budget, this being due to the surplus at the end of 1925 being $4000 less than at the end of 1924.

On Monday of last week the wedding took place quietly at Christ Church, the rector, Rev. F. V. Harrison officiating, of Mr. Leslie Herchmer, of Kimberley and Marysville, and Miss Ethel Short, formerly of Kaslo, and now of Kimberley. Only the requisite witnesses were in attendance.

A number of cases of petty theft have engaged the attention of the police during the past week, boys young, and not so young, being mixed up in them. The police have been able to sift the cases to the bottom in most of the cases, and the offenders have been called on to make good, and warnings administered which ought to be a deterrent against repetitions of such annoyances—to use a mild term—in the future.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of L.F.E. will hold a Whist Drive and Dance on Friday, March 5th, in the Maple Hall. Admission 50c. Good music, and refreshments will be served. 1-2

Following the hockey game on Monday evening, which carried Kimberley into the finals for the intermediate hockey championship of the province, Mr. Atchison, the secretary of the Kimberley Club, immediately set enquiries on foot by wire to ascertain where the finals are to be played, and what date has been set for the event. Up to the time of writing, this information had not been received.

The spell of soft weather last week-end had its effect on the highways of the district, one of the worst to suffer being the road to Kimberley, particularly between Wycliffe and Marysville, where it is difficult on account of the nature of the soil and the lay of the land, to keep the road in shape when the frost is leaving the ground. Last year it was found necessary to restrict traffic on account of this stretch of road.

For prompt repairs and satisfaction go to Ratcliffe & Stewart's garage. 20tf

Frank Rutley, who recently returned to this city after spending the winter in California, while in Vancouver before returning to this city. saw the late Thomas Caven, and at that time he wa ssuffering from an extremely heavy cold. It is apparent that he fail to shake this off, and it resulted in an atttack of pneumonia, which proved fatal.

Alderman J. H. Cameron returned on Friday evening of last week from Winnipeg, where he had been for two or three weeks on business connected with the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, being one of the representatives from the western lines. He left again on Tuesday of this week for Victoria, to attend meetings of the B.C. Medical Association in connection with the railwaymen's hospital and medical arrangements. He expects to return some time next week.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. George Beets of Wardner, at the St. Eugene Hospital, on Wednesday, February 17th, a son.

THEODORE PADBERG, piano tuner; player expert. Phone 502. 31-tf.

S. G. Blaylock, general manager of the Consolidated Company at Trail returned on Tuesday from a visit of about two or three weeks in the east, and went up to Kimberley that evening, returning the following day, to proceed on his way to Trail.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sleightholm will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Sleightholm is making very satisfactory progress in recuperating after her recent operation at the St. Eugene Hospital, to which institution she will be confined for some time longer.

The management of the Kimberley Junior Hockey team will be pleased to meet any team from Cranbrook, on either Kimberley or Cranbrook ice, at any time, Cranbrook to have the privilege of choosing a referee from Kimberley. This challenge was given out from Kimberley last week.

The Odd Fellows have purchased a double plot in the new addition to the cemetery, the location being in one of the corners, adjoining the road. Their present plot has six of its ten lots occupied, and the new will provide an additional twenty-four lots at the disposal of the Odd Fellows.

W. F. Doran has just received a carload of Beds, Mattresses and Springs which are now on sale. Make your selection of this new assortment early. With his low prices on these lines they will not last long. 40tf.

Candy for that party, at the Pine Tree. 1

Messrs. P. W. Willis and A. B. Longman, of Cranbrook, have purchased the stock of Grady's tailor shop at Kimberley, and are moving the same to the store just below the Chevrolet Garage. On these premises they will conduct a high class cleaning and tailoring business, and their experience qualifies them to give satisfaction to patrons.

For the latest magazines and papers call at the Rex Cafe, near depot. 1tf

Miss Laura Pelton, of the Women's Mission Society, was the speaker at Knox Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening last, and her address was one of inspiration and unusual interest. Miss Pelton is the field secretary of the Presbyterian W.M.S.

Owing to the weather conditions, water coming on the ice at the rink each afternoon when the sun shines, the rink will not be open afternoon or night until further notice. Season ticket holders can, however, have skating in morning between hours 10 to 12, just as long as ice holds up, which is now in very good condition in morning hours. Public School hockey league will have ice between 12 and 1 each day; High School Saturday morning 8 to 10, Public School 10 to 12, until further notice. If skating is on at ngiht, it will be announced on the board at the Post Office.

BLUEBIRDS WON SERIES LAST WEEK; NOT CANUCKS AS STATED

It is always easier to offer excuses than it is to make proper apologies, but so long as there is no hesitancy in doing the latter when proper occasion arises, there ought also to be no hesitancy in accepting the former as an explanation. This goes by way of preliminary in an attempt by The Herald to set itself right for getting somewhat mixed in setting out the report of the final game in the Dr. Green cup hockey game last week, between the Bluebirds and the Canucks. A Herald representative attended the game, and prepared the copy which naturally set the story of the game out correctly. In the course of the many mysterious processes which matter has to undergo after it is written and before it appears in print, this particular article quite evidently received more than its due share of attention, misconceived corrections being made that in reality were mistakes. By the time the article appeared in print, therefore, its sense was different from the way in which it had been written up, but like most other mistakes of a major nature, it was not discovered till the paper had gone too far to allow of correction being made. It was with fear and trembling, therefore, that the hockey girls were met the day following the appearance of last week's paper, though they took very kindly to the apologies which were proffered, along with the offer of an explanation this week, which is given herewith, along with a reiteration of the apologies.

Perhaps it may not be amiss to ask if it is any wonder, when it is considered how many incidents each week pass through a newspaper office, and which have to be dealt with entirely in an impersonal way, that occasionally there is a slip-up, when the limited time in which these have to be treated is considered?

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Elsewhere in this issue will be noted the advertisement of Mr. Robert Gee, expert chimney cleaner. Doubtless many of the careful housewives of Cranbrook will be pleased to learn of this.

Friday evening the Rotary Club was at home to their members and those who assisted them in the recent minstrel show. The affair was indeed a pleasant one. Young as well as the older of the visitors enjoyed themselves very much. The little ones especially will ever hold a soft place in their hearts for Rotary, and will doubtless feel more than well paid for their contribution, many of them having for the first time the pleasure of attending a big affair, and enjoying themselves until one a.m. Dancing was carried on during the evening, and a delightful supper was served to the company just before midnight. It was announced during the evening by Alan Graham that the proceeds from the Rotary Minstrel shows amounted to something over $500 after all expenses had been paid. During the evening the orchestra played some of the Rotary songs, and the echoes of the minstrel show were heard again.

On Thursday evening of last week, in the council chamber of the city hall, about twenty-five representative citizens attended a meeting called by Chairman G. J. Spreull of the Library Board. The meeting was for the purpose of enlisting a more wide-spread sympathy for the affairs of the library, and apparently accomplished its purpose, as through a result of a canvass which was made following this meeting, and on which reports were received on Monday night at the library, showing an addition of about fifty was made to the membership. A number of those reporting, however, were unable to complete their canvass, and when this is done it is expected that many more will be added to the list. When it is known that the library possesses the large number and variety of books it does, there should be little trouble in securing memberships. The canvass for membership and funds will be kept up until the affairs are put on a firm financial basis.

Close upon $100,000 will be spent this year in the Cranbrook district on road work, and it is quite conceivable that this amount will be exceeded if the expenditures which are classed as extra-ordinary are put into effect. In addition to the usual appointment of $50,000 for what is termed ordinary work, special grants have been provided for to permit of a start being made on the new Cranbrook-Kimberley road, considerable work on the road trail route between Moyie and Kingsgate is also allowed for, and two or three bridges in the district are also slated for renewal or repair. Another road, in which Kimberley is particularly interested, may come in for attention another year, in the McGinty Trail, from Kimberley to Wasa, the increasing use this road is receiving being now the subject of representations from the Kimberley Board of Trade to the provincial government. Mr. J. C. Brady, the district engineer, was recently in attendance at the annual conference held by public works officials of the provincial government at Victoria.

Overheard

"Is he a clever man? I should say he is! Why, after his name he's got more degrees than a thermometer!"

WANT ADS.

FOR SALE—$75 Sewing Machine, New Home; as good as new. $30 takes it. Apply to E. Pountney, care Mrs. J. F. Brides, Lumsden Ave. 1

WANTED TO BUY—1½ or 2 H.P. gasoline engine. Wilson's Vulcanizing Works, Cranbrook. 1tf.

FOR SALE—Cottage Piano, in good condition, just tuned—this is a real snap, $85.00. Apply Box W, Cranbrook Herald. 1

FOR SALE — Mellotte Separator, Leg A Model. Used one month; $45.00. J. L. Roberts, Canal Flats. 51 52-1 2.

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