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WHERE BRITISH COLUMBIA EXCELS

It is nearly a quarter of a century ago that the question "What shall we do with the boys?" was raised, and provoked controversy, advice, and opinions in every section of the English press, gradually dying out without reaching any definite point which could be deemed at all satisfactory. Later on came a series of articles with the catching title of "Back to the Land," in which Mr. Rider Haggard and others advocated a rural peasantry and (mainly) spade industry. Undoubtedly a great deal that was written was visionary, although many practical examples were described as the solution of a grave problem. But no writer succeeded in showing how well-educated young men of good family could find congenial occupation in tilling the soil with the limited investment which younger sons are able to make, and which is altogether inadequate to maintain the position to which they have been accustomed. Many a young man of this class has been condemned for loafing, when, after taking his public school or, perhaps, university course, he lounges about all the morning, plays tennis in the afternoon, and seeks boon companions in the evening, gradually drifting into sporting and gambling, instead of settling down into real work which would be the safety-valve for the muscular energy which possesses him, and which rebels at the thought of office routine, musty law books, medical treatises, or Stock Exchange finesse. Of course there is the army and navy and mercantile marine, but these services do not attract every young man, and good outdoor healthy employment in which the well-developed public school man can find congenial occupation, and make an income, has been, and still is, a serious problem alike to the head of the family and his muscular sons.

Back to the land seems to be a natural impulse, and in order to follow it a number of young men take a course of study in agricultural colleges, others graduate in the home or office of an estate manager, agent, or factor, only to be confronted in their early manhood with the utmost difficulty in finding an appointment suited to their tastes and training. To many the solution of the problem seems as far off as ever, or perhaps one imagines that the only one is to be found in the Colonies. But even here the aspirant is confronted with difficulties of a different sort. The Canadian government offer of 160 acres of free land looks tempting enough until it is seen that to secure it the recipient has to go from forty to perhaps a hundred miles back from town or railway. Hundreds of men have done so, enduring all sorts of deprivations for ten or twenty years before the advent of the railway made them prosperous if not wealthy men. What has been done during the last twenty-five years in that way is being done now, and will be done for many years more. At the present time the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad from the Atlantic to the Pacific is opening up a second edition of Canada, and the sturdy sons of toil who go on ahead of the track and make choice of good land and suitable sites will, in all probability, find themselves amply repaid in the near future for present sacrifices of comfort and congenial social intercourse.

But distance from rail, post office, and stores is not the only serious consideration. Climate is a most important one. It is a well known fact that whenever an expedition to the North Pole is fitting out a far larger number of men volunteer for service than are required. The excitement of travel and adventure is the natural cause, and at the most the hardships will only last a year or two. But the call for volunteers to make a lifelong residence in the Arctic circle, and earn one's living there would hardly find an enthusiastic response. Hence it is necessary to make choice of a district where the climatic conditions permit of pleasurable occupation instead of a hard battle with the elements, or rather in face of the elements, in doing the inevitable daily routine during a long and severe winter. The development of the prairie provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have proved in a marvelous way their wheat-producing capabilities, and undoubtedly the climate is dry and invigorating; but after the winter has gone very late spring frosts are so prevalent and the autumn frosts set in so early that the jeopardy of damage to the crops is very great, and can only be avoided by the greatest exertion in saving the harvest. Large areas of wheat land are being brought under cultivation every year, and so fertile is the soil that manure as we know it in England is unnecessary for a long time. Nevertheless the older lands are suffering considerably in this respect, and mixed farming, which, of course, entails the breeding of cattle, horses, hogs, and sheep, and so providing food for the exhausted soil, is strongly urged by the authorities of all the Government experimental farms.

This is as it should be, but the possession of domestic animals tends to make the farmer's lot a very hard one in the winter. Distance from timber and lumber mills makes building materials very dear, consequently hay must be brought from the stack, water must be pumped and the animals, reluctant to face the weather, must be forced out into the yard to drink, hardly getting to the trough before the frost has coated it with thick ice again. Of course these blizzards are not of everyday occurrence, but low temperatures are and most of the everyday work is done under very trying conditions.

The question naturally arises, Is all Canada like that? The answer is an emphatic negative, for in British Columbia exist such climatic conditions that outdoor work can be performed and long journeys can be taken without the slightest inconvenience all the year round. In a province comprising 395,000 square miles—about six times the size of the United Kingdom—it will be readily understood that there must be considerable variety in the matter of weather. The existence of mountains and valleys would ensure that—indeed altitude plays a very important part in this respect, and should never be lost sight of—but roughly speaking the area has three well-marked climatic divisions. The eastern part, which includes the Rocky and Selkirk mountains and many valleys extending westward some 365 miles as far as and including the Great Shuswap lake, has a heavy snowfall in winter, and ample rainfall in summer, interspersed with days of bright sunshine and bracing air. The western slope of the province, converging on the Pacific, and extending nearly 200 miles eastwards towards the interior, has a very mild climate in winter, snow and frost being the exception, though here the rainfall is decidedly heavy all the year round. For temperature it might well be compared to Devenshire, the Government bulletin giving the maximum as 86, minimum 6, and the annual rainfall 64 inches. Thus it can be seen that the conditions are decidedly soft and humid.

The central interior has a very unique characteristic. Situate in the center of the province, and facing the confluence of the North and South Thompsons, in the City of Kamloops, and for a radius of fifty miles the district is known as the Kamloops dry belt. Here the rainfall is only 9½ inches, the snowfall 37 inches, maximum temperature 96 degrees, minimum 10 below zero. July and August are the hot months, December and January the cold ones, while the remainder are ideal for all kinds of outdoor employment. Nor is this all; the air is always dry and invigorating, fatigue and lassitude are practically unknown, as even in the hottest weather the evenings are cool and refreshing. Sleep under a blanket can be counted upon every night, except perhaps where through faulty construction houses hold the heat unduly, in which case a mattress under the verandah or under the canopy of heaven is most enjoyable. In this connection it may be noted that the Provincial medical officers have chosen the Kamloops dry belt to the exclusion of all others, and a large sanatorium is being built in which the open-air treatment of consumption will be demonstrated under conditions hardly found elsewhere in the world.

A good many people take exception to the winter temperature, and ask what pleasure there can be in ten degrees below zero, and find but little comfort in being told that on the prairies they must face 30 below, 40 below and at times 50 below zero. But the crux of the matter lies in this solid fact that when low temperatures prevail in British Columbia there is absolutely no wind, and a blizzard is practically unknown except in the mountain passes far above what may be termed the habitable line. Perhaps the state of things may be more readily understood when the writer states that his clothing is exactly the same in this particular district as he always wore in the south of England, and that zero weather does not necessitate the wearing of an overcoat except when driving. Then, of course, it is wise to wrap up well. Otherwise there is no need for extra clothing, and all outdoor work, such as constructing farm buildings, fencing, logging, etc., is done in shirt sleeves. Moreover, it is hardly ever necessary to keep a man indoors or a horse in the stable through stress of weather. To sum the matter up, the province of British Columbia offers the intending settler a choice of at least three climates, all of which are good and enjoyable, the central district presenting, as has already been shown, characteristics which may be described as ideal for an every-day outdoor life.

In considering the effect of climate upon agriculture, fruit-growing, and stock-raising, it is necessary to understand the physical features of British Columbia. For years it was known as "a sea of mountains"; then "an ocean of forests" was added as a descriptive epithet, and so far these descriptions were not bad ones except that they failed to intimate the existence of the wonderfully fertile valleys which intersect the mountain ranges in every direction, and overlooked the fact that wherever the timber is cleared soil of the finest and most fertile description is laid bare. The Canadian Pacific railway enters British Columbia on the summit of the Rocky Mountains, reaching the pretty little town of Golden, at the foot of the western slope. Thence for a couple of hours it traverses a valley side by side with the Columbia river, which it parts company with by turning sharply to the left, and plunging into the Selkirks, where all the marvelous experience of mountain peaks and passes commences over again. At Revelstoke (140 miles from the eastern boundary) the line, which has been cutting the mountain ranges transversely, continues its westward course by skirting the shores of lakes or following the sinuous course of a river, sometimes almost on the level of the water, at other times hundreds of feet above it, the track clinging to the mountain side like a shelf hanging on the kitchen wall, and with but little more visible means of support.

The grandeur of the Rocky Mountain scenery has been the theme of many gifted writers, but it is not generally known that British Columbia "is that all over," and one has to travel the country on foot or horseback in order to appreciate the seemingly endless succession of valleys, mountains, lakes, rivers and forests.

After skirting the Great Shuswap lake the railway enters the valley of the South Thompson river—the lake's western outlet—which it follows for some miles to Lytton, where it joins the Fraser. Forty miles from Shuswap it is joined by the North Thompson, which comes down from the northern interior some 300 miles, the confluence giving name to the city on the opposite shore, Kamloops being Indian for "meeting of the waters."

This spot is as nearly as possible the center of the province. The South river flows from east to west some 150 miles. The North river forms, with its valley, the natural central gateway into that vast region which is to be traversed by the Grand Trunk railway, now in process of construction. The banks of these rivers are clean cut, and there is no marsh land. On each side is a range of mountains, nowhere rising above the timber limit, not precipitous, but for the most part rising in terraces; the soil of the bottom land is alluvial, and it is difficult to find a stone in a mile of it. Consequently it is ideal for fruit and vegetable growing. The higher land is heavier and is more fit for mixed farming than growing fruit in commercial quantities, although there are notable exceptions to this rule. The ravines and higher slopes of the mountains will ever remain open range for cattle, the "bunch" grass on the open spaces being the finest pasture for stock, while the timber, grass and sage brush provide the winter rations. In the mountains are many lakes fed by the melting snows of the higher ranges; these are the natural homes of wild fowl, and the outlet is usually a more or less turbulent "creek" finding its way to the larger rivers. These creeks are generally the centres of smaller valleys with the very best agricultural possibilities, and many of them contain communities of some magnitude.

(To be concluded in our next.)

OTHERS RID OF THE WHITE SLAVE. WHY NOT CRANBROOK?

Dear Mr. Editor:—

With your kind permission I should like to follow up what has recently been said and done in the interests of the social purity problem. Concerning this, I'll venture, Mr. Editor, there is not a disinterested man or woman, boy or girl, in Cranbrook; and the last persons to keep silent on the question should be those of the pulpit and the press. No minister of the Sun of Righteousness would pose as "the custodian of the morals of the people." Nor is there an editor who would hold himself up as such. Yet none, you will agree with me, wield a mightier influence in the safe custodianship of the moral conduct and good citizenship of our great country.

Both the pulpit and the press are more than mere reflectors of the moral thought and status of the people whom they serve. Canadian people demand that they be more. The incoming thousands of Europeans, many of them with low moral ideals stamped upon their mind, with moral sense debased, with daggers in their boots, too, as well as many others of nobler purpose and patriotic spirit, demand that we hold the standard high. Our country's security from physical and moral corruption and disease, as well as from strikes and lockouts and riots, and degeneration, demands it. For either the pulpit or the press to so far fall down as to connive at either political or social corruption, is to be recreant to a most sacred trust. For this they must answer, as the American "Yellow Journalists" and bunkum pulpiteers are already answering to their sorrow.

The laws of our great and growing nationhood are founded upon principles that have ever been at the foundation of powerful, stable, lasting national life. We must stand by these laws. We must hold them forth. The people have a right to know them, especially laws in relation to the family and the home, and the community. The nations, and their leaders of thought, who have disregarded such laws have gone into the grave—"passed into history,"—perished with a name not to their best credit. Others, like them, of our day are fast going the same sad, miserable road. Let us neither be blind to these facts, nor shortsighted.

If the recent hot protest by a Telugu prince and leader of a large section of his heathen community in India, has been sounded out against the native temple dancing girls, who are the "restricted" professionals of that debased land, how can the people of a Christian community keep silent in the presence of this same disease-breeding, suicidal element? Happily our citizens have spoken in a strongly-worded, largely signed petition to the police authorities against tolerating this shameful white slave business. This is significant. Our municipal authorities have also clearly expressed themselves against this fell business in our fair city.

But it is not enough that our citizens and our authorities should speak only. Something must be done, or Cranbrook will certainly fall back, robbed of her rightful share of that industrious, productive, home-making, stable, self-respecting class of citizens now flowing into this great Western province by the thousands. Besides, this evil re-acts in a most subtle and baneful way upon our rising generation. Thoughtful fathers and mothers are noting this. And not only the moral but the physical disease resulting from the presence of this fell business in our community is most ominous.

Further, the presence of such houses in Cranbrook means a distinct loss to our business interests. Real estate is depreciated by investors who always count for growth and stability. Thousands of dollars that ought to be, and certainly would be invested in properties, homes, families, productive interests in the absence of this quick-sand district, are spent in riotous living and in debauchery. Money that ought to be floating for the benefit of the many, creating larger trade for our merchants and lower prices for our people, finds its way into the hands of the few who have little or no interest in the prosperity of the community outside of their own pockets.

Still further, and not the least important consideration, by far, Mr. Editor, is the fact, easily proved, that the presence of these "houses" in Cranbrook stamps our city with an "ill-fame" the province over, and farther. There is no question as to this. And we cannot afford to ignore it any longer. The indifference apparent, whether real or not, of those who are charged with the stamping out of this crime is a matter of remark and surprise from Vancouver to Calgary.

The crisis is a real one. To ignore it because it is a problem, is a fatal mistake. The great majority of our Canadian towns and cities have faced this question, and faced it successfully. Why not Cranbrook? We have the same law in the west as in the east that makes criminal and punishable with both fine and imprisonment both the people and the patrons of such dives. Our Cranbrook police authorities have successfully coped with other evils. Why not this one?

We have another, the liquor license law, which if enforced to any degree, instead of as a mere revenue fee (!), would quickly destroy the most effective trap in the business. If our country's laws allow a certain few to sell liquor on the payment of a special tax, and forbids all others to sell, why not protect the license holder? What does the license holder himself think of this proposition?

I wish no ill, but only the very best for every one. It would be despicable in me to keep silence against a business that very soon robs those in it, as well as those of its guilty and innocent victims; of all that is worth living for. Authorities tell us that the average career of this class of unfortunates is from three to four years, and that their "passing" from this life is an awful one.

We must, it seems to me, Mr. Editor, guard against a fatal mock-modesty in relation to this matter. It is fatal in more than one direction, as statistics clearly show.

Thanking you sincerely for your valuable space,

I am, yours faithfully,

C. W. King.

A GREAT BASEBALL MATCH

It can now be announced that a final test of the baseball teams of Cranbrook and Moyie will be seen here on Tuesday and Wednesday next, the 14th and 15th instants, during the fruit fair and race meeting. The teams have met several times during the season and the margin of wins in favor of one or the other is sufficiently small to render this closing struggle for supremacy one that is bound to attract every man or woman in Cranbrook and Moyie who takes the slightest interest in either the game or in the friendly rivalry of the two cities. The Lady of the Lake is a fine and plucky little aggregation of fine fellows, but they have by good organization or a better love of the game succeeded, so far, in having the better of Cranbrook. It is a mathematical impossibility that the lesser can contain the greater, but the fact is that so far the lesser has, at any rate, held down the greater.

Now if it were permitted, the bird that wears the wings of hyperbole would spring into the air and tell the things that Cranbrook was going to do. Like many an ambitious aeroplane it might come to the ground with a defect in its engines. Better to say that E. H. Small has now made arrangements whereby the two teams will meet for a prize of $100 each game to the winning nine.

It will be a battle of as good class ball players as have been seen in any of the professional teams who figure so largely in the press of the Coast or Spokane, or Seattle—which latter city is now reputed to be the one with the mit in the North Western League.

George Leitch, who admits that talk is not alone cheap, but pleasant at times, states that he is ready to contribute according to his feelings to any fund that may be necessary for the object of enabling Cranbrook to score a win from the horde who are headed, and headed in a right gentlemanly way, by that terrible man, E. O. Kamm, of Moyie, who wafts to himself, by wireless telegraphy and, possibly other devices demon ball players from Spokane and other places in the abode of the infidels.

Play ball!

CHOIR CONVERSAZIONE.

After the practice on Friday night the Methodist choir will hold a conversazione at the parsonage. All members are requested to be present, and to bring a friend with them. At the last business meeting of the choir general regret was expressed at Miss Connolly's retirement from the leadership on account of her approaching wedding. A very hearty vote of appreciation was recorded on the minute book of her services to the choir, and many expressions of good will for her future happiness and prosperity were expressed. Mr. Ralph Racklyeft will take the position of leader on the 24th inst.

RESULTS OF CRANBROOK LAWN TENNIS CLUB TOURNAMENT TO SATURDAY, SEPT. 4TH.

Ladies singles—Won by Miss Stewart, who beat Miss Peterson. First prize a handsome buckle, presented by Mrs. R. T. Brymner.

Gent's singles—Unfinished—Lies between H. G. Garrett and T. Wallinger, H. G. Garrett having won the first set.

Mixed doubles—Won by Mrs. Hoskins and C. B. Garrett, who defeated Mrs. Nelson and R. T. Brymner in final.

Men's doubles—Won by W. F. Gurd who beat C. H. Allison and H. Smith, and annexed a handsome pair of cups, presented by R. T. Brymner.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Joseph Wilson, of Creston, desires to thank all her friends in Cranbrook for their kind sympathy and help in her deep bereavement on account of the death of her husband, Joseph Wilson.

Get your lunch at the Ladies Aid booth on the fair grounds.

THE FRUIT FAIR AND RACE MEETING

EVERYTHING POINTS TO A MOST SUCCESSFUL CARNIVAL OF INSTRUCTION AND AMUSEMENT.

THE C.P.R. OFFERS SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS—BIG ENTRIES IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

The fruit fair and race meeting to be held here on Tuesday and Wednesday next, the 14th and 15th instants, will mark an occasion wholly unprecedented in the annals of Cranbrook and its most progressive vicinity. Success is assured, not alone by the number of entries already registered with the secretary, Dr. Rutledge. It has always been remarked that in localities where fruit fairs and such like affairs are new, or even comparatively new, those who have the most earnest desire to exhibit hang on until the very last moment to make their entries. This is the case with us, and more is the pity. A greater inclination is shown to write and enquire with whom the entry is to be made than to make the actual entry and have done with it. Large, certainly, the actual entry is in fruit, vegetables, horses, cattle and so on, but the injustice of it is that all the strain will fall in a day or so on the shoulders of an overworked secretary and his staff. The Creston people have applied already for a frontage of thirty feet, with power reserved to get more if necessary. That is the way to do business.

If only half of the promises of entries be realized the fruit fair will be a wonder. In class 1, for heavy draft horses, the entry embraces some of the most notable teams from all the leading lumber companies in the district. In class 4, for thoroughbreds, Capt. Thorold, of Windermere, will exhibit a stallion bred in Australia, of the famous Carbine stock, which gives to the English turf its most notable stayers. By a "stayer" is meant a horse whose distance at racing speed is from a mile and a half to two miles and a quarter. Such distances make the so-called sprints in this country look like donkey racing. In carriage horses we may look for a fine display. In this class it is said that Calgary will show an exhibit of special merit. The race meeting will be representative of the best horses, both running and trotting, on the Western circuit. Already there are some ten or a dozen horses in training on the ground, and this (Wednesday) evening six more are coming in. Amongst the owners now in the city and staying at the Cranbrook hotel are Mr. R. Dooley, of Macleod, Alberta, with that beautiful young pacer, Pathfinder, in his string of three. Mr. Vance, of Lethbridge, is also here with Mr. Thomas Ireland from Calgary. Quite a few horses are coming over from Olds, Alta., Claresholm and Calgary. Pincher Creek is still to be heard from, but that burgh never failed where it was a question of a bit of sport.

The nonpariel, John L. Sullivan, writing from Chicago, offered to put up his world-defying hands and history creating wallopers of fists for a "consideration." Possibly he asked all the gate receipts and sixty per cent of anything else in sight. At any rate, the executive failed to close the bargain. We must do without John the best way we can. John may be a bit of a firework just now, but we shall have the real, old, red, white and blue fire from rockets and other high speed navigators of the air. Also a few hot air ascensions by prominent citizens. A certain rancher has so inflated a hog of his with food that he swears it is now necessary to whale the animal with a whip to find out what end of him, her or it, its head is at. That hog is a sure winner if it can only be got on its feet.

The C.P.R. is offering return fares over all parts of its system at a fare and a third available for a month. Tickets issued under the terms of this late order can be used on any trains whatever running over the C.P.R.

If there was any real fun in being dead, people would not make such a to-do about dying. The point of that observation is that the best thing we can do is to have a spice of recreation while we are here. Then let us all resolve and make proper declaration that we and each of us shall have the time of our lives on Tuesday and Wednesday next. A fine philosopher, living in the Old Country, once determined to have a day's sport "that would bate the world." He started out to shoot but shot nothing. Afterwards he fell in a river and was half drowned, lost his gun—but never lost his temper. "'Twas the great day's fun all right," said he. "Didn't I have to swim for me life? An' 'tis the fine exercise it was." That is the spirit.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.

Cranbrook Baptist church, Charles W. King, minister, residence, Norbury avenue, Baker Hill, 'phone 284. Sunday public worship, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., Bible school with Young Ladies' Philathea and Young Men's Baraca classes, 3 p.m.

Mid-week meeting for prayer and praise, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

Young Peoples' meeting, Friday 8 p.m. Strangers always welcomed.

BAPTISMS.

At Kimberley, by Revs. W. L. Hall, B.A., and R. Hughes, Margaret Miriam Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carter.

At the Methodist church, Cranbrook, Florence May and Robert Desmond, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Askey, of this city.

Also Harry Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cassidy, of Cranbrook.

At the family residence, Cranbrook, Margaret Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Logan.

LABOR DAY AT CRESTON

CRANBROOK DEFEATED AT BASEBALL—BRECHIN SCORES SIX FIRSTS.

Sharp on time the special train for the Creston celebration pulled out on the morning of Labor Day crowded with a rare selection of the youth and beauty, as well as the brawn and sinew of Cranbrook. The crowd filled the two coaches provided and overflowed into an old freight caboose at the tail end. At Moyie the pack became something oppressive, but good humor made amends for scant accommodation. Along about eleven in the forenoon Creston was reached. The center of the fruit empire was dozing in the heat that fairly palpitated from the hillside and that hillside had dust on it six inches deep. It is beautiful dust and rises easily. Much any one cared. They had come for fun and were there to take their share of all that was in sight.

Down in those wonderful meadows that reach away six or seven miles west from Creston—over to the Kootenay river and away beyond it—were mile long cuts of the mowing machines harvesting the crop that had sprung up almost within the past month since the high water receded. Through those meadows are many small clumps of willows and cotton woods, affording shade. Towards one of those clumps the crowd began to tend and pulled up where a monster picnic appeared to be in progress. Gipsy fires were lit all over the place and all manner of things were cooking. Never a rancher for ten miles round but had his democrat and his wife down to the show kid in the family on the ground to see the fun. The Cranbrook band gave it a real touch of circus day, so that the marriage bells that went so merrily weren't in it for a moment by comparison. Every laddie had his lassie, and by the same token, every lassie had her laddie, and a few of them had two or more. What more would you have at a picnic, or a ball, or a celebration?

The racing and sports generally were conducted under a sun that fairly broiled one alive. It was said that this was the humid heat that made things grow. It tended, too, to make fat men grow slight and beautifully less.

Cranbrook was walloped at baseball by the Moyie sluggers. It appeared to begin with the first time the Moyie chaps came to bat and never let up until the end came with defeat for our lads to the tune of eight for Moyie to their couple of runs. Tomorrow or after our boys would wallop the heads off the same aggregation, so what's the good of growling? Jimmy Brechin made up for the baseball defeat by winning six firsts in the athletic contests. He won the 100 yards, running broad jump, standing high jump, 220 yards flat, standing broad jump and hop, step and jump. If they had any more things of the same in stock he would have gone away with them.

Young Smoke, of our town, won the half mile dash on Dexter, beating a very fair field of local horses.

A son-of-a-gun of a Siwash nailed the greasy pig after a few of the Cranbrook heavyweights nearly annihilating themselves in the wild pursuit of the oleaginous porker. He was a razor back, anyhow, so let him go.

A very capital demonstration of the fruit growing abilities of Creston was afforded by an exhibit of apples, plums and vegetables shown on the lawn of the Creston hotel. The boxes of Yellow Transparent and Duchess of Oldenburg apples attracted the attention of all the visitors and later on in the evening put up for sale by auction and bought outright by the Cranbrook division. Before the train started for home, Mr. Reil, the prominent real estate seller of Creston, very thoughtfully came along and distributed several boxes of the finest varieties of apples amongst the visitors. The way the compliment was rendered was as kind as it was practical in every sense of the term.

A very special word of thanks must also be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Mallandaine for the hospitality they extended to many of the weary pleasure seekers in their elegant villa which proved an oasis of coolness in a world of swelter.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CRANBROOK

CIVIC HOLIDAYS.

In compliance with a request of the Cranbrook Agricultural Society I hereby declare a Civic Holiday on Tuesday and Wednesday next, September 14th and 15th, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 6 p. m. on each date.

J. P. Fink,
Mayor.

REFRESHMENT BOOTH AT THE FAIR.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will serve refreshments on the fair grounds by kind permission of the committee and management. This will greatly add to the convenience of coffee, lemonade, ice cream and fruit the general public. Light lunch, coffee, lemonade, ice cream and fruit will be sold at moderate prices. 25-1

MASS MEETING ON THE 17th

A mass meeting of the citizens of Cranbrook and district will be held on Friday next, the 17th of September, in the Baptist church, when Mr. T. Albert Moore, field secretary of the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance, will deliver his popular and stirring address. Other prominent citizens will occupy the platform. A good programme, including a number of selections of vocal music, etc., is being arranged.

Get your lunch at the Ladies Aid booth on the fair grounds.

Something interesting at our store next week.—Campbell & Manning.

WARNING TO JUVENILE OFFENDERS

Petty thievery of the most exasperating character has been rampant for some time amongst us. There were plenty of reasons for suspicion against a number of lads who seem to have burst away from all parental control, but suspicion is far from being proof. On the evening of last Saturday, however, four juveniles, aged respectively, 14, 13, 12 and 11 were found with a lighted candle and well supplied with matches in the big warehouse of G. T. Rogers, back of his residence. They had broken in, or opened in some way, a ventilating scuttle over the main door. One of the smaller lads was then lifted up and dropping inside opened the door for the others. They had not been there long until, by mere accident, they were found by the man in charge. He shut them in and called up the police. The arrest was effected by Constable McLean, who locked the boys up in the police cells.

The case came before the police magistrate on Tuesday, the charge against the boys being burglary. On being charged the boys admitted their offence, and also their complicity in quite a number of other stealings about the city. The eldest lad was evidently the leader of this gang of young desperadoes and could not contradict the statement made that he had induced the others into many of the offences. Indeed, he admitted it.

The two younger children were handed over to their parents to be duly corrected and taught better ways through the medium of a strap. To the parents of the two elder lads the magistrate administered a terrible rebuke in the most scathing language he could command—and that is saying a deal. He then found the boys guilty of the offence, and it being the first slip proved against them, he released them on the bonds of their parents in the sum of $250 to bring them up for sentence at any time the police authorities find them lapsing into the ways of thievery or other serious misconduct.

Mr. G. T. Rogers appeared before the court and, though his valuable premises were exposed to the most serious risk, made a very strong plea for mercy for the boys, whom he asked not to have branded with the infamy of the jail or the reformatory. His address had the desired effect, and to his interference, to a great extent, the parents may attribute the fact that they have their boys with them this moment.

The police authorities are determined to bring to task every one of the gangs of young toughs with which the city appears to be infested. They are known and their parents are known. It is to be hoped that this matter will serve as a warning, or a hint, of the medicine that will be dealt out to the next batch of youngsters, or their parents, who come before the police magistrate.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

The "Old Man" of the Herald and Mrs. Simpson, accompanied by David Watson, left on Tuesday to attend the convention of the Alberta and Eastern British Columbia Press association at Edmonton, Alta.

J. C. Patmore, of Patmore Bros., goes to Lethbridge this week to commence work on the plumbing of the new hotel at the Royal Collieries there. They also have the contract for the steam heating.

Mrs. E. D. Johnston and daughter returned on Friday from a visit to friends in Toronto and Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston, of Acton, Ont., parents of Miss M. Johnston, returned with them and expect to remain in Cranbrook for a few weeks.

Don't forget the auction sale of five acre fruit tracts on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, September 14th and 15th, at 8 p.m. First door west of Imperial Bank of Canada, Hanson avenue. W. L. Wilson, auctioneer. This is a chance to get in on the ground floor.

Visitors to Cranbrook have many words of praise to say of the fine window displays in this city. It is an acknowledged fact that Cranbrook merchants have some of the finest window displays that can be seen in any town in the interior of British Columbia.

Ladies, your special attention! Don't fail to call and see Mrs. Birbeck at the Pure Food demonstration at Campbell & Manning's.

Owing to the serious illness of the eldest son of Bandmaster F. E. Corrison the Sunday concert that had been advertised was postponed and Mr. Corrison was unable to accompany the band to Creston on Monday. B. H. Short officiated as leader for the day.

Get your lunch at the Ladies Aid booth on the fair grounds.

George Manahan, C.P.R. conductor and Miss Evans, sister of Mrs. Manahan, of the Electric Light company's staff, returned from the Seattle exposition and coast points on Friday. Mrs. Manahan has extended her trip to California for a while.

J. D. McBride, accompanied by Ted Watts, Frank Parks, D. J. McSweyn and R. Moore made a trip to Bull River on Monday in Mr. McBride's automobile. They returned by freight train from Wardner the same evening.

The remainder of the household goods of D. B. Dulmage have been removed to the store in the rear of the Imperial Bank of Canada on Hanson avenue and will be offered for sale at public auction on Monday, September 13th, at 2 p.m. W. L. Wilson, auctioneer. 25

Free demonstration of Gold Standard Pure Food produce, from September 3rd to 11th, at Campbell & Manning's.

Mrs. W. J. Atchison met with a serious accident last Sunday out at their fruit ranch. In attempting to catch a horse that was crossing the creek, Mrs. Atchison stepped on a stone and twisted her ankle and tore the ligaments loose, and was taken to the hospital on Tuesday for treatment.

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A GREAT ATTRACTION

Mabel Day, the prima donna soprano of the San Francisco Opera company, is rather remarkable in that she is as thorough a musician as she is an exellent singer. Miss Day has not only made an extensive study of the theoretical side of music but has also studied the piano and violin to such purpose that it was doubtful at one time whether she should develop her playing or singing. Fortunately for her vocal work, she decided to subordinate her theoretical and instrumental talents, and as a result displays a musical intelligence and breadth in her singing which can only come from a thorough musical education. Miss Day has been a pupil of Vannucini, of Florence, Italy, and the celebrated Madame Marchesi, graduating from the instruction of the latter to take her place as a concert and oratorio singer of more than average merit. It was at the solicitation of Frances Wilson, the famous comedian, that Miss Day took up stage work, entering the chorus of the Casino and in the opera "Erminie" during the big revival of that work. Though as yet a young singer, Miss Day possesses an equipment that stands her in good stead. She has at her command French, German, English and Italian, the three former of which she also speaks fluently. Her ability to read at sight and her readiness to undertake difficult parts at short notice are accomplishments which have won much attention for her. Especially excellent is Miss Day's enunciation, for she has made a deep study of that fault of so many singers. Her voice has a bell-like clearness of great carrying power and is capable of filling the largest houses. Miss Day's repertoire consists of over two hundred and fifty musical numbers, comic operas, light and grand operas, oratorios and masses. The management of the San Francisco Opera company is to be congratulated upon having such excellent artist as Miss Day to head their vocal department.

This attraction will appear in Cranbrook on October 12th.

A LAND OF PLENTY

(From C.P.R. Pamphlet.)

As an illustration of the fertility of the soil and mildness of climate, it may be mentioned that strawberries, raspberries, currants and gooseberries are indigenous, growing in profusion in the hills and bench lands. Cultivated strawberries, seven to the pound, are not uncommon near Cranbrook, where this fruit readily retails. Apples, pears, plums, damsons, prunes, cherries and all the small fruits grow to perfection. Peaches of good quality are grown near Creston and further west, but their culture has not been urged in other sections, the altitude of other parts of the valley being thought too high for this delicious fruit.

The local consumption of fruit takes up a great quantity of what is grown by the producers, but the export industry is growing apace. In 1904 the Dominion Express company carried 2,221 packages of berries from Kootenay river points; in 1908 their carriage from the same part had increased to 3,608 packages, equal to 12 tons. Of this latter quantity, 885 packages, or 13 tons, came from Creston. For the year 1909 this output is being greatly increased, and new and up-to-date facilities for conveying fruit to the prairie markets are being introduced by this great carrier.

The best criterion from which to judge the merits of a country, in the absence of personal observation, is the unsolicited testimony of resident agriculturists as to their actual experiences.

Mr. William Hamilton, a practical farmer and pioneer of East Kootenay, settled near Cranbrook in 1898, and, as he says, proceeded to "ask the ground what it could produce." His operations were largely experimental, as he was a stranger in a strange land, but they proved successful from the beginning. Although a firm believer in the benefits of irrigation, he has so far depended upon the rainfall with most satisfactory results. He has grown wonderful crops of cherries, plums, prunes, apples, pears and strawberries, and other small fruits. He has raised parsnips two feet long, potatoes, carrots, turnips, cabbages, onions, and all the other garden vegetables, of abnormal size and remarkable for the great weight of the crop. Three pounds of seed potatoes produced 68 pounds, and from 60 pounds of Early Thoroughbreds he marketed 1,500 pounds. His success with cattle, horses and poultry is quite as satisfactory. The stock requires feeding and shelter during December, January and February, running at large and doing for themselves for the other nine months of the year. His poultry pays well, eggs selling at an average of fifty cents a dozen, and chickens 18 to 20 cents a pound, live weight. His farm of 179 acres has been gradually cleared of the heavy timber, the large trees being taken by the lumber companies, while the smaller ones were made into cordwood. A few trees and stumps remain, but they do not interfere with the work of the farm. Fruit trees do well among the stumps, for the same dry, warm soil which nourished the big pines and larches grows fruit trees equally well.

Mr. J. M. Derr has four acres of bottom land on St. Joseph's Creek, south of Cranbrook. He favors small farming for men of limited means, and declares that ten acres of garden will pay better than a ranch of 300 acres, and is much more easily managed, besides requiring very little capital. He has three and one-half acres under cultivation. Off ninetenths of an acre he raised twelve tons of first-class potatoes in 1905. An acre and a half of cabbages yielded the enormous quantity of 15 tons, which sold for eight cents per pound. He also raised five tons of carrots from a quarter acre. Mr. Derr's profit for 1905, after retaining all the vegetables required for his own use, was $800, equal to over $200 per acre.

Mr. R. Lounsbury, who has four acres of bottom land on St. Joseph's Creek, started with five cows and $200 cash. He sells milk in Cranbrook at eight to ten cents per quart. His stock has greatly increased since then, and he derives an income of $3,000 a year. He supplements his dairy business by raising a few hogs, which sell readily at ten cents a pound live weight.

CHURCH COLUMN

METHODIST CHURCH.

September 12th.

Morning service at 11.

Sunday School and Bible classes at 3.

Epworth League prayer meeting at 7.

Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The Message of the Stars."

All who attend no other place of worship are very cordially invited to be present. "A Sabbath well spent brings a week of content." Whatever views one may have concerning religion, it is a fact that cannot be gainsaid that the people and the nations who have failed to respect the Day of Rest are conspicuous by failure and decay. Many a young man has commenced a downward course by spending the day in the pool room or the saloon. We cordially invite non-church goers to attend these services next Sunday.

Tuesday—Eoworth League meeting at 8. A paper will be read by Mr. Lower on "The Duration of Future Punishment."

Thursday—Prayer service at 8.

Friday—Choir practice at 8.

The Harvest Festival of the church will be held on Sunday, September 19th.

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES.

A retreat preparatory to the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the opening of St. Mary's Catholic church at Cranbrook is now being preached by Rev. Father Joseph Offergell, of the Jesuit Fathers, of Portland, Oregon. The exercises are well attended and a big crowd is expected on Sunday night for the closing of the retreat.

It is ten years since Father N. Ouellette, who organized the parish, celebrated the first mass in the church of St. Mary. Since that time the number of parishioners have grown steadily, and the present pastor, Father L. Choinel, is earnestly endeavoring to follow the lines that have been so well defined by his predecessor in office.

Rev. Father L. Choinel, pastor of St. Mary's church, returned on Tuesday evening from his trip to the Pacific coast, where he has been attending the retreat in connection with the Catholic church.

Rev. Father L. Fouquet, the veteran priest who in 1874 found the St. Eugene Mission, accompanied Rev. Father Choinel to Cranbrook. Father Fouquet will for a while reside at the Mission, where he will take the place of Reverend Father J. Wagner, who is now at Mission City.

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News of the District

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CRESTON

(From the Creston Review.)

Jack McPeak and Tom Cole had an ideal day's fishing last Sunday, near Polson's sawmill, having caught a fine string of beauties.

Misses Jeannie and Florence B. Johnson, sisters of J. K. Johnson, manager of the Review, arrived from Prince Rupert on Sunday and will keep house for their brother, who has taken the Attridge house on Victoria avenue.

J. H. Schofield, M.P.P., and Harry Wright, government agent, were among the many visitors to Creston this week.

Editor Smyth, of the Moyie Leader, was amongst the prominent visitors to Creston on Wednesday last. He came with a number of others from Moyie to attend the funeral of the late Joe Wilson, who was an old friend of his. The genial editor is most optimistic over the future of the various towns along the Crows Nest extension.

At C. Merrill's barber shop there is on exhibition a very fine specimen of a bald-headed eagle. This bird was shot by Mr. Merrill himself last winter, and measures eight and a half feet from tip to tip, being the largest specimen of its kind yet captured in these parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Atherton, of Calgary, have this week been paying a visit to their son, J. J. Atherton. During their stay in Creston they visited many of the ranches and were most favorably impressed with the charms of the district.

During the recent visit to Creston of Editor Symth, of the Moyie Leader, it is stated that he asked for an escort to pilot him about the metropolis, as being accustomed to a purely rural life it was not an easy matter for him to find his way about here.

Mrs. G. Mead will leave on Saturday for Toronto, and along with Mrs. Fred. Malone and family will return to Creston about the end of September.

ELKO

(From our own correspondent)

The death occurred at the St. Eugene hospital, Cranbrook, on Wednesday evening at 5.40 of Mrs. H. McDougal, aged 52 years. The late Mrs. McDougal was well known throughout this district and her death was a great shock to her numerous friends. The funeral was held on Friday at 2 p.m. from the undertaking parlors of W. R. Beatty and was attended by many of her bereaved friends from Elko. She leaves two sons and two daughters, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad loss of a kind and affectionate mother. Rev. H. Cowan officiated.

Miss Clare Thorpe returned to Corbin after a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Thorpe.

Mrs. J. Patterson, of Okotoks, Alberta, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Houston, this week.

Mrs. George Hoggarth and Miss Wellman returned to Cranbrook after a week's holiday in Elko.

Miss E. B. Holbrook was in Cranbrook on business last Monday.

J. M. Agnew was at Gateway last Tuesday on business.

Elko, the apple orchard of the empire.

Miss Rhoda Campbell returned to school in Nelson last Saturday. Her mother accompanied her as far as Cranbrook.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Carter were in Cranbrook last Friday.

A. J. Carter was visiting friends in Wardner last Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Thorpe and Miss Thorpe were shopping in Fernie last Saturday evening.

Miss Hazel Hirtz, of Cranbrook, was visiting her parents last Monday.

Miss Esther Hirtz returned to Colton, Wash., where she has been attending school, after spending very pleasant holidays with her parents.

Mrs. D. McNeish and family are camping in Elko this week.

Willis Cummings, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston, died last Wednesday afternoon in the Fernie hospital. The remains were taken to Okotoks, Alberta, for interment. Willis, who was but seven years of age, will be greatly missed among his many young friends, both in Elko and Okotoks. He was one of the brightest children in this district and was growing up to be one of God's good and honest men.

Mrs. J. Todhunter entertained a number of her friends last Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Hoggarth, of Cranbrook.

Dougal McKee, M. Kelleher and A. Todhunter spent Labor Day in Hosmer.

A large party from Cranbrook spent Labor Day picnicing at the falls, fishing and hunting.

Mrs. W. Cameron and Mrs. Woodward, of Cranbrook, were guests of Mrs. C. A. Klingensmith last Monday.

Miss J. Phillips was visiting friends in Wardner last week.

Mrs. S. Hall, of Fernie, has been the guest of Mrs. Holbrook for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham, of Fernie, visited Elko last Wednesday and were the guests of Mrs. Todhunter.

Miss I. Holbrook was visiting friends in Wardner one day last week.

FERNIE

(From the Fernie Free Press.)

Mayor Herchmer went down to Regina last night to meet Mrs. Herchmer, who is returning from Carlsbad, Germany.

St F. Wallace has the retaining walls of the Fernie hotel addition basement practically completed.

Dunc. McLennan, an old-timer of Fernie, who has been away from this city for many years, used to tell of the first church service he attended in the Old Town. Dunc. was a Presbyterian minister's son and when he saw a notice to the effect that service would be held in the Johnson-Bricker store one night he naturally gravitated to that place. When he entered the store, which was a log structure, business was going on briskly and the shop was full of customers. A few individuals were sitting around on boxes and Dunc. camped on a barrel to await developments. After a while the clerks, as if seized by a common impulse, doffed their aprons and ceased business. A parson mounted the counter and opened the service. Except for the peculiar surroundings the service was little different from that observed in the churches today. As soon as the minister concluded his programme the clerks donned their aprons again and business was in full swing in a minute.

When the bespectacled archeologist, poking among the debris of the ancient City of Fernie some 9000 years from now, pries apart the moss covered corner stone of the Presbyterian church the first document to catch his eye will be a time stained copy of the Fernie "Free Press" of August 7, 1908, and the first words he reads will be "Fernie Gets Hell."

A small fire in Wright's house in the Annex caused a run for the fire department on Sunday night. The blaze was extinguished by the chemical. It was caused from a candle that was being used by an amateur photographer.

F. C. Green, the designer of the Michel tipple and inventor of the Green car haul and other devices for economic mining, was a passenger on the ill-fated Ohio, that was wrecked on the Alaskan coast last week. Another passenger who is well known in Fernie is Horace V. Winchell, geologist for the Great Northern railway. Fortunately both these gentlemen escaped.

Harry Oldland is building eight thousand yards of track for the West Canadian collieries at Bellevue. Frayer & Sinclair have just completed twenty-five new cottages there. The company are making arrangements to double the output at Lille.

Chinamen walk nine miles to Fernie from below Morrissey Junction carrying double basket loads of vegetables to be hawked about the city. The average value per basket is one dollar and fifty cents. After disposing of their produce they walk back again to Morrissey. These Chinks earn all the money they make.

Mack Norboe, the famous guide of East Kootenay, was in Fernie over Sunday. Next week he takes a party of hunters consisting of Messrs. Coulter and Miss Coulter into the fastnesses of the headwaters of Fording river in quest of bear, sheep and goats. The brothers Norboe and Messrs. Huddleston and Eswine will accompany the party.

FRANK

(From the Frank Paper.)

Wednesday last an accident such as many people of the district have not feared and dreaded, occurred on the slide road, when a runaway cost a human life. The victim of the accident was Victor Goosans, a teamster in the employ of the West Canadian Collieries at Bellevue. He was driving a load of lumber through the slide when the team got beyond his control, ran away and he was thrown on the rocks, run over and was dead when assistance reached him.

Al. Mutz, of the Fort Steele Brewing company, is in the hospital at Fernie with typhoid.

R. G. Belden and C. A. Bryan, of Spokane, Wash., who are connected with the Crown Coal company, which has a large property at Crows Nest, visited the district during the week.

The Crows Nest Pass Hardware company will shortly establish a branch at Blairmore. A store building 30x70 feet is now being built for the purpose on the Frayer and Sinclair property and the store will be opened very shortly.

The Fernie coal prospecting syndicate in which several Fernie, Blairmore and Frank people are interested, has opened four splendid seams of coal on the property being prospected on the headwaters of the South Fork, about four miles from the summit of the North Kootenay Pass. The seams are eight, five, eight and twenty-six feet in thickness, respectively, and all are reported to be very clean and of a fine quality of coal.

S. W. Gebo arrived in Frank yesterday morning direct from Paris to attend the meeting of the Canadian American company.

D. R. McClure, of Spokane, a stockholder in the Rocky Mountain Cement company, inspected the works Thursday last.

MOYIE

(From the Moyie Leader.)

Constable P. G. Routh and wife have gone to Vernon to reside. Mr. Routh has received his appointment as chief constable of the Vernon district, with headquarters at Vernon.

The payroll at the St. Eugene mine next Friday will amount to $39,000.

There is talk in town of organizing a dancing school.

The lumber is on the ground for repairing the fire hall.

Mike Campbell is expected home from his trip to Ireland today.

R. Campbell spent a portion of the week duck hunting down around Kootenay Landing.

Moyie Odd Fellows intend having a spread after their regular meeting on September 21st.

Edward Desaulnier, sr., and Edward Desaulnier, jr., are in Spokane and the Coeur d'Alene country.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Long died at the Cranbrook hospital the first of the week.

Chas. Stagg expects to have his four cottages on Campbell street ready for occupancy by September 10th.

Chas. Little, at one time manager of P. Burns' shop here, is now in the meat business with his brother at Owen Sound.

Sam. Wormington is again in Moyie after an absence of a year or more. He was down in Texas, Mexico and California.

Mrs. Conrad arrived home from Missoula, Mont., Thursday evening. Her sister, Mrs. Shaughnessy, and two children, came with her.

The office of the Society Girl Mining company is to be located in the Farrell building, formerly occupied by the Co-Operative Store.

ALL OVER THE PROVINCE

A Chinaman in the morgue at Vancouver was discovered to be alive and revived into life.

New Westminster will sell debentures for $398,000 to provide water, paving, and other improvements.

Vancouver is likely to be chosen as the shipyard for the building of the Canadian ships for patrolling the Pacific coast.

There are about seven thousand people in Fernie and suburbs. One thousand more coke ovens are to be built in that city.

The total sockeye salmon catch this year is only 420,000 cases, instead of 800,000. The canners asked for an extension of season owing to lateness of the run, but it was refused.

About one hundred men were at work at the Greenwood smelter last week and about two hundred at the Mother Lode.

A movement is on foot to have all the miners at the Mother Lode live in Greenwood and go to work by train.

M. Bellefontaine is driving a tunnel to open the Buttercup, at Eholt, where surface workings have given good showing.

The Provincial government has surveyors looking at the site for a bridge to replace the Trail ferry.

Excavation for the Royal Bank of Canada building at Grand Forks began last week.

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY.

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320 ACRES situated 2 miles north of Forte Steele, 40 acres cleared and partly under cultivation. This place can be easily cleared as the stumps are not at all thick. Is fenced and lays practically level, soil being a rich loam. Creek runs through this place, also a very deep lake on the place, making irrigation a very easy matter. This is a good buy. Price **$13.50** per acre, **$2000** cash, balance arranged.

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OBSERVATIONS

BY THE OLD MAN.

There may be some question as to the result of the banana crop in this district this year, but the Herald takes pleasure in assuring the people that it will be the greatest crop ever raised in the country.

Creston always makes a success of a celebration and this year was no exception. The people were there, the sports were first-class and everybody had a good time. The people of Creston know how to treat visitors right and whenever they advertise a celebration they can count on a good crowd.

The price of rubber has advanced very materially and this must surely mean that there will be a marked discount on rubber necks.

Several of the despatches concerning the discovery of the North Pole by Dr. Cook, the American explorer, state that a red handkerchief and a potato had been found. This is very good evidence that a native son of Prince Edward Island reached the Pole before the American.

Since the curfew bell in Cranbrook is not in force the mothers of this city should see that their sons and daughters are put to bed at a proper hour. Whenever a boy or girl is allowed to roam the streets until a late hour at night the moral standing of the community is in danger.

The ambition of speed automobile owners to break records is causing more deaths than any epidemics that have cursed the North American continent.

Lord Strathcona has recently been visiting Vancouver. His lordship is ninety years of age and yet has recently made a trip from London to Vancouver, a most remarkable feat for a man of his years.

If Dr. Cook can make good he will be recognized as the greatest explorer of the age. Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been expended and many lives lost in quest of the North Pole and if Dr. Cook has succeeded he is the hero of the day. But after all what does the achievement amount to? He has discovered a barren land that is of no possible value to any human being and although he may be declared a hero what he has discovered is valueless to the world at large.

The business men of Cranbrook should take a greater interest in the promotion of the interests of the city. Every business man and every property owner should realize that upon their efforts depends the success of the city as a whole. Let us all work together and say that we are going to have the commercial center of this section of the country. That is the way they are building up Vancouver, Portland, Tacoma, Spokane and other towns in the west. It takes united action to make a success of a town, and here in Cranbrook we have got the resources and there is no reason why we should not make a success of this community.

The Herald is more prosperous today than it has been at any time in its history. It has worked for Cranbrook and the district and what it has done has been appreciated by the people, as is shown by its increasing business not only in Cranbrook but throughout the district. The Herald feels thankful for these favors and will endeavor to do all in its power to help along the community and the people at large in the future, as it has in the past.

The crops in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba are better this year than ever before, and this means prosperity to the prairie provinces as well as for British Columbia. As an evidence of this fact the demand for labor on the part of the lumber companies in this province is greater today than it has been at any time for the past three years. When the prairie provinces are prosperous that means prosperity for British Columbia, for the reason that there is a natural interchange of commerce. We need their products and they need ours and that means business for the western part of the Dominion.

Keep on boosting Cranbrook and East Kootenay. The man who does that is helping himself and the community in which he lives.

Cranbrook should have a Canadian club. These institutions tend to inspire loyalty and patriotism, and it is up to the people to cultivate every sentiment of this kind.

The Alberta and Eastern British Columbia Press association is holding a meeting this week at Edmonton on Thursday and Friday, with a banquet on Thursday night. The Old Man of the Herald has been invited to speak both at the association and at the banquet and has gone to Edmonton for that purpose, and will endeavor to say a few good words for Cranbrook and South East Kootenay.

On the 14th and 15th of this month Cranbrook will hold an agricultural fair and race meeting and arrangements have been made to make it one of the most successful events ever held in Cranbrook. The agricultural department have issued a prize list that is a surprise to the people, while those in charge of the race meeting are leaving nothing undone to make their end of the fair a success. If you want a glorious good time come to Cranbrook on the dates mentioned, because everything will be ready for you and you will not regret your visit to this city.

There is no doubt but what there will be an election this fall. Everything tends to show that a contest is imminent, but as yet there has been nothing done to name the candidates of the different parties in this district.

Nelson is still after the C.P.R. hotel. If the C.P.R. authorities desire a first-class location why do they not locate their hotel on St. Mary's lake, probably the best location for an institution of that kind. There can be found the best of fishing and the best of hunting. What more can the C.P.R. want?

Attention is called to the proceedings in the police court affecting certain of our young boys who came before Chief Magistrate Joseph Ryan on Tuesday. There is no necessity for giving the names of the children who offended, but there is urgent necessity for calling the attention of the public to the prevalence of the class of offence for which those boys were within an ace of being sent to prison or the reformatory. When all is said and done, it is the parents who are responsible in the eyes of God and man for the conduct of their children, and if they let them run wild, have their own way (for fear of breaking their gentle spirits) it is upon them the certain vengeance of the courts and of righteous public feeling will fall. The parents who came before the court in this matter are not likely to ever forget the castigation they received at the lips of the magistrate. Nor will the lesson be lost on the boys. That is certain.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Miss M. A. Kimpton and Mrs. Emma Dupont have taken over the Cranbrook cafe. If anybody could make a success of a restaurant in this city these ladies will do so, as they are thoroughly experienced in this line of work. The Herald predicts for the new proprietors a big success.

Mayor Fink and wife returned from Revelstoke Saturday. Mr. Fink was attending a meeting of the Fire Chiefs of British Columbia and reports a very enthusiastic and successful meeting. The next meeting takes place in Cranbrook. An account of the convention will be published next week.

ROOM TO RENT, with board if required. Apply to Mrs. A. S. Nesitt, Burwell Ave. 21-tf

Misses Stewart, Dixon, McBride, Crandall and Jones and Messrs. C. B. Garrett, G. H. Garrett, Raworth, Brothers, Salmon, Edwards, Bray, Frisken and Avison spent Labor Day at Perry Creek. They report a splendid time and appreciated very much the trout supper furnished by Messrs. Pidgeon & Anderson, of the Perry Creek hotel.

J. E. Kennedy, for a long time with the local offices of the C.P.R., has resigned to take a position with P. Burns & Co. at Lethbridge, Alta. Mr. Kennedy has been a very prominent member of the B. of R. T. and will be sadly missed by the members of that order, as well as by his hosts of friends in this city. The Herald wishes Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy every success and happiness in their new home.

W. Halsall and wife made a novel trip last Sunday and Monday. Packing their blankets and provisions they walked to the base of Baker mountain and spent the night in the open air. Leaving their blankets the next morning they made the ascent of the mountain, returning to Cranbrook Monday evening. Mr. Halsall says it was a glorious trip and that both he and his wife thoroughly enjoyed it.

LOST — Ladies gold watch, open face with black ribbon fob attached. The finder will please leave at Herald office, where they will be rewarded. 20-tf

The deer season is open from the 1st September to 14th December, both days inclusive. Grouse and prairie chicken are fully protected under the law and any person found shooting the same or having the same in their possession will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Game Warden Bates informs the Herald that he will do everything that he can to see that the game laws are enforced.

Green Gage plums at Campbell & Manning's.

Last Friday Hon. Thos. Taylor, arrived in the city from Golden, accompanied by Harry Parsons, Chas. Warren and Mr. Hope. The party made the trip in Mr. Parson's touring car and had a very pleasant time. On their arrival in Cranbrook they were greeted by their many friends here and given a pleasant reception. Mr. Taylor is making an official visit to the Kootenays and from Cranbrook went to Fernie, returning from there to the coast. The other parties left on Saturday for the return trip to Golden.

It will pay you to call and see the Gold Standard demonstration at Campbell & Manning's.

There is a fierce fire still burning near Cranbrook which is now becoming threatening to the outskirts of the city. There are also four fires around the Perry Creek district, three on Perry Creek and one on Pitt Creek, all of a bad character. There is a small fire in the Indian reserve opposite F. Smith's road. Three of these fires have started since last Sunday and will do serious damage to the timber in their neighborhoods. A heavy downpour of rain is badly needed to quench these fires out and prevent further serious loss of timber and damage to property.

The remainder of the household goods of D. B. Dulmage have been removed to the store in the rear of the Imperial Bank of Canada on Hanson avenue and will be offered for sale at public auction on Monday, September 13th, at 2 p.m. W. L. Wilson, auctioneer. 25

The three-year-old child of Mr. S. McLean walked on to the train last Sunday afternoon and calmly sat down on a seat. When the conductor passed through the train the little chap said he was looking for "his Uncle Ding," meaning Philip Dingman, the conductor. The boy was put off at Fort Steele Junction and left in charge of the agent until the arrival of a westbound freight when he was brought home, arriving here about 11 o'clock in the evening. Naturally the folks were very much worried until they got word that he was being well taken care of.

Special for Saturday: Sweet oranges, 25c. per dozen. Home made candy 20c. per lb. at the Palm.

The San Francisco Opera company is still crowding the Empress theatre, at Vancouver, this, notwithstanding the fact that it has occupied the boards of that theatre for ten weeks. Teddy Webb, the comedian, still heads the large cast of players. Charles Couture, a new tenor, opened a few weeks past and his popularity continues to increase. "A Runaway Girl," a delightfully refreshing musical comedy, offers the principals of the San Francisco Opera company splendid opportunities, and the chorus of willing workers add a great deal to the springtly fun. This company will appear at the Auditorium on October 12th.

Don't forget the auction sale of five acre fruit tracts on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, September 14th and 15th, at 8 p.m. First door west of Imperial Bank of Canada, Hanson avenue. W. L. Wilson, auctioneer. This is a chance to get in on the ground floor.

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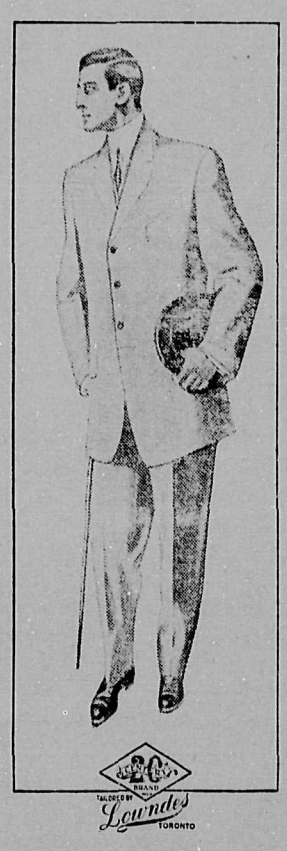

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LOCAL NOTES

PICKED UP ABOUT THE CITY BY ASKING QUESTIONS OF MANY PEOPLE.

C. H. Allison visited Elko last Sunday.

Walter Haines and wife, of Fernie, were in town last Monday.

W. D. Hill and son Wilber left Sunday for the coast.

E. S. Home, of Jaffray, was in town on Friday.

Mrs. J. G. Sutherland will receive on September 16th and 17th.

Get your crabapples at Campbell & Manning's.

Dr. Connolly was at Jaffray on Saturday on professional business.

F. Bent, of the T. Eaton Co., of Winnipeg, Man., spent Tuesday in the city.

Thos. Parker, of Nelson, inspector of weights and measures, was in the city on Tuesday on business.

Work is expected to start on the new Masonic Temple in the course of a week.

The primary class will open on Monday with Miss Fraser as teacher at the gymnasium.

Mrs. E. Elwell and family returned on Wednesday from a two months visit with friends in Vancouver.

Mrs. Frank Parks and son returned from a pleasant visit to friends in the east on Friday.

R. Burns, of Burns Bros., and bride returned from Vancouver last Sunday.

WANTED—Boarders and roomers. Apply to Mrs. Barrett, Hanson avenue. 23-tf

Mrs. E. H. Small and daughter Maysie are visiting in Spokane this week.

M. B. King and wife and daughter left last Monday for a brief visit to the coast.

A. Leitch, of the East Kootenay Lumber company, made a business visit to Spokane last week.

Constable Joe Walsh and wife, of Fort Steele, were Cranbrook visitors last Tuesday.

WANTED—Private primary instruction for child. Box 35, City. 25-1t*

E. A. Hill, one of the rustling merchants of Moyie, was in the city Tuesday.

Sportsmen—Don't overlook Yahk when deer hunting and don't forget to stop with J. E. Gibbon. 24

Rube Webb returned on Tuesday from a visit to Edmonton and Calgary, Alta.

It will pay you to call and see the Gold Standard demonstration at Campbell & Manning's.

J. Frank Broughton, of the C.P.R. office staff, returned Wednesday from a visit to coast points.

Henry Swartwood, of Spokane, an old schoolmate and friend of N. C. McKinstry, was in the city last week.

Miss M. Quain, who has been visiting her brother, Maurice Quain, of this city, left on Monday for the Seattle exposition and coast points.

Jas. Balfour, the well known railway insurance agent, was in the city the first of the week transacting business.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, of Montana, Mrs. Wisner and Mrs. Havill, of Wardner, were the guests of Mrs. C. Dow this week.

FOR SALE—Draft team 2800 lbs. Price $150. Apply to W. L. Whitney or Cranbrook Trading Co. 25-2t*

The new Fink Mercantile warehouse on Baker street is being decorated with a coat of paint. Ross Carr is the artist.

The monkey captured at Curzon Junction last week was brought to Cranbrook the other day and is now an inmate of the Imperial hotel.

W. H. Wilson, wife and daughter, accompanied by Miss Harrison left on Wednesday for Toronto, Montreal and Eastern Townships points.

J. E. Davis, of Fernie, district inspector for the Kootenay Telephone Lines, Limited, spent Sunday and Labor Day in the city.

C. D. McNab and Simon Taylor made a trip to the Rock Creek Lumber company's plant at Mayook last Monday.

Mrs. P. D. Hope left last Saturday for a visit to Chilliwack. Miss Bennett, her sister, of Marysville, accompanied her as far as Cranbrook.

FOR SALE—160 acres on the Moyie river; 80 acres fine bottom land, the rest good bench land. Apply to D. J. Elmer. 25

The city street department are continuing their good work of improvement and as a result many of the streets are in better shape.

A. B. Durrant, formerly of Perry Creek, but now located on a ranch in Alberta, was greeting his many friends in this city last Saturday.

Allan Munson, foreman of Camp 11 at Jaffray, for the East Kootenay Lumber company, spent Sunday in town.

Free demonstration of Gold Standard Pure Food produce, from September 3rd to 11th, at Campbell & Manning's.

R. S. Fletcher, superintendent of the Monarch Life Assurance company, of Winnipeg, Man., was in the city for the week end on business.

Robert Lennox, of Moyie, was in the city last Saturday looking after the purchase of fruit lands from Beale & Elwell.

Get your crabapples at Campbell & Manning's.

George Munroe, formerly engineer running out of Cranbrook, was in the city last Saturday shaking hands with old friends.

A. McCowan and son Charles returned Wednesday from a visit to friends in Montreal, Farnham and other eastern points.

The Cranbrook Trading company are improving the appearance of their store by a coat of paint. B. H. Short has the contract.

Conductor Harrie Pettit was in the city last Tuesday closing up some business affairs. Mr. and Mrs. Pettit are now residing in Medicine Hat.

FOUND—On July 2nd between Fort Steele and the Mission, a parasol. Write W. L. Whitney, describing the same. 25-2t*

E. O. Barber, of the Cranbrook Drug & Book company, and Dave Cumming, of Burns Bros., made a business trip to Bull river Wednesday.

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WANTED—A first-class rain to last anywhere from twenty-four to forty-eight hours. Apply to the Herald office.

Information has been received that high grade ore has been struck in the lower tunnel of the Aurora mine at Moyie and that the outlook for the property was never brighter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan and Mrs. Noble returned last week from their visit to the Seattle exposition and other coast points. They report a very pleasant trip.

We have a line of children's go-carts that we are clearing out at cost, as we must have more room. It will pay you to see them at once.—Patmore Bros.

James Bates, the game warden for this district, is doing everything in his power to enforce the law and any man he finds violating the same will surely get into trouble.

F. D. Patton, C.P.R. conductor, who was transferred from here to Calgary, Alberta, has been compelled to return to Cranbrook on account of illness.

O. McKenzie, of Rossland, a professional diamond drill setter, passed through the city last week for Lundbreck to engage in work in the mines there.

Ladies, your special attention! Don't fail to call and see Mrs. Birbeck at the Pure Food demonstration at Campbell & Manning's.

Frank McKenna, delegate for Kootenay Lodge No. 173, Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, left on Monday for Atlanta, Georgia, to attend a convention of that order.

Miss D. Drummond, stenographer for J. D. McBride, returned on Monday from a visit to Medicine Hat, Banff, Calgary and other prairie points.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lund, of Wardner, accompanied by J. J. Cousins and wife, of Chatham, Ont., parents of Mrs. Lund, were in the city last Tuesday.

R. S. Garrett, of the Prospector staff, left on yesterday afternoon's train for Toronto and other Ontario points. It is rumored that he will not return alone.

Patmore Bros. have the contract for installing the plumbing system in the new public school building. Also a steam heating plant in Beattie & Atchison's drug store.

The many friends of W. A. Wilson, C.P.R. brakeman, who has been in the hospital undergoing an operation for appendicitis, will be pleased to learn that he is improving rapidly and expects to be out in a few days.

A parcel shower was given last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. H. McKowan and Mrs. G. B. Powell in honor of Miss Connolly, who will be married on the 22nd of this month to the Rev. W. P. Ewing, B.D., of Rossland.

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ALGOMA WOOL RUGS, also in two-tone effects

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Size 3 yards by 3½ yards - - - - - each, at $12.50
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Get your crabapples at Campbell & Manning's.

Jack McDonald, of the Queens hotel, left last Wednesday for his old stamping ground in Montana, and from there will go on to Detroit, Mich., to visit with his brother Dan and other relatives.

The sale held by the ladies of the Methodist church last Thursday in the vacant office building on Armstrong avenue proved a great success financially and otherwise. The net proceeds amounted to $120.

W. V. JACKSON
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will be in town a week, before he goes to Golden, from which point he will return to Cranbrook. Anyone desiring to have Nursery Stock of any kind can address a letter to the Royal Hotel.

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OLD COUNTRY NEWS

INTERESTING ITEMS

When the Danish schooner Herthe arrived at Plymouth recently, she brought the crew of the German three-masted schooner Margaretha, who had been rescued after thrilling experiences. The Margaretha, from Huelva, Spain, was bound for Penrhyn, Wales. Off the Spanish coast the foremast snapped off in a heavy gale, and with the accompanying wreckage fell over the side of the ship into the water. It was not long before the mainmast followed. At night the violence of the storm moderated, but the seas were still running very high and the fallen spars must have holed the ship's side, for it was discovered that she was leaking badly. Captain Sassen soon had all the hands busily employed at the pumps. There was no stoppage of the leak, however, and with the nearest land, Cape St. Vincent, a hundred miles distant, the position of the crew became exceedingly perilous. Day after day for nine days the pumps were kept going without intermission, the crew recognizing that on their efforts their lives depended. From time to time steamers were seen and were signalled, but not once did the almost disheartened sailors have any response to their appeal for help. At length it was found that the Margaretha was fast settling down, and then, after having drifted a hundred miles towards the Moroccan coast, the order was given for the boats to be lowered. For twenty-four hours the men were at the mercy of the wind and waves in the little craft, but when all hands were almost exhausted the Danish schooner Herthe arrived, and took them on board.

The mayor of Rotherham, Kent, has had his attention called to a rescue from drowning effected by Wilfrid R. Bagnall, a local youth. A boy fell from a barge into the locks near Forge Lane. The sluice gates were open, the current was particularly strong, and a whirlpool was formed. The barge master put out a boat hook, and caught the boy with it in the fleshy part of the leg. Bagnall immediately plunged into the canal with all his clothes on. The force of the water twisted him completely over, and he was soon spinning round and round. Eventually reaching the boy, he managed to release him from the hook, and, fastening him by the clothing had the satisfaction of seeing him drawn up safe on the boat. The lad was promptly cursed by the bargee for causing so much trouble by falling into the lock, and sent below to the cabin. Then the man, never troubling to ask Bagnall aboard to dry his clothes, or even to thank him whipped up his horse and drove on, leaving the rescuer to swim back to the spot where he had jumped in the canal.

Into the circumstances of the death of Engineroom Artificer Richard Moses, who sustained fatal injuries on board the cruiser Forth, recently, while the vessel was preparing for the Cowes naval review, a striking story of an officer's brave attempt at rescue was told at the inquest. The boilers were being connected up when a sudden rush of steam came from one main pipe in the stokehold. Four men escaped, more or less badly scalded, but Moser was stunned by the force of the explosion, and almost instantly killed by shock and scalds. Immediately the accident was reported Engineer-Lieutenant Henry Wolfe attempted to enter the stokehold, but was driven back by a rush of steam; then, donning a smoke helmet, he made another attempt, but was again driven back, so overcome that the crew had to play the hose on him to bring him round. Steam was still rising in clouds from the stokehold, but again he went down and found Moses dead.

Charles George Steele, formerly a leading seaman in the navy, is troubled because his hair is turning grey. The story of his effort to restore it to its former color was told at Westminster county court recently, when he sought to recover damages for personal injuries against Morton & Son, manufacturers of hair dye. Steele's counsel related how Steele, wishing to preserve the appearance of comparative youth, purchased a bottle of Morton's hair dye. He followed the directions on the bottle, applying the dye with a tooth brush to his moustache and hair, but, to his horror, he found, instead of the desired dark brown, that his hair and moustache became a vivid magneta. He became a laughing stock, had to shave his moustache off, and had to get permission always to wear his hat during business hours. The jury gave Steele £15 as a solace to his feelings.

A bullock which had become bored by a quiet day in the Northampton cattle market broke down the bounds of convention and a quantity of brick work the other day. On the way home it made a sudden dash for an open door. It careened through the scullery window, taking with it half the surrounding wall. After browsing on the vegetables in the garden for a little while, it dropped six feet into a neighboring garden on a lower level, and cleared a fence. Here, however, its short spell of freedom ended, for it became wedged in a narrow passage. It had, however, the final joy of knowing that part of an eight foot wall had to be knocked down before its owner could get it out.

A pathetic story concerning the allurements of the metropolis to people living in the country was told at a London police court recently, when five healthy, clean looking children were charged with wandering. The mother told how her husband, a house painter, thinking he might do better in London, sold up a good little home in Cornwall in order to try their fortune in London. Life in London, had been a failure and work very scarce. Mrs. Lang, who was being taken care of in a Barnardo refuge, said she would write to a relative for money to take them back to Cornwall. In the meantime the children were sent to a remand home.

An exciting scene was witnessed by a large number of excursionists at Barry Island recently. Mr. Benjamin Thomas, of Ferndale, was walking along Whitmore Bay, when he heard screams from two girls who had been paddling in the sea. Rushing to the edge of the water Mr. Thomas was horrified to see the girls sinking in the sand. He hastened to their assistance, but himself was soon waist deep in the sand. When the situation looked ugly, however, two male bathers came to the rescue, and with great difficulty Mr. Thomas and the girls were removed from their perilous position.

The bad character of a child only two and a half years of age was discussed by the Wycombe (Bucks) Board of Guardians recently. The boy, although so young, was said to be constantly using "awful" language, and was removed from the Poor Law schools to the workhouse in order to avoid contaminating the other children. A relative in whose charge he was afterwards placed returned him to the Union, as she could do nothing with the child.

Samuel Bull, aged thirteen, a small, delicate-looking boy, was found wandering at Long Ditton recently, and was lodged in Kingston workhouse and left with two other boys. For a wager Bull, with apparent ease, swallowed a watch belonging to one of them and also a halfpenny and a stone, about the size of an egg. Bull, it was stated at the police court, had traveled on the step of a motor mail van the greater part of the way from Portsmouth, and it was decided to send him back.

A youth named Spittalhouse, of Caringham, Gainsborough, the other day, took a miniature rifle to pieces for the purpose of cleaning it. He put it together without noticing that there was a cartridge in the breech, and let the butt drop to the ground so that he could take hold of the weapon by the muzzle. The result was that the cartridge exploded, and the bullet entered the youth's abdomen. It was extracted at the County hospital, and the youth was able to return home the same evening.

Singular circumstances surrounding the death of Mrs. Lucy Wilcock were enquired into at an inquest at Blackpool recently. Mrs. Wilcox was tying her boot lace, her foot resting on some garden railings, when she overbalanced and fell to the ground, her foot being caught in the railings. She walked home after the accident, but becoming unwell a doctor was called, and it was found she had fractured her thigh. She was removed to the Victoria hospital, where she died.

Remarkable circumstances attended the recent discovery of a child just inside the garden door of a house in Saltash, Cornwall, which is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown. The baby's head was resting on a parcel of infants' clothing, which enclosed an extraordinary letter from the A naval stoker named Baldry, attached to the cruiser Shannon, recently in Tor Bay, Cornwall, had a peculiar experience. Baldry, who is subject to somnambulism, slept under a cart on a Torquay pier, and during his sleep walked to the edge of the pier and fell into the sea. Awakened by the shock, he managed to swim to some supports of the pier, where, shouting for help, he was rescued by the coast guard.

Four girls acted as coffin-bearers on the occasion of the burial at Haverhill of an eight-year-old boy named Poole, the son of a local publican, who was killed by a cycling accident recently. The girls were connected with the Sunday school which the lad had attended.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE HOTEL PROPERTY.

Under instructions from the executors of the estate of the late James A. Stoddart, of Windermere, B. C., tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of the 20th day of September, 1909, for the purchase of lots numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, in Block 11, of the said town of Windermere, including the hotel and other buildings and improvements thereon and hotel fixtures, furnishings and furniture as same at present stand.

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Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned at Golden, B.C.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Golden, B.C., September 1st, 1909.

Hugh Macdonald,
24-3t Solicitors for the Executors

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

TAKE NOTICE that B. W. S. Higgins intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the Kootenay river, on the northern boundary of Lot 338, thence west 80 chains, more or less, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 20 chains east to the Kootenay river, thence following the Kootenay river to the point of commencement, containing 100 acres, more or less.

B. W. S. Higgins.
Dated at Cranbrook June 16th, 1909. 17-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Beverly Arthur Carter, occupation, Lumberman, of Cranbrook, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land, situated in Cranbrook Land District, District of South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot No. 9690, thence west fifty point fifty-two (50.52) chains, thence south forty (40) chains, thence west nine point fifty-seven (9.57) chains, thence north fifty-seven point forty-eight (57.48) chains, thence east sixty point nine (60.9) chains, thence south seventeen point forty-eight (17.48 chains to the point of commencement, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, more or less.

Beverley Arthur Carter
George Hungerford, Locator.
Staked this eighth day of July, 1909. 17-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN DIVISION, EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that we, Irving Heward Cameron Willson, Robert Stanley Chapman and James Martin, C.P.R. Agent and Bookkeepers, of Cranbrook, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted fifteen chains east of the southwest corner of Lot 6422, thence fifty chains east, thence forty-one chains south, more or less, thence fifty chains west, thence forty-one chains north, more or less, to place of commencement, containing two hundred and five acres, more or less.

Irving Heward Cameron Willson
Robt. Stanley Chapman
James Martin.
Robert Stanley Chapman, Agent
Dated July 12th, 1909. 19-9t

NOTICE.

We, the Robinson-McKenzie Lumber Co., Ltd., intend to apply for permission to purchase five acres of land, more or less, bounded as follows:

Commencing at a post set at the northwest corner of Lot 3558, thence north about 2¼ chains to the southwest corner of Lot 35, thence easterly along the south boundary of said Lot 35 to the point where the convergence meets the northeast corner of Lot 3558, thence west along the north boundary of said Lot 3558, to the place of commencement.

Robinson-McKenzie Lumber Co., Ltd.
J. W. Robinson, President.
Dated July 12, 1909. 17-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

TAKE NOTICE that we, Paul Handley and Daniel Howe, of Marysville, B. C., occupations Hotel Keeper and Rancher, respectively, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the southwest corner of the Lane purchase, running forty chains west on the river bank, thence forty chains north from river, thence forty chains east to Lane purchase, thence forty chains south to place of commencement, containing one hundred and sixty acres, more or less.

Paul Handley,
Daniel Howe.
Dated June 14th, 1909. 17-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Fluhrer, of Trail, B. C., occupation, Brewer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 7664, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, bounding on the Kootenay river to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

John Fluhrer.
Dated August 10th, 1909. 21-9t*

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Frederick Kummer, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Baker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of John Fluhrer's application to purchase, thence west 50 chains, more or less, thence south 50 chains, more or less, thence east 50 chains, more or less, thence north 50 chains, bounding on the Kootenay river, to the place of commencement, containing 200 acres, more or less.

Frederick Kummer.
Dated August 14th, 1909. 22-9t*

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, A. L. Couzens, of Marysville, B. C., occupation, Manager, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north-east corner of pre-emption No. 1082, thence east 40 chains, more or less, thence south to the St. Marys River, thence west to Hans Lunds pre-emption, thence north to point of commencement.

Albert Lewis Couzens.
Dated July 28th, 1909. 21-9t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, J. K. Robinson, of Nelson, B. C., will apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land, situated in South Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted on the south-east corner of Lot 6820, thence north eighty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west eighty chains to place of commencement.

J. K. Robinson, Locator
J. H. P. Drewett, Agent.
Dated this 10th day of July 1909. 19-6t

KOOTENAY CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Kootenay Central Railway Company will be held at the head office, Cranbrook, B. C., at 10 a.m., Monday, 20th September, for the election of directors and for the transaction of other general business.

W. A. Macdonald,
Secretary.
Dated at Cranbrook, B.C., August 1st, 1909. 22-4t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN DIVISION, EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Robert Burns Benedict, of Cranbrook, B.C., occupation, Real Estate Agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of P. R. 1131, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 70 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, containing 400 acres, more or less.

Robert Burns Benedict.
Dated July 31, 1909. 22-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, David Johnston, occupation, Medical Practitioner, of Regina, Sask., intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles in an easterly direction from the 34 mile post on the west boundary of lot 4593, Kootenay District, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to the point of commencement.

David Johnston.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander Skene, of Regina, Sask., occupation, Farmer, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles in an easterly direction from the 34 mile post on the west boundary of Lot 4593, Kootenay District, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, to the point of commencement.

Alexander Skene.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Evan Powell, of Regina, Sask., occupation, Clerk, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three miles in an easterly direction from the 34 mile post on the west boundary of Lot 4593, Kootenay District; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to the point of commencement.

Evan Powell.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Maggie Johnston, of Victoria, B. C., occupation, Married Woman, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at a point five miles in an easterly direction and about one half mile south from the 34 mile post on the west boundary of Lot 4593, Kootenay District, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Maggie Johnston.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Annie Johnston, of Victoria, B. C., occupation, Spinster, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at a point about five miles in an easterly direction and about one half mile south from the 34 mile post on the west boundary of Lot 4593, Kootenay District, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to the point of commencement.

Annie Johnston.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Peter Donald, of Regina, Sask., occupation, Farmer, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

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Peter Donald.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that William T. Mooney, of Regina, Sask., occupation, Farmer, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

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William T. Mooney.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Wilbert Skene, of Regina, Sask., occupation, Farmer, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands:

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Wilbert Skene.
Dated 14th July, 1909. 22-6t

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4.	Mare, with foal at foot ...	5.00	3.00
5.	Team in harness	20.00	10.00
6.	Foal of 1909	3.00	2.00

CLASS 2.—GENERAL PURPOSE TEAM IN HARNESS.

7.	General purpose team in harness	$20.00	$10.00

CLASS 3.—STANDARD BRED.

8.	Stallion, any age	$10.00	$ 5.00

CLASS 4.—THOROUGHBRED.

9.	Stallion, any age	$10.00	$ 5.00
10.	Mare, any age	5.00	3.00

CLASS 5.—CARRIAGE HORSES.

11.	Team in harness	$20.00	$10.00
12.	Single driver in harness	8.00	5.00
13.	Mare, with foal at foot	5.00	3.00
14.	One-year-old Filly or Gelding	3.00	2.00
15.	Two-year-old Filly or Gelding	3.00	2.00
16.	Foal of 1909	3.00	2.00

CLASS 6.

17.	Single, Delivery or Express rig	$ 8.00	$ 5.00

CLASS 7.

18.	Foals, the get of Sunny Alto, of 1909. Special by J. W. Robinson. Cup, value.	$25.00	$15.00

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21.	Boys or Girls saddle horse ...	3.00	2.00
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Cattle

CLASS 1.

23.	Bulls, pure bred, any age or breed	$10.00	$5.00

CLASS 2.

24.	Cows. Milk strain ... ... Special by Canadian Bank of Commerce. Silver medal.	$5.00	$3.00

CLASS 3.

25.	Cows. Beef strain ... ... Special by Canadian Bank of Commerce. Bronze medal.	$5.00	$3.00

CLASS 4.

26.	Heifers, one year old	$3.00	$2.00

CLASS 5.

27.	Heifers, two years old	$3.00	$2.00

CLASS 6.

28.	Calf, 1909	$3.00	$2.00

Pigs

CLASS 1.

29.	Boar, any age or breed	$5.00	$3.00

CLASS 2.

30.	Sow, any age or breed	$3.00	$2.00

CLASS 3.

31.	Best litter	$3.00	$2.00

Sheep

CLASS 1.

32.	Ram, any breed	$3.00	$2.00

CLASS 2.

33.	Ewe, any breed	$3.00	$2.00

CLASS 3.

34.	Pen of three ewes	$3.00	$2.00

Poultry and Pet Stock

Chickens

CLASS 1.—PLYMOUTH ROCKS.

35.	Barred Rocks, White Rocks, Buff Rocks, to compete against each other. First prize per pen	$5.00	$2.50

CLASS 2.—WYANDOTTES.

36.	White Wyandottes, Golden Laced Wyandottes, Silver Laced Wyandottes, to compete against each other. First prize for pen	$5.00	$2.50

CLASS 3.—ORPINGTONS.

37.	Buff Orpingtons, White Orpingtons, Black Orpingtons, to compete against each other. First prize for pen	$5.00	$2.50

CLASS 4.—LEGHORNS.

38.	White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns, Buff Leghorns, Black Leghorns, to compete against each other. First prize for pen	$5.00	$2.50

CLASS 5.—MISCELLANEOUS.

39.	Minorcas (any color), Langshans (any color), Spangled Hamburgs, Blue Andalusians, Rhode Island Reds, R. or S. comb, Games (any breed), to compete against each other. First prize for pen	$5.00	$2.50

CLASS 6.

40.	Single cock or cockerel of any of first four above breeds	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 7.

41.	Single hen or pullet of any of first four above breeds ...	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 8.

42.	Sweepstake, single cock of any breed	$5.00	

CLASS 9.

43.	Sweepstake, single hen of any breed	$5.00	

Geese

CLASS 1.

44.	White Embden. Pair 3.00		$2.00

CLASS 2.

45.	Tolouse. Pair	$3.00	$2.00

Ducks

CLASS 1.

46.	White Pekin. Pair	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 2.

47.	Rouen. Pair	$2.00	$1.00

Turkeys

CLASS 1.

48.	Bronze. Pair	$3.00	$2.00

CLASS 2.

49.	White Holland. Pair	$3.00	$2.00

Guinea Fowl

CLASS 1.

50.	Guinea fowl. Pair	$2.00	$1.00

Pigeons

CLASS 1.

51.	Homers. Pair	$1.00	.50

CLASS 2.

52.	Fantails. Pair	$1.00	.50

CLASS 3.

53.	Tumblers. Pair	$1.00	.50

Canaries

CLASS 1.

54.	Canary cock	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 2.

55.	Canary hen	$2.00	$1.00

Rabbits

CLASS 1.

56.	Belgian hare	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 2.

57.	Flemish giant	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 3.

58.	Gray	$2.00	$1.00

Dogs

CLASS 1.—COLLIES.

59.	Dogs	$5.00	$1.00
60.	Bitches	5.00	2.00

CLASS 2.—SETTERS.

61.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
62.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 3.—POINTERS.

63.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
64.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 4.—COCKER SPANIELS

65.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
66.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 5.—IRISH WATER SPANIELS.

67.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
68.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 6.—IRISH TERRIER.

69.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
70.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 7.—BULL TERRIERS.

71.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
72.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 8.—FOX TERRIERS.

73.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
74.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

CLASS 9.—BULL DOGS.

75.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00

CLASS 10.—ST. BERNARD.

76.	Dogs	$2.00	$1.00
77.	Bitches	2.00	1.00

Cards of merit will be given to any exhibit not mentioned in above list.

No prizes awarded unless three entries.

Cats

CLASS 2.

78. Prize of $5.00 to the best cat on exhibition.

Vegetables, Fruit and Grain

All exhibits under this head, unless otherwise specified, must be the actual production of the exhibitor and should be staged not later than 9 a.m. September 14th.

In classes where there is only one entry it will be left to the discretion of the judges whether any prize will be awarded.

CLASS 1.

Section.		1st.	2nd.	3rd.
79.	Apples—Best box, any variety	$3.00	$2.00	$1.00
80.	Apples—Best plate summer (10 fruits)	2.50	1.50	.75
81.	Apples—Best plate winter (10 fruits)	2.50	1.50	.75

CLASS 2.

82.	Pears—Best box fall $3.00		$2.00	——
83.	Pears—Best box winter (10 fruits)	3.00	2.00	——

CLASS 3.

84.	Prunes—Best plate any variety (20 fruits) $2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 4.

85.	Plums—Best plate any variety (20 fruits) $1.50		$1.00	.50

CLASS 5.

Section.		1st.	2nd.	3rd.
86.	Gooseberries —Best plate any variety $1.50		.75	——

Special by W. V. Jackson, Creston, B. C.—100 apple trees, to be selected by winner from catalogue of Grand Forks (B.C.) Nursery.

CLASS 1.

87.	Potatoes—Best bushel any variety, to be clean and properly dressed	$3.00	$2.00	$1.00

Special by F. E. Simpson—One year's subscription to The Cranbrook Herald.

CLASS 2.

Section.		1st.	2nd.	3rd.
88.	Turnips—(Table)—10 any variety $1.50		.75	——
89.	Turnips—(Swede)—5 any variety 1.50		175	——

CLASS 3.

90.	Carrots—10 any variety.$1.50		.75	——

CLASS 4.

91.	Parsnips—10 any variety.$1.50		.75	——

CLASS 5.

92.	Cabbage—3 best summer..$1.50		.75	——
93.	Cabbage—3 best winter.. 1.50		.75	——
94.	Brussels sprouts—Best 5 stalks 1.50		.75	——

CLASS 6.

95.	Cauliflower — 3 best heads $1.50		.75	——

CLASS 7.

96.	Corn—(table)— 6 best ears $2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 8.

97.	Beets—10 any variety..$1.50		.75	——
98.	Beets—(sugar)—10 any variety 1.50		.75	——

CLASS 9.

99.	Celery—6 bunches fall varieties $2.00		$1.00	——
100.	Celery — 6 bunches winter varieties 2.00		1.00	——

CLASS 10.

101.	Lettuce—6 heads loose leaf, any variety ... ... -75		.50	——
102.	Lettuce—6 heads any variety ... ... .75		.50	——

CLASS 11.

103.	Radish—12 long ... ... .75		.50	——
104.	Radish—12 turnip ... ... .75		.50	——

CLASS 12.

105.	Squash— 1 August variety $2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 13.

106.	Cucumber — (table) Plate of 3 ... ...$2.00		$1.00	——
107.	Cucumber — (pickling) Plate of 6 ... ...$1.00		.50	——

CLASS 14.

108.	Rhubarb—12 stalks ... .75		.50	——

CLASS 15.

109.	Citron—(Best 3) $2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 16.

110.	Best collection of vegetables grown by individual exhibitor $5.00		$2.50	$1.00

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CLASS 17.

111.	Mangold wurtzel — 5 any variety $1.50		.75	——

CLASS 18

112.	Tomatoes — Plate of 6 ... ...$2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 19.

113.	Watermelon — One ...$2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 20.

114.	Best sheaf oats $2.00		$1.00	——

CLASS 21.

115.	Best sheaf wheat $2.00		$1.00	——

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CLASS 22.

116.	Honey—1 quart extracted $2.00		$1.00	——
117.	Honey—Best comb $2.00		$1.00	——

Special prize by the Cranbrook-Fernie Farmers' Institute of $70.00, with six districts to compete for same. Namely: Creston, Cranbrook, Marysville, Windermere, Fort Steele, Baynes Lake and Elko.

For the best district exhibit of vegetables. ... ...First prize, $25.00. Second prize, $10.00

For the best district exhibit of preserved fruits for exhibition purposes ... ...First prize, $25.00. Second prize, $10.00

Culinary

CLASS 1.

Section.		1st.	2nd.
118.	Best Specimen of Bread — (white) —Not less than 3 loaves to be shown...	$2.00	$1.00

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119.	Bread—(graham) —Not less than 3 loaves to be shown...	2.00	1.00
120.	Best loaf bread. Baked from "Mother's Favorite" flour. One barrel flour ... lbs.	175	75

CLASS 2.

121.	Biscuits—Not less than 1 dozen to be shown $2.00		$1.00

CLASS 3.

122.	Cake—(layer)—Iced $2.00		$1.00
123.	Cake—Loaf	2.00	1.00
124.	Cake—Fruit	2.00	1.00

CLASS 4.

125.	Pie—Apple $2.00		$1.00
126.	Pie—Lemon	2.00	1.00
127.	Pie—Pumpkin	2.00	1.00

CLASS 5.

128.	Doughnuts—Not less than 1 dozen to be shown $2.00		$1.00

CLASS 6.—PRESERVED FRUITS AND JELLIES AND PICKLES AND CATSUP FOR TABLE USE—QUALITY TO GOVERN.

129.	General exhibit preserved fruit. Not to exceed 8 varieties $4.00		$2.00
130.	General exhibit jellies. Not to exceed 6 varieties 4.00		2.00
131.	General exhibit spiced fruits. Not to exceed 8 varieties 4.00		2.00

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CLASS 7.—PICKLES, CATSUP AND SALAD.

132.	General exhibit vegetables, pickles and catsups. Not to exceed 12 varieties $4.00		$2.00
133.	General exhibits salads. Not to exceed 6 varieties 4.00		2.00

School Exhibits

CLASS 1.

134.	Hand writing for children under 10 years $2.00		$1.00
135.	Hand writing for children under 12 years 2.00		1.00
136.	Hand writing for children under 14 years 2.00		1.00
137.	Hand writing for school pupils any age 2.00		1.00

Above to be not less than fifty words.

CLASS 2.—MAP DRAWING.

Outline Map of British Columbia, Showing Principal Rivers, Mountain Ranges, Chief Towns and Existing Railways.

138.	Children under 12 years $2.00		$1.00
139.	Children under 14 years 2.00		1.00

CLASS 3.—FREE HAND DRAWING.

140.	Children under 12 years $2.00		1.00
141.	Children under 14 years 2.00		1.00

Subject selected by exhibitor.

CLASS 4.—ESSAYS.

Section.		1st.	2nd.	3rd.
142.	Best ersay on East Kootenay, its geographical situation, resources and climate $2.00		$1.50	$1.00

CLASS 5.—FLOWERED DRAWING, NATURAL COLORS.

143.	Subject selected by competitor and limited to three $2.00		$1.50	$1.00

Ladies' Fancy Work

CLASS 1.—Embroidery.

		1st.	2nd.
144.	Embroidery—With silk or linen $2.00		$1.00
145.	Embroidery — With silk on silk or satin 2.00		1.00
146.	Embroidery—Wallacian 2.00		1.00
147.	Embroidery—Shadow work 2.00		1.00
148.	Embroidery—Eyelet 2.00		1.00
149.	Embroidered collars 2.00		1.00
150.	Embroidered handkerchiefs—3 initials or monograms 2.00		1.00
151.	Embroidered 5 o'clock tea cloth 2.00		1.00
152.	Center piece—Embroidered in colored silk or linen 2.00		1.00
153.	Center piece—Embroidered in white or linen 2.00		1.00
154.	Tray cloth—Embroidered 2.00		1.00
155.	Table doylies—(6)—Any other kind 2.00		1.00
156.	Tray cloth—Any other kind ... 2.00		1.00
157.	Sideboard scarf —Embroidered 2.00		1.00
158.	Pillow shams—Embroidered ... 2.00		1.00
159.	Embroidered towels—1 pair ... 2.00		1.00
160.	Sofa pillow—Embroidered in silk $2.00		$1.00
161.	Sofa pillow collections 2.00		1.00
162.	Tea cosey—Embroidered 2.00		1.00
163.	Pin cushion—Embroidered 2.00		1.00
164.	Pin Cushion—Any other kind. 2.00		1.00
165.	Embroidered photo frame 2.00		1.00
166.	Handkerchief and tie case 2.00		1.00
167.	Embroidered blouse—French eyelet 2.00		1.00
168.	Embroidered pillow cases—1 pair 2.00		1.00
169.	Eyelet parasol 2.00		1.00
170.	Luncheon cloth—Eyelet 2.00		1.00
171.	Embroidered linen suit 2.00		1.00
172.	Hardanger embroidery 2.00		1.00

CLASS 2.—LACES.

173.	Point lace $2.00		$1.00
174.	Honiton lace 2.00		1.00
175.	Battenburg lace 2.00		1.00
176.	Irish crochet lace 2.00		1.00
177.	Crocket work in cotton 2.00		1.00
178.	Crochet work in silk 2.00		1.00
179.	Crocket work in wool 2.00		1.00
180.	Crochet table mats 2.00		1.00
181.	Center piece lace work 2.00		1.00

CLASS 3.—MISCELLANEOUS.

182.	Drawn work $2.00		$1.00
183.	Huck Back darning 2.00		1.00
184.	Coronation braid work 2.00		1.00
185.	Hemstitching 2.00		1.00
186.	Darning 2.00		1:00
187.	Best display of button holes ... 2.00		1.00
188.	Patch work 2.00		1.00
189.	Knitting in cotton 2.00		1.00
190.	Netting 2.00		1.00
191.	Needle work—(Girls under 15) 2.00		1.00
192.	Old ladies needle work—(60 or over) 2.00		1.00

Amateur Photography

Special prize offered by Beattie & Atchison, the agents for Eastman's kodaks.

193. Best six mounted photos on Solio paper, any size ... ... $5.00 and $3.00 in photo goods

194. Best six mounted photos done on Velox paper, any size ... ... $5.00 and $3.00 in photo goods

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Not less than six pictures shall be displayed.

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Life studies—Portraits $2.00			$1.00
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Landscape or marine $2.00			$1.00
Animals—From life 2.00			$1.00
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Commencing at a post planted about four miles east of the 39 mile post of the C. P. R. survey and three miles west of Lot 7848, Group 1, and marked Park Howell's N. E. corner, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to point of commencement and containing 640 acres.

Park Howell, Locator.
Located August 5th, 1909. 24-6t

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C. Howell, Locator.
Located August 5th, 1909. 24-6t

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S. D. Howell, Locator.
Located August 5th, 1909. 24-6t

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Commencing at a post planted about four miles east of the 39 mile post of the C. P. R. survey and three miles west of Lot 7848, Group 1, and marked Hattie Howell's S. E. corner, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains east, to point of commencement and containing 640 acres.

Hattie Howell, Locator.
Located August 5th, 1909. 24-6t

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF EAST KOOTENAY HOLDEN AT CRANBROOK.

DESAULNIER VS. SHEA.

FOR SALE BY TENDER.

Lot 6, Block 1, Map 667, Moyie City, together with the dwelling house erected thereon.

Particulars and conditions of sale can be seen at the office of the court and copies obtained from the undersigned and all bids must be written on one of such copies.

Bids must be in writing, accompanied by currency or a marked cheque for 5 per cent of the amount bid and must reach the Registrar of the above Court before five p.m. of the 10th day of September, 1909, in an envelope addressed:

"The Registrar,
"Desaulnier v. Shea,
"County Court,
"Cranbrook, B. C.,
"Bid."

Dated the 27th August, 1909.

W. F. Gurd,
Baker Street, Cranbrook, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Plaintiff. 24-1t

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Ned Jannes, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1909. 25-6t

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No. 2.

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Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Ned Jannes' application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Phillip E. Smith, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

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Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Phillip E. Smith's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Roscoe S. Madden, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

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Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Roscoe S. Madden's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Ben F. Walling, Jr., Locator
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

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COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 5.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Ben F. Walling's, Jr., application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Ben F. Walling, Sr., Locator
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

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Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Ben F. Walling, Sr., application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Jesse H. Walling, Agent.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 7.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted 80 chains, more or less, east of north east corner of Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Geo. W. Lamson, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 8.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Geo. W. Lamson's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

James H. Lowell, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 9.

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Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of James H. Lowell's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Henry A. Partridge, Locator
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 10.

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Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Fred H. Doris' application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Erma Walling, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 11.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Georgia M. Walling's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Georgia M. Walling, Locator
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

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No. 12.

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Starting at a post planted 80 chains, more or less, east of the north east corner of Geo. W. Lamson's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Ellen M. Walling, Locator,
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 13.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Gilbert T. Hamill's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Gilbert T. Hamill, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 14.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Thos. E. Buckner's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Thos. E. Buckner, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 15.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Pauline H. Partridge's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Pauline H. Partridge, Locator
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 16.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Henry A. Partridge's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west. thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Fred H. Doris, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICES.

No. 17.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Starting at a post planted at or near the south east corner of Erma Walling's application in Lot 4593, Flathead District, B. C., thence eighty chains south, thence eighty chains west, thence eighty chains north, thence eighty chains east, to the place of commencement.

Frankie G. Walling, Locator.
C. E. Kunsch, Agent.

Witness: A. G. Stall.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1909. 25-6t

KOOTENAY LAND DISTRICT.

DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles Reginald Ward, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Civil Engineer, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., for permission to purchase the following described land:

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Charles Reginald Ward.

Dated July 15th, 1909. 19-9t

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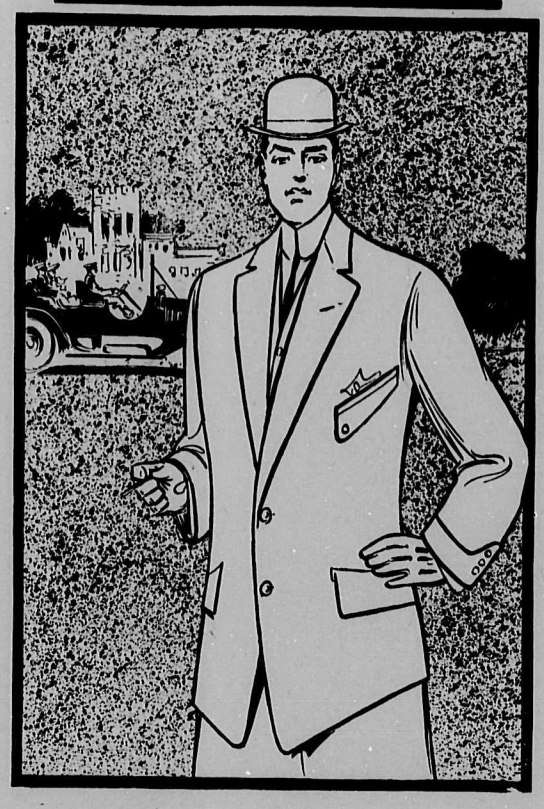

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