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Observation

All of the good qualities and achievements possessed by the worthy secretary of our local Fruit Growers' Association, he himself or the majority of his advisers must suffer from excessive expansion or contraction of the brain, judging by the methods adopted to eject one of their brother fruit growers from being present, as a peaceful spectator and observer, during the instructions and demonstrations at the government conducted packing school, unless he forthwith produced one dollar and allowed himself to be enrolled as a member of their local Fruit and Produce Association.

Fortunately your humble intruder happened to be in possession of the coin, and he lost no time to inform this self assumed authority, that the request would be complied with, as it flashed through his mind the humiliating spectacle of being unceremoniously pitched head first through the door, and as he was partly an invalid from a lame foot, would be unable to gracefully navigate himself during such a process.

For all this, your humble brother fruit grower wishes to state that he harbors no envy or ill feelings towards any of the members or officers of the association and wants to assure them that the association has no warmer friend or firmer supporter of the aim and course for which it is striving to work.

But what grieves him is the lack of true fraternal spirit so essential to any organization, and the tendancy of selfishness and envy so prevalent amongst those to whom we look to lead and harmonize its members and those outside, so as to smoothen the path for progress.

But for all this, we must not get discouraged, so as to lose hope for ultimate results, as at present we are in the stage of transformation, such as every fruit or agricultural organization have had to go through before they finely emerge on the plane of ultimate success.

It must also have been painful and humiliating even to the government representative to find his authority usurped by some of the pupils of his (having previously assured me of my rights to be present during the demonstration and instruction) but when he aired his disapproval of such action towards a spectatior, he was promptly informed by one of his pupils that the action was justified by the intention so as to get members for the association.

My gratitude to the government and its able representative for the masterly demonstration of the science of apple packing, can not be expressed in dollars and cents. Suffice to say that as one of the units, I would not have lost being present for ten times the amount extracted, although I only had the pleasure of attending but two demonstrations.

I should have refrained from making this public were it not that I am convinced that as long as the officers or directors (whether assumed or real) permit themselves to be governed by such methods and motives, the association will not prosper or achieve that for which it so nobly aims, "Fraternal local co-operation in production and marketing of the products."

Your humble brother fruit grower,

O. J. Wigen

Those English Sparrows

The Review, at the request of several Creston fruit growers and ranchers, called attention to the presence in Creston of a small flock of English sparrows and also took the matter up with Government Agent Teetzel with a view to the sparrows being exterminated before they become numerous and a pest. Mr. J. J. Atherton, a printer, has taken upon himself to pose as an authority on birds and has written a letter to the Nelson Daily News denying that these are English sparrows. In this issue will be found a letter from Mr. J. Heath, an English horticulturist of many years standing, and a prominent rancher of the Creston Valley, on the subject. We leave our readers who know both Jay Jay and Mr. Heath, to judge for themselves between the word of an expert, and the biased vaporings of Jay Jay.

Nothing succeeds like success. Spring costumes tailored in the latest modes and styles by Madame Garrett, the Creston Valley Costumier. References given to satisfied customers in the Creston District.

FOR SALE—A 6 roomed store building 20x24 but well built New location on Sirdar Avenue. Price including lot $1000. Apply to Eugene Caserta.

McBride Government Generous to Kootenays

Estimates Show Grant of $1,000,000 With Ymir Heading the List---James H. Schofield Secures $102,000 for Public Works in Ymir Riding.

The estimates presented to parliment during the just ended week show that the financial apportionments of the provincial government for the coming year include provision for the necessities of the growing districts of the Kootenays, strictly local votes in this regard approximately in the general votes for hospitals, $225,000; education, $787,976; administration of justice, $31,220; assistance in hospital building $110,000; bridges, $600,000; wharves, $80,000; agriculture and kindred associations, $102,000; demonstration orchards, $15,000; surveys, $400,000; road-making machinery, $100,000; and forest protection, $150,000. The special appropriations for roads, trails, etc., for the several Kootenay districts are given thus:

	1910-11	1911 12	Supple.
Cranbrook	$65,000	$85.000	$15,000
Fernie	65,000	85,000	32,500
Kaslo	56,300	74.000	1,200
Slocan	65,000	75.000	3,000
Ymir	75,000	102,000	6,000

It is not necessary for us to enlarge upon these figures, they speak eloquently for themselves, as a practical proof of the interest taken by the government in the development of the Kootenays, and of the efforts of Mr. J. H. Schofield as the representative of Ymir Riding which have resulted in his securing for this district the top place in the list of appropriations.

The roads and trails, bridges and public works which will be carried out as the result of this magnificent grant, will be of the greatest benefit to the district, and will in after years remain as a permanent monument to the energy of our member and the McBride Government.

District Court

In the Small Debts Court last Wednesday afternoon in the case of P. Burns and Company vs. J. J. Atherton, Magistrate Johnson gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff for $21.05 for claim and costs.

In this case the plaintiff brought action to recover payment of a meat account and produced a promissory note in court that had been given by the defendant as a settlement of the claim. This note had been dishonored by the bank and charged back to the plaintiff's account. The note was for some $22.05 and there had been $8 paid on it at various times, leaving a balance of $14.05. In giving judgment the Magistrate informed the defendant that he did not want to work any hardship on him and the defendant was consequently given a week to arrange a settlement of the claim. The court also informed the defendant that the unpaid promissory note would remain in court and would be delivered to him as soon as the judgement was paid.

Have you seen the assorted stock of Enamel ware at Ed. F. Johnson's hardware store on Fourth St.? If not drop in and inspect for yourself.

Tour of Inspection

Last Sunday R. T. L. Galbraith, Indian Agent at Fort Steele, paid Creston a visit, and on Monday and Tuesday held long conferences with the Creston Indians. Mr. Galbraith was on a tour of inspection and had just returned from the Windermere district, where he had made an inspection of the reservation in that region He stated that in the Windemere district the snow was much deeper than at Creston, and the weather was a great deal colder.

In speaking of the Indians at Creston, Indian Agent Galbraith stated that the birth rate was keeping up well and the general health of the native sons was good, very few cases of consumption and hardly any sickness. In speaking of the difficulty the Great Northern Railway was having with the Indians and public generally for trespassing on the railway Mr. Galbraith threw new light on the subject when he informed the Review that by the building of the railway a public trail between Creston and Port Hill had been obliterated, and the Indians as well as the public generally, were consequently put to a great inconvenience. Mr. Galbraith took up the matter of opening up the road to Port Hill with Superintendent of Roads G. M. Benney and was highly gratified when the genial Road Superintendent informed him that the matter of building a road and bridge between Creston and Port Hill was now before the Government and it would be built in the near future. By the completion of this road and bridge to Port Hill, travel from Creston to Port Hill would be possible at all times of the year.

In speaking of the reported wholesale slaughter of deer by the Indians Mr. Galbraith stated that he thought the reports in that connection had been greatly exaggerated, but he had instructed the Indians that they must obey the game laws strictly. In referring to the general conditions of the Indians the Indian Agent said that he found the Indian cattle in a flourishing state and there was ample hay to put them through till spring. Mr Galbraith left Creston on Tuesday's noon east bound train and proceeded to the Tobacco Plains where he will inspect the reservation before returning to Fort Steele.

A Washington dispatch under date of the 23rd inst., states that the Reciprocity Bill will come before the Senate on Monday next, the 27th inst. There is a strong fight in the American Senate to have this bill put through the Senate Monday.

Owing to the fact that unqualified persons were enrolled on the civic voters list of Victoria, Mr. Justice Gregory of the Supreme Court has decided that the election of Mayor and Aldermen as held on January 12th last, is void. The Queen City is therefore without a Mayor and Council.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Dedication of Christ Church, Creston, Sunday, February 26th, 1911.

Dedication service 11 a. m.; evensong and sermon 7:30 p. m.

Preacher, The Rev. E P. Flewelling, Rector of Cranbrook, Rural Dean.

CRESTON DYE WORKS

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OLD THINK TANKS

Pilgrim Joe's Discovery Arouses Latent Memories.

DOES MORE THAN IS WANTED.

Recollections of Borrowed Money, a Discarded Man, Cheating In Church, Lost Thimble and Other Cases—Inventor Threatened.

By M. QUAD.

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FOR the last thirty-five years I have been experimenting with various roots and barks with a view of bringing out some sure and certain remedy for loss of memory in old and young people. The amount of forgetfulness in this world is something astonishing, and the evil thereby caused can hardly be computed.

It gives me the greatest pleasure to state that my long and untiring efforts have at last been crowned with com-

THE LONG LOST THIMBLE.

plete success, and every drug store in the land is now supplied with Pilgrim Joe's Wonderful Memory Restorer.

I make no difference between respectable and disreputable druggists, but serve both alike, as I wish my restorer to reach all classes and conditions.

Every bottle holds a full pint, and the cork is secured by red wax. Take no other. More depends on the color of the wax in patent medicine than the contents of the bottle.

Every bottle has a wide mouth, so it can be used to take ice cream home in when the original contents are gone.

Inspected under the pure food and drug law and found to contain nothing to kill a horse. If you die after taking a few doses your friends must look for paris green in the well.

I do not wish to boast too greatly of this new and valued addition to the many preparations on sale and will therefore submit a few testimonials from the thousands pouring in by every mail.

J. D. B. of Hartford writes: "I hope you will meet with no success in the sale of your memory restorer. My wife got me to take a dose, and it was hardly down before I remembered borrowing $10 of her five years ago, and there was nothing to do but pay it back. You don't get me to take another drop."

John Henry H. of New York city writes: "I was being sued for breach of promise, and as the girl had nothing in writing to bring forward the jury would certainly have cleared me had not the plaintiff's lawyer tricked me into taking a dose of your restorer. Under its influence I owned right up that I had asked for the girl's hand three different times, and she was awarded $4,000. I shall warn all my friends against your decoction."

Forgotten Man Restored.

Miss M. B. of Detroit writes: "I think such men as you ought to be put behind prison bars. I was about to be married the other day when a stranger to me rose up and forbade the banns. I fainted, and to bring me to they poured a big dose of your restorer down my throat. When I revived the stranger was a stranger no longer, but a man I had accepted several years ago and forgotten all about. He's lop shouldered and knockkneed, but I've got to keep my promise. I trust that your days in the land may be short and full of woe."

Deacon Thompson of Oswego writes: "One day last week my wife came home from the drug store with a bottle of your memory restorer and a great story of what it would do. Just before setting out for prayer meeting that evening I took a dose. As a consequence I rose up in meeting and remembered and owned up to cheating no less than seven of the brethren who had traded horses with me at various times in the last thirty years. I was going on to own up a lot of other things when luckily for me the fire bells rang and I had a chance to get out of the meeting house. I had, however, owned up to enough to give me a black eye all around town, and I propose to give you such a lawsuit as mortal man was never called upon to defend before."

Mrs. Dunforth, widow, of Kansas writes: "For several years past I have laid my spectacles, thimble, etc., away and then had to hunt for hours to find them again. A friend of mine called my attention to your restorer, and I got a bottle. After the first dose I walked right down the cellar and found my spectacles on the shelf where I had placed them months ago. After the second I found my lost thimble in the teapot. I was fool enough to take a third, hoping to find a dime I mislaid two years ago, but what did it do but make me remember that I owed Elder Johnson for a barrel of pork bought five years ago. I started right out and paid the debt, and he charged me interest at the rate of 10 per cent. I am advising everybody in the vicinity to beware of your restorer as they would of the deadly rattlesnake."

Borrowed "Five" Recalled.

Henry P. of Milwaukee writes: "If I had my paws on you you should surely suffer. I took a dose of your memory restorer the other evening to see if it wouldn't help me to remember who borrowed my jackknife during the day. It did. It was Moses Barnes, but when I went for the knife next day he claimed that I borrowed $5 in cash at the same time he borrowed my old fifteen cent knife, and I've got to come down or stand a lawsuit. I look upon you as a fraud and a swindler and shall do everything possible to injure you."

Deacon Waters of Ohio writes: "Some ten years ago I had a business deal with Deacon Travers, also of this town and a member of the same church. A year later he claimed that I still owed him $3. I denied it, and he sued. He was beaten, but the event almost disrupted the church and antagonized many families.

"The other day in calling on the minister I found him about to take a dose of your memory restorer. He had laid aside his sermons for three years and could not find them to preach over again. I decided to imbibe with him and see if I could remember to whom I lent my pitchfork.

"Right here, sir, I wish to call you an unhung scoundrel. The dose had no pitchfork in it, but it caused me to remember and to blurt right out to the minister that I really did owe Deacon Travers that money. I tried to take it back, but in vain. I have had to come down with the dough, with interest and compound interest, and no one will now buy eggs of me without counting them over twice. I would go many miles, sir, to see justice done upon your wretched carcass. Why remember? Why not forget?"

Remarkable Case In St. Paul.

Mrs. H. G. of St. Paul writes: "I am one of those fools who buy every patent medicine as fast as it appears, and the other day I came across your memory restorer. Years ago a cousin of mine removed to Kansas. I had forgotten the name of the place and took a thumping big dose of your restorer in hopes to recall it. The name came within two minutes, and within two more I received a telegram that my cousin was dead and hadn't left me a red cent out of her riches.

"Sir, I denounce you as a miserable wretch, and you may be sure that I shall do everything in my power to drive your villainous compound from the state of Kansas."

Pilgrim Joe's Memory Restorer restores events a hundred years past.

One dose will carry your memory back for fifteen years. Before the bottle is finished you are remembering how and where you met George Washington.

Can be taken on a full or an empty stomach.

You don't lose consciousness when it is working.

If other persons are in the room with you be careful not to express your surprise as events of the past come rising up before you.

After the fifth dose slack off for a day or two in order that your memory may get used to the new strain put upon it.

Druggists who offer you "something just as good" are horse thieves and liars, and their preparations are liable to make you forget that you have paid your street car fare once and hand the conductor a second nickel. There is but one Pilgrim Joe.

The Only One Lacking.

"Why are you so sure there is no such thing as a fourth dimension?"

"Because," replied the discouraged fat man, "if there was I'd have it."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Unsimplified Spelling.

The lady of the house was telling her caller something she did not want the eight-year-old girl to hear, and she resorted to the common device of spelling many of the words she used.

The little girl listened intently for a time, alive with curiosity, but she could make nothing of it.

Then she walked out on the porch, where her father was sitting, and said bitterly, "There's too much education in this house."—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

The Artless Answer.

"Are we free men or are we slaves?" thundered the noisy orator. "I pause for a reply."

"It's about an even break, mister," came the answer from the rear of the hall. "Some of us are bachelors, and some of us are married."—Chicago News.

Rats, Pads, Etc.

When little sister sweetly stands
Beside the dressing table
She's said to be making a toilet grand
In a manner deft and able.

But how can a term like that apply
With all the modern arts?
For instead of making a "toilet" now
It's just assembling parts.

—Philadelphia Telegraph.

GROWTH OF CANADA.

Her Amazing Progress Is Attracting World-wide Attention.

This is the tenor in which popular American papers are now speaking of Canada. It shows a change of front in the last two decades:

Canada's amazing growth is attracting world-wide attention. Not so very long ago that country was regarded as being one of the lesser elements in the progress of the world as a whole, but now, within a few years, there has come about a change which has placed Canada well toward the head of the list of those countries classed as well-to-do in a material sense. Natural resources have been developed through a splendid system of railroads, homesteaders have flocked in, and on every hand prosperity is evident.

Three great factors in the progress of Canada are agriculture, immigration and transportation, each of which is making a great showing. It means the dawn of a great and mighty nation, and one that is destined to have a great influence in the affairs of the world. In western Canada alone there are 334,000,000 acres of land, only 44,000,000 of which are now homesteaded. With only 12,000,000 acres of this under grain crop last year about 147,000,000 bushels of wheat were produced. What will it be when all of that immense territory is under cultivation? Is it not evident that Canada will become the bakeshop of the bunch?

That the world is beginning to realize this is shown by the confidence displayed in Canada's future. During the past five years Great Britain has invested $605,000,000 in Canada, mostly in railways, Government and municipal debentures, and during the same period the United States has invested $226,000,000 in Canada, mostly in establishing manufacturing plants. Quite recently French bankers have made known their desire to invest $50,000,000 in Canada this year. The trend of the times is fairly shown in these figures.

One can see plainly why the United States should look to closer trade relations with Canada. The fact that the wheat producing power of the United States has now almost reached its zenith, while the population grows unceasingly, shows that sometime, soon, the United States will have to buy her wheat from abroad. There is no doubt about this being a fact. In the face of a possibility such as this the United States should lay the foundation of her future food supply by meeting Canada squarely and fairly as a nation that has something of untold value to gain, to obtain which the complete sacrifice of present day vantage and ideas would be as nothing compared with cheap food for the next generation, and this one, too.

The Storm of 1905.

The great snow-storm of 1905 will be long remembered. The upper end of Lake Superior was fairly strewn with the stranded. The Western Star went ashore near Apostle Islands; the Corey wrecked on Gull Rock; on Minnesota Point the steamer England came to grief. The life-saving crew rescued the men. At Duluth piers the Metaffa broke her back and nine men were lost. At Lester Park, six miles to the east, the Crescent City went on the rocks. The men laid a hatch across the rail and walked ashore. It was a more convenient wreck than most. The Lafayette, further east, was a total loss, though her engines and boilers were afterwards salvaged. The Edenborn and her tow barge, the Madeira, were put up high and dry. The Spencer and her barge, Amboy, were lost, and the Monkshaven may still be seen on the rocks of Angus Island.

The ill-fated Metaffa had ventured out of Duluth's bottle harbor, but decided to turn back. She headed for the mouth of the canal that leads into Duluth as into a pound net. A strong current was pouring out between the piers, and a cross swirl caught the bow of the Metaffa and flung it to one side. She missed the channel, hit one of the piers, swung around it broadside, and dropped outside the breakwater, where the seas drove her into shallow water. She grounded 100 feet out from the breakwater. Here, within plain view of thousands of people, she was beyond aid. The seas had all Superior and a hurricane behind them, and piled up over the stranded vessel and over the breakwater. Two men in the deckhouse tried to make their way aft, where the others were, and where there was warmth from the boiler. The crowds on shore saw these two men washed overboard, and beheld one of them caught in a cross swirl and restored to the deck. He clung there exhausted, and was presently frozen in the centre of a solid cake of ice.

The storm raged all night. When they got out to the Metaffa the next day, they found the water had put the engine fires out. Nine men they found frozen, and they chopped them out of solid ice one foot thick, with axes. As for the Metaffa, her back was broken. They towed her into the dry dock at Superior and took her apart. The machinery was removed and sold.

An Overburdened Hen.

There is a certain hen, residing on a certain small farm on the Hamilton road, just outside the city limits, that is one of the most overburdened of mothers.

Some time ago she hatched out nine beautiful chicks. The same day two incubators which had been at work brought out 175 birds.

The hen, being a poor hand at arithmetic, and possessing an open heart, imagined herself the mother of the whole tribe, and daily she does her best to keep order in the family, and scratch for the 184 little bills.

When she croons to them, a perfect avalanche of broilers races in her direction. When she seeks repose, she is almost smothered under brand new chickens.

When a reporter saw her she was doing her best to get her wings over all her chickens, but in a minute she looked like a well-decorated miniature pyramid of spring fowl.—London Advertiser.

A PIONEER NAVIGATOR

LATE CAPTAIN SHEPHERD WELL-KNOWN AROUND MONTREAL.

For Sixty Years He Was Engaged In Marine Affairs of Montreal and Was One of the Best Loved Captains on Inland Waters—Commanded the Lady Simpson, One of the First Steam Craft In Canada.

In the death of Captain Shepherd, one of the best-known and most highly-esteemed masters of inland navigation in Canada passed away. Deceased, who was in his usual good health until quite recently, was stricken with pneumonia but a short time ago and the disease soon got beyond the stage where medical aid could be of any avail.

The late navigator was born in England in 1824 and he came to Canada with his parents when he was only five years of age. For over 60 years he had been actively and prominently connected with the marine and com-

LATE CAPT. SHEPHERD.

mercial life of Montreal. His name is intimately associated with the inland navigation of this country and he was one of the great pioneers of inland navigation on the Ottawa. By his energy and enterprise he did much to promote the interests of the Ottawa valley and eastern Ontario and his line of vessels aided very materially in the settlement and building up of the Ottawa valley. He was for many years president of the Ottawa River Navigation Co. and commanded personally from time to time almost all the big steamers plying between Carillon and Montreal. His first command was the Lady Simpson, one of the first steam craft to sail Canadian waters, and the vessels Prince of Wales and Sovereign were also long under his charge. It was only four years ago that he retired from sailing the latter passenger boat. During his long years of service no steamer under his command suffered any serious mishap in spite of the dangerous and difficult conditions under which he worked in early days.

Capt. Shepherd was unmarried, but he leaves a large circle of nephews and nieces. He was a man of most kindly and genial manner who made many warm friends among the thousands of people who traveled on his vessels. He was 86 years of age, but preserved his youthful appearance to a remarkable degree and no one who did not know him intimately would suspect that he was a man over 60. He inaugurated the Ottawa river navigation service and his name and those of his boats are indelibly impressed upon the minds of three generations of Canadians of the Ottawa valley.

London's Theatres.

Some rather interesting statistics have been given lately in The London Daily News about the number of theatres in that city, and the number of people they can seat. It appears that there are, in all, fifty-one buildings where public performances of stage plays take place regularly. When full, they will accommodate 60,901 people, which would represent, in money value, over $50,000. Drury Lane heads the list with $3,900, but it will astonish many people — indeed most — to hear that Drury Lane is not the largest theatre in London. It seems that the Lyceum now seats more people, but it does not represent as much money. The fifty-one buildings referred to do not include music halls or variety theatres, of which there are forty-eight, these representing 70,486 seats. The largest is the Coliseum, which can seat nearly 3,000 people; while the Hippodrome has accommodation for 2,602.

A Dainty Cow.

The old fabrication that Scotsmen "joke wi' deeficulty" is all nonsense. Some of the newspapers published north of the Tweed are so brimming over with fun that it actually overflows into the advertisement pages, where one would scarcely hope to find it. To back up this assertion we quote the following ad., which appeared in The Scotsman the other day:

"Woman (active) to wash, dress and milk cow; also assist housework. No. 0514, Scotsman, Glasgow."

There's cleanliness for you. We suppose the cows are mangled after they are washed and dressed and their teeth carefully polished up with toothbrushes.—London Answers.

Two Notable Brothers.

Professor James Geikie, who has been awarded the gold medal of the Royal Scottish Geographical Society, in recognition of his numerous valuable contributions to geographical research, is a brother of the famous Sir Archibald Geikie, one of the most accomplished of modern geologists. Both have been Professors of Geology in the University of Edinburgh, both are LL.D.'s of St. Andrews, both are Fellows of the Royal Asiatic Society, and both have served on the Geological Survey.

TWO BUILDERS OF MANITOBA.

Robert Ironside and Thomas Duncan Were Two Who Helped.

Two men who died recently in the eastern part of this continent were intimately connected with the upbuilding of the Middle West of Canada. The first was Mr Robert Ironside, of Montreal, and the second, Mr. Thomas Duncan, Canadian Immigration agent at Syracuse, New York.

Mr. Ironside has been called "Canada's Cattle King," and, as the Montreal end of the great cattle exporting firm of Gordon, Ironside, and Fares, the title was not inappropriate. Both Mr. Ironside and Mr. Duncan entered the Manitoba Legislature in 1892 on the Liberal side, when Greenway swept the province with his national school issue. Mr. Ironside was an implement, grain, and cattle dealer from Manitou, and Mr. Duncan was a blacksmith from Morden, both towns being in Southern Manitoba. Both were big, muscular men, active both in body and brain, but here the resemblance ended. Mr. Ironside was essentially a man of business, who apparently like to sit and dream dreams, and then plan in the quiet of his office for the carrying of them out. He was not fond of talking in public, and seemed to be rather doubtful of those who were. Parliamentary life was irksome to him, and after one Parliamentary term he retired to attend to his own great interests. One day he said to the writer: "I hate sitting in this stuffy chamber listening to talk. I'd rather be out punching steers." That Mr. Ironside dreamed dreams and punched steers to some purpose is shown by the fact that it was not very long after that before the business turnover of the firm with which he was connected was considerably larger than the amount handled by the Treasurer of the Province of Manitoba. Though he was undoubtedly a great business man and a successful one, yet he always seemed more ready to listen to what other people had to say than to give his own views. He had a curious way of asking apparently whimsical questions, but when you thought them over afterward, you would see that it was only just his curious way of looking at life. When the business of the firm got so large as to necessitate some one living in Montreal to look after the shipping, Mr. Ironside moved there, and Mr. Gordon remained in Winnipeg to deal with the ranching end.

Mr. Duncan was a man of different temperament. When he first appeared in the House, some of the Opposition thought they would have some fun with the blacksmith from Morden, but they were badly mistaken. He had built upon his early schooling by diligent reading, and when he came to answer them, they found that he had the classic works of English literature, and particularly those of Scottish literature, at his command. Particularly could he quote Burns most aptly. He developed into a ready speaker, and, while not eloquent, nobody ever doubted that Tom Duncan meant what he said, and this, no doubt, had much to do with his success as the exponent of the advantages of Canada in various immigration fields.

In the death of these Southern Manitobans Canada loses two good citizens, who, in their several ways, did much to build up Canada.

The Two Charlies.

Among those who came in contact with the railway officials of Canada there are no better known pair than "Charlie" 'Macpherson and "Charlie" Foster, of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Both men hail from St. John, N.B., where they did their first work for this great railway corporation. Each in turn went from St. John to Toronto, where each made a "hit." Mr. Macpherson went to Winnipeg, where he has repeated his Toronto success. A few years later, Mr. Foster went from Toronto to Vancouver. Now comes the announcement that the passenger traffic of the West, recently in charge of Mr. Ussher, is to be placed wholly under the two "Charlies." Macpherson will manage the lines between Fort William and Revelstoke, and Foster all traffic west of that point.

Urbanity, courtesy and good-fellowship are the qualities which distinguish these two successful officials. At the same time, each has shown his ability to handle large business in a large way. The man with urbanity does not always have exceptional ability, and the capacity for much hard work, but when he does he is a winner. Each of these men fulfils the higher conditions. The public has always had the confidence in them which is again so clearly exhibited by the C.P.R. executive in making these latest promotions.

Her Gain—His Loss.

"Lady," said the fortune-teller, shuffling the cards for the fifteenth time, "in addition to there being something for the house, a little money, a letter, and something better, the Fates decree that you will visit foreign lands, that you will mingle in the court life of kings and queens, and that, conquering all rivals, you will marry the man of your choice—a tall, dark, handsome gent, of distinguished ancestry—in fact, a peer of the realm."

"Will he be young?" queried the fair visitor, clasping her hands together eagerly.

"Young," fawned the fortune-teller, "and rich."

Excitedly, the fair visitor clutched the seer's arm.

"But how," she cried, "am I to get rid of my present husband?"

A True Gift For Fiction.

In a New Brunswick village a town character who preferred emphasis to the veritas was a witness in a petty trial involving an auger. He positively identified it as the property of the parties to the suit.

"But," asked the attorney for the other side, "do you swear that you know this auger?"

"Yes, sir."

"How long have you known it?" he continued.

"I have known that auger," said the witness, impressively, "ever since it was a gimlet."

LAYS DOWN HIS WORK

REV. DR. SHAW FORCED BY ILL-HEALTH TO RETIRE.

Late Principal of Wesleyan College, Montreal, Has Occupied Many Important Posts In Methodist Church—Was Secretary of the Court of Appeals of His Denomination—President of Bible Society Also.

Rev. Dr. Shaw, who has been professor at Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal, for nearly forty years and principal for fourteen years of that period, has resigned on account of advancing years and ill-health. Dr. Shaw is suffering from heart trouble and finds the responsibilities of the principalship of the college too much for him. He has also retired from

REV. DR. SHAW.

the presidency of the Bible Society, but will retain his connection with the Protestant School Board, of which he is chairman, until his term of office expires in 1913.

Dr. Shaw was born in Kingston in 1841 and has been in the ministry for 47 years. For 37 years he has been a professor of the Wesleyan College and has held many of the leading offices in the Methodist Church. He was president of the Montreal Conference in 1887 and for 20 years was secretary of the Court of Appeals, the highest judicial body in the church. He was a delegate to all the General Conferences since the union of 1883 and had been a member of the previous General Conference of the Canadian Methodist Church.

In educational circles also Dr. Shaw has been a prominent figure, being a member of the Council of Public Instruction since 1887 and chairman of the Protestant Committee since 1900. Principal Shaw's resignation takes effect at once and his retirement causes deepest regret among the college officials as well as among the students.

Royal Pearls.

Her Majesty Queen Mary possesses some very lovely Scotch pearls, which are of a pinkish hue, and are very round in shape. Queen Victoria had a great love for them, and possessed some beautiful specimens of them. Among other beautiful pearl necklaces the Duchess of Portland possesses, she has a string of well-matched Scotch pearls. There is a pathetic story attached to one of her necklaces, which is of most beautiful pearls. William Bentinck, the first Earl of Portland, showed his devotion to William of Orange (afterwards King William III.) by incurring the risk of almost certain death from malignant smallpox in order to save the life of his master, to whom he was page of honor. Deeply touched by the self-abnegation of her husband's faithful servant, Princess Mary (as she then was) took a string of finest pearls from her own neck and handed them to William Bentinck in token of her gratitude. These pearls are a priceless heirloom in the Portland family, and the present duchess has just the stately throat and neck which shows them off to best advantage.

Queen Alexandra has some Scotch pearls, and also an Irish pearl of great size and fine color, which was given to her by the Countess of Dudley. Fresh water pearls are obtained from the pearl mussel, and consist of calcareous concretions formed by certain molluscs, both marine and fresh water. River pearls are sometimes discovered in the Esk and the Conway, but the best home-grown varieties are to be found in Scotland.

One Thousand Operations.

Many people have forgotten that Sir Frederick Treves operated a few years ago on King George V., and has therefore had the unique experience of performing operations on two Kings of England. He told King Edward, when the famous operation of 1902 was decided on, that he would give $50,000 to escape the duty of performing it. Sir Frederick retired from practice because he was really tired of taking out an appendix every morning. He performed the operation as regularly as he had his breakfast, and far more regularly than he had his lunch, for he often had to lunch in his carriage as he went his round of visits. Sir Frederick, it is said, has performed no fewer than 1,000 operations for appendicitis without a single death.

Butter In Slices.

From time immemorial in Cambridge, England, the dairymen roll the butter so as to form a long stick weighing a pound, which they sell in slices, as if it were sausage. In the market the butter merchants do not care to use either weights or scales. A simple glance is sufficient for these people accustomed to the time honored practice. A very neat cut with the knife divides the yard into halves, quarters or eighths very exactly, and it appears that the customer is never given short measure.

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She had been making a noise on the piano for twenty consecutive minutes.

"Shall I open the window?" asked the young man in the parlor scene.

"What for?" she inquired.

"Why—er—so you can get the air," he replied.

A good honest remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and sore throat is Hamlin's Wizard Oil. Nothing will so quickly drive out all pain and inflammation.

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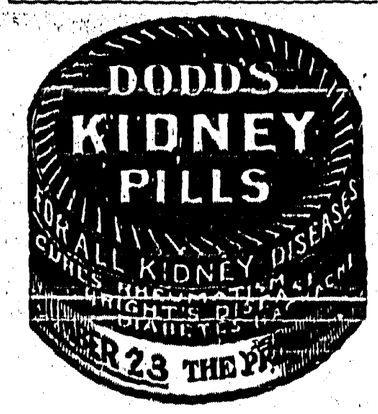
The mistletoe blushed for shame
As it hung above the door,
When the maiden told her flame
She had never been kissed before.



A "Provider" Story

A washerwoman—so the story goes—got married, and one of her clients said to her a month or so after the ceremony:

"Do you get on well with your husband, Mary"

"Oh, yes, ma'am," was the reply.

"Is he a good provider"

"Indeed he is a good provider, ma'am. He got me four new places to wash last week."—New York Tribune.

Cleaning London

Over 65,840,000 gallons of water were used last year in washing and watering the streets of the city of London. The quantity of refuse removed from the city by the corporation during the year was 51,821 van loads taken from the premises and 28,930 loads of sweepings from the public ways, making a total of 80,759 loads, or about 263 per working day.

A countryman on a visit to Dublin wished to buy a watch, and, having selected one, asked the cost. And being told the price of it, he said it was too dear.

"But," said the shopman, "I must charge extra for the chasing."

"Well," said the countryman, "how much will it be if I pay ready cash and you have no chasing to do?"

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. - - - 25 cents.

An Irishman at a fair got poked in the eye with a stick and took proceedings against the offender.

Said the magistrate: "Come now, you don't really believe that he meant to put your eye out?"

"Faith, you're right, this time," said Pat, "for I believe he tried to put it further in."—Tit-Bits.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

At the present rate of decrease it will not be long before there is not left a single horse-drawn omnibus in the streets of London. The General Omnibus company recently sold four hundred horses and expects to dispose of the rest of its live motive power at the rate of about one hundred a week. The automobile is responsible.

Time Has Tested It.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has been on the market upwards of thirty years, and in that time it has proved a blessing to thousands. It is in high favor throughout Canada and its excellence has carried its fame beyond the seas. It has no equal in the whole list of liniments. If it were double the price it would be a cheap liniment.

"Will you always be true?" asked the broker's suspicious daughter, when young Sportleigh had thrown himself at her feet and begged for her hand.

"As true as steel!" he cried.

"Common or preferred?" she inquired, still suspicious.—Chicago News.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address:

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"Papa," asks the little boy, "why do they say a woman is setting her cap for a man when she wants to marry him?" "Because, my son," explains the father, softly, "if she sets her bonnet for him she knows blame well the price of it will scare him to death."—Judge.

A certain country minister was one day visiting some of the church members, among whom was an old gossiping woman, who was always complaining of something. No sooner had he sat down than she began with her grumbling.

"But," said the minister, "I don't see what you are always grumbling at. For instance, your potatoes are the best I have ever seen in the village."

"Ah," replied the woman, "but whar's the bad ones for the pigs?"

A Barnegat schoolma'am had been telling her pupils something about George Washington, and finally she asked:

"Can anyone now tell me which Washington was—a great general or a great admiral?"

The small son of a fisherman raised his hand, and she signalled him to speak.

"He was a great general," said the boy. "I seen a picture of him crossing the Delaware, and no great admiral would put out from shore standing up in a skiff."—Everybody's Magazine.

ARTISTS' EMBLEMS.

In Whistler's Butterfly Could Be Found the Monogram J. W.

The mystic emblem or device of a sort of Whistlerized butterfly was adopted in the sixties by the eccentric genius James Abbott Whistler, who changed his name later to James McNeill Whistler.

Close study will reveal that this peculiar scroll is really a monogram of J. W. The earliest of the etchings to bear the butterfly is "Chelsea Wharf" (1863), but many paintings and etchings after that date are signed "Whistler."

Artists have sometimes signed their pictures in some distinct form instead of their names. It generally was done when the name might suggest some emblem or symbol.

Thus Hieronymus Cock demarked two fighting cocks on his panels; Mariotto Albertinelli signed a cross with two interlaced rings, referring to the sacerdotal duties to which at one time of his life he devoted himself; Martin Rota, a wheel; Pieter de Ryug, a ring with a diamond; Giovanni Dossi, a bone; Del Mazo Martinez, a hammer; Lionello Spada, a sword.

Sometimes caprice dictated the selection, as when Jacopo de Barberi used the caduceus, or Mercury rod; Hendrik de Bles an owl, Lucas Cranach a crowned serpent, Cornelius Engelbrechtsen a peculiar device resembling a weather vane and Hans Holbein a skull.

HIS GREAT IDEA.

The Tin Plated Tomato and the Moral That Goes With It.

A good theory that won't work isn't half as good as a poor one that will.

Twenty years ago a young man just out of college had a great idea. He was going to tin plate tomatoes. There was to be no more troublesome paring and cooking and canning to preserve tomatoes throughout winters. It would be necessary only to drop a nice ripe tomato into his tinning solution and it would come out coated with tin and would keep for twenty years. In fact, there wasn't any reason why it should not keep forever! The young inventor figured it would cost him 50 cents a gallon to make this tinning solution. It surely would sell for $2 a gallon. Every one eats tomatoes—that is, nearly every one. Everybody would eat them if they could always have a nice tin plated tomato lying around. He ought to sell a million gallons a year. That would be a profit of a million and a half dollars. Well, no tin plated tomatoes are on the market yet, and the man who invented them is still making only $15 a week.

The moral of this is that whenever you hear of a great idea that is going to reform or uplift the world make sure that it is not of the tin plated tomato brand.—Chicago Tribune.

A Lottery Romance.

A few years ago, as the date for the drawing of the annual Christmas lottery at Madrid was approaching, a poor mechanic of Corunna was awakened three consecutive nights by the number 125,360, apparently spoken in his ear. So impressed was he by the repetition of the incident that he wrote down the number and jocularly said to his wife, "That number will win the first prize in the great lottery." "Then why don't you buy the ticket?" his wife answered jokingly as she looked at the figures. "Why, see, if you add them together they just come to my age. I shall be thirty-one on Christmas day." The ticket, after much trouble, was found (it had been rejected a few minutes earlier by a wealthy citizen of Corunna) and bought, and before many days had passed the mechanic and his wife were made jubilant by the news that the ticket had won the first prize of £200,000.—London Globe.

The Red Shirt.

The origin of the "red shirt"—worn as a blouse by English women in the sixties, when Garibaldi was a popular idol throughout Great Britain—is sufficiently curious. When the celebrated filibuster was warring in the South American republics he was anxious to obtain a distinctive and, above all, economical uniform for his followers. He learned that a local dry goods store had an immense "job lot" of these garments worn by the "saladeros," or cattle slaughterers, of the great South American cities. The "bargain sale" appealed eloquently to the leader's purse, and he led his men to victory in the butchers' shirts, which are now the accepted emblem of the "risorgimiento" of United Italy.—London Globe.

A Little Temperance Tragedy.

"Don't drink any more, John. You've got too much already."

"No, I haven't."

"Yes, you have, and you'll be drunk again."

"Aw, what do you want to worry about that for? It's me that has the headache next morning."

"I know, John, but it's me that has the heartache all the time."—New York Times.

The Price of Love.

Says an advertisement in the London Express: "Mary—Waited three hours at appointed spot until questioned by suspicious policeman. If this is the price of love it is too heavy a one for me to pay. Farewell. Potts."

Time and Patience.

No road is too long for him who advances slowly and does not hurry, and no attainment is beyond his reach who equips himself with patience to achieve it.—La Bruyere.

ZAM-BUK CURES PILES

Maritime Magistrate's Case.

Mr. C. E. Sanford, of Weston, King's Co., N.S., a Justice of the Peace for the county, and a Deacon of the Baptist Church in Berwick, says. "I have used Zam-Buk for piles and found it a splendid remedy. It cured me."

Mr. Thomas Pearson, of Prince Albert, Sask., writes: "I must thank you for the benefit I have received from the use of Zam-Buk. Last summer I had a fever, which left me with piles. I started to use Zam-Buk, and found it gave me relief, so I continued with it. After using three or four boxes, it effected a complete cure."

Zam-Buk will also be found a sure cure for cold sores, chapped hands, frost bite, ulcers, eczema, blood-poison, varicose sores, scalp sores, ringworm, inflamed patches, babies' eruptions and chapped places, cuts, burns, bruises, and skin injuries generally. All druggists and stores sell at 50c. box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price. You are warned against harmful imitations and substitutes. See the registered name "Zam-Buk" on every package before buying.

Carries On

Woggs—So young Saphead and his father are carrying on the business?

Boggs—Yes. The old man does the business, while young Saphead does the carrying on.—Punch.

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Your Future

Eat, drink and be merry today, for tomorrow you may diet.—The Chaparral.

ECZEMA AND WHAT IS DONE TO CURE IT

Desperate Efforts, Disheartening Failures and Final Success.

Eczema is a skin affliction to which men and women alike are subject, from the first to the last day of their existence. It may occur as a single tiny spot, appearing and disappearing with each change in general health or present only at certain seasons; at the other extreme, the whole body may be involved in a torturing eruption. The latter condition may gradually arise through the neglect or improper treatment of lesser troubles or an apparently healthy skin may, in a single day, become a mass of eczema.

But whatever the form of the affection, the distressing itching, burning, scaling and crusting, the serious disfigurement and the constant dread that the eczema will become chronic, make a speedy cure the aim of every sufferer. Unfortunately, such a cure is not always readily obtained. The most skilled physician is often at a loss and even hospitals are forced to discharge the patient as incurable. Then a wide variety of remedies are resorted to, many perfectly harmless and equally ineffective, others so offensive to every sense that, were it not for the relief they are supposed to afford, no person of refinement would tolerate them for an instant.

To such sufferers, discouraged by repeated failures of even these heroic methods, the instant relief afforded by the first bath with Cuticura Soap and gentle application of Cuticura Ointment is almost incredible. They stop the itching and burning at once, make sleep possible and, in most cases, point to a speedy cure. So pure and sweet are Cuticura Soap and Ointment and so free from every substance of a disagreeable or harmful nature that they can be used without hesitation on the youngest infant or tenderest skin. Besides, they are most economical, a single set being often sufficient for the treatment of even the severest cases.

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HOP WENT FAR AFIELD.

Then the Quarry Was Found Right at His Own Door.

Almost every farmer up north is personally acquainted with at least one or two deer, and sometimes he doesn't have to go beyond his own apple orchard to get a shot at one. Jealous "city fellers" have accused certain farmers of keeping a deer under lock and key and leading it out early in the morning of the first day of the open season for execution. Certain it is that many deer are shot by moonlight before the season is half an hour old.

Hop Wheeler lived in a spot where the woods came down almost to his back door until three years ago, when most of the timber on the hill was cut away.

Hop had a brand-new high-power rifle that would bore a hole through a good-sized maple tree. He practiced shooting with it at a target until he was sure that he could hit a deer at 300 yards. All that was necessary then was to find the deer.

The season opened on a Monday, as it always does, and Hop was up two hours before dawn, polishing his gun and stowing away doughnuts and hard-boiled eggs in a knapsack. At 5 o'clock he hit the trail for a place where deer are usually plentiful. Other hunters were in the woods before him, and occasionally he heard the crack of a rifle not very far away. Before the day was over he passed several hunting camps and saw the carcasses of freshly killed deer hanging by the doors. The successful hunters were usually celebrating their good luck, and Hop was often invited to wet his whistle before he moved along.

But not a living deer did Hop see. Once he heard a scurrying of hoofs in the dry leaves, but when he ran ahead and peered through the bushes that blocked his path there was not an animal in sight. He could hear the rapid diminuendo of the pattering hoof-beats far down a ravine.

He slept in the barn of an abandoned farmhouse that night, and at daylight he was up and stalking through the woods again. But the second day brought no better luck than the first. It was one of those gorgeous days of early Indian summer, when the declining sun shed his last warm rays on the hillsides of the north, which Jack Frost on his southward march has painted yellow and brown and flaming scarlet. But Hop had no eyes for the beauties of nature. He was tired and sore. He came out on a mountain road early in the afternoon, threw down the gun, bit off a fresh chew of tobacco and uttered one word, the one most expressive of his feelings.

He was through. A farmer came rattling along in a buckboard and offered him a ride. He accepted with a grunt of thanks and jumped in. There was something with hoofs and antlers strapped on behind the seat, but Hop pretended not to see it. The farmer knew well enough what the hunter's feelings were and was laughing at him without uttering a sound or moving a muscle of his solemn face. They talked about many things, but the subject of deer was never mentioned. They shook hands as they parted, and the farmer wished his passenger good luck.

"I wonder if he meant anything particular by that," said Hop to himself, as he buttoned his rifle under his coat and started for home.

The sun was just setting when Hop reached his shack. He hung his gun up over the door, kicked the cat out of the house, and loudly demanded his supper. There was something in the tone of his voice that warned his wife not to asy any questions about his two days' hunt. She placed the supper on the table and Hop sat down to eat it. He was just raising his first forkful to his mouth when—bang! A firearm was discharged outside the house.

"What in thunder was that?" said Hop, jumping to his feet.

He opened the back door and looked out. There, over the fence, almost in his own yard, was a wounded deer on the ground! It was a splendid buck with large, spreading antlers. A hunter, knife in hand, was running up to cut its throat.

Hop retreated into the house and gave the door a slam that almost jarred it from its hinges.

"Well, I'll be tarred and feathered," he groaned, "if that ain't rubbin' it in!"

The Retort Diplomatic.

On the morning after the Drummond-Arthabaska election, Sir Wilfrid Laurier was asked what he thought of the situation. His reply was characteristic:

"The Government has received a blow, of course, but it should not be exaggerated.

"I feel very much like Abraham Lincoln did on the occasion of just such a reverse. He was asked by a friend what he thought of it, just as you ask now. Lincoln replied, 'I feel like the little boy who hurt his toe—too sore to laugh and too big to cry.'

"The charge that Laurier has been 'hoist by his own petard' is untrue. Laurier has never used his influence with French-Canadians against English-Canadians or ever done anything but try to prevent racial prejudice in Canada."

He Was Eligible.

"Some men bear seasickness well," said the captain of an Atlantic liner. "I took a Liverpoolian to Canada last month, and the poor fellow did have a time—sick from the first day to the last. But he bore it well, and when we reached Father Point he said to me:

"'Captain, I think I'll go straight back with you.'

"'Why?' said I. 'I thought you were going to make an extensive tour?'

"'No. I think I'll go back now,' he said, gulping as a nasty swell lifted our bow. 'I see by your rate card that you carry "returned empties" at half fare.'"

Overlooked.

Farmers have been so busy pulling their turnips that they haven't pulled in a bag yet to us.—Harriston Review.

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"Nursery Stock and Planting"

LECTURE DELIVERED BY M. S. MIDDLETON, PROVINCIAL HORTICULTURIST, IN THE MERCANTILE HALL, CRESTON, ON MONDAY, 13TH FEBRUARY.

Mr. J. F. Rose, President of the Creston Farmers Institute, introduced Mr. Middleton to the meeting.

Mr. Middleton then lectured as follows:

In the selection of nursery stock, the first thing is to get the best. The difference in the cost of good stock as compared with poor stock, is very little, cheap poor stock is dear at any price. Remember your stock is the foundation of your orchard, get good healthy stock, not poor immature stuff. Get your stock grown under your own conditions, especially under your own climatic conditions. Of the three classes of stock I recommend the one year old, and advise you not to plant any other There are three grades of this stock, budded, grafted and cut back grafts in three grades. A B. and C. All plants are obtained from the seed, and a seedling will be one year old in the fall of the first year. These seedlings are re-planted in the spring, and if used as budded stock, they are budded in June from the ground, and the following spring the tree is cut down to that bud After this spring of course the roots will be two years old, after it is growing another summer in the nusery row it will be 3 years old; and you will call it one year old; a one year old tree on a three year old root. This is generally higher than the graft, which is one year old on a two year old root. If I were planting in a small way, say less than 25 acres, I should get the higher grade, that is A. or B. In regard to the care of the stock after you receive it, cut the strings, remove the packing, and at once hill your trees in and tramp your soil in. Cover up well. It is well to make a good deep trench and work the soil well around the roots. Bury the trees in the fall, top and all, that is the best way to store them over. The best way is to order in the fall and get your stock in the spring, the nurseries have better storing facilities and take better care of the stock tha than average grower. Any person can grow their own stock, if they wish, there is no secret, if you have a good soil you can grow a good stock. I believe to a certain extent in the theory of pedegree stock, but there is nothing in selection unless you keep up your cultivation.

There are four systems of planting extensively practiced, and I can recommend three systems to you in this district. 1st the ordinary square system with the trees a certain distance apart; 2nd the square with the filler one way; and 3rd the square with the filler in the center.

If you intend to do any inter cropping I recommend system No 2. If you have anywhere near 100 trees to the acre, you are planting close enough for cultivation. When the trees become larger you can remove your fillers, I recommend fillers in an orchard because you procure a larger revenue from a young orchard in the early season. I recommend 100 trees to the acre and planting with fillers. As an inter crop, clover should be plowed under in the fall. You have no trouble with frosts here and the clover will be best plowed under in the fall. Leave about 20 feet around the side from the fence line. When laying out an orchard I recommend the wire and measure system Use a wire about 600 feet long and stretch right across at right angles with the base line. Commence with a right angle and get your trees square. I recommend the use of a planting board. It is an advantage from the view of pollonisation to plant two sorts in an orchard, but they can be planted in two sections and need not be mixed up one with the other. This will simplify the spraying and packing. The Jonothan, Wealthy, and Wagner make good fillers, because they mature rapidly, and will be practically exhausted by the time they have to be removed owing to the maturity of the orchard. Trees blossom almost at the same time, and it is not necessary to pay too much attention to this, in regard to the pollonisation Stick to a few selected varieties of apples, and save labor and facilitate marketing. Two or three good varieties on ten or fifteen acres, planted in two or three blocks, is the best system.

I recommend spring planting, although there is no real objection to planting in the fall provided you get the stock early enough. Get the trees planted early in the spring. Do not expose the trees to the atmosphere, prune the roots to make a growing surface, and plant as rapidly as possible. Have the ground in good shape, make the holes 16 to 18 inches deep, and tramp the soil well around the roots; budded stock will be planted 14 to 16 inches, and grafted stock a little shallower. Plant deep enough to avoid suckers from the base of the tree. Do not put manure in the hole when planting The pruning of the roots is very important. Make a good sharp clean cut, in a sloping direction; always prune the roots. No matter what you are planting, prune the roots for quick growth. It is best to have two men when planting, one to prune the roots and top, and hold the tree, the other to use the shovel. Shake the tree well, jump in the hole and tramp it as hard as you can After the soil is filled in level with the surface, make a mulch to prevent evaporation from the tramped surface. It is not necessary to use water if your soil is in good shape. Budded trees and cut back graft trees often have a certain number of laterals in addition to straight growth. Select for your growing branches those with a wide angle, do not select a lateral. Top your tree about wo feet in height and at the fall of the year cut out at least one of these strong branches or two of them, the object being to force your side branches first and not allow your center leader to get too much start. Thus you check the top, and your roots being stronger growth will be forced into the side branches. Aim at a well balanced tree from the commencement.

The lecturer then answered many questions put by Messrs Lyon, Wigen, Bunce, Munn, Pease and others, and took his seat amid applause, having been speaking for 55 minutes.

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Mrs. Jas. Harris of Wappella, Sask., says:—

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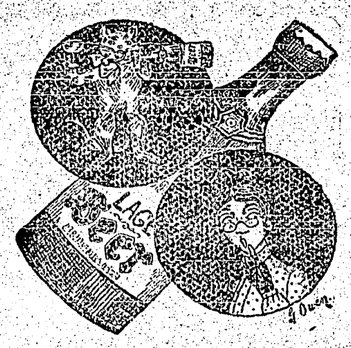

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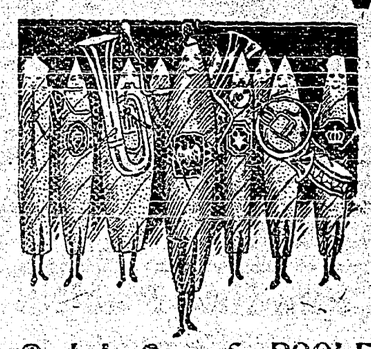

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Take Notice that I, Emma Ferguson, of Nelson, B.C., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Summit Creek, about 100 feet south of road post No. 495, and about one-half mile south-westerly from the mouth of Topaz Creek, thence 20 chains north, thence 2 chains east, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains west, to point of commencement containing 40 acres more or less,

Dated January 3rd, 1911.

EMMA FERGUSON, Applicant
22-32 EDWARD FERGUSON, Agent.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to part 26½ acres of Block 24 of lot 891 Group 1 Kootenay District Map 698.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned land in the name of Isabella A. Farley which Certificate is dated the 22nd of October, 1906 and numbered 6208A.

SAMUEL R. ROE
District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., January 25, 1911.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lots 5 and 6, Block 30, town of Creston, Map 693.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned land in the name of George Washington French which Certificate is dated 20th March, 1909, and numbered 10370A.

SAMUEL R. ROE,
District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C., February 18th, 1911.

SURE SIGNS OF KIDNEY TROUBLE

If your back is constantly aching and if you experience dull shooting pains your kidneys are out of order. If your urine is thick and cloudy and your passages frequent scanty and painful, your kidneys and bladder are out of order Neglect quickly brings on rheumatism, diabetis, lumbago, sciatica, etc.

Mrs. Joan Wagner of 110 Hollis St., Halifax, N. S., says: "Dull shooting pains would catch me across the small part of my back and extend into my shoulders and neck, often causing me to suffer with severe headachess and spells of dizziness Spots would dazzle before my eyes and everything would turn black. I would fall to the floor and be unable to get up again without assistance. A friend told me of Booth's Kidney Pills and I began their use. The first box gave me relief and I am now well and strong"

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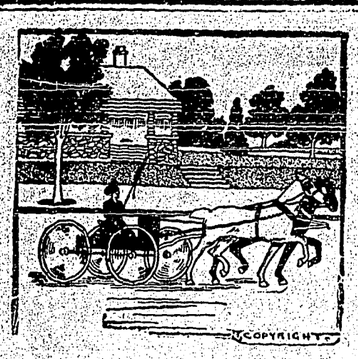
Father Beck arrived in town on Tuesday.



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Communication

To the Editor of the Review.

Dear Sir: I would like to make a few remarks as a stranger coming into Creston to reside for a time

I have made many inquiries if there is a literary society in your florishing town or if there is a reading room where one can pass an hour or so in reading the latest newspapers or magazines or if there is a free public library where one can find their favorite authors or by paying a very small sum is entitled to a membership card and can take out a book for a week or two and read it at one's leisure, and I am very sorry to say there are none of these things here.

Now I think all of this could be remedied if Crestonites could be interested enough to see what a benefit these places would be to the town and how after once established they would be appreciated by the public.

Hoping that those who ave resided here longer than I have and know the conditions of the town better than I do will give this matter their serious considerations and that we will soon have one or all of these conveniences in the near future.

As a first step towards a free reading room and public library, I would suggest the formation of a Creston Literary Society.

Thanking you for space in your wide awake paper, I will sign myself, "One of your readers."

Creston, B. C., February 21, 1911.

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Creston Farmers' Institute Meeting

Decide to Incorporate as a Limited Liability Company and Build Warehouse at Once.

Considering the importance of the business scheduled for discussion, there was only a very moderate attendance of members of the Farmers' Institute, at the regular monthly meeting, in the old schoolhouse on Friday night the 17th instant.

At 8:30 p. m. President F. J. Rose took the chair and called the meeting to order. The minutes of the previous meeting of 20th January, were read by Secretary W. K. Brown, and passed.

Several communications were read, including a letter from the Powder Company saying that the shipment would leave on the 17th February. A letter from W. E Scott, Superintendent of Institutes, acknowledging receipt of cuttings from the REVIEW, and congratulating the Institute upon the progress made during the past year. An official communication was read approving of the change of name to "The Creston Farmers Institute" which from now on is the official title of the local Institute.

President Rose then informed the meeting that the "Warehouse question" had been laid in the hands of the directors, who had written and obtained from the Department all the information in regard to same, and Mr. J Cook, Secretary for Directors, was called upon to give the meeting the result of the inquiries made.

Mr. Cook then explained to the meeting, that the advice of Mr. Scott, and the investigations of the Directors had convinced them that the only manner in which they could successfully build the warehouse and carry on the business they looked forward to doing, was to incorporate under Section 1, Chapter 5, of the Company Act as amended for the special circumstances of Farmers' Institutes. The Incorporation would be a separate body, and the expenses for registration would be $10.00.

Mr. Cook then read the Act, and explained the clauses of same in a full and lucid manner, for the information of the meeting. The Act provides that the profits up to 8 per cent would be payable as dividends to the stockholders, and any surplus profits over and above this would be divisable among the members of the Corporation according to the proportion of their products handled during the year. It will thus be seen that the advantages of the business done through the warehouse, would accrue to the stockholders, the intention being for the stockholders to be as numerous as possible.

A long discussion followed in which D. S. Timmons, J. F. Rose, W. K. Brown, J. Ashe, A Miller, W. V. Jackson, S. S. Fairhead, W. Gobbett, J. Hayden, A. Lindley and others took part.

A motion was made that the report of the Directors be received, followed by another motion "That we now proceed to take up the matter of Incorporation," After further discussion both of these motions were adopted unanimously. Mr. J. Hayden then moved and D. Pease seconded "That we Incorporate." It was decided to call the Corporation "The Farmers Incorporated Co-Operative Exchange." The shares to have a par value of $10.00, payable as follows: $5.00 on application and the balance on first call six months after allottment.

A special meeting was decided upon for the first Saturday in March, to consider the Incorporation further.

After this important business had been transacted, the meeting adjourned at 11:10 p. m.

Yahk News Notes

This week the King Lumber Company has 13 teams at work hauling logs and they expect to start their mill this week at Yahk.

There is so much snow that it is practically impossible to skid logs or ties.

The timber is on the ground for a new general store which is being built by Mr. Murdock McLeod, the Erickson merchant.

The government bridge crew have almost completed the second bridge at Yahk, between the King mine and the depot.

Residents of Yahk are looking for an early spring which should break about the end of February.

The man who whispers down a well
About the goods he has to sell
Will never reap the American dollars
Like one who climbs a tree and hollers
If you are a subscriber to the Review
You'll see my ad in this issue,
For if we extended this verse
'Twould only make the poem worse,
I'm off to the hotel to have a drop,
I'll meet you at the tailor shop.

FOR SALE—Team, wagon and sleigh. Apply to F. C. Blair, Erickson, B. C.

"Oh You English Sparrows"

Prominent ranchers have drawn the attention of the Review to the fact that unless something is done the district in the near future will be infested with the notorious "English Sparrow."

It seems that at present there are probibility not more than 25 or 30 of these birds which appear to go in one flock and have built their nests around some of the business blocks in town.

By request of some of the local ranchers, Government Agent Teezel was written to about these pests and in his reply that official suggests that as the matter is of such great importance to the district at large it might be well for the Creston Board of Trade to take the subject up. It is agreed on all sides that the sparrows should be destroyed, but the question is, who shall do the job. The Review would be pleased to hear from any interested parties on the subject by letter

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NOTICE All letters from Canada must be addressed to our Canadian Correspondence Department in Windsor, Ont. If you desire to see us personally call at our Medical Institute in Detroit as we see and treat no patients in our Windsor offices which are for Correspondence and Laboratory for Canadian business only. Address all letters as follows:
DRS. KENNEDY & KENNEDY, Windsor, Ont.
Write for our private address.

According to Government Estimates **$100,000,000.00** Was Made in Western Town Property During the Year 1909

Did you participate in these huge profits or did you "pigeon-hole" the propositions submitted to you by your western friends for future consideration? In short, are you the man who made a profit or the unfortunate one who had the chance but did not possess sufficient judgment to recognize the opportunity or sufficient courage to close a deal? The man or woman entitled to sympathy is the one who says: "Five or ten years ago I had a chance to buy this or that property at $100 or $500, and now it is worth $10,000." The average person sneers at the person who makes such a statement and says: "I would have bought and made that money." Are you going to say five years from now that you had a chance to buy a lot in Poe, Alta., at from $50 to $100 each, or are you going to be the man who will have from $1,000 to $10,000 in cash as a result of having bought property in this town in this year of grace, 1911.

Poe a Coming Commercial Centre.

Poe is located on the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between Edmonton and Saskatoon. It is located in one of the finest farming districts in Western Canada. The surrounding country is settled by a progressive type of farmers and consequently will become the market centre for Northern Alberta. Poe district possesses rich coal mines, is close to rivers and lakes and large forests are easily accessible from this point. These natural resources insure for the residents of the town, first, low cost of living, and second, great commercial activity, two essentials in the upbuilding of a large town, thus creating valuable real estate.

Poe as a Manufacturing Centre

This townsite and contiguous territory has the requirements outlined by large manufacturing concerns for the location of large factories of large enterprises of any kind employing large numbers of people. The rivers and lakes furnish water, the coal fields and forests furnish fuel and cheap building material, the fine farming lands furnish farm products, enabling the residents to live at a low cost.

The town is located on the main line of a transcontinental railway, assuring the necessary transportation facilities. These combined conditions will furnish cheap labor, one of the most important features of a manufacturing centre.

Poe townsite was recently placed on the market and already over 200 lots have been sold, and many of these lots have already changed hands at a substantial increase in price. Most of these lots were purchased by representative business men throughout Canada, who are now profiting by their foresight.

The townsite is high and dry and very suitable for building purposes.

Opportunity

is useless unless you possess the courage to act. You might possess great wisdom, you might read a good deal or travel much and thus see all kinds of opportunities to make money, but unless you have the courage to act on your judgment and wisdom all of these desirable qualities are entirely useless.

Lots in Poe are a good investment at present prices. The town is bound to grow rapidly. Owing to the easy terms of payment you have the ability to buy and if you do not buy now it is because you are lacking in courage, and the chances are you will never be like the man you now admire most, rich, courageous and wise.

Torrens Title

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The agony caused by the intense itching, the depressing and debilitating effect on the system, the dread lest a surgical operation might be necessary—these are the things which make piles or hemorrhoids so distressing.

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OLD PROSPECTOR TELLS HIS STORY

HIS REAL TROUBLES STARTED WHEN RHEUMATISM GOT HIM

Plasters, Ointments and Sulphur were Alike Useless, but Dodd's Kidney Pills Made a New Man of Him.

Princeton, B.C. (Special).—All over Canada people are telling of the great work Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing, and even in the Rocky mountain fastnesses where nature hides her mines, men are telling of cures made and suffering relieved by the great Canadian Kidney remedy. Wm. Murray, sixty-years old, who has tramped the frontier as a lumber jack, rancher, prospector, miner, hunter and trapper, and who has friends all over the west, is one of these. Many a tale of hardship and danger he can tell, but his first real trouble came when rheumatism claimed him.

"I slipped on the mountainside and strained my kidneys and then my troubles all seemed to set in at once. I had nearly all the symptoms of Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Diabetes, Dropsy, and Bright's Disease," Mr. Murray states.

"Then I broke out in a terrible rash that spread all over my body and kept me in torture. I tried all sorts of liniments and ointments and took sulphur enough to start a little lodge of my own. But it was all no use. Then I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and all I can say is they made a new man of me."

W. N. U., No. 824

SHIP WITH A HISTORY.

The Old Pandora Is Now to Become a Yacht.

"A fine ship for buccaneering or for missionary work." With this comment Mr. T. W. Tamplin introduced the Pandora to the notice of a select company at the Baltic Exchange sale-room recently. The auction particulars spoke of her as an ordinary "barkentine"—doubtless the correct spelling—and told something, but not a tithe, of her history.

The Pandora was built in the royal dockyard at Pembroke as far back as 1867. By the calendar she should have been scrapped long since. But being built of oak and teak, fastened with copper fit for coining, and sheathed with yellow metal she has resisted the forces of decay, the fierce buffetings of the sea, and the persistent sawing and squeezing of Arctic ice.

The Pandora was launched as a gunboat, and was known for a while as the Newport. She is just under 150 feet in length, and her gross measurement is 339 tons. She was present at the opening of the Suez Canal, being then a brand-new, swagger little ship. It was as the Pandora that she was destined to be subsequently known almost all the world over in the capacity of an exploration ship, or as a vessel engaged in long and sometimes unusual yachting cruises. Once more this fickle craft changed her name. Captain Wiggins called her the Blencathra when he employed her in the famous voyages to the Kara Sea, and the rivers of Northern Siberia. But it was as the Pandora that she at an earlier period explored the Arctic, and shed fame on Sir Allen Young and his gallant comrades. Three or four voyages, it is said, she made to the Polar seas. On one occasion she was lifted 9 feet above the ice, but she got down again unharmed.

It was the Pandora which surveyed the Straits of Magellan, and thus made available for a huge fleet of modern steamers this short cut from Atlantic to Pacific. When in later years she was used as a yacht she numbered among her owners Mr. Andrew Coats, of Paisley, Scotland. Still later she was acquired by Mr. T. Caradoc Kerry, and made an expedition to the lonely isle of Tristan da Cunha. With it all she was recently declared to be as good as ever she was by a Scottish shipbuilder who surveyed her. Somebody with an eye on her copper fastenings is said to have offered $15,000 for her for breaking-up purposes, but this proved to be the starting-price at the auction, and she was ultimately knocked down for $20,000 to Mr. Buckley. It is reported that she will be employed as a yacht. Evidently the Pandora's career is not ended, and perhaps the world may yet hear of her as earning fresh laurels. She can do eight knots under steam and eleven if the unbought wind is also pressed into her service.

Who Knows London?

Scotland Yard is in a fair way to making itself supremely ridiculous over the manner in which it questions applicants for licenses to drive taxicabs. Here, for instance, are a few enquiries that it is vouched for have recently been addressed to these men:

How would you take a fare from the Microscopical Society offices to the headquarters of the Toxophilite Society, giving the names of streets, etc., on the quickest route?

Similarly from the German Hospital to the Italian Hospital?

From Euston Square Station (Gower street) to the Cafe Royal?

From Holford Square to Lloyd Square? (next door.)

From the Caledonian Club to Queen's Club?

From the National Liberal Club to the Cobden Club? (which has moved its address several times lately.)

From the Zoological Gardens to Paddington Recreation Ground?

From Campden Hill Square to Westminster Club? (a rare name for St. Stephen's Club.)

From Westminster Abbey to the Collegiate Church of St. Peter, Westminster? (one and the same place.)

No wonder that the cab companies are complaining of the scarcity of qualified drivers!

All About It.

To appreciate fully this scrap of dialogue quoted from London Punch one should see the two odd characters engaged in it. Apparently they parted satisfied, one that he had imparted some real information, the other that he had received some. Said one man:

"D'you recollec' old wot's 'is name?"

"'Im with the collar?"

"Aye!"

"Wot abaht 'im?"

"'E 'ad to go down"—jerk of the head—"you know. They give 'im wot you call it—didn't arf git it, I don't think!"

"Reely!"

"'Adn't you 'eard, then?"

"I did 'ear sometink, but no details, not afore now."

England's Newspaper Tax.

On June 15, 1855, England's newspaper stamp duty was abolished, and the reign of the cheap daily began. This "tax on knowledge" was first imposed in 1712 and was made most severe by the act of 1820, which fixed it at 8 cents a sheet, with 87 cents duty on each advertisement. The Whigs reduced the duty to a penny in 1836, but when the Crimean war broke out and every one wanted the news even a penny duty was found to be intolerable. Its repeal is called the Magna Charta of the British press.

The Music Baton.

Musical batons were first used in England about 1820, but it was not until about twelve years later that the batons came into general use. Then a German conductor by using one obtained such wonderful results from his orchestra that others thought there must be magic in this little wand, and they were quick to use one. Up to this time, as indeed, may be seen in many up to date orchestras, the time is kept by the first violinist or the man at the piano.

TO HAVE GREAT PARK

BRITISH COLUMBIA PLANS HUGE PUBLIC PLAYGROUND.

During the Past Summer Hon. Price Ellison Has Been Exploring a Tract of Land In the Heart of Vancouver Island for a Provincial Reserve — Crown Mountain Will Be Its Chief Glory.

A new public play and pleasure-ground, comprising approximately three hundred square miles of the wildest and most majestic mountain, lake and river scenery in Canada, has just been set apart for the use and benefit of future generations by the British Columbia Government in what is to be known as the Provincial National Park Reserve, in the heart of the Vancouver Island Alps. The park surrounds Buttle Lake, named after its discoverer, a California prospector of very early days, who was the first to penetrate the interior of Vancouver Island; and constitutes a veritable wonderland of mountain peaks and glaciers, tumultuous waterfalls, gem-like lakes and sombre forests.

It had never been explored until the present summer, when Hon. Price Ellison, then Minister of Crown Lands, in person headed a party to penetrate its fastnesses and incidentally to conquer hoary-headed Crown Mountain, the monarch of the Island Alps. The party was a remarkable one in that it included the daughter of the Colonial Minister, Miss Myra King Ellison, who, though but seventeen years of age and girlishly slight, succeeded in keeping pace with the hardiest frontiersmen of the expedition, and insisted upon carrying her own fifty-pound "pack" during the whole ascent of Crown Mountain, which it was her proud privilege to christen in foaming wine as "Ellison Peak." Myra river, lake and falls, discovered in the course of the expedition's researches, are named in honor of this dauntless little lady, the first of her sex to have invaded the maze of mountains found in the Vancouver Island interior.

The special report of the expedition was laid before the Government of British Columbia by Hon. Mr. Ellison just prior to his departure for England, where he is now visiting, it being his first return to his native land since he left it thirty-five years ago, with the determination to build up a fortune in the new western world. In this ambition he has succeeded as well as he has in provincial politics, being rated to-day among British Columbia's millionaires, and the proprietor of one of the largest and most admired estates in Western Canada. Retiring from the administration of the Department of Public Lands, he became Minister of Finance and Agriculture only a few weeks ago.

At the meeting of Parliament at Victoria, provision will be made for the construction of roads and trails into the new Provincial Park, while Canadian Northern surveyors are now investigating the possibility of carrying the railway to the new wonderland in the immediate future.

The investigations made by Hon. Mr. Ellison and his assistants have disclosed many new and interesting facts in connection with the little known Vancouver Island Alps, one of which is that there exist, in all probability, other and higher peaks than Crown Mountain, in the vicinity of the Provincial Park, to tempt the skill, the daring and the endurance of new generations of mountaineers; while another is that the Park boundaries extend fully seven miles further northerly than had been supposed. The park is described by Col. W. J. H. Holmes, C.E., P.L.S., who made a careful triangulation survey of Buttle Lake and the surrounding areas, as "situated in the shape of a right-angled triangle, with its north-westerly apex some few miles to the south of the fiftieth parallel, and about 26 miles from the east coast of Vancouver Island. It then follows the boundary line of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway reserve for forty-four miles south-easterly, thence turning due west until met by a perpendicular dropped from the north-western apex. This enclosed area contains between 270 and 300 square miles of mountains, glaciers, lakes and rivers. Buttle Lake itself is eighteen and a half miles long, and (at a maximum) one mile wide, its shores and hillsides covered with fir and cedar, gradually giving place to sharply-pointed masses of rock towering to heights of from 4,000 to 8,000 feet, covered on their northern faces with perpetual snows. To the east of the Lake, the Albert Edward and Alexandria ranges dominate the scene."

"The view from Crown Mountain," says Hon. Mr. Ellison's official report, "is a glorious one of the Victoria peaks dominating all the surrounding country. One of these, King George Peak, rises for 3,000 feet with sheer walls on all sides, and the whole leaning over to the north at a surprising angle. To the north—almost beneath—fed by the living snows of Crown Mountain, is an unfathomable emerald-green lake entirely shut in on three sides by the horseshoe conformation of Crown Mountain, this lake being the source of Adams river, which winds away to the north through a deeply indented forest landscape, until it disappears behind a long range of mountains in the middle distance. In the background, crowning this range, appear the snow-covered mountains of the British Columbia mainland, between Knight's and Bute Inlet. To the east, through a gap between Myra and Flanagan Mountains, a long valley opens out, containing lower Campbell Lake and the seaboard around Cape Mudge. To the south, the eye meets a never-ending succession of peaks and glaciers stretching to the horizon."

There can be no doubt in the opinion of Hon. Mr. Ellison and the professional members of the party, that Mount Flanagan has heretofore been generally mistaken for Crown Mountain—also that the maximum altitude of the Vancouver Island Alps will be found to considerably exceed 8,000 feet. The surveyors describe the country generally as rougher, wilder and more picturesque than anywhere in the Selkirks, where the mountains tower to heights of 12,000 feet and upwards.

Throughout the new Provincial Park signs of wapiti (Great American Elk), of black bear, of wolves, and of red deer were everywhere in evidence. A fair proportion of ptarmigan grouse and other feather game is also reported; while every lake and stream teems with trout. Mountain goats, sheep and chamois are to be introduced in the park at a near date.

At no place were any signs of aboriginal residence or visitation encountered, the interior of Vancouver Island in its northern reaches having been shunned from time immemorial by the native races, either through superstitious fear of the "Massache Ikta"—the Evil Spirit of the red man—or, a more practical explanation, because the Pacific Coast Indian cares not to fare far from his canoe, and has in him no germ of the enthusiasm of the mountaineer.

A REMARKABLE COACH.

Harry Griffith Has a Genius for Getting Rugby Material.

If anyone will dispute the statement that the greatest athletic coach in Canada is Mr. Harry Griffith, of the 'Varsity Rugby team, no one will deny that he is a remarkable personality. Mr. Griffith differs almost completely from the traditional idea of a coach. As he wanders along the side-lines enveloped in his overcoat, he strikes the average onlooker as being slightly undersized, and his manner is so unassertive that one wonders how it ever becomes commanding. As a matter of fact, he does not get results by shouting at his men, but goes about his work with quiet earnestness, studying the team scientifically and adopting the same means of strengthening its weak points. It speaks volumes for his bearing that, even after a whole season on the playing field as one of the boys, he is still "Mr. Griffith" to all of them. The figure of Mr. Griffith will linger in the memories of those who have seen him on the side-lines long after more conspicuous and noisy coaches are forgotten. He invariably carries a cane, and his pipe is his constant companion. It has been said that Mr. Griffith has only one way of showing excitement—anybody watching him notices that he is pulling hard and fast at his little smoker.

His success as a coach has been almost abnormal. When he taught at Ridley College, the St. Catharines preparatory school had the greatest team of its history, and when he came to Toronto he began immediately to manufacture winning teams at the University. He has won the Intercollegiate and Dominion championships, and this year annexed the Yates Cup, accomplishing the feat for the first time in the history of the Intercollegiate League. This record is a triumph for brain and personality.

During one of the games at Rosedale this season, a representative of an Eastern college was speaking of the wonderful showing of the 'Varsity team. "You seem to have struck a regular mine of Rugby material," he said, "and judging from your new players, it is not yet showing any signs of running out."

"Oh, it is not so much the material," said a Toronto enthusiast, pointing to where Mr. Griffith was puffing his pipe on the side-lines, "the important thing is to have that little man put his stamp on it."

Their Favorite Songs.

Since such an interest has been taken in the matter of a national song, it has been considered wise to enter upon the subject of favorite melodies with prominent Canadians and find out their preference.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier declares his fondness for nautical songs and never tires of "A Life on the Ocean Wave" and "A Sailor's Life for Me."

Mr. Henri Bourassa, on the contrary, has no fondness for songs of the ocean, and prefers the simple melody of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

Mr. F. D. Monk has a liking for the sentimental and is deeply affected by "The Girl I Left Behind Me," the lady in the case being that ancient damsel known as the Conservative Party.

Mr. R. L. Borden is afflicted with a fondness for gentle lyrics and prefers lullabies to any other kind of melody. "Rock Me to Sleep, Mother" is his favorite song.

Sir James Whitney scorns the lighter lays and professes to indulge in such outbursts as "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall," and "Hold the Fort."—Courier.

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On Saying Grace

I own that I am disposed to say grace upon twenty other occasions in the course of the day besides my dinner. I want a form of setting out upon a pleasant walk, for a moonlight ramble, for a friendly meeting of a solved problem. Why have we none for books, those spiritual repasts—a grace before Milton, a grace before Shakespeare, a devotional exercise proper to be said before reading the Faerie Queene?—Charles Lamb.

Corns cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Cure is within reach of all.

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Walsh, Ont.

I was cured of Facial Neuralgia by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
J. H. BAILEY.
Parkdale, Ont.

More people would take cahnces if they could put them back in case they didn't turn out right.

One way to remain happily married is to cut out your relatives who are afflicted with the butt-in habit.

The Only Requirement

Hospital Physician—Which ward do you wish to be taken to? A pay ward or a——

Maloney—Iny of thim, Doc, thot's safely for Redmond.

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. - - - 25 cents.

"I tell you I must have some money!" roared the King of Maritana, who was in sore financial straits. "Somebody will have to cough up."

"Alas!" sighed the guardian of the treasury, who was formerly the court jester, "all our coffers are empty."

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Everybody would like to be good if there was any cheerful company to keep it in.

Brag about a girl to her female friends if you would discover her faults.

Sudden transition from hot to cold temperature, exposure to rain, sitting in a draught, unseasonable substitution of light for heavy clothing, are fruitful causes of colds and the resultant cough so perilous to persons of weak lungs. Among the many medicines for bronchial disorders so arising, there is none better than Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Try it and become convinced. Price 25 cents.

Easier

Miss Smith—Now, Madge, tell me, which would you rather be—pretty or good?

Madge (promptly)—I would rather be pretty, Miss Smith; I can easily be good whenever I like to try.—Punch.

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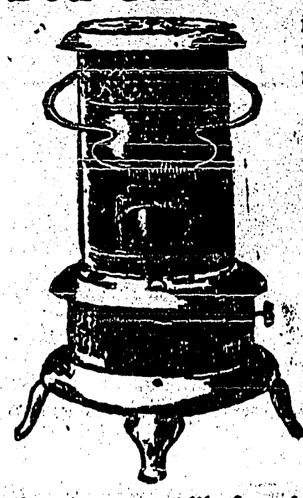

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ON CHOOSING AND PREPARING FISH

A WRITER upon physiognomy says: "In choosing acquaintance or friend, look him squarely in the eye. If he have a shifty, uneasy or sinister look, discard all thoughts of intimacy."

We may adapt and apply the bit of sage advice to the subject now in hand. In selecting your fish, look at the eyes. If they are sunken, dull and glazed, the chances are against his fitness for further acquaintanceship. If the gills (which we may take as representatives of the human handshake) are flabby and dejected and slightly viscid, score another point against him. Finally, if the odor of the body be decidedly "fishy," dismiss all ideas of purchase of that particular specimen of the finny tribe.

A lively correspondent in this number of the Housemothers' Exchange tells us how practicable is absolute freedom from the aforesaid odor, if proper precautions be used. Her sketch of the sequel of the fishing excursions made in company with her "John" is tantalizing to the housemother who must depend upon her own judgment in the selection of marketed fish, or be helpless in the hands of the vender.

Elsewhere, I have dropped a warning word upon this last head: "Now that fish and oysters are bedded in ice until the wiliest connoisseur may be mistaken in their age, it behooves the housemother to know, first of all, that she is dealing with a man with a conscience as free from reproach as she would have her halibut, salmon and oysters." (Complete Cook Book, page 5.)

Thrice blessed is the woman whose husband or son is a practiced disciple of dear old Izaak Walton! If she can persuade him to stop at the fish market on his way downtown and choose the fish for dinner, she is pretty sure to be secure from imposition with regard to the quality of the purchase. It is quite as certain, I may remark, that he will pay more for the fish than she would. John is seldom "strong" upon economy where his table is concerned. This paves the way for another cautionary remark, and one I would emphasize with all my might: There should be no second quality of fish!

Like eggs, it should be first rate, and altogether free from suspicion, or it should not be at all, so far as our domestic caterer is concerned.

Have I ever told in the Exchange, or here, of a visit I paid to the Ghetto in Jerusalem, under the convoy of a native resident missionary? It was a muggy, misty afternoon, but a crowd of men and women had gathered about a man who was shouting volubly from his stand on a barrel in a tongue unknown to my ears. The interpreter explained:

"He is selling spoiled fish at a penny per pound!"

Being comparatively unlearned in the minor niceties of the English language, he used a ranker word than "spoiled" to describe the quality of the wares.

"And these people really eat them!" I cried.

"But, yes, madam! Why not? They are too poor to be nice."

Returning gratefully to American markets and cold storage, I counsel discretion in the selection of species in purchasing fish. Certain kinds suffer less in the process of artificial preservation than others. Salmon, cod and halibut, with others of the firm-fleshed varieties, may be carried over safely into a later season, and deceive the wiliest of the above-mentioned connoisseurs. Whereas, to eat shad and their congeners after the harvest is passed is to tempt ptomaine poisoning. Not a winter passes without bringing us lamentable proof of this, yet shad holds an honorable place upon hotel and restaurant bills of fare for six months of the year.

Study, then, the right seasons for your fish. When your conscientious vender tells you that the kind you want is "out of the market," take his word for it and choose something else.

In declaring that there should be no second quality of fish, I refer to the condition and not to the species. Cod may be as good in its way as the aristocratic salmon, if both are fresh and sound. Smelts are as respectable as trout, although costing half as much.

With regard to the much-vaunted wholesomeness of fish, urged upon our consideration by dietitians who war against too much meat-eating, may I drop a doubting word? Fish is no more nutritious and digestible for everybody than are nuts, which are just now a good second to it. A woman to whom all kinds of shellfish are an active poison, and who approaches every variety of the piscatory genus with caution, quoted to me the other day a proverb I had not heard before:

"The Englishman's fish is the Frenchman's poisson (poison)."

There is a deep meaning in the play upon words. Do not insist that any one food shall agree with every constitution. If you find, after repeated trials, that the fish the rest of the family relishes and digests comfortably is veritable "poison" to you, do no further violence to nature in persisting in eating it.

When you can digest it with as much satisfaction as you had in eating it, adopt it as a substitute for meat, and rejoice in the knowledge that, by reason of a plentiful supply of phosphates, it makes excellent nerve and brain food.

Always presupposing that it is not robbed of every virtue by long keeping and improper cookery.

Fishing John's wife has told us how wisely her husband guarded his "catch" against putrefaction. If cleaned thoroughly, washed and then wiped perfectly dry with a clean and sterilized cloth, it is measureably secured against the germ-laden air until you can pack it down in ice. Do not be afraid to lay it directly upon the ice. It will not suffer by the contact. Do not take it out of the domestic cold storage until you are ready to cook it. Should other antiseptic agency be necessary to preserve it, on account of extremely hot weather, wrap charcoal in paper and put inside of and about the fish. Spare no pains to hold it at a low and even temperature. If, in cooking fish, the smell stealing from the kitchen through the house betrays unequivocally the identity of the food to be served presently, the fish is not perfectly fresh. I have often remarked upon this fact during a residence of forty summers in the lake country of New Jersey. Pickerel, bass and perch caught in the lovely lakelet which washes the foot of my lawn, and dressed and cooked within a few hours after leaving the water, are absolutely non-committal as to their nature, while on the fire. We might be frying chicken, or broiling squabs, instead of preparing fish for dinner.

Baked Pickerel With Cream Gravy

After cleaning the fish, go all over it within and without with a mixture of melted butter and lemon juice. Lay upon the grating of your covered roaster; pour in a cupful of boiling water from the teakettle, taking care it does not touch the fish, and bake twelve minutes to the pound, keeping it covered except when you lift the cover to baste it every fifteen minutes with butter and water from the dripping pan below. Lift gently to a hot-water dish and keep hot while you prepare the sauce. Strain the liquid from the pan and mix with a cupful of rich milk (half cream if you can get it) which has been scalded with the addition of a pinch of soda to prevent curdling. Thicken with a roux of a heaping tablespoonful of butter cooked with a rounded spoonful of flour to a smooth paste. Season with salt, paprika and minced parsley. Bring to a boil; pour over the fish and re-cover for three minutes to let it soak into the flesh. Serve.

Salmon and trout are delicious cooked thus, also bluefish.

Baked Spanish Mackerel

Clean and prepare the fish without splitting up the back, as you would do were it to be broiled. Lay in a chilled dish and pour over it a "marinade" of salad oil and lemon juice in equal parts. Set back upon the ice for half an hour. Cover the grating of your roaster with very thin slices of fat salt pork and lay the fish upon these, the skin down. Pour half a cupful of boiling water into the lower pan, replace the cover and cook in a steady oven for fully half an hour if the fish be large. Baste three times from the dripping pan. Transfer to a hot-water dish and keep hot while the sauce is in making. Thicken the gravy in the pan with flour wet up in cold water; cook a minute and stir in a cupful of rich tomato sauce. Boil up and pour half over the fish, the rest into a gravy boat. Garnish the fish with the bacon.

The ordinary mackerel may be cooked in the same way; likewise, the plebeian haddock. The pork adds richness and flavor to the dish beyond what those who have eaten these fish cooked in the usual way can imagine.

Halibut or Cod Steak a la Creole

Marinade, as directed in the last recipe, leaving it in the oil and lemon juice for an hour. Lay it, without wiping, upon the grating of the covered roaster and bake fifteen minutes before you baste it with the prepared sauce.

Sauce for the Above

Strain a cupful of stewed tomatoes while hot, running through the colander to get out all the lumps. Season with pepper, onion juice, a little sugar and celery salt. Thicken with a roux of butter cooked with flour, adding, when it comes to a boil, a sweet pepper which has been seeded, parboiled and minced fine. Cook five minutes more. Baste the steak twice with this while it is baking. Reserve the rest of the sauce until you have dished the steak. Sift, then, grated Parmesan cheese over it; pour the tomato sauce over this, a spoonful at a time, not to wash off the cheese, and serve.

Boiled Codfish

Lay the piece of fish selected for boiling in salt and water for half an hour. Take it from the briny bath; wipe dry and sew up in a square of white mosquito-netting fitted to the shape of the cod. Have enough boiling water in an enameled kettle to cover the fish an inch deep, add a scant half-cup of vinegar and cook steadily ten minutes to the pound.

Meantime, make your sauce.

Egg Sauce for the Above

Make a roux of a big tablespoonful of butter and a rounded spoonful of flour, cooking together to the bubbling boil. Then, stir in a cupful of scalding milk to which you have added a pinch of soda while heating. Cook for one minute and stir in a hard-boiled egg, chopped exceeding fine, and a minute later a raw egg, whipped very light, and beaten in gradually lest it might curdle.

Take up the fish; unwrap it from the swathings and lay upon a hot platter. Wash over quickly with a tablespoonful of butter and pour over it a few spoonfuls of the sauce, sending the rest to table in a sauceboat.

THE HOUSEMOTHERS' EXCHANGE

IMPORTANT NOTICE

BECAUSE of the enormous number of letters sent to the Exchange, I must ask contributors to limit their communications to one hundred words, except in cases of formulas or recipes which require greater space. I want all my correspondents to have a showing in the Corner, and if my request in this respect is complied with, it will be possible to print many more letters.

Pork Cake

I HAVE a small truss for a boy baby who has been ruptured, which is at the service of the Exchange.

I offer, too, a small box of cigar bands, which some one may want to use in fancy work. Truss and bands may be sent by mail if it is desired to do this.

"Mrs. C. C." (Detroit, Mich.) asks for a recipe for

Pork Cake

One pound of fat salt pork, chopped fine; 1 pint of hot water, 1 cup of molasses, 3 cups of sugar, 7 cups of flour, 3 teaspoonfuls of soda, 3 pounds of currants, 1 pound of sultana raisins, 2 pounds of seeded Valencia raisins, ¼ pound of citron, shredded fine; 1 teaspoonful of cinnamon, 1 teaspoonful each of powdered cloves, allspice and nutmeg.

I hope this is what the member from Detroit wants?

Mrs. J. L. R. (Palatine, Ill.).

Those who would avail themselves of either of the proffered gifts will please send to me for the address of the donor. The recipe for pork cake must be meant for a harvest home supper, or for a very large family. Seven cups of flour should make a ponderous cake. Of course, the cook may divide the quantities at pleasure, keeping the proportions just.

Lettuce Salad

You ask if wilted lettuce is palatable. When you use young, tender lettuce from your own garden you will like it, I am sure. I shred a large bowlful of it and cut up three or four young onions with it. Then I sprinkle it with salt, pepper and sugar. Cut two or three thin slices of bacon into small pieces—or salt ham may be used. Fry it brown. Take out the bacon and shake it through the lettuce. Add three tablespoonfuls of vinegar to the fat left in the pan, and pour this over the lettuce, tossing it up well with a silver fork. A beaten egg may go into the vinegar, but it must not boil, or it will curdle. This salad must be eaten at once before the bacon grease congeals.

This is the old-fashioned recipe for lettuce salad, and popular with farmer folk. Men usually like it, and I think you will consider it well worth a trial.

If the woman who has had luck with custard pie will use two beaten eggs with two level tablespoonfuls of sugar to each pint of fresh milk and bake it in a moderately slow oven until it is "set"—or until a silver knife blade, when run into the middle, will come out clean—she will never fail. Too much sugar and too long cooking make watery custard, and if it bake too fast the bottom crust will rise up in little hillocks and spoil the pie.

The right way is so simple if you know the few points that I wonder it took me five years to learn it. The custard may be flavored with vanilla, cinnamon or nutmeg. I like a fine pinch of mint in mine.

Another contributor asks of treatment for goiter.

I consulted an osteopath with regard to such treatment in the case of my 12-year-old daughter, who was threatened with the disease. He thus treated her successfully, and we are confident of a permanent cure. He says, however, that it is necessary to treat a case as soon as the goiter is developed. Old cases do not yield to the treatment.

L. W. W. (Williston, S. D.).

Cream of Tartar for Stains

Kindly tell me how to take some ugly stains out of a white dress. I have tried lemon juice and salt to no avail. The gown is thin muslin and new.

A READER (Los Angeles, Cal.).

If you have been long a reader you must have seen divers ways for extracting stains. If you will wet these and rub into them all the cream of tartar they will hold, then hold them taut in the steam of a boiling kettle for five minutes, renewing the powder twice and keeping the kettle at a hard boil, you will fade them perceptibly. Then lay in the hot sunshine, keeping the spots wet with a strong solution of cream of tartar all day. You may wash out what is left of the "ugly stain."

Salad Dressing That Will Keep for Months

1. Beat an egg well with two tablespoonfuls of sugar and a pinch of salt. Blend half a teaspoonful of cornstarch and two-thirds of a teaspoonful of mustard with a little water until you have a smooth paste. Work them together in a teacup, and when they are smooth fill up the cup with vinegar. Stir and beat all together with the egg and sugar; add half a cupful of water and a large lump of butter, or if you prefer, a tablespoonful of olive oil. Stir over the fire steadily until it has boiled one minute.

When cold, put into jelly glasses and set in the refrigerator.

When you wish to use it, if it seems too thick, thin with sweet or sour cream. Use in sandwiches of any kind. You may double or treble the quantities at pleasure. It will keep.

2. I never use butter in my cakes—just lard with a pinch of salt. I have the reputation of making nice cakes, too.

3. Don't go to a picnic without taking a small bottle of pickled beets for making fresh sandwiches.

4. "R. S. V. P." in these United States stands with some for "Rock Salt, Very Pure," and with others for "Rat Shows Very Plain." This last is for the women who wear them.

5. Stir your mayonnaise in the salad recipe with a silver spoon and cook in graniteware or in aluminum.

6. Use white bread for the sandwiches, with the beets between the buttered slices.

R. P. (Chicago).

A vivacious contributor, some of whose "bits" are rather startling. All will repay one for reading them. I am a trifle dubious as to the substitution of lard for butter in the finer quality of cakes. It may be well enough for gingerbread and the coarser classes of cooking. I do not think I would relish it in pound or fruit cake, or in any variety that calls for a cupful of butter to be creamed with two cups of sugar. I am afraid I should detect the "lardy" flavor.

I wish some candid and capable cook would try it, and report the result to us.

What a difference in our grocer's bills would follow the success of the substitute in all our homes!

A Fisherman's Wife

1. Tell the people who piece quilts to use the cuffs of discarded shirts. They contain several thicknesses and, as many men do not wear cuffs constantly, they are as good as new when the shirts are worn out.

2. My husband and I take short fishing trips in company. Before we set out for home "John" cleans the fish and wraps each one separately in thick paper, folding in the paper at the edges so that no air can get at the fish. When we get home the fish are put into the icebox thus wrapped up, and left there until we are ready to cook them. Sometimes some of it is left there untouched two or three days. The flavor is as fine to the last as on the day it was caught, and there is positively no odor or taste of fish in the icebox, or in other food that is kept there. The fishy smell does not penetrate the paper.

If the catch be very small, we put the bundle of fish in the bag, which contains our clothes. There is not the least suggestion of fish when the bag is opened.

Are you sure your memory is not failing? You told us some time ago that Mr. Notable is buried in Canada. I believe that he lies among the Berkshire hills, and that the widow scrubs his tombstone fortnightly in obedience to a dying command—perhaps accompanied by a threat that the dear departed will "walk" if it be neglected. At any rate, the poor overwrought woman has a chance to see the flowers in the cemetery.

Can you explain why a man will work all his days without complaining that his employer does not invite him to his home, and his sister or daughter, when airing the trials of a woman who does housework, invariably grumbles that she is not allowed to spend her leisure time in the society of her "Madam"?

A. R. M. (Chicago).

Our vivacious member has her say anent the "small or large kitchen question," but it must perforce wait for lack of room until later. Her suggestion as to the best way of keeping fish fits in well with the subject of today's familiar talk.

The query with which the section of her epistle given here closes opens up a branch of the maid and mistress problem. The fact she sets down cannot be controverted. Neither butler, footman nor gardener *feels aggrieved* that his employer does not treat him as a social equal. He maintains his self-respect in spite of the distinction. He is as respectable as a man and a citizen as the person who pays his wages. Each has his sphere, and if he fill it conscientiously, is honored accordingly by right-minded people.

Must we, then, admit what caustic students of human nature assert as an axiom—that one of woman's chief drawbacks in life is that she lacks a right sense of proportion? Think it over, dear members, and let us have your views on the matter.

Loan of Chair.

Will it be consistent with the rules of the Exchange to ask the members to look up a wheeled chair for a poor boy? If it cannot be given to him, cannot it be a loan of which the very least care will be taken while he uses it? He has been seven months in the hospital. Several of his bones are broken, among them his arms and his jaw. He will be out soon, but is not able to walk. He should be taken every day to the park for some weeks in order to strengthen him for a second visit to the hospital for treatment that may give him the use of his legs and arms. His widowed mother is almost heartbroken. She cannot afford to buy him a chair; all the money she can scrape together must go for hospital expenses. The case is terribly sad. Can your big family help it?

Mrs. H. D. (Chicago).

We rarely admit appeals like this, for lack of room. But if our Chicago coworkers will take hold of this matter and report upon it, I am sure that the chair will be provided. If the facts of the case be correctly reported here, there will be quick response from other mothers. It is, as the friendly writer says, "a terribly sad case."

Calla Lily and Pomegranates

1. What will remove calla lily stains?

2. Is there any way of cooking pomegranates?

MARGARET P. (Los Angeles, Cal.).

1. Soak all night in lukewarm milk. Next morning, rinse in clear water and lay in the sun, wetting hourly with lemon juice. Then wash in the usual way.

2. I have never heard of a recipe for cooking pomegranates. They are a tropical fruit. We appeal for the formula to our far southwestern members.

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Services Next Sunday.

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Services will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday next. Morning service, 11 a.m.; Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. You are cordially invited to join our Bible Class

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Services on Sunday next: Service at 11 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Class at 2:30 p.m.; Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

F. J. Rutherford, Pastor.

Church of England

NOTICE—There will be no Sunday School. Service at Alice Siding School House will be cancelled next Sunday. (Quinquagesima Sunday, or the Sunday next before Lent.)

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Isabella Goodwin, one of the charming lady contestants for the Nelson News voting competition, was in Creston this week. She was accompanied by Miss Winnie Kinnahan.

FOUND—A place to get my suit cleaned, pressed and repaired, at the Creston Clothing House.

Manager Doyle, of the P. Burns Co., was a passenger on Monday's east bound train. Mr. Doyle was on his way to Calgary and intended to inspect the meat markets at various Crow towns.

MUSIC.—Miss Johnson is prepared to take a limited number of pupils for tuition in music. For terms apply to J. K. Johnson, residence on Victoria Avenue.

Mr. Geo. Cartwright left last week on a business trip to Hamilton, Ont.

Do you know that Ed. F. Johnson has been appointed sole agent for Fairbanks & Morris gasoline engines and Jantrifugal pumps?

During the visit to Creston this week of R. T. L. Galbraith, Indian Agent at Fort Steele, he stated that work on the Kootenay Central Railway was progressing satisfactorily. A 45 mile contract on the northern end had just been let.

TO RENT.—A three roomed cottage, at $8 per month. Apply to the REVIEW Office.

Mr. Hicks, a prominent rancher at Boswell, paid Creston a visit last Tuesday. He recently purchased land at Boswell and is greatly pleased with the whole district. When in Creston he was busily engaged looking up freight rates. He is also an enthusiast over the immediate formation of a Farmers' Institute at Boswell, which could work in connection with the Farmers' Institute at Creston.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for good hens, a thoroughbred Barbed Rock Cockerel, two years old. Apply to the Review office.

W. Tate left on Wednesday's noon train for Cranbrook to take in the trainmen's ball last Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. K. Johnson on Friday, the 3rd of March.

For the Hens.—Oyster shell, ground bone, beef scraps, coarse bone, and first-class wheat, at the Creston Mercantile Company.

Willie Atherton returned a few days ago from Michel where he has been employed on the Michel Reporter.

Masquerade Ball on the 17th of March. We are prepared to make masquerade costumes for this occasion. Call and give us your order early at the Creston Clothing House. Glenn Wisler. Phone 34.

The new English Church will be dedicated on Sunday next, February 26. The Reverend E. P. Flewelling, Rector at Cranbrook will be the preacher.

Now is the time to make arrangements for that bath room. Call and interview Ed. F. Johnson the plumber.

Mr. J. Johns, who has filled the position of assistant bookkeeper for the Canyon City Lumber Company for the past few weeks, left for Vancouver last Wednesday.

Ladies Attention—The Review has a large stock of visiting cards on which we can inscribe your name in type to suit the most fastidious.

Walter W. Hall, the popular proprietor of the Erickson Hotel is building a large ice house just now, which will hold 15 tons of ice. This ice is being cut in the Goat River and is 16 inches thick and is fine clear water ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe of Moose Jaw, Sask., have been paying a visit the last few days to Mrs. J. W. Dow. They left again for the east the middle of the week.

PIANO.—Now at railway station near Creston, will be sacrificed for $250 cash. Never been used. Lady unable to keep it.—Apply in first instance Mrs. A. G. MUNGEAM, 2040, Columbia street, Vancouver, B.C.

J. F. Berkley, Government fruit packer, will give a lecture and a public demonstration on the art of packing fruit on Saturday tomorrow evening the 25th inst. in the old schoolhouse. This will be the first public demonstration in the packing of fruit held by Mr. Berkley here.

For Sale.—320 acres of crown-granted excellent Fruit Land on Kootenay Lake, Lot 913. Apply, C. P. Hill, Hillcrest Mines, Alberta 15-th

Fred Watson left last Thursday for Port Hill. He was accompanied by James Crawford, "White man Jim," returning to Creston on Friday afternoon and made another business trip on Saturday returning Monday. On Tuesday Mr. Watson left again for Port Hill.

Ring up phone No. 85, Ed. F. Johnson when you need an experienced plumber.

For Rent.—100 acres of land suitable for Dairy, Poultry and Hog Farming situated within 1½ miles of five large Mines. House, Barn, etc. Easy terms Apply C. P. Hill. Hillcrest Mines, Alberta. 15-tf

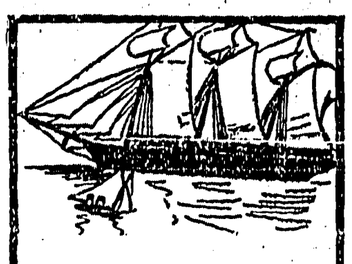
A few evenings ago Miss L. Cross was hostess at a most enjoyable surprise party at her home near town. During the evening games, dancing, and music were among the entertaining features, dainty refreshments having been provided by the thoughtful unexpected guests. Those present were Miss Annie Hamilton, Miss J. Long, Miss Elsie Stinson, while the gents were Messrs W. and H. Gunn, J. E. King, J. Mason, W. Long, and E. Atherton.

Ladies, do not delay ordering your spring costume, as the rush of work is now commencing. Madame Garrett, ladies' costumier, Victoria Avenue, opposite the Methodist Church, Creston.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church held last Tuesday afternoon, it was decided to install pews in the church, providing that satisfactory arrangements can be made on the purchase of same.

FOR SALE.—Lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 3, Dow's Addition. Send offer to owner, Mrs. W. Wilson, 551 Fifth Street, Brandon, Manitoba.

There was a masquerade ball in the I. O. O. F. Hall at Port Hill last Wednesday evening. The occasion being a celebration of George Washington's birthday. It was a great success.



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JOB PRINTING

Mr. H. B. Masters, of Spokane, has accepted a position on the office staff of the Canyon City Lumber Company, and arrived in town Monday. Mr. Masters will move his wife and family to Creston in the near future.

Money to loan on ranch or town property at low rate of interest. Apply to Johnson & Scruton at Review Office.

Rev. S. H. Sarkissian will preach at Canyon City on Sunday afternoon next; at the usual hour. The service will be held in the new school house.

Mrs. J. Marshall of Kitchener who was taken sick early in the week, died Thursday morning the 23rd of February at 8:30 a. m. The body will be taken to Cranbrook today. The Review joins with the residents of the valley in tendering their sympathy to Mr. Marshall and son in their bereavement.

FOR SALE—Team, wagon and sleigh. Apply to F. C. Blair, Erickson, B. C.

Charles Moore, P. L. S. C. E., returned to town this week from the coast.

Meals at all hours at the Wigwam Cafe on Fourth St., a short distance from Sam Hatfield's pool room.

Mrs. Ed. F. Johnson left on Thursday's noon train for a short visit to Cranbrook.

Last Tuesday evening about five o'clock a fire broke out in the roof of the residence of Fred G. Little and but for the timely assistance of R. Lamont who happened to be passing by the whole dwelling would probably have been consumed by the fire fiend. Mr. Little who had been ill was in bed when the fire was discovered.

Have you tried the "Rising Sun" flour at the Cheap Cash Store. T. D. Bunce.

The Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church will be entertained this evening by Rev. and Mrs. Sarkission at the manse.

Word has reached Creston that Mrs. Coulter, mother of A. W. Coulter, died at Dryden, Ont., on the 14th inst. The deceased lady was 57 years of age. The remains will be taken to Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. for burial. The Review joins with the many friends of Mr. Coulter in extending their sympathy to him in his bereavement.

"Packing School"

The Fruit Packing School held under the auspices of the Creston Fruit and Produce Growers' Association in the old schoolhouse this week, has been a great success.

The full class of 16 growers were in attendance, and under the tuition of Expert J. Berkley, have been thoroughly grounded in the basic principles of practical fruit packing.

All those who attended the school speak in the highest terms of the practical manner in which the subject was demonstrated, and as a result of this course of instruction, there should be a big improvement in the pack of fruit shipments in the coming shipping season.

Correspondence

Editor of the Creston Review.

Sir: I notice in yesterday's issue of the Nelson Daily News, Mr. J. J. Atherton, in a letter to the editor, denies the existence of the English sparrow at Creston.

I should much like to be in agreement with him as I know what a colony of these "feathered rats" means to an agricultural or fruit growing district, but having seen them myself, I cannot but recognize the evil and hope that we shall soon rid ourselves of it.

If Mr. Atherton would take the trouble to keep an open eye around the Creston Mercantile he would become aware of the error into which he has fallen, that is providing he knows the English sparrow at all.

J. Heath.

Doran Ranch, Creston, Feb. 24, 1911.

Making Improvements

The P. Burns and Company are this week completing a large addition at the rear of their meat market. They are taking out the former refrigerator and are installing one of the latest improved. This new refrigerator will take some 44 tons of ice to charge it for the summer and it will hold 7 or 8 carcasses. When the doors are open from the ice chamber to the meat department the cold will be at freezing point. As soon as this present work is completed this company will at once start the erection of a new slaughter house, which will be situated on the Kootenay flats.

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