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FINE FRUIT, SAYS GOV. INSPECTOR

GRADE SHOULDN'T BE MARKED UP

Laws Strict Pertaining to Fruit Pack--Name Must Be on Box

Creston certainly has fine fruit but many of the growers grade their pack too high. In the majority of cases this is due to ignorance as to what quality of fruit should be used in the various grades. In a few cases the desire for large profits prompts high grading. These ranchers are not going to grow rich from a single shipment even if they do sell inferior apples at Fancy prices. They will not find a ready market for the second shipment so marking up the grade of fruit, besides being contrary to a strict Dominion law, is detrimental to the interests of the shipper.

These are among the statements made by A. McL. Fletcher, of Hosmer, B. C., Dominion fruit inspector, whose territory lies in the Crows Nest Pass.

"As this is my first visit of inspection to Creston," he said, "my course has been to only give notice and instruction to the packers, however I am required to make a report of what I see here and if in the future any names of growers, which must appear on all boxes, come up again the government will take the matter in hand. If a dealer gets a box of even the best grade of apples which does not have the name of the grower on it, he becomes liable unless he can produce the name of the grower."

Mr. Fletcher will be in and out of Creston often and at unexpected times. He also sees Creston fruit at other points in the Crows Nest, but he says he expects little trouble as the fruit growers will soon learn the right way to pack and that undergrading pays in the end than high grading.

—DON'T FORGET the 3rd fall millinery opening at Mrs. Youngs residence on fourth street, Saturday, Sept., 28th and the following Monday and Tuesday from 3 p. m. to 6 p. m.

WEDDING BELLS

Mather--Buxton

A very quiet wedding was conducted at the home Wm. Mathers, a rancher at Wynndell, Wednesday evening Sept. 25, at 7:30 p. m., when Mr. Wm. Mather of Wynndel, B. C., and Miss Edith Buxton of Sheffield, England were united. The happy couple were made one by the Rev. Fred L. Carpenter of Creston.

Romanio--Talarico

Married on Sunday, September 22, 10:30 a. m. at the Catholic church, by Father John, Charles Romanio and Frances Talarico. John Talarico acted as best man and Caroline Zorchino as bridesmaid.

—FOR SALE—Several fine thoroughbred field spaniel pups to be bought cheap. A bargain. Apply Primrose Wells. 5-3t*

HERE AND THERE

Bramwell Booth, the new head of the Salvation Army, has issued an appeal for $750,000 with which to erect and equip and maintain a new training college for Salvation Army officers as a memorial to his father.

The Calgary Herald is carrying on an enquiry as to why the city of Calgary does not get more British Columbia fruit. High freight and express rates from B. C. points and the large quantity of American fruit in the hands of the wholesalers making them sell at any price are the principal reasons given for the use of American fruit.

The Cranbrook Boy Scouts performed police duty at the Agricultural Association Fair last week.

The survey of the transprovincial highway from Grand Forks to Trail by way of Rossland was completed last week.

The scientists at the John Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, believe they have discovered an anti-toxin which will make the human race immune to tuberculosis.

The 2,000 Doukhobors, now in this province, unless the investigation now in progress for the government by William Blakemore results in their favor, will migrate to Colorado, where they have been promised that they will not be interfered with in regard to registering births, marriagns and deaths. Peter Veregin, leader of the Doukhobors, has been in consultation with a special officer from Colorado, and a liberal offer has been made. The Doukhobors will dispose of some 10,000 acres of land which they own here, and stop work on their irrigation plans, should they decide to go to Colorado.

Revelstoke is building a $10,000 structure in which to hold its fall fair.

An investigation into the affairs of the police department at Rossland is being carried on as a result of the charges filed by Rev. Sarkissian, Presbyterian minister formerly of Creston, and Thomas Stout, of Rossland.

—Economy Can Sealers, finest in the world, for sale by the Creston Hardware & Furniture Co., sole agents in the Kootenay Valley.

Japanese Aviator to be At Interstate Fair

There will be an airship at the Interstate fair again this fall. Manager Robert H. Cosgrove hesitated about engaging another airman because of the death of aviator Dixon at the grounds last year but finally signed a contract with C. Takeisha the only licensed Japanese aviator in this country to give two daily exhibitions. Takeisha sent his machine 16 miles through the countoutside of Spokane last week in 17 minutes and claims the record for cross country flights in the state of Washington.

Every inch of space in the exhibition buildings at the fair has been taken for over two weeks and the visitors are assured that they will have their time fully occupied on the fair grounds. The fair management is now busily engaged in erecting temporary structures to care for the overflow of exhibits from the various sections.

LOCAL NEWS

C. C. S., SIGNAFIES CRANBROOK CO-OPERATIVE STORES

Miss Anna L. Needham of Kitchener was in Creston Wednesday and Thursday renewing old friends and acquaintances.

—Stanfields underwear at the Creston Mercantile.

R. M. Thompson, who has been working with a surveying crew at Trail has returned to his ranch at Duck creek which he intends to work.

—FOUND, gold watch with chain. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement Mrs. E. Botterill.

Clarence Bundy of Ryan arrived in Creston Wednesday. He will relieve R. M. Reid while he takes a few days vacation at the Spokane fair.

—FOR SALE--Nine fine pigs from 4 to 5 months old. A. Mirabelli.

Mrs. Bosby and Mrs. Doolan, of Sirdar are visiting with Mrs. J. W. Dow, Wednesday.

—The C.C.S. Company, of Cranbrook is disposing of several branches of their business, and bargains galore, is the order of the day in Cranbrook. Creston folks should get on the inside, a letter to the C. C. S. will bring all the information necessary regarding the special prices. Iron beds are selling at $2.75 any size. Dressers and stands at $11. Linoleum 55c sq. yard, Tapestry Rugs size 9x9 $6.00. Mens suits $5.85. Hundreds of pairs of mens shoes going at half price. Real closing out prices on everything, $5.00 will do the work of $10 don't overlook this opportunity to buy at less than manufacturers prices. Very special prices on lace curtains, arch curtains, window fixtures, all sale prices are F. O. B.. Cranbrook, no charge for packing.

C. E Howard returned last week from Montreal accompanied by mother, two sisters and grandmother Mrs. Parbly. Mr. Howard has a ranch near Erickson where the newcomers will make their home.

Order your fall suit from a large assortment of Campbel's samples which have just arrived.—S. A Speers.

F. G. McClure, a representative of a lumber company, of Chase, B. C., is in town this week looking for men to work in the mills and lumber camps in that district

—70 inch all linen tabling for 50c. Very special at the Mercantile.

Mrs. C. O. Rodgers entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Monday evening, Messrs J. E. Myers of Victoria, E. L. Chudleigh of Medicine Hat and Mr. Hanson of Saskatoon.

—Get your coriander and mustard seed, your Tunnerie, Chillies and ginger for the pickling season at S. A. Speers.

Prof. Elliott of Bonners Ferry was in Creston on Tuesday on business.

—We are unloading a car of new Timothy Hay. First Class Quality. S. A. Speers.

E. L. Chudleigh, formerly superindent of the Crows Nest division C. P. R. was in town Tuesday and Wednesday looking after his real estate interests.

—A new shipment of Crown Sealers at the Cash Store.

Geo. and Wm. Burnett of Guntuna, Oregon were in Creston the first of the week looking over their land. They are well pleased with the appearance of the fruit that is now being shipped and say that they think this is a better place to invest than any they have seen in the state of Oregon or Washington.

—You get five per cent discount at THE CASH STORE.

The Cranbrook Herald notes that Mrs Rykeman and Mrs. J. W. Dow of Creston had fine exhibits of fruit and vegetables at the Fall Fair.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Torchia a boy on Wednesday the 18th.

—Exchange Alberta farm lands for good fruit land. Give particulars. Witchen Real Estate, Calgary, Alta.

Mrs. Attridge and children of Erickson have moved to the new house on Victoria avenue.

—"DOUGLAS VILLA" for sale, or rent cheap. Apply, John Darbyshire, 726, Caledonia Avenue, Victoria, B. C.

E. Simmons and a crew of men are repairing the road west of the Kootenay.

—A full line of guns and ammunition at the Mercantile.

E. C. Gibbs and wife are spending their vacation with a trip to the coast Nelson Brown of Bull River, who is here visiting his parents is taking Mr. Gibbs place at the post office.

—Just arrived, new stock of rubber boots and shoes. A. Mirabelli.

J. H. Markwick of Medicine Hat, Alberta, Tuesday purchased 21 acres at Duck Creek of Joe Grafton.

Salvation Army to be Here Sunday the 29th

Next Sunday night in the Mercantile Hall at 8:30 the service of Memorian to General Booth will be held. Owing to sickness the service as announced last week was cancelled.

Captain Stride of Cranbrook was in town on Monday and Tuesday last and expresses his regret at the disappointment of the meeting of last week having to be cancelled, but hopes that next Sunday nights service will be well attended.

—All kinds of vegetables and fruit for sale, I will deliver your order. Jim Kee Creston.

Creston Ranches Are Revelation

Creston fruit ranches, the extent of the available agricultural land, the beautiful apples and the magnificent crop of vegetables in that district were a revelation to T. B. Shoebotham of Vancouver, who returned to the city last night. He has been conducting an enquiry at Creston.

"I was simply astounded at the fruit-growing possibilities and the extent of the land suitable for the industry. I am told that at least 30,000 acres is available," he remarked at the Strathcona last night.

In an automobile Mr. Shoebotham visited a number of the ranches near Creston and was delighted with the excellent roads in the district and with the remarkable crop carried by some of the five and six year old trees.

Mr. Shoebotham visited Kootenay flats, where it is estimated about 43,000 acres of good bottom land might be reclaimed. "For such crops as celery and other vegetables this land should prove enormously productive." he declared, "There is a man on Lulu island who makes a specialty of celery culture who declares that given the necessary facilities he could make $2000 an acre from a celery crop. The Creston district should be even better suited to this crop than the coast on account of the fact that in Kootenay there is sufficient frost to give the vegetable the crispness which is laking when it is grown in warmer districts." said Mr. Shoebotham.

While at Creston he saw wagonloads of tomatoes, ripe and green, being brought to the city for shipment to the Crow's Nest and prairie markets. Prices realized for the green, being brought to the city for shipment to the Crow's Nest and prairie markets. Prices realized for the green vegetable are almost as good as those secured for the ripe produce, he said.

"One of the advantages enjoyed by Creston struck me very forcibly and that was the accessibility of the prairie market. Fruit can be picked up to 11:30 in the morning, shipped out on the 12:30 train and reach the distributing point on the plains the following morning. For perishable fruit and vegetables this must be an enormous advantage," he said.—Nelson News.

—We carry all kinds of spices for the pickling season. S. A. Speers.

Trail to Creston Not Determined

Mr. Cleveland, one of the member of the firm of Cleveland & Cameron, was in town on Wednesday and he said that the survey is completed from Hope to Princeton, a distance of 97 miles. Construction parties are now at work at each end of this survey. There is already a road from Vancouver to Hope There is a road from Princeton to Paulson, a distance of 175 miles. The road from Paulson to Rossland is about 31 miles long. Mr. Cleveland stated that it is not not known where the road will go from Trail so as to reach the eastern boundary line of the province. A number of routes have been surveyed during the last few months, but it is not definately known which one will be selected. The firm will recomend whatever route seems to be the best to the government, but the final say is in the hands of Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of Public Works.—Trail News.

TO ORGANIZE SUFFRAGETTES

PROVINCE TOURED BY DOROTHY DAVIS

Authoress, Formerly of Creston, Announces Her Date Here

647 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.
September 11, 1612

To the Editor of the Review

Sir:—

In view of the extraordinary interest being manifest, not only throughout the world in general but particularly in this dominion, in the now vital question of Woman Suffrage, and especially in view of the facts that Mr. Borden has consented to recieve a deputation of Canadian women on this subject, and that the newspapers of every shade of political opinion are opening their columns to a sympathetic discussion of it as a matter of practical politics, it has been decided by the Headquarters Branch of the Political Equality League in this province that the time has come to organize the movement throughoutt the land, forming local branches which shall distribute information, arrange for meetings, and collect signatures to a petitition which is to be circulated broadcast, asking that the government will introduce and carry a Bill giving votes to women, during the coming session.

The decision of the Headquarters Committee had to be made rather suddenly owing to unexpected and very promising developments, which convinced us that if a widespreod and united demand were made by the women as well as by the present electors, we should get our recognition as citizens at once without all the expenditure of time, energy and money which has been necessary in less enlightened lands. And this opinion has been since confirmed by the magnificent progressive step taken by the government in the new University Act, the first I believe in the history of Canada to provide expressly for absolute equality of scope and privilege between women and men in every department of University life even as regards the appointment of officials from the highest downwards.

The men sharing such liberality of mind, such foresight, judgement and courage, are not likely to delay to carry the principle it embodies to its logical conclusion, or to deny to their countrywomen that recognition of citizenship and the key to its effective use, which they accord to any European immigrant when he has been in the country the stipulated time and has taken the oath of allegiance (however far removed his traditions and ideals of life, social and political, from Canadian standards) who has happened to be born a male.

I am therefore being sent out on a tour of organization, and hope to be in your district from the 10th to the 22nd of October.

I enclose a copy of my itinerary and shall be very glad to hear from all those interested in this vital question, on my arrival or before, especially from any Australians or New Zealanders, who always give this movement valuable support based on successful experience.

Dorothy T. Davis

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(Continued.)

For the most part they meant to have a holiday seeing that they were on the favorite to a man and that the chance of the favorite losing was as remote as a racing possibility could be. Shortly after two o'clock Fielden left the paddock and went to where Sir George and May with Miss Carden had already taken up their position.

I hope all is well, May whispered.

It couldn't be better Fielden said. Another hour and you will be out of your misery. The colt looks as fine as a star We are having him saddled at the top end of the course so that he won't be actually seen till he is ready for the start. It will be a popular victory, May.

Oh, yes, May said nervously. I suppose it will. I don't know when I felt so anxious. I was looking forward to enjoying this race, but I don't think I shall. I envy you, Harry. How can you keep so cool?

Fielden smiled. In fact, he was anything but cool. He looked confident, but. at the same time, he was conscious of a dryness in his throat and of the quicker beating of his heart as he weighed the possibilities which the next hour held for him and the party from Haredale Park. At that moment he possessed practically nothing. If by any untoward fate the horse lost he would be as poor as he was before, and his marriage with May would be indefinitely postponed. In case of this disaster Sir George would have to sell everything to pay his mortgages and the money he owed to Copley's estate. He would have to spend the rest of his days in humble lodgings in some cheap town. There would be an end to the glories of Haredale.

But if the horse won! So much depended upon those four feet, upon those wonderful staying powers of which Raffle had so frequently boasted. Hitherto there had always been a weak spot in the Blenheim blood and it might crop up at the very moment when so much depended upon bone and muscle and sinew.

And if everything did go well, why then Sir George Haredale would be a rich man again. Fielden would have more than he ever possessed before and the tarnished glory of the family would be restored. As he stood, quiet and reserved, he did not look like a man to whom the next half hour meant so much. But he thought that half hour would never be over.

The minutes wore on all the same. The roar and fret and murmur of the crowd began to die down and the long winding ribbon of turf between the masses of people began to manifest itself. The gay kaleidoscope of color gradually drifted into a ragged line at the post. Then a hoarse roar broke out again.

They're off, May whispered, clutching Fielden frantically by the arm. You must tell me how the race is going. Positively, I haven't the courage to look.

Fielden did not hear a word she said. He had no consciousness of those tense nervous fingers on his arm. He stood there like a statue with his racing glasses glued to his eyes. He watched the streaming glow of colors rigidly, until presently, it seemed to him that one horse came floating easily and gracefully away from the rest, and then his heart began to sing within him. They came much in the same order round Tattenham Corner with Sir George's colors a length or two behind. Then the roar deepened and intensified till everything seemed to shake and rock, and for a moment Fielden's hands trembled and he could not see through his glasses. When he finally arranged them again to his satisfaction, he was conscious of a still deeper howl of gratification from the multitude, then, as if in response to the ringing cheers, the Blenheim colt seemed to move almost imperceptibly away from the ruck of horses and finally passed the winning-post a good half length ahead. The Derby was ancient history now. The Blenheim colt had won this classic race and a score or two of old friends were gathering round Sir George to shake him by the hand. The victory was all the more because ninety-nine out of every hundred spectators had backed the winner.

Fielden closed his glasses with a snap. He was conscious now that May was clinging to his arm and that she was swaying backwards and forwards ominously. It was only for a few moments, however, and then a slight smile trembled on her lips.

Get me away from here for a bit, she whispered. Let's go and walk on the course. Do you know, I feel as if I could enjoy a turn on a roundabout. I could even go so far as to shy for cocoanuts. And only two or three minutes ago I felt as if I were going to faint. I never saw a yard of the race. If I had looked up I should have collapsed. I guessed how things were going only by the cheers of the crowd. I knew by that exultant roar that the colt was winning. But I don't want to go through it again, Harry, I have had enough. Now that we have all made fortunes, it will be so good to be at home again and feel that everything there actually belongs to us. Some of my father's old friends want us to go up and dine in London. But I would far rather go home. You must back me up.

But Sir George wanted no particular backing. Tried sportsman as he was the strain had told upon him and he was glad, so he said, to find himself once more in a comfortable corner of a railway carriage on his way to Haredale It was a lovely evening, too, and the face of the old house was bathed in sunshine.

It is smiling a welcome to us, May said. To think that it is all absolutely our own. I hope we have done with gambling for ever.

I have finished with it for good, replied Harry. I have won a fortune and a wife on the same day, and that is more luck than most men gain on the course. And if you are happy, what more do I need?

(The End)

ANIMALS AGES

Whales Live for 1,000 Years

Undoubtedly the longest-lived animal on earth is the whale, its span of existence being estimated by Cuvier at 1,000 years. The next largest animal the elephant, will, under favorable conditions, live 400 years.

When Alexander the Great conquered Porus, King of India, he took a great elephant that had fought gallantly for the defeated king, named him Ajax, dedicated him to the sun, and placed upon him a metal band with the inscription "Alexander, the son of Jupiter, dedicated Ajax to the sun." The elephant was found alive 350 years later.

The average age of cats is fifteen years; of squirrels, seven or eight years; of rabbits, seven; a bear rarely exceeds twenty years; a wolf twenty; a fox, fourteen to sixteen. Lions are comparatively long-lived, instances having been recorded where they reached the age of seventy years.

Pigs have been known to live to the age of twenty years and horses to sixty but the average age of the horse is twenty-five to thirty. Camels sometimes live to the age of a hundred, and stags are very long-lived, one having been taken by Charles VI. in the Forest of Senlis which bore about its neck a collar on which was engraved, "Caesar hoc mihi donavit.

Whether or not this stag had actually lived since the days of one of the Caesars it is impossible to say, but the evidence seems good.

Eagles occasionally and ravens frequently reach the age of a hundred years, and swans have been known to live 300 years. A tortoise has been known to live 107 years.

Efforts have been made to connect the rapidity of the pulse-beat with longevity, but no logical conclusion can be reached as will be seen from the fact that the pulse of a lion beats forty times a minute; that of a tiger ninety-six times a minute; of a horse, forty times; of a wolf, forty-five times; of a fox, forty-three times; of a bear, thirty-three times; and of an eagle, 100 times. It has been impossible to count the beats of an elephant's pulse, but that of a butterfly beats sixty times to the minute.

Unfounded Suspicions

Shortly after marriage a young man whose wife was very jealous, found his domestic felicity often marred by her suspicious nature. If he arrived home a few minutes later than usual, there was always a scene.

He conceived a plan by which he hoped to cure his bride of her silly fault. He got his friend, Jones to send him a telegram: Meet Kitty tonight, 7.30, Victoria. After carefully leaving the message where his wife would find it he proceeded to his office.

His irate spouse thrust the telegram into her pocket, and resolved to spoil his little game. In a fighting mood she repaired to the station at the stated time. There was her husband waiting, but she kept out of sight.

Into the station steamed the train, the carriage doors opened, and her husband eagerly rushed up. Out of a compartment stepped Jones, with a basket on which was written "Kitty." Lifting the lid, out popped a beautiful Persian cat.

Turning round the husband came face to face with the aggrieved wife, who smilingly received the lovely feline, and arm in arm the now happy couple made for home.

Australia's Design

Australia is preparing to contest with Canada the post of England's greatest child.—Boston Transcript.

Why Should I Use Cuticura Soap?

"There is nothing the matter with my skin, and I thought Cuticura Soap was only for skin troubles." True, it *is* for skin troubles, but its great mission is to *prevent* skin troubles. For more than a generation its delicate emollient and prophylactic properties have rendered it the standard for this purpose, while its extreme purity and refreshing fragrance give to it all the advantages of the best of toilet soaps. It is also invaluable in keeping the hands soft and white, the hair live and glossy, and the scalp free from dandruff and irritation.

While its first cost is a few cents more than that of ordinary toilet soaps, it is prepared with such care and of such materials, that it wears to a wafer, often outlasting several cakes of other soap, and making its use, in practice, most economical. Cuticura Soap is sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, but the truth of these claims may be demonstrated without cost by sending to "Cuticura," Dept. 7M, Boston, U. S. A., for a liberal sample cake, together with a thirty-two page book on the skin and hair.

W. N. U. 917

"Do you mean that girl with the spots on her face?"

Overheard in a Street-Car. There's a lesson right there!

Little blemishes of complexion, small sores, eruptions, spots, are not only unpleasant to the person afflicted, but are the first thing noticed by other people.

A little Zam-Buk applied at night to spots, eruptions, sores of any kind will do wonders.

Zam-Buk is not a greasy preparation which will go rancid on your dressing table. It is made from healing, herbal extracts and essences. Always pure, fresh and ready for use. Doesn't lose its power. Keeps indefinitely. Healing, soothing and antiseptic all the time. Try it!

50c. box all druggists and stores.

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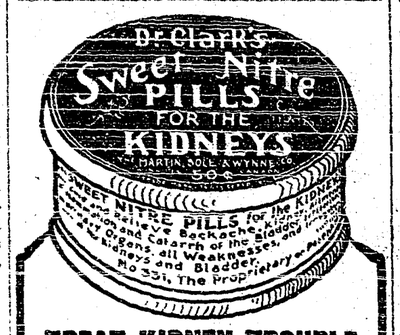


TREAT KIDNEY TROUBLE EARLY!

If your kidneys are not right, your whole body suffers. Neglect that condition and your sufferings will be increased tenfold. The best time to treat kidney trouble is in the beginning. Take DR. CLARK'S SWEET NITRE PILLS at once, when you have lame back, headaches, spots before the eyes, pains in the joints, etc.

Most people **know** the value of sweet nitre in its action on the kidneys. **Five** other proved specifics are used in DR. CLARK'S SWEET NITRE PILLS. They cleanse, tone and stimulate impaired kidneys. **Put you right and keep you right.** Sold everywhere at fifty cents a box or mailed direct by 46

THE MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE CO.
Winnipeg, Canada

Human Hair-Nets

The annual sale of nets of human hair, according to the report of the American Consul at Kehl, is estimated at 12,000 000.

Hair-nets are made almost wholly in the houses of Alsatian and Austrian peasants; the peculiar skill required to net hair has become in part hereditary.

The children begin first to tie the hairs together, end to end, to make one long hair. Then with only a round piece of wood about 6in. long and 1-2 inch in diameter and a needle the older girls and women—and sometimes the men—weave the nets. Each mesh is knotted in much the same way that fish-nets or hammocks are made. Only tying a single hair is a more delicate and difficult task than tying a string.

To make a dozen nets is a day's work of ten or twelve hours.

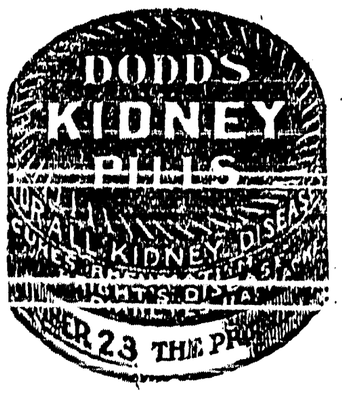
Some of the farmers in Western Canada are complaining that not enough men are coming from the east to help them in harvesting their crops. They blame the railways in part for this, on the ground that the excursion rates are too high. Now the fare from Montreal to Winnipeg is $10, and to Edmonton and to other points it is proportionately as low. Do the kickers expect the railways to carry the workers for nothing?—Montreal Gazette.

Following the Hounds

Smith was a great cyclist, but had rarely been on a horse. One day when staying with a sporting uncle he thought he would like to follow the hounds, which were to meet near by, so he borrowed from a young relative a horse which was not much accustomed to the hunting field. At first he went steadily until the horse, being startled by a rabbit darting from a clump of grass, broke into a mad gallop. The rider was flung forward on the horse's neck.

What are you doing, my lad, with your arm there? jokingly called out his uncle.

I'm feeling for the brake, was the muffled reply, but I can't find it.



Proud of It

The old-age pension officer had a magnificent sense of his own importance, and questioned the old lady with a zeal that would have done credit to the reporter in search of a "scoop."

And now, he proceeded, drawing himself up to his full height of nearly five feet, tell me this. Have you ever been in receipt of parish relief?

Never, answered the applicant.

M'yes. Have you at any time been in the hands of the police?

The lady hung her head, and the officer smiled as much as to say, Got yer.

Come, on come on; tell me the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, he commanded, fixing the woman with his steely eye.

Well, replied the applicant, I don't see that either you or the Government have any business to know, but I don't deny it. Girls will be girls, you know. But still, proudly—he was a sergeant.

Cheapest of all Oils.—Considering the curative qualities of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil it is the cheapest of all preparations offered to the public. It is to be found in every drug store in Canada from coast to coast and all country merchants keep it for sale. So being easily procurable and extremely moderate in price, no one should be without a bottle of it.

An Elephant's Bath

The elephant's bath takes a week to carry out in every detail. It requires the services of three men and costs about $50.

This treatment is necessary for a circus elephant and if the animal is a valuable one the proprietor of the circus does not consider the money wasted. The first process consists in going over the immense body with the best soap procurable; 150lb of soap is used, and the elephant's ears are especially carefully attended to.

When the soaping and drying are completed the elephant is well sandpapered, and after that rubbed all over with the purest Indian oil until the mousegrey skin is supple and glistening. The last finishing touch is the most expensive part of the whole bath, as over $30 has to be spent on the oil alone.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

In illustration of the dreary Glasgow Sunday, a lecturer told this story of the late Mr. J. L. Toole. He was leaving his hotel in Glasgow one fine Sunday morning, when the sun was shining brightly. As he was strolling along George Square a policeman eyed him suspiciously, and at last approached and said—

Ye had better tak' care, sir, what ye're doing.

What am I doing? inquired Toole, and added, with a merry wink: Why I'm not even whistling.

No, replied the Glaswegian, in solemn and reproving tones; but ye're lookin' almost as happy as if it were Monday.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

Small Boy—Uncle, do you know the difference between an elephant and a egg?

No, said the uncle.

Then you would not be much good to send to buy eggs, chuckled the small one.

In the treatment of summer complaints the most effective remedy that can be used is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It is a standard preparation, and many people employ it in preference to other preparations. It is a highly concentrated medicine and its sedative and curative qualities are beyond question. It has been a popular medicine for many years and thousands can attest its superior qualities in overcoming dysentery and kindred complaints.

I suppose you do a bigger trade when it rains than when it doesn't rain?

No, I don't notice any difference, said the umbrella dealer.

But you get better prices when it rains, don't you?

Why should I?

Why, umbrellas go up, don't they?

The Wheat

(Minnie J. Reynolds in New Work Press)

The wheat upon a thousand hills,
A thousand valley floors,
Is heaped in mellow richness where
The sun of August pours.

Far as the wondering eye can see
The yellow stacks extend,
And melt against the distant blue
Where sky and mountain blend.

The pointed firs stand guard above
The wealth poured at their feet,
And still it riots o'er the land
The wheat and wheat and wheat

O yellow wheat, you take your way
To distant lands and far;
To teeming cities, foreign shores,
Where hungry millions are.

But ere you go to feed a world,
Let me your beauty scan;
One moment with your beauty feed
The heart and mind of man.

Colored Pie

A Westerner visiting in Boston, was much surprised, when served with jelly cake, to have it called Washington pie He made a mental note of this, and when in Washington asked about the Washington pie. The waiter brought him a piece of chocolate cake. He eyed this for a moment and pushing it from him, saying, No go! I want George, not Booker T.

More About The Loading Platform

The present generation of Western farmers will never know the difficulties and vexations experienced by their predecessors in the earlier years when no one could get a carload of grain shipped in bulk except by loading it through an elevator. The system forced the majority of farmers to sell their grain to the elevator owners at arbitrary prices, and oft times to submit to heavy dockage and other annoyances, causing continual dissatisfaction. Now however the distribution of cars as fixed by the Grain Act, and the use of the loading platform, provide facilities which enable the farmer to secure satisfactory treatment in the disposal of his grain, and the highest market prices at time of sale. Every farmer therefore, should more and more endeavor to use the loading platform in shipping his grain to the terminal elevators. It is the safeguard of the farmers' freedom in disposing of his grain to the best advantage for himself. If farmers refrain from using the loading platform freely, it might result in its being done away with, because railway companies and elevator owners are strongly opposed to it. It is easy to understand why elevator people desire the loading platform abolished. The railway people on their part say it delays the loading of cars and helps to cause car shortage. This we know to be nonsense, because frequently after cars are loaded whether with grain, coal lumber or other merchandise, they are sidetracked for days and even weeks instead of being promptly moved forward to destination. It is engine shortage and shortage of competent train men that mostly causes grain blockades on railways and not lack of cars. Let every farmer therefore, do all he can to use the loading platform and become an independent shipper. In subsequent advertisements we will state in detail the savings and other advantages of direct loading into cars compared with loading through elevators.

We handle the farmers grain strictly on commission, make liberal advances on car bills of lading, supervise the grading at time cars are inspected, secure the highest prices at time of sale and make prompt returns when sold. Write us for shipping instructions and market information.

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GRAIN COMMISSION MERCHANTS

701-703 Y. GRAIN EXCHANGE. WINNIPEG, CANADA.

One Link Missing

Reporter—I believe that's about all, colonel. O, by the way, how did your grandfather get his start in business?

Col. Kneemo (candidate for congress)—I haven't the least idea, young man, but if there was anything disreputable about it some of my biographers will print the story before the campaign is over. Good morning.

The burglars of London are quite justified in opposing the night bank scheme. Is there to be no protection for this section of the financiers either?

Young man, said the father of a bright boy, this school report of yours is very unsatisfactory. I don't like it.

I told teacher I didn't think you would, replied the little fellow, but she was too contrary to change it.

Out of the Mouths of Babes

Mamma—No, dear, you had better not play in the park if your head aches.

Little Beatrice—It isn't my head, mamma; I think it's only my hair that hurts.

Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture was talking on the Mauretania about the record crops of 1912.

These wonderful crops, he said, are almost enough to make you believe the crosscut saw story.

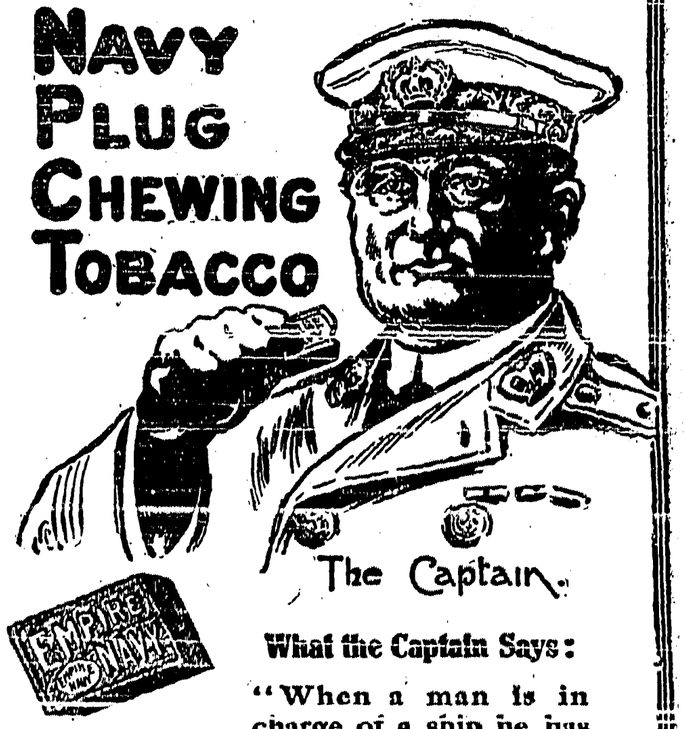
A farmer, you know, sent his hired man to a neighbor's with a note, saying:

Friend Smith—Will you please lend me your crosscut saw, as I wish to cut a watermelon up, so as to get it into my dray?

The neighbor wrote back—

Friend Jones—I would be glad to lend you my saw, but same has just got stuck in a cantaloupe.

EMPIRE NAVY PLUG CHEWING TOBACCO



What the Captain Says:

"When a man is in charge of a ship he has to keep calm under all conditions. Empire Navy Plug Chewing Tobacco is a great help."

Pointed Paragraphs

Suspicion is the fly in the matrimonial ointment.

If you would retain your friends don't give them away.

And many a man has a kick coming that never reaches him.

The Wall street bulls have tossed many a man over the wall.

Even the man who doesn't lie never tells all the truth he knows.

The world hasn't much use for the man who takes a pride in his humility.

Occasionally a woman drives a man to drink, but usually he beats her to it.

The average man is always butting in and adding to his collection of enemies.

It is a great deal better to be disappointed in love than to be disappointed in marriage.

Many a girl married a man not because he is good enough for her, but because he is too good for her rival.

When the fool killer wants to take a day off, he places a high-power automobile in charge of a low-power intellect.

About the time a man is old enough to have acquired fairly good sense his neighbors begin calling him an old fogey.

Mistress—Well, I'm sorry you want to leave me, Mary. But what's your reason?

Mary keeps silent.

Mistress—Something private?

Mary (suddenly)— No, mum; please mum, he's a lance corporal.

An Admirable Burglar

That's done it! muttered the burglar, as his shin came in contact with a chair and overturned it. And he spoke the truth. It did do it. A sudden movement above, a hurried descent of stairs, and Sikes found himself staring into a revolver.

Now, then, hands up! cried the householder. What have you stolen?

Only your wife's pet dog, replied the burglar.

If that's all, you may sneak out quietly, said the householder. But you've got something besides that, you rascal.

Only your mother-in-law's parrot.

You don't say so! Here's some loose change for you. Anything else?

Yes, said the burglar. Your daughter's phonograph.

Good fellow! exclaimed the householder. Here's a sovereign for you.

And your son's punching bag.

My dear sir, exclaimed the householder, delightedly, I only wish you could manage the grand piano, then I should have peace in my house at last! Still, of course, that can't be but will you share a bottle of champagne with me before you go?

Also Grit

Isn't that young fellow ever going to propose?

I guess not. He's like an hour glass.

In what way?

The more time he gets the less sand he has.

The Ring

Woman doesn't care to shy her hat into the ring, remarked the Observer of Events and Things; what she most wants is to get her finger into one.

A Charming Hostess

Jones, the town wit, was keeping the dinner party in a state of continual merriment. His tongue, however, was sharp, and his repeated verbal sallies at the quality of the food finally determined his hostess on revenge. Her opportunity presented itself soon when Jones, holding up a morsel of chicken on his fork, exclaimed: Is this pig?

At which end of the fork, Mr. Jones? asked his hostess sweetly in reply.

ONTARIO WOMAN'S FORTUNE

Freed From That Weak, Languid, Always Tired Feeling, by Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

Thessalon, Ont.—"I cannot speak too highly of your medicine. When my appetite is poor and I have that weak, languid, always tired feeling, I get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it builds me up, gives me strength, and restores me to perfect health again. It is truly a blessing to women, and I cannot speak highly enough of it. I take pleasure in recommending it to others."—MRS. ANNIE CAMERON, Thessalon, Ont.

Women who are suffering from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

There are probably hundreds of thousands, perhaps millions of women in the United States who have been benefited by this famous old remedy, which was produced from roots and herbs over 80 years ago by a woman to relieve woman's suffering. If you are sick and need such a medicine, why don't you try it?

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

OLD FASHIONED PROPOSALS

Why Popping the Question Has Fallen Into Disuse

There are many kinds of proposals, for very likely no two men pop the question in just the same way. After all, a girl does not, perhaps, mind much what form a proposal for her hand and heart takes, so long as it is actually made. Still, some men propose in such a way that no self respecting girl could accept.

For example, there is the man who seems to be conferring an honor. He puts it in this way:

I'm willing to marry you—quite taken a fancy to you! You exactly suit me. Now surely you cannot refuse such an offer as this?

Under the circumstances, a girl is liable to argue: Does he think he is doing me a favor? Am not I fit to marry any man, being in every way respectable? And she may not only take it very badly, but may quite cool off, and the man is intensely surprised and annoyed. Often, if a man, when proposing, adopts a patronising style, he is quite likely to be refused.

Then there is the man who writes a bald epistle, telling of his love, his admiration, and his fervent hopes that the girl will condescend to confer upon him her hand and heart. He is a poor, backboneless creature; no girl could be bothered with such a man, if man he can be called.

He is a coward. Is he afraid to face the girl? Is she such an ogre as all that? Why the written proposal is little better than an insult, and any spirited girl should know how to deal with the writer of such an epistle.

The fact is, if a man will propose, he ought to do it in a sensible, manly way. It may be that a proposal is a rather delicate business, but if a man loves a woman, and knows that she loves him, what's to prevent him putting a simple question to her? Most men who propose are extremely well acquainted with the girls. Where's the difficulty, then, of calmly asking them if they will marry?

For, after all, why should it happen that, although Jack has known Bessie for long years, and has for three of them walked her out and generally paid court to her, when it comes to putting the fateful question, he is all of a tremor, and hardly knows what he is saying? Now, the moment of proposal is a time when calmness and coolness should prevail; the girl must not be flustered and half scared by foolish ravings and idiotic pleadings and implorings. If a man but quietly and calmly puts the matter before the girl, he need have no fear of her answer.

The truth is, that nowadays a proposal is hardly ever necessary; the true proposal is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. A man walks out with a young woman; he visits regularly at her house; he woos her steadily for, say a couple of years.

The man knows what he wants—namely, the girl. She knows what he wants quite well, too. Why, then humbug with a proposal? People nowadays drift into the engaged condition. Never a word is said as to marriage; both parties

and lo, and behold! one fine day the pair find themselves talking about such and such a thing taking place "after we're married." No bother, you see; no fuss. A mere matter of course. Surely that is a better method; surely a formal proposal is quite unnecessary? It, indeed, seems very silly, and to say the least of it, very superfluous.

No doubt there are girls who are sticklers for conventionality; they would never dream of drifting into the engaged state without the actual question being asked, and the formal answer being given. These girls are in the minority. Most girls in these days are more sensible, and have more common-sense. Really, I believe few girls are asked in our day—why should they be? Marriage follows courtship as a natural result. If a couple court for years—well, consider the utter folly of a proposal being made.

The proposal is getting old-fashioned; it will never regain its former place. It is well. It is a very stupid affair altogether as perhaps you'll agree.

Living on Egg-Shells

Hens may soon be worth their weight in gold, for science has discovered that in their familiar daily product lie the makings of a perfect human race.

Science in this instance is represented by Professor Emmerich, of Munich, the famous specialist in diphtheria and cholera, and his colleague, Professor Loewe.

They declare that the barnyard fowl is one of the greatest benefactors of mankind, not merely because she lays the popular breakfast egg, but because that egg is contained in a shell.

These scientists then go on to say that egg-shells taken in proper form, lengthen human vitality, increase the power of resistance against the withering blight of time, add weight to the body, activity to the brain, and *strength to the heart, destroy injurious bacilli*, prevent inflammation and disease and lend courage and energy to the human being.

Therefore they advise all of us to eat egg-shells if we want to be healthy and happy and to live long. Of course, in *recommending this diet of* egg-shells, the gifted savants do not mean to be taken too literally. They have prepared a liquid which they call a chloride of egg-shells.

And, like most modern scientists, they have been sufficiently altruistic to communicate their formula to the entire medical fraternity, together with the simple instruction that a spoonful of the chloride be taken three times a day in water. The dose is said to be a bitter one, but if it succeeds in adding a few years to the normal span of life mankind will be repaid.

Waiting on Providence

Howard, said the visitor, are you going to be a minister, like your father, when you grow up?

No, ma'am, answered Howard, "I'm going to be a waiter.

Why? queried the surprised visitor

Cause papa says that all things come to him who waits was the reply.

Grand Old Men

The Mexican who has just died at the alleged age of 185 has been predeceased (according to American news) during the past dozen years or so by a citizen of New Brunswick aged 132, and a comparative youngster of Valley Mills Texas, whose age was only 115.

The man in the street will be pardoned for thinking that the 185 has been inadvertently transposed from a cricket report. Among ex-Biblical heroes probably Old Parr and Henry Jenkins will stand as the best authenticated instances of superlongevity. The monument at Bolton (Yorkshire) records that Jenkins attained the amazing age of 169.

A man of eighty-six, observed Mr. Dooley recently, looks down on a man of eighty-five, and receives his callow opinions with a supercilious smile; *and for that reason probably* (if not because he was a fisherman) Jenkins was able to give evidence on oath concerning matters 140 years or so previous. As a hale young centenarian he was in the habit of swimming the Swale with ease, and as a boy he is said to have taken a horseload of arrows to be forwarded north for the Battle of Flodden.

Relief for the Depressed.—Physical and mental depression usually have their origin in a disordered state of the stomach and liver, as when these organs are deranged in their action the whole system is affected. Try Paremlee's Vegetable Pills. They revive the digestive processes, act beneficially on the nerves and restore the spirits as no other pills will. They are cheap, simple and sure, and the effects are lasting.

The diner thrust the tip of his knife into the yellow disc which the waiter had brought him. He held it up to the light and examined it while the waiter stood by anxiously. Then the diner resolutely returned the yellow disc to his plate and scraped some of it upon his bread.

I take thee, he said, for butter or worse.

THE TRUE CAUSE OF RHEUMATISM

Due to Acid in the Blood---Can Only be Cured Through the Blood.

Not many years ago even doctors thought that rheumatism was only a local pain caused by exposure to cold or wet. Now they know that the trouble is caused by the blood becoming tainted with uric acid. This condition of the blood causes the muscles to contract, stiffens the joints and irritates the nerves. If not promptly treated the stiffness spreads and the pain grows worse until you are a *helpless cripple, tortured* day and night. If the disease touches the heart it means sudden death. You cannot cure rheumatism with liniments, plasters or hot cloths, as so many try to do. You must go right to the root of the trouble in the blood. The scientific way to cure rheumatism is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which make new, rich blood that goes right to the root of the trouble. They sweep out the poisonous acid, loosen the aching joints and muscles and bring ease and freedom where before had been pain and misery.

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Manager of Intelligence Office—Did we supply you with one last week?

Yes.

Well, madam, according to her report you don't need a governess. You need a lion-tamer.

St. Joseph, Levis, July 14, 1903.

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You rarely find a girl with teeth like pearls dumb as an oyster.

Even if money is called hard cash it's a nice thing to fall back on.

Get busy and attend to business—but be sure it is your own business.

It would be a poor business policy for a fruit dealer to keep all his dates.

Well, have you proposed to the banker's daughter?

No, she's too rich.

But surely that's no obstacle to you, is it?

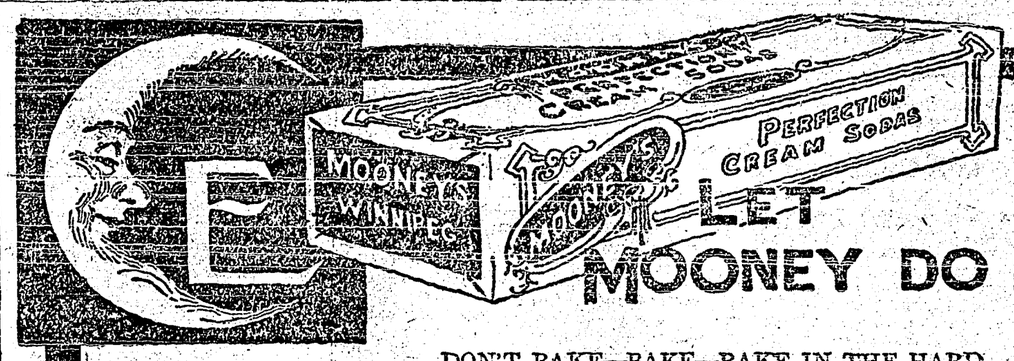
Not to me, but to her parents.

Now they claim that the human body contains sulphur.

In what amount?

Oh in varying quantities.

Well, that may account for some girls making better matches than others.



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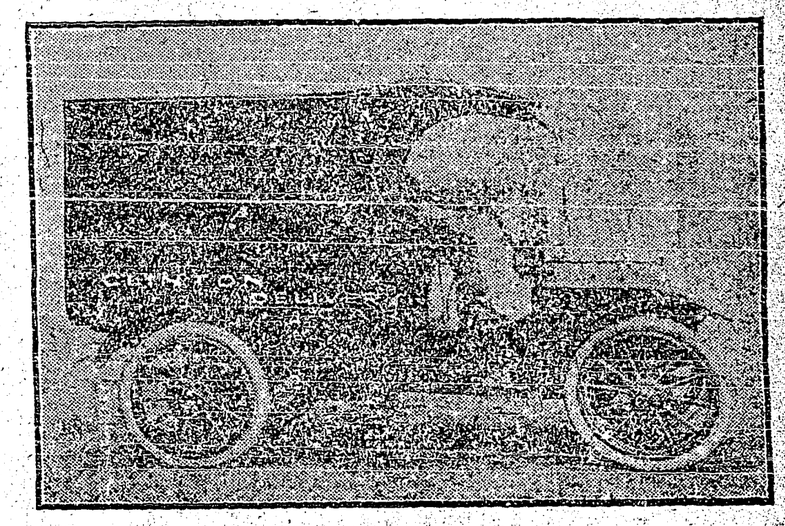

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A restaurant keeper hung out this sign: Coffee; Such as Mother Used to Make.

One morning a man entered the cafe, and as the waiter approached him he inquired, pointing to the sign: Is your coffee really such as mother used to make?

It is, sure! replied the waiter convincingly.

Then, said the man, with a reminiscent look, give me a cup of tea.

His wife is a business woman all right.

What makes you say that?

She's installed a time clock in the [illegible] when he goes out nights and when he gets back.

The everlasting problem of life is how not to have any problems.

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NEARLY HALF ACROSS CANADA IN AUTO TRIP

Was Stuck in a Mud Wallow for Two Hours

New Westminster, B. C.,
Sept. 17, 1912.

Guy Lowenberg, Esq.,
Creston, B. C.

Dear Sir,

As one of the gentlemen interested in assisting Mr. Thomas Wilby in making a success of the first attempt to cross Canada by automobile, you will be pleased to learn that this intrepid motorist has now accomplished nearly half the distance of his journey.

I have just received a telegram from Mr. Wilby in which he tells me that he reached the Soo on Sunday, September 15, after having been stuck two hours in a mud wallow near Echo Bay.

At the Soo Mr. Wilby was tendered a reception by the Board of Trade. President Jones presented him with a flag and a letter of greeting to President W. J. Kerr.

As an instance of the interest taken in his trip in the east Mr. Wilby explains that the Board of Trade has purchased the right-of-way in order to assist in the building of the trunk road from North Bay to the Soo, in which there are at the present time many gaps. I am anxiously awaiting a letter from Mr. Wilby in which he will give me more definite information regarding this.

The two hour incident in the mud wallow and a few hours' delay in a sand hill near Scotia Junction, on the road from Toronto to North Bay, have been the only two delays on his journey from Halifax. He has now been three weeks on his way.

I expect Mr. Wilby will reach Winnipeg about Saturday, September 21, or perhaps a day earlier. This wil give you some idea of what time he will reach your district, but I expect to be able to telegraph you, or else he will, when he is with a day's journey of your locality

There is the greatest interest in this transcontinental trip here on the coast and we propose having a monster automobile parade to meet Mr. Wilby when he reaches Westminster and escort him from here to Vancouver.

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RAILROADS GIVE $1000 EACH TO APPLE SHOW

Government Expert to Participate in Fruit Judging

The importance of the fifth National Apple show to be held in Spokane, November 11 to 17, is recognized by the United States Department of Agriculture, which will send its expert in fruit identification and standardization to participate in the judging.

Officials of three large railroads are taking great interest in the show, backing up their moral support with liberal cash contributions to the premium lists. H C. Sampson, vice president and general manager of the apple show, has received telegrams from Louis W. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern railway board of directors, announcing a contribution of $1,000; from Howard Elliott, president Northern Pacific, $1,000; from J. D. Farrell, president, J. P. O'Brien and Robert E. Strathorn, vice presidents of the Harriman lines in the Northwest, $1,000. He received word from James J, Hill, former president of the Great Northern, that Mr. Hill will pay $1,000 for the best 100 boxes of apples exhibited at the show. Mr. Hill will send a representative here to select the apples.

The interest manifested by the department of agriculture is particularly gratifying to those behind the apple show. This action will be of material aid to the campaign of education, on on which the show places great stress.

In a letter to the manager, E. R. Lake Assistant Pomologist of the deparment, says:

"Our principal purpose in this work is to secure data from the widely separated fruit growing districts of the country so that we may bring the service of the office as near the people as possible. We realize that our men must come in contact with the actual products of the orchards in their own sections, and es-

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You would see how favorably it compares with other flours in respect to color.

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In short, you would surely decide that you ought to start using Robin Hood Flour right away.

But, Madam, if you cannot come to our Bakery, we can help you to have better Baking Results of your own.

Use Robin Hood Flour yourself, and prove that what we claim for it is true.

We supply the flour-quality. We give the guarantee. It is up to you to get the benefit.

Have you asked your grocer about our Money-back-guarantee yet?

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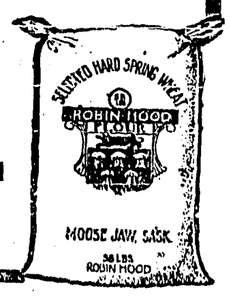

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TAX SALE OF LANDS

For Unpaid Delinquent Taxes in the Nelson Assessment District, Province of British Columbia

I hereby give notice that on Saturday, the 12th day of October, 1912, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., at the Court House, Nelson, B. C., I shall offer for sale by public auction the land hereinafter set out of the persons mentioned hereunder, for the delinquent taxes unpaid by the said persons as on the 31st day of December, 1911, and for interest, costs and expenses, including cost of advertising of said sale, if the total amount is not sooner paid.

FRUITVALE SUBDIVISION—Being in Township 11a and 12a, Lot 1236, Group I.

Name of Person Assessed	Description of Property.	Acres.	Tax Under Assessment Act.	School Tax.	Personal and Income.	Interest.	Cost and Expenses.	Total.
Greenwood, Charles, et al	Block 89, Tp. 11a and 12a, Lot 1236.	9.46	$2.35	$1.88	....	$0.26	$2.00	$6.23

KASLO & SLOCAN RAILWAY GRANT LANDS—Group I. Kootenay District.

	Lot 222, Group I, Kootenay District.							
Clark, Thomas	Lot 3, Blk. 16, of Lot 222, G.I.	10.00	5.00	1.30	....	.30	2.00	8.60
Burns & Ritchie	Lot 4, Blk. 19, of Lot 222, G.I.	10.00	2.50	.65	....	.15	2.00	5.30
	Lot 98, Group I, Kootenay District.							
Johnson, August	Blk. 7, Lot 98, Group I, K.D.	3.95	1.62	....	....	.05	2.00	3.67
Boy, John	Blk. 223, of Lot 304, G.I., K.D.	10.24	.50	....	....	.05	2.00	2.55
Paschtinski, Antonio	Blk. 231, of Lot 304, G.I., K.D.	17.11	1.12	....	....	.05	2.00	3.17
Johnson, William	S. ½ of Blk. 235, of Lot 304, G.I.	8715	4.25	....	....	.20	2.00	6.45
Walley, Mary E.	Blk. 274, of Lot 304, Group I, K.D.	6.235	7.01	....	....	.25	2.00	9.26
Walley, Mary E.	Blk. 276, of Lot 304, G.I., K.D.	12.84	1.92	....	....	.05	2.00	3.97
Kellogg, Leonard G.	Blk. 284, of Lot 304, G.I., K.D.	6.06	9.10	....	....	.40	2.00	11.50
Kellogg, Leonard G.	Blk. 285, of Lot 304, G.I., K.D.	6.06	9.10	....	....	.40	2.00	11.50
Kellogg, Leonard G.	Blk. 287, of Lot 304, G.I., K.D.	9.53	7.25	....	....	.35	2.00	9.60
Stockhammer, Simon	The most Easterly part of Lot 367, being 6 chains and 25 links by 160 chains	100.00	10.00	....	....	.40	2.00	12.40
Walton, G. H.	Part of Lot 367, the most Easterly 26 chains and 25 links in width of said lot, excepting thereout and therefrom the most Easterly six chains and 25 links thereof	300.00	40.00	....	....	1.55	2.00	43.55
Fitzgerald, C. Violet	Block D, Lot 526, Group I, K.D.	5.00	7.50	4.95	....	.60	2.00	15.05
Huscroft, W. R.	N. ½, S.W. ¼, of Lot 1269, Group I, K. D.	120.00	10.00	....	....	.40	2.00	12.40
Edwards, John	Block 6, Lot 2548, Group I, K.D.	10.00	5.00	2.20	....	.40	2.00	9.60
Wilson, E. F.	Part of Lot 5027, Group I, K.D.	15.00	5.00	....	....	.20	2.00	7.20
Peterson, Emil	Block 1, Lot 5079, Group I, K.D.	6.00	3.00	1.32	....	.20	2.00	6.52
MacKenzie, D. A. and J. A.	Block 12, Lot 5920, Group I, K.D.	.30	.20	.05	....	.05	2.00	2.30
Mitchell, Geo.	Part of Lot 7876, Group I, K.D.	20.00	3.00	.78	....	.16	2.00	5.94
Coze, B. and G.	Part of Lot 7876, Group I, K.D.	12.00	3.00	.78	....	.15	2.00	5.93
Adamson, G.	Part of Lot 7876, Group I, K.D.	40.00	5.00	1.30	....	.30	2.00	8.60
Partington, C. T.	Part of Lot 8081, Group I, K.D.	316.50	32.00	....	....	1.50	2.00	35.50
Bleasdell, A. W.	Part of Lot 8076, Group I, K.D.	160.00	16.00	....	....	.75	2.00	18.75
Wilkinson, Ed.	Part of Lot 8370, Group I, K.D.	14.00	5.00	2.20	....	.30	2.00	9.50
Bleasdell, A. W.	Lot 9400, Group I, Kootenay Dist.	160.00	16.00	....	....	.65	2.00	18.65
Bleasdell, H. T.	Lot 9401, Group I, Kootenay Dist.	160.00	16.00	....	....	.65	2.00	18.65
Bleasdell, W. H.	Lot 9402, Group I, Kootenay Dist.	160.00	16.00	....	....	.65	2.00	18.65
Grafton, Joseph	Blocks 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7, of Lot 9403, Group I, Kootenay District	120.00	12.00	....	....	.50	2.00	14.50

C. C. SOUTHERN LAND GRANT—Lot 4595.

Norreys, H. A.	Block 4, Sub-lot 20, Lot 4595	9.51	4.75	....	....	.20	2.00	6.95
Dean, Harry	Blocks 10 and 21, in Sub-lot 20, of Lot 4595	19.86	10.00	....	....	.40	2.00	12.40
Rankin, Walter E.	Sub-lot 88, Lot 4595	320.00	120.00	....	....	5.40	2.00	127.40
Kellogg, Mrs. Adel.	Sub-lot 111, Lot 4595	453.00	120.00	....	....	5.40	2.00	127.40
Craig, John	Sub-lot 82, Lot 4595	382.14	44.00	1.71	....	2.00	2.00	49.71
Griffith, Ida	Sub-lot 90, Lot 4595	160.00	16.00	.56	....	.75	2.00	19.31

Sub-Division of Sub-Lots 6, 43, 44 and Part of Lot 784, Wynndell Fruit Lands

MacFarlane, John	Block 30a and 47	11.75	60.00	2.10	....	2.80	2.00	66.90
Mackin, Harold	East ½, Block 31	9.55	20.00	.70	....	1.00	2.00	23.70
Craig, John	Block 33	20.07	24.00	.84	....	1.15	2.00	27.99
Rice, Grant E.	E. ½, Block 23	9.52	30.00	1.05	....	1.20	2.00	34.25
Rice, Grant E.	East ½, Block 19	9.84	10.00	.35	....	.40	2.00	12.75
Rice, Grant E.	Block 36	19.10	28.00	.98	....	1.35	2.00	32.33
	Lot 4592.							
Paulson, P. A.	Sub-lot 6, Lot 4592	511.20	57.70	11.25	....	3.65	2.00	74.60
International Lumber Co.	Sub-lot 11, Lot 4592	570.00	57.00	....	....	2.55	2.00	61.55
International Lumber Co.	Sub-lot 14	1160.00	116.00	....	....	5.20	2.00	123.20
International Lumber Co.	Sub-lot 15	2747.50	274.00	....	....	12.35	2.00	288.35
Davis, Leo.	Part of Sub-lot 18	15.00	6.00	.58	....	.30	2.00	8.88
Western Canada Fire Ins. Co.	Part of Sub-lot 18	70.00	23.00	2.73	....	1.40	2.00	34.13
Armstrong, J. M.	Blk. 3, 4 and 5, sub-div. Sub-lot 16.	23.25	47.60	4.64	....	2.35	2.00	56.59
Grafton, Joseph L.	Blk. 6, of sub-division of Sub-lot 16	30.00	12.00	1.95	....	.60	2.00	16.55
Armstrong, J. Mc.	Blk. 10, Sub-lot 16, Lot 4592	9.65	13.40	1.30	....	.65	2.00	17.35
Grafton, Joseph L.	Blk. 13, Sub-lot 16, Lot 4592	23.35	9.20	.89	....	.40	2.00	12.49

COLUMBIA & WESTERN RAILWAY LAND GRANT—Lot 4598.

McAllister, Mary	Sub-lot 61, of Lot 4598	16.46	16.00	....	....	.75	2.00	18.75
Hopner, Alex. E.	Sub-lot 65, of Lot 4598	9.00	1.10	....	....	.05	2.00	3.15

A SUBDIVISION OF LOT 58a—Being the FAIRVIEW ADDITION TO NELSON.

		Registered Plan No.						
Kilcliné, Margaret E.	Lot 8, Blk. 3, Lot 58a, G.I.	266	.75	.77	....	.05	1.00	2.57
Taylor, J. E.	Lot 8 to 12, Blk. 15, Lot 58a	266	12.50	12.75	....	1.25	1.00	27.50
Colbert, John	Lots 23 and 24, Blk. 22, Lot 58a	225	1.88	....	....	.05	1.00	2.93
Rimmer, Thos.	Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 26, Lot 58a	266	1.75	1.78	....	.15	1.00	4.68
McLaren, G. G.	Lots 4 to 6, Blk. 33, Lot 58a	266	2.25	2.30	....	.20	1.00	5.75
Colbert, John	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 34, Lot 58a	266	1.75	1.78	....	.15	1.00	4.68
Curtis, Fred	Lot 13, Blk. 34, Lot 58a	266	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
Vyse, Mrs. Daisy	Lot 12, Blk. 35, Lot 58a	266	.50	.51	....	.05	1.00	2.06
Blackett, J. St. C.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 37, Lot 58a	266	1.75	1.78	....	.15	1.00	4.68
Elworthy, Fred	Lot 10, Blk. 39, Lot 58a	266	.50	.51	....	.05	1.00	2.06
Smith, J. C.	Lot 10, Blk. 40, Lot 58a	266a	.50	.51	....	.05	1.00	2.06
Butler, P. J.	Lots 4 and 5, Blk. 48, Lot 58a	266	4.00	4.08	....	.40	1.00	9.48
Bulger, Jas. M.	Lots 6 to 8, Blk. 48, Lot 58a	266	....	12.75	94.00	6.60	1.00	114.35
Curran, John	Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 48, Lot 58a	266	....	9.18	....	.45	1.00	10.63
Mercier, Ella	Lot 14, Blk. 48, Lot 58a	266	....	.15	....	....	1.00	1.51
Bulger, Jas. M.	Lots 16 to 19, Blk. 48, Lot 58a	266	1.75	1.78	....	.15	1.00	4.68
Bulger, Mrs. Mary E.	Lot 20, Blk. 48, Lot 58a	266	.50	.51	....	.05	1.00	2.06
Isaac, Mrs. B. A.	Block 56	266b	5.00	5.10	....	.45	1.00	11.55

A SUBDIVISION OF LOT 96, Group I, being the HUME ADDITION TO NELSON.

Smith, Mrs. Eliza	Lot 30, Blk. 2, Lot 96, G. I.	284b	....	5.10	....	.25	1.00	6.35
Spencer, J. E.	Lot 4, Blk. 3, Lot 96, G. I.	284b	.75	.77	....	.05	1.00	2.57
Spencer, J. E.	Lots 6 to 8, Blk. 3, Lot 96, G. I.	284b	6.00	6.12	....	.60	1.00	13.72
Mills, E. W.	Lots 3 and 4, Blk. 4, Lot 96, G. I.	284b	3.00	3.06	....	.25	1.00	7.31
Busk, Chas. W.	Lots 31 and 32, Blk. 7, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
Rose, W. O., Dr.	Lots 34 and 35, Blk. 7, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	12.00	12.24	....	.20	1.00	26.44
Bain, Mrs. Grace	Lots 2 and 3, Blk. 9, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	8.50	8.67	....	.80	1.00	18.97
Jerome, Thos.	Lot 7, Blk. 9, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	4.50	4.59	....	.40	1.00	10.49
Milne, J.	Lot 9, Blk. 9, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	3.50	....	....	.35	1.00	7.85
Ringrose, Joseph	Lots 19 and 20a, Blk. 9, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	6.00	6.12	....	.60	1.00	13.72
Turner, T. H.	Lots 20 and 21, Blk. 10, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	4.50	4.59	....	.40	1.00	10.49
Douglas, H. E.	Lot 22, Blk. 10, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	4.50	4.59	....	.40	1.00	10.49
McDougall, A. and D. H., and Hopper J. G.	Lots 15, 16 and ½ 17, 23 to 25, Blk. 11, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	3.25	3.31	....	.30	1.00	7.86
Thompson, Jas.	Lot 26, Blk. 11, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	5.00	5.10	....	.45	1.00	11.55
Rose, W. O., Dr.	Lot 14, Blk. 15, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	5.00	5.10	....	.45	1.00	11.55
Thompson, W. Percy	Lot 3, Blk. 17, Lot 96, G.I.	284b	6.00	6.12	....	.60	1.00	13.72
Jervis, Mrs. Caroline	Lot 1, Blk. 19, Lot 96, G.I.	284	2.00	2.04	....	.20	1.00	5.24
Jervis, Mrs. Caroline	Lot 6, Blk. 19, Lot 96, G.I.	284	2.00	2.04	....	.20	1.00	5.24
Miller, John Rae	E. ½ Lot 2, Blk. 15, Lot 97, G.I.	727	2.10	....	....	.10	1.00	3.20
Mawdsley, W. F.	W. ½ Lot 2, Blk. 15, Lot 97, G.I.	727	1.50	....	....	.05	1.00	2.55
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 16, and Lot 1, Blk. 17, Lot 97, G.I.	727	4.00	....	....	.20	1.00	5.20
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 20, Lot 97, G.I.	727	2.00	....	....	.10	1.00	3.10
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lot 2, Blk. 22, Lot 97, G.I.	727	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 23, Lot 97, G.I.	727	2.00	....	....	.10	1.00	3.10
Vernon & Holland	Lot 3, Blk. 25, Lot 97, G.I.	727	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 27, Lot 97, G.I.	727	2.00	....	....	.10	1.00	3.10
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 28, Lot 97, G.I.	727	2.00	....	....	.10	1.00	3.10
Mawdsley, W. F.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 29, Lot 97, G.I.	727	2.00	....	....	.10	1.00	3.10
McKim, W. J.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 34, Lot 97, G.I.	727	5.00	5.10	....	.50	1.00	11.60
McKim, Lillian	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 35, Lot 97, G.I.	727	1.50	1.53	....	.10	1.00	4.13
McKim, W. J.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 39, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 40, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 41, Lot 97, G. I.	727	15.00	15.30	....	1.50	1.00	32.80

IN LOT 182—Being DAVIES ADDITION TO NELSON.

Mostyn Hoops, Mrs. J. E.	Lot 2, Block 17, Lot 182	486	.02	....	....	....	1.00	1.02
Deacon, Frank	Lots 11 and 12, Blk. 19, Lot 182	486	1.75	....	....	.10	1.00	2.85
McLaren, G. G.	Lots 3 to 5, Blk. 20, Lot 182	486	3.00	....	....	.15	1.00	4.15

IN SECTION 17, Tp. 17, Lot 1242—YMIR TOWNSITE.

Chesnut, Edward	Lot 6, Blk. 1, Lot 1242	640	.50	.27	....	.05	1.00	1.82
Keefe, Mrs. Mary	Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 5, Lot 1242	640	.50	.27	....	.05	1.00	1.82
Hughes, Mary J.	Lot 1, Blk. 8, Lot 1242	640	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
Hayward, W. C.	Lot 3, Blk. 12, Lot 1242	640	....	1.10	....	.05	1.00	2.15
O'Neill, C.	Lot 15, Blk. 24, Lot 1242	640	3.25	1.78	....	.25	1.00	6.28
Daly, John	Lot 8, Blk. 26, Lot 1242	640	2.50	1.37	....	.15	1.00	5.02
Stewart, Mary	Lot 14, Blk. 26, Lot 1242	640	....	1.03	....	.05	1.00	2.08
Rotherham, Mrs. H.	Lot 6, Blk. 27, Lot 1242	640	2.50	1.37	....	.15	1.00	5.02
Pooland, Mrs. Mary Ann	Lot 15, Blk. 28, Lot 1242	640	2.50	1.37	....	.15	1.00	5.02
Daly, John	Lot 8, Blk. 29, Lot 1242	640	.50	.28	....	.05	1.00	1.83

LOTS 206 and 206A—SALMO TOWNSITE.

Name of Person Assessed	Description of Property.	Registered Plan No.	Tax Under Assessment Act.	School Tax.	Personal and Income.	Interest.	Cost and Expenses.	Total.
Turner, Mrs. Anthony	Lot 21, Blk. 2	622	.85	.56	....	.25	1.00	2.66
Payant, Olive Daigle	Lot 6, Blk. 3	622	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
Mitchell, Agnes	Lot 19, Blk. 3	622	.25	.20	....	....	1.00	1.45
Cole, H. C.	Lot 20, Blk. 5	622	.33	.30	....	....	1.00	1.63
Watson, H. A.	Lots 14 and 15, Blk. 6	622	....	.40	....	....	1.00	1.40
McLeod, Mrs. B.	Lot 8, Blk. 11	622	.92	.74	....	.05	1.00	2.71
Lindow, Carl W.	Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 12	622	.50	.40	....	.05	1.00	1.95
Stooke, S. G.	Lots 9 and 10, Blk. 13	622	.50	.40	....	.05	1.00	1.95
Archibald, C. I.	Lot 15, Blk. 13	622	.25	.20	....	....	1.00	1.45
Carpenter, Chas.	Lots 21 and 22, Blk. 13	622	.50	.40	....	.05	1.00	1.95
Turner, Mrs. Anthony	Lot 4, Blk. 21	622	.85	.55	....	.25	1.00	2.65
Smith, Lillian, and Scanlan, Mary	Lot 8, Blk. 21	622	.25	.20	....	....	1.00	1.45

CRESTON TOWNSITE—Being a sub-division of Lot 525, Group I.

Bast, F. Johnson, J. K.	Part of Block 3, commecing at the North-West corner or Block 3, in the Township of Creston, thence East two hundred and eight feet and eight inches, thence South thirty-three feet, thence West two hundred and eight feet and eight inches, thence North thirty-three feet to point of commencement		5.00	3.30	....	.35	1.00	9.65
Cory, Mrs. Maud	Block 18	693a	4.00	2.64	....	.30	1.00	7.94
Faas & Crawford	Lot 1, 7 to 9, Blk. 23	693a	4.00	2.64	....	.30	1.00	7.94
Loist, F.	Lot 3, Blk. 23	884	....	2.97	....	.15	1.00	4.12
Reil, Clifton P.	Part of Block 25	884	2.50	1.65	....	.15	1.00	5.30
Reil, Clifton P.	Part of Block 25	693a	....	1.65	....	.05	1.00	2.70
Sinclair, R.	Lot 4, Block 21	693a	....	1.65	....	.05	1.00	2.70
French, Arthur E.	Lot 19, Block 28	693	7.50	4.95	....	.55	1.00	14.00
Young, Mrs. Mildred	Lots 14 and 13, Block 44	693	....	.33	....	....	1.00	1.33
Genelle, P.	Lot 9, Block 49a	693	2.25	1.38	....	.20	1.00	4.83
Oisen, Chas.	Lot 1, Block 50	693	1.75	1.15	....	.10	1.00	4.00
Johnson, J. K.	Lot 5, Block A	693	....	.33	....	....	1.00	1.33
Poole, Sydney	Lot 32, Block A	693c	1.00	.66	....	.05	1.00	2.71
Hutchinson, Hudson	Lot 33, Block A	693c	3.50	2.31	....	.25	1.00	7.06
Bailey, Samuel N.	Lots 4 and 5, Block D	693c	3.00	1.98	....	.25	1.00	6.23
Marione, Pietro	Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, Blk. D.	693d	....	1.65	....	.05	1.00	2.70
Fulljames, Egbert	Lot 7, Block E	693d	6.00	3.96	....	.45	1.00	11.41
		890	.25	.16	....	....	1.00	1.41

DOW'S ADDITION TO CRESTON—Being a subdivision of part of Lot 524 and part of Lot 891, Group I.

Young, Hilton	Lot 6, Blk. 2, Dow's Addition	851	....	.33	....	....	1.00	1.33
Reil, Clifton P.	Lots 8 to 10, Blk. 1, Dow's Addition	948	3.00	2.00	....	.25	1.00	6.25
Dicker, J. E.	Lot 13, Blk. 5, Dow's Addition	851	....	.18	....	....	1.00	1.18
Lowenberg, Guy	Lots 14 and 15, Blk. 5, Dow's Add.	851	.92	.61	....	.05	1.00	2.58

CRESTON TOWNSITE—Lot 525, Group I.

Pawne, W. A.	Lots 10a and 12a, Blk. E.	890	.42	.25	....	....	1.00	1.67
Peterman, H.	Lots 9a and 11a, Blk. E.	890	.85	.56	....	.05	1.00	2.46
Norman, W. Grisnold	Lot 18, Blk. 3, Barton's Add.	893	.80	.52	....	.05	1.00	2.37

PROCTOR TOWNSITE—Being a subdivision of Lot 309, Group I.

Sammons, F. J.	Lots 18 and 19, Block 3	710	5.00	....	11.00	.75	1.00	16.75

KITCHENER TOWNSITE—Being a subdivision of part of Lot 2546, Group I.

Shannon, John	Lots 5 and 6, Blk. 1, Lot 2546	688	.40	....	....	....	1.00	1.40
Hill, Chas. Plummer	Lots 12 and 13, Blk. 2, Lot 2546	688	1.00	....	....	.05	1.00	2.05
McGarvey, Hugh	Lot 18, Blk. 2, Lot 2546	688	.38	....	....	....	1.00	1.33
Hill, Chas. Plummer	Lots 4, 5, 19, 20, Blk 3, Lot 2546	688	2.00	....	....	.10	1.00	3.10
Lynch, D.	Lot 7, Blk. 3, Lot 2546	688	.50	....	....	....	1.00	1.50

KASLO & SLOCAN RAILWAY GRANT LANDS—Lot 812, Group I.

		Acres.						
Robertson, Wm.	Sub-division of Lot 812, Blk. 100	9.85	10.00	....	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Bruce, E. A.	Sub-div. of Lot 812, Blk. 136	9.31	10.00	....	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Bruce, E. A.	Sub-div. of Lot 812, Blk. 137	9.31	10.00	....	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Angus, Curry	Sub-div. of Lot 812, Blk. 150	9.85	3.00	....	....	.10	2.00	5.10
Leveque, Edith M.	Sub-div. of Lot 812, Blk. 171	9.85	10.00	....	....	.45	2.00	12.45
	Lot 891, Group I.							
Thornton, Agnes	Lot 3, Block 4, Lot 891	....	3.00	1.98	....	.25	2.00	7.23
Wilson, Jennie	Sub-lot 5, Blk. 7, of Blk. 14	.50	.25	....	....	.05	2.00	2.30
Crawford, W.	N. E. 10 acres of Blk. 22	10.00	8.75	5.77	....	.65	2.00	17.17
	Lot 892, Group I.							
Bartholomew, J.	S. ½ of Blk. 31, Lot 892	20.00	11.25	3.15	....	.65	2.00	17.05
	Lot 1237, Group I.							
Dole, Lemmel R.	N.W. ¼, S.E. ¼, Sec. 9	39.88	.50	.30	....	.30	2.00	3.10
Churchill, F. L.	N.E. ¼, Sec. 34, N. ½, Sec. 35, E. ½ S.E. ¼, Sec. 35, W. ½, Sec. 36, S.W. ¼, N.E. ¼, Sec. 36, W. ½, S.E. ¼ Sec. 36, Tp. 14, Lot 1237	1000.00	30.00	6.87	5.00	1.35	2.00	45.22
Churchill, F. L.	S.E. ¼, N.E. ¼, and N. ½, N.E. ½, Sec. 1, Tp. 36, Lot 1238	120.00	12.00	1.65	....	.60	2.00	16.25
Churchill, F. L.	E. ½, S.W. ¼, Sec. 22, E. ½, Sec. 22, All Sec. 23, S.W. ¼, N.W. ¼, Sec. 24, W. ½, S.W. ¼, Sec. 24, W. ½, W. ½, Sec. 3, W. ½, N.W. ¼, Sec. 13, S. ½, Sec. 3, N.E. ¼, N.E. ¼, Sec. 1, W. ½, N.E. ¼, Sec. 1, W. ½, Sec. 1, Tp. 36	2160.00	64.80	8.90	....	3.30	2.00	79.00
	Lot 1242, Group I, Kootenay District.							
Tuttle, A. H.	In Sec. 23, Tp. 17, Lot 1242	13.33	2.00	2.75	....	.20	2.00	6.95
Tuttle, A. H.	In Sec. 23, Tp. 17, Lot 1242	13.53	2.00	.14	....	.10	2.00	4.24
Ferguson, Geo.	In Sec. 23, Tp. 17, Lot 1242	13.33	2.00	.14	....	.10	2.00	4.24
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 21 and 22, Tp. 17	68.82	6.88	.47	....	.30	2.00	9.65
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 21, Tp. 17	37.04	5.00	2.75	....	.35	2.00	10.10
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 21 and 28, Tp. 17	93.11	9.30	.65	....	.45	2.00	12.40
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 22, 23, 26 and 27, Tp. 17	316.92	31.70	2.20	....	1.50	2.00	37.40
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 17 and 18, Tp. 17	99.03	19.80	1.37	....	.95	2.00	24.12
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 29 and 28, Tp. 17	11.41	2.28	.16	....	.10	2.00	4.54
Ymir, Gold Mines, Ltd.	In Sec. 33 and 34, Tp. 17	63.07	13.60	.94	....	.65	2.00	17.19
Churchill, F. L.	N. ½, N.W. ¼, Sec. 6, S.W. ¼, N.W. ¼ Sec. 6, and that part of the S. ½, S.W. ¼, Sec. 7, and the S.W. ¼ of the S.E. ¼ of Sec. 7, lying outside of the townsite of Ymir	209.32	20.00	2.75	....	1.00	2.00	25.75
	Lot 1243, Group I.							
McDermott, Hammond, Hunt & Waddell	In Sec. 8, 9, 10, 15, 16 and 17, Tp. 31, Lot 1243	3840.00	384.00	....	....	17.30	2.00	403.30
Pearce, Lewis L.	Part of Sub-lot 18, of Lot 4592	40.00	16.00	1.56	....	.75	2.00	20.31
Baxendale, W.	Block B (3), of Sub-lot 1, of Lot 306, Registered Plan No. 731F	5.06	1.41	....	....	.05	2.00	3.46

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CANYON CITY NEWS

Al. Anderson returned Monday from an extended trip to Seymour Arm, B.C.

Mrs. L. H. McGinnis and Mrs. Pete DeMars were Creston visitors on Saturday last.

Work has been commenced on the new Canyon City school house.

Guy Browell came home from Creston last Saturday with a new patent seat in his wagon and from all appearences it is the most comfortable of any that has yet been invented,

Mrs. E. A. Lamberton returned Tuesday from a weeks trip to Spokane, Wash.

Master Harold Corneil, who has been quite ill typhoid fever is on the road to recovery.

A party of Creston's sportsmen were out Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Martin Dorsh returned Saturday from Nelson where Mr. Dorsh was confined at the hospital a short while with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Crabb and family of Saskatchewan have moved to Canyon City where they expect to make their future home.

Mrs. Reid arrived Tuesday from Spokane. Mr. Reid is the filer at the mill.

Miss Annie Carfra celebrated her tenth birthday on the 24th by giving a party to a large number of her school chums and teacher. The afternoon was pleasantly spent by the children playing games and wondering what they were to have for tea. When tea time arrived none were dissapointed for there were 'goodies' to suit the most exacting present. After tea the phonograph was brought into requisition. The party broke up about eight o'clock after Miss Annie had gracefully thanked the doners for the many appropriate gifts of which she was the happy recipient.

DUCK CREEK NEWS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hagen was the scene of much merriment on Thursday evening of last week among those present were Mr. and C. H. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Embree, Mrs. Sparkes, Miss Phoebe Butterfield, Edward Butterfield and Mr. Mason. Solos were rendered by Mr. Mason and selehtions played on the phonograph after which light refreshments were served. The happy party dispersed shortly after midnight.

Mrs. Sparkes spent the week end in Creston last week being the guest of Mrs. Quain.

The road gang is through with the trail to Kuskanook.

Paul Ofner moved into his palatial residence Wednesday.

Mr, and Mrs. A. E. Mutton and family had a picnic just below the Bob Dixon's ranch.

Paul Ofner made a trip to Creston, Thursday.

Jack Baines and Jack Gillard of Creston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mutton,

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Pile Wharf at Willow Point, B. C.." will be received at this office until 4:00 P. M., on Friday, October 11, 1912, for the construction of a Pile bent and timber decking wharf at Willow Point District of Kootenay, British Columbia.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of F. W. Aylmer, Esq., District Engineer, Chase, B. C., O. C. Worsfold Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster B. C., and on applicetion to the Postmaster at Willow Point, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupation and places of residence. In the case of firms the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Honourable Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works,

Ottawa, September 18, 1912.

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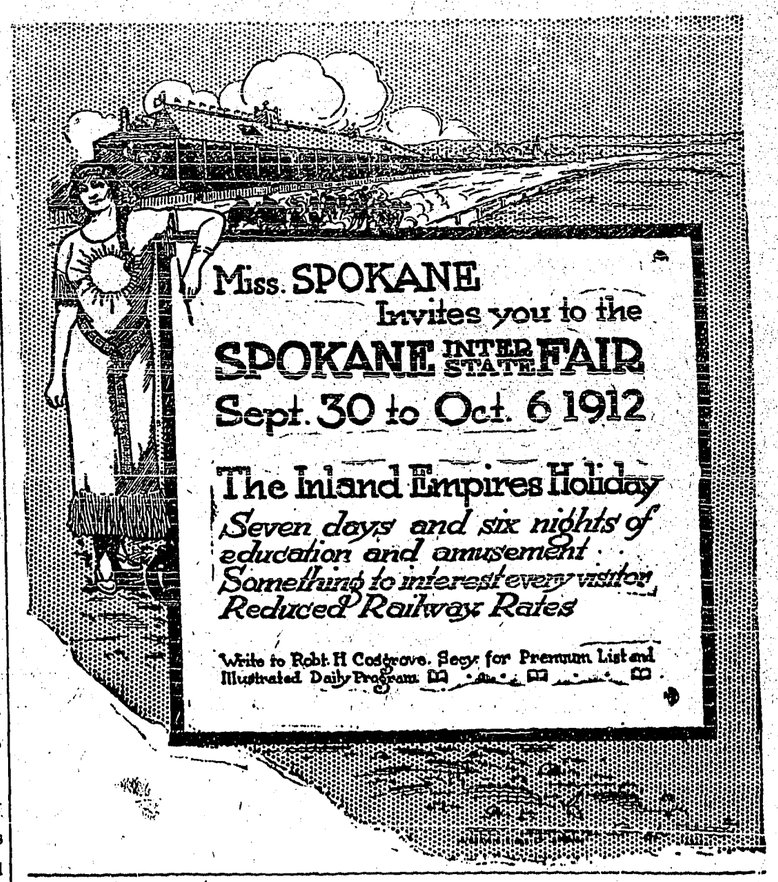

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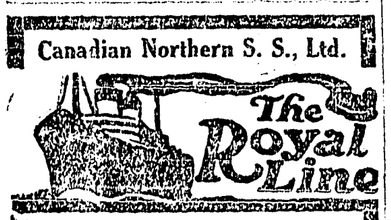

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You appear upon the stages!

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WHERE POLICEMEN GET RICH

Revelations of a New York "Crook"

Stories about the venality of the New York police, such as those that have been appearing in the newspapers as a sequel to the murder of the gambler Rosenthal, are hardly believed in this country, because English people cannot realise the difference between the American police system and our own.

I know from my own experience, that the police of New York systematically blackmail known criminals by demanding money from them whenever they are seen to be flush.

A typical adventure out of many of this sort that befell me happened one afternoon when I had had a good time in a pool-room, as the places where one used to back horses on the tape were called. I was standing in the street—rather foolishly I admit—taking stock of the notes that constituted the spoil, when a policeman came up to me, and good-humoredly remarked that I seemed to be having a good time.

I assented, and volunteered the information that I had been finding winners, at which he shrugged his shoulders and said that the tale was too threadbare.

It's true, anyway, I urged. I haven't been grafting for a long time now.

Well he retorted, there's been a lot doing in your line on the street-cars lately, and any leather shifter (pick-pocket) that's brought up can reckon on getting sent to the island (the short-sentence prison on Blackwell's Island, in the Hudson River) for three months or so, on general principles. You needn't go, unless you like.

I knew what that meant well enough, and was also aware that kicking was no good; so I asked him bluntly how much he wanted.

How much have you got in that wad? he asked, pointing to the bundle of notes I foolishly held in my hand.

I replied to the effect that I had two hundred dollars—about forty pounds—though in reality there was much more, as some of the bills were of large denomination.

Then fifty dollars won't hurt you, he said. And I duly parted with the equivalent of ten English pounds and a few shilling to save myself from being arrested.

That was pure blackmail, which always leaves a bad taste behind it; but in most cases one does get something real for one's money, as in the case following. I had neatly relieved a man of a fat wallet, and was spotted in the very act by a Central Office detective, though I had no suspicion at the time that I had been seen.

It would have been a sure enough long term for me if the detective had pounced on me there and then but that didn't suit his book any more than it would have suited mine.

Instead of arresting me, he followed me, and when we had gone some distance away from the scene of the crime, without there being any signs of a hue-and-cry, he overtook me and coolly demanded half of the dough. I gave it to him willingly, and thought him very generous in not taking the lot—a trick others had played on me when I had been caught with the proceeds of a robbery in my possession.

It is so well recognized among the criminal fraternity in America that every policeman has his price that the first thing a crook does on his release from prison is to get some "fall money" put by, and he never feels comfortable in working until he has got a tidy sum at his back to be used on occasion for squaring the police should the urgency arise.

The police cannot be squared however, in cases that make a great noise or where the victim is an influential man; but fall money is necessary, all the same, for a good lawyer is a much greater necessity for an American criminal than for his English prototype.

It was commonly believed in my circle, when I was in America that some of the police-captains bagged as much as ten thousand pounds a year in bribes, but I haven't any first-hand knowledge on this point.

It is an indisputable fact, though that common policemen are known to have had thousands of pounds invested, and that many of the officers of rank equivalent to our superintendents have retired from the Force as rich men.

Also it may safely be assumed that any policeman in New York who got nothing beyond his pay would be reckoned a very slow and unbusinesslike man indeed.

His Last Words

Yes, said the garage keeper, with a wink at his assistant, I call all these cars I keep for rent the Excelsior cars.

And why, pray? asked Bilkins.

Because they are for higher, roared the garage keeper.

The grand jury later acquitted Bilkins on the plea of justifiable homicide.

A man was caught in the act of entering a Prince Albert jewelry store. Maybe he was after a marriage license.

A little Yankee boy taunted Young Canada one time by telling him that the beaver was a rat with a swelled tail. Young Canada got back at him by saying that the American eagle was a vulture with a swelled head. No, sir, Canada for an Oliver! But here again Canada is fortunate. Half the nations of the world have eagles for emblems, two-headed eagles in some cases; but we have a monopoly of the beaver, which is a fine model of industry. In the past two thousand years the eagle has changed maps, but the beaver makes geography and is still making it.—Khan, in Toronto Star.

A Lottery

Is that picture one of the old masters you were telling me about? asked Mr. Cumrox.

Yes, replied the art dealer. It is a picture [illegible] gentle.

I'll buy it. I already have three just like it, and somewhere in the bunch I'm liable to hit the original.

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Mrs. Nettie Massey, Consecon, Ont., writes:—"I thought it my duty to write you telling you the great benefit I received from using Dr. Chase's Ointment. For five years I suffered with what three doctors called Psoriasis. I doctored with three different doctors, with no good results, and one of our noted doctors told me if any one offered to guarantee me a cure for $50.00 to keep my money in my pocket, as I could not be cured.

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Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60c. a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

The following unrehearsed incident took place at a village cricket match on Saturday last. One of the umpires was the village butcher, who was very absent-minded. A wicket had fallen, and the incoming batsman took his position and made the request to the butcher umpire, who was talking to the bowler at the other end:—

Give me leg, please.

Turning round rather quickly, the umpire remarked:—

Sorry sir, but we have only a few shoulders left.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Two young ladies recently went to see a cricket match.

They had never seen the game played before, and with the inevitable curiosity of their sex they wanted to know the ins and out of everything they saw.

Presently the eyes of one damsel rested on the wickets.

What are those sticks in the ground for? she asked her friend.

Why dear, replied the other wisely, I suppose those are the cricket fixtures.

There may be other corn cures, but Holloway's Corn Cure stands at the head of the list so far as results are concerned.

Bill Sprague kept a grocer's shop in a little village in Cumberland. One day he set off for London to buy a lot of goods. The goods were dispatched immediately, and as Bill had lingered in London sight-seeing they reached his village shop before him.

The goods, in an enormous packing-case, were driven to the shop by the local carrier. Mrs. Sprague came to see what had arrived, and with a shriek tottered and nearly fell.

Oh, what's the matter, ma'am? cried a neighbor.

Mrs. Sprague, her eyes blinded with tears, pointed to the packing-case, whereon was stencilled in large black letters—

Bill inside.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

I understand that your wife and Mrs. Exe are not on speaking terms.

It's so, confound it! And it is going to cost me money.

Indeed! In what way?

Oh, my wife now proposes to give a big dinner party, so that she can snub Mrs. Exe by not inviting her.

Glancing hastily down the pages of Tommy Jones's examination papers, the teacher's heart thrilled over Tommy's unexpectedly good showing, for not one of the questions remained unanswered. But upon subjecting the papers to a more careful perusal her pride in Tommy's proficiency had a fall. After seven of the ten questions Tommy had written politely:—

I am sorry that this is a subject on which I have no information.

Sweet and palatable, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is acceptable to children, and it does its work surely and promptly.

Traveller (at crowded hotel)—How much do I owe you? What's my bill?

Landlord—Let me see; your room was—

Traveller—But I didn't have any room. I slept on the billiard table.

Landlord—Ah, well, two shillings an hour.

The Doctor's Customer

Small Boy—Please, I want the doctor to come and see mother.

Servant—Doctor's out. Where do you come from?

Small Boy—What! Don't you know me? Why, we deal with you. We had a baby from here only last week.

[illegible] Mollie did you put out the cat?

Mr. Casey—Oi did.

Mrs. Casey—Oi don't belave it.

Mr. Casey—Well, if yez think Oi'm a liar, get up and put 'er out yerself.

Sent to the Mat

A great lover of animals, Professor Dryasdust was much given to having his pet dog sitting beside him at meal-times, and eating tit-bits from his own plate.

The other evening he was at a dinner-party, and his partner was a very great lady, who was proud of her title.

But the professor paid absolutely no attention to her. His mind had switched off on to some abstruse point and he was lost to the world over the problem.

The duchess did not approve of this and presently, to attract his attention she pulled him gently by the sleeve.

Then the professor woke up. Grabbing a half-picked chicken-bone from his plate, he thrust it under her startled nose.

Don't bother just now, Fido! he said curtly. Here take this and go and eat it on the mat, like a good doggie.

Your Asthma Too. The efficacy of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is not something that is merely to be hoped for; it is to be expected. It never fails to bring relief, and in your own individual case it will do the same. So universal has been the success of this far-famed cure that every one afflicted with this disease owes it to himself to try it.

A Slump

So when you were married you ran away?

Yes.

Well, what then?

O, well then—we—er—walked back.

Why doesn't she take

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This contest is along the same lines as the one which was so successful last year, except that there are three times as many prizes, and therefore three times as many chances for each contestant to win. Every farmer in Canada who uses "Canada" Cement is eligible to compete. The conditions are such that large and small users of cement have equal opportunities to win a $50 prize.

The contest is divided into three classes, and there are first, second, third and fourth prizes ($50, $25, $15 and $10) in each class.

CLASS "A"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who use most "Canada" Cement on their farms in 1912.

CLASS "B"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who send photographs of the *best concrete work* done with "Canada" Cement on their farms in 1912.

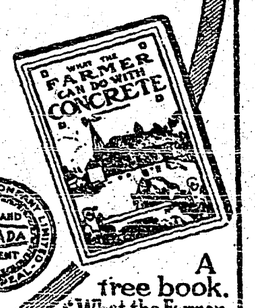
CLASS "C"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who send the best *description*, telling how any piece of concrete work was done with "Canada" Cement. (Entries for this prize must be accompanied by photographs of the work.)

In addition to thus being divided into classes, so as to give small users of cement an equal chance with those who use more, the Contest is also divided into nine divisions, one for each province. So you see you need only to compete with the other farmers of your own province, and not with those all over Canada.

Don't think that because you have never used cement, you cannot win a prize. Many of last year's prize winners had never used cement before they entered the Contest. We will send you a free book, "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete," that will not only help you in the Contest, but will tell you everything you could want to know about the use of cement on the farm.

Don't delay, but send us your name and address to-day and get this free book and full particulars of the Prize Contest right away.

Use a letter, postal or coupon.



Send me particulars of your 1912 Prize Contest.

Address Publicity Manager

Canada Cement Company

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501 Herald Bldg. - Montreal

A free book. "What the Farmer can do with Concrete" will be sent to all who request details of the Prize Contest.

Mother's Opinion

There were two suitors after Mary Ann Murphy's hand. One was a grocer, Mr. O'Flaherty, whom her father and mother strongly urged her to marry; and the other was Mr. Flanegan, a publican. Mary, herself favored the latter, and married him despite all her father and mother could say and do.

One day after she was settled in her new home she came down to see her parents and exhibited a new gold watch her husband had given her.

Ah! said her mother disapprovingly. If ye took my dewice and your father's dewice Mary Ann, 'tisn't a gould watch ye'd be havin' in yer pocket but a good eight-day clock.

CAREFUL DOCTOR

Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated, regardless of the value to their pockets. Here's an instance.

"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation.

"I heard of a doctor who had a summer cottage near me—a specialist from N.Y.—and as a last hope, sent for him.

"After he had examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts at first, then as my stomach became stronger to eat more.

"I kept at it and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonfuls. Then I began to have color in my face, memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger and I could walk. So I steadily recovered.

"Now after a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 153 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

Quoth the Pessimist

What ages are preaching,
What oceans of ink
Are shed without teaching
The people to think!

The Lawyer's Notion

Litigant—Your fee is outrageous! Why, it's more than three-fourths of what I recovered.

Lawyer—I furnished the skill and the legal learning for your case.

Litigant—But I furnished the case.

Lawyer—Oh, anybody can fall down a coal hole!

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

In the Still Night

Mrs. Fidgit—What's that noise I hear down in the library?

Mr. Fidgit—Must be history repeating itself. Go to sleep.

Sportsman—I suppose you have never had anything to do with racing Mr. Goodbody.

Curate—Er—no, not exactly. But I did a bit of house-hunting when I first got married, you know.

It's ridiculous for a young man to get married as soon as he comes of age! said the elderly bachelor.

Think so, do you? said Henpeck languidly.

Of course! Why, he's scarcely old enough to be his own master.

Well, he isn't if he gets married.

Physical Impossibility

The Mistress—Why, I gave you a pound of walnuts to crack. There are hardly any here. Where are the rest?

The General—Lor, mum, the nyvers was so big I couldn't get 'em in me mout!

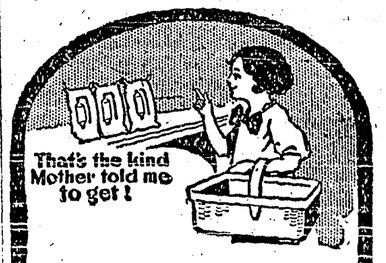
New to the Business

The conductor must be a new and inexperienced man.

He announces the names of the streets so distinctly that I can understand him every time.

Snowballing for Suffragettes

If the British suffragettes must come over to liven things up for us, it is to be hoped they will come in the snowball season. Snow is just as good for missile purposes as stone, and its consistency is just variable enough to offer the prospect of more fun than the lively ladies bargain for.



That's the kind Mother told me to get!

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is pure salt—all salt—and nothing but salt. It is clean, dry, fine—every grain a perfect crystal.

For table use—for cooking and baking—for making tasty dishes—you can always depend on the purity and perfect quality of WINDSOR TABLE SALT. 56

A Child's Satire

I don't believe that women will make good mothers if they are allowed to vote, was the over-old and over-new argument advanced at a meeting where Mrs. Gudden was speaking.

That reminds me of the story of the little girl and her cat, replied Mrs. Gudden. One day she was earnestly scolding her kitten because she did not keep herself clean. What kind of a mother will you ever make? she remonstrated, and, giving the kitten a good shake, she concluded, why you won't even make a good father!

CLEAN HANDS

15c a Tin.

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AVIATION AND WAR

THE SCIENCE OF AVIATION WILL REVOLUTIONIZE WARFARE

It is Announced That the British Army Manoeuvres Have Been Abandoned, and that a Military Conference Will be Held to Adjudge Results.

Cambridge, England.—The science of aviation apparently is to revolutionize warfare. An official announcement was issued that the army manoeuvres had been abandoned, and that a military conference would be held here at once to adjudge the results and explain the cessation of operations. This surprising situation has arisen from the fact that the rival armies have reached a sort of checkmate. Owing to effective air scouting, entailing a constant change of tactics, no broad plan of action has been passed. A series of minor engagements were fought to day at various points, and when the day closed the exhausted armies were still in such a position that neither was able to claim that it had secured an advantage of the situation, and they were so close together that the only possible issue was a pitched battle at the bayonet point.

The King was again for many hours in the saddle watching the operations, which were a disappointment from a spectacular viewpoint.

The British army manoeuvres began on Monday and were scheduled to continue until September 20. On the opening day the manoeuvres were characterized by the brilliant work of the flying corps, one airship squadron and two aeroplane squadrons being attached to each army. Both aeroplanes and airships did scout duty for hours, and all the movements of the rival armies were speedily conveyed to headquarters.

Value of Panama Canal Exaggerated

Paris.—The passing of the Panama Canal Bill into law has given rise to the discussion of the exaggeration of the importance of the canal itself to the world's shipping.

One of the leading maritime authorities in France, M. Jone Moselli, says in this connection that the enormous advantages of the new canal are on consideration greatly diminished. They are, he says, not sufficient to bring to Panama the trade enjoyed by Suez, for, while the voyage from Europe to the east via Panama would be some fifteen days shorter, this advantage would be more than counterbalanced by the difficulty of obtaining freight.

By the Suez route vessels tap Egypt and India and China, where freights are profitable and abundant, while there would not seem to be much to be picked up by the Panama route. On the return ships make a slight detour to Chile and load nitrate, but at $2.50 a ton this would not appear attractive.

From the passenger's point of view the Panama route would only benefit travelers between Europe, the west coast of the United States and Australia. European passengers for Chile would arrive just as quickly by going direct to Buenos Ayres and taking the Transandean railroad.

As to the nitrates and saltpeter of Chile—not very profitable freight—it is to be preseumed that the sailing ships that carry it now will continue to use the Cape Horn route, not only to avoid the canal dues, but also because calms are frequent and durable in the gulf of Pangma.

There remains the question of coal. Seventy-five per cent of existing cargo steamers carry between 5,500 and 8,000 tons. Their speed is small and their coal consumption calculated for medium distances. But between Panama and Asia or Australia there is the whole Pacific ocean to be crossed, fifteen to twenty days' navigation. Only very rich freights would permit such an expense.

From all this, concludes M. Moselli, it appears that the prime importance of the canal is strategical, in that it permits the United States fleet to operate indifferently on either shore of the continent.

Thanks to the new canal, the American fleet will be able to accomplish in two or three weeks a journey which formerly required three months, and that, without doubt, will hasten the settling of accounts which, soon or later must take place between the United States of America and Japan for the harmony of the Pacific.

Macleod—Calgary Line Being Rushed

Macleod, Alta.—According to Secretary C. Cummings of the Northern Construction company, in charge of construction work on the Macleod-Calgary line of the Canadian Northern, grading is now being rushed, and no effort will be spared in the attempt to complete the line of steel into Calgary this season. With the opening of the new branch line in addition to Macleod's present advantageous shipping facilities and its proximity to the coal fields, a decided impetus to the manufacturing and industrial interests of the city is anticipated. Meanwhile many more homes, schools and business blocks are needed in Macleod, and contractors and real estate men find themselves quite unable to keep pace with the demand.

Criticises Military System

Ottawa.—Some trenchant criticisms of the Canadian militia system in connection with this country's preparedness for action, which are expected to excite much comment, are in the publication of a monumental history of Canada, the work of one hundred associate historians during several years, which has now been completed under the direction of Prof. Adam Shortt and Dr. A. G. Doughty, Dominion archivist.

Farmers Form Telephone Company

Prince Albert.—The farmers of Davis, near here have banded together and formed the Davis Rural Telephone Company, which will cover a radius of six miles of the town. The line will have connections with the long distance system.

DOMINION MINES' MINISTER

Resolution Passed at Meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute

Victoria.—The first semi-annual meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute in session here, passed a resolution urging the Dominion Government to appoint a minister of mines. The gathering is presided over by Dr. A. E. Barlow, of Montreal, who in his presidential address, referred to the highly prosperous condition of the mining industry in Canada. In Nova Scotia, he said, while gold mining was declining, this had been more than made up for by the coal output, which this year would be the largest in the history of the province. In New Brunswick, coal, iron and gas were soon to be developed. Quebec was on the eve of the discovery of new mineral, and at the present this province produced seventy-five per cent of the world's asbestos supply. Quebec had also the largest copper mine in Canada.

Ontario's production for this year would be $40,000,000. The advance of the coal industry in Alberta had been amazing, while with the advent of new railways, fresh discoveries would still stimulate the mineral outlook in British Columbia. Among the other speakers were Sir Richard McBride, minister of mines in British Columbia, and Hon. Wm. Templeman.

Ex-Morocco Sultan Having Gay Time in French Capital

Paris.—Mulai Hafid, ex-Sultan of Morocco, has graduated rapidly in the pleasures of his European hosts at Vichy, during his 'cure.'

One evening he was taken behind the scenes of the Casino theatre, after seeing the first act of a ballet, and he complemented the dancers with flattering enthusiasm. Earlier in the evening he had given his first dinner party and in the afternoon he had figured at a reception held in his honor by the municipality. Both as host and guest he bore himself with much charm of manner and as a writer of graceful sentiments in women's albums he has already proved himself hard to equal.

A knowledge of live-stock is another of the ex-sultan's accomplishments. He inspected a herd of Nivernaise cows with an unerring eye, picked the three best and ordered them to be sent to his house in Tangier. He even began to milk one of them to make sure his judgment was not at fault.

He also purchased two back cats and a collie dog. For his children he bought a hundred dolls, in Bourbonnais costume, a mechanical piano-player, a merry-go-round and an extraordinary quantity of toys.

No Gold, but Coal

St. John's, Nfld.—After great hardships in the frozen north, Captain J. Bartlett, of the steamer Neptune of this port who headed a gold hunting expedition to Baffin Land, returned to this harbor reporting the loss of one of his ships and the discovery of extensive coal deposits but no gold. The sealing steamer Algerine of the expedition was lost in Ponds Inlet. After she was crushed in the ice, the ship's company walked forty miles over the floes to land and found a cache left by Captain Bernier. For two weeks they subsisted on four crackers each per day, while they worked their way to Button point, 70 degrees north latitude, where they were picked up by the Neptune. The party was unable to penetrate far into the interior, owing to ice and unfavorable weather conditions.

THE MARKET REPORT

Weekly Grain Letter Supplied by Thompson, Sons & Co., Grain Merchants, Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Sept. 12.—Up until the 7th inst, the weather over the Dakotas and western Canada continued of the same unfavorable nature for harvesting, etc., that had prevailed for some weeks. On Saturday night it seemed to blow out in a tremendous storm of wind and rain, which was especially severe in central and eastern Manitoba, and across the line into northern Minnesota. Nearly two inches of rain fell in the Portage la Prairie district in the course of two hours, and much rain fell all over the country but the storm was much more severe in some districts than others. Since this storm on Saturday night, the weather has made a most favorable change to bright, breezy and warm; no rain being reported from any point between the Rocky Mountains and the Red River for four days. Only those who can understand what this means to the farms and farmers of this country at the present time can appreciate the beneficient change which has occurred. Should this fine harvest weather continue steadily from this onward, harvest work and threshing will progress rapidly, and in a few days thousands of cars of new wheat will be rushing eastward to the terminal elevators at the head of the great lakes. Up to the present there has been no frost, but there are into fields which we cannot expect to altogether escape frost damage before they are fully ripe. By the end of the present week practically all the wheat crop except very late fields will be in stack, but many farmers will still have oats and barley to cut down. In some districts a good deal of damage has happened to wheat by sprouting in the stook, for the warm moist weather has been particularly favorable for that, but so far as we can find out such damage is not general. On the whole, if only the weather will continue steadily favorable, western Canada and North Dakota will secure abundant crops of all the grains, and the average quality will be very satisfactory. In regard to wheat markets, their course has been marked during the week by some nervousness. On the one hand supplies are beginning to accumulate in earnest, and on the other hand there is a big healthy demand for flour, and the fore part of the week under review was marked on this continent by unfavorable harvest weather and delayed movement of new spring wheat and today there was a return of very wet weather in Germany. On the week, however, there is a decline of 1c. to 2c. in the United States markets and in our Winnipeg market a decline of 3c. The movement of wheat in the United States continues on a large scale, there being still a very free movement of winter wheat in the southwest, and during the week the movement of the spring wheat in the Dakotas and Minnesota has got into pretty full swing, and notwithstanding large requirements for the mills of Minneapolis, stocks of wheat at that point have begun to make a liberal increase daily. Duluth and Chicago are also receiving several hundred cars daily. There continues to be an excellent demand for the United States winter wheat for export to Europe and a good deal of flour is being sold for export, although a serious drawback to export trade is the very high ocean freight rates caused by scarcity of vessel space. In western Canada the movement of wheat from the country is surprisingly small, especially when compared with the movement at this date last year; for the week ended 7th inst the number of cars of wheat inspected at Winnipeg was only 280 cars, while for the corresponding week last year there were 630 cars. The statistical situation as regards wheat has this week begun to change in a radical way. Last week the U.S. visible supply increased 3,104,000 bus. against an increase of 1,622,000 bus. last year, and now stands at 22,690,000 bus. against 49,679,000 bus. a year ago. The quantity on ocean passage increased 3,968,000 bus. against a decrease of 2,008,000 bus. last year, and is now 37,112,000 bus. against 33,024,000 bus. last year. The European visible supply increased last week 6,475,000 bus. against a decrease of 300,000 bus. last year, and the total now is 69,120,000 bus. against 76,000,000 bus. a year ago. The world's visible stocks according to Bradstreet's increased last week 9,656,000 bus. against an increase of only 1,298,000 bus. a year ago. As Russia has begun to ship largely, and all other exporting countries are making liberal shipments, world's shipments are likely to be on a much larger scale than a year ago. Last week they amounted to 14,352,000 bus. against 11,856,000 bus. for the same week last year. Owing to the long spell of very unfavorable harvest weather over England and western Europe, a great deal of the wheat crop there has been damaged by rain, and has been greatly delayed on its way to the miller, much of it will not be in suitable milling conditions until the frosty winter winds dry it in the stacks, and this is making an extra demand for dry foreign wheat for immediate use, and is also permitting the United States miller with this year's comparatively low priced wheat to gather in a considerable amount of export orders for flour. From the latest information we have, we have begun to expect that even with a large increase in the Russian crop, Europe after all may not have raised more wheat than she did last year. Spain, Portugal, Italy, Roumania and Turkey all have a considerable percentage less than last year's crops, and France, Germany, the Low Countries and the United Kingdom have their crops badly damaged by the long spell of wet and stormy weather, and in these countries grave apprehensions are entertained that the important potato crops will come far short owing to bad weather. From India, the Argentine and Australia reports regarding the new wheat crops are favorable.

Our Winnipeg market is not far from a standstill for want of grain to handle, and the trade is waiting for the movement of the new crop. There has been a rather eager demand from millers for anything in the shape of decent milling wheat, and evidently the large milling companies have used up their old stock pretty closely. What with a keen milling demand and the demand there will be from shippers and exporters who will have vessels to fill, there is surely going to be a brisk demand for the wheat as soon as the farmer sends it along. The large premiums which have been going for old wheat of the higher grades are passing away and prices are gradually adjusting themselves towards a new crop basis, and will do so quickly as soon as new wheat comes along in volume. Occasional sales of new wheat are being made for delivery last half of September and first half of October at fair premiums over the October future. Owing to there having been no frost no sales of new wheat under 3 Northern have been made. Cash prices today are as follows, these include cars now, spot or past Winnipeg, the three higher grades are new wheat and all below 3 Northern are for old wheat:—1 Nor., 97c; 2 Nor., 93c; 3 Nor., 91c; No. 4 wheat, 81c; No. 5, 73c; No. 6, 63c; Feed wheat, 57c; Alberta Red Winter No. 1, 94c; No. 2, 92c; No. 3, 90c. Futures closed October, 88⅜c; December 85⅛c; May 89⅞c.

Oats—

The demand for oats keeps up in a remarkable manner and prices are well sustained. Of course we have no new oats coming along yet owing to the delay in harvesting, but later on we expect to have fair supplies. The bad weather in western Europe has caused an extra demand for oats from the U.S. and Canada. Today's cash prices are No. 2 Can. West, 42½c; No. 3 C.W., 41c; Ex. 1 Feed, 42c; 1 Fd., 41½c; 2 Feed, 37c. Futures closed October, 36¼c; December, 32⅝c.

Barley—

The barley trade is quiet, supplies being small until new crop comes along. Prices offered to-day are No. 3, 53c; No. 4, 47c; Rejected, 42c; Feed, 42c.

Flax—

A moderate trade is being done in flax, but no new crop is moving yet. The yield of this year's crop is estimated at not under 12,000,000 bus. against 8,000,000 bus. last year. To-day's cash prices are 1 N.W., 155c; 1 Man., 153c; Rejected, 148c. The October future closed 152c.

All prices are on basis of delivery in store Fort William, Port Arthur and Duluth.

RATES NOT INCREASED

RAILWAYS MUST NOW AWAIT CONCLUSION OF INQUIRY

Application for Permission to Increase Freight Rates is Denied for the Present—No Changes, then, Will be Made in the Western Rates.

Ottawa.—That pending the conclusion of the inquiry now being conducted into western freight rates these rates are not to be increased by the railways was handed down as a rule by Chairman H. L. Drayton, K.C., the new head of the railway board who took his seat for the first time.

Judge F. H. Phippen of the C.N.R. endeavored to justify any changes which the road had made in its western rates since the opening of the inquiry. He explained that one rate for instance had been lowered to meet lower rates in the United States. These had been changed and accordingly the Canadian rates were also being brought back to their old level. Rates on hay, put in force on account of the failure of the western hay crop, were being brought back to normal.

The board is not able to check these cases, said Mr. Drayton. I am told the C.N.R. wishes to change the rates on fertilizers as well. If we are ever to have any finality in this western matter the only thing to do is to leave the rates alone.

That such a general order as proposed was in excess of the jurisdiction of the board was maintained by E. W. Beatty for the C.P.R. The rates complained of were not being increased only aligned he stated.

As far as I am concerned, then said the chairman, I consider the usual rules should be absolutely changed. They say that a tariff becomes effective thirty days after it is filed. As far as western rates are concerned, however, no advance will become operative under that clause. A prima facie case of discrimination has been made out against the railways. If there are any alignments of tariffs to be made, however, such can be drawn to the attention of Mr. Hardwell, the board's tariff officer.

Mr. Beatty in reply to a question from the chairman stated he would be ready to go ahead with the railways case at the opening of the freight rates case on October 7 and would file with the board a summary of the grounds on which the railway side of the affair would be based.

Estranged Wife Rescues Sickle

New York.—Gen. Daniel E. Sickles' wife pawned her jewels the other day and used the money to pay the $8,066 which her husband owed to the Lincoln Trust Company.

So the forced auction of the furniture and keepsakes and civil war commissions signed by Abraham Lincoln, which was to have been held is off.

Mrs. Sickles and her husband are not now on good terms. They separated not long after their marriage in Madrid in 1871 and have been estranged most of the years since then. But when Mrs. Sickles learned last week that the general, who is 86 years of age, was about to be sold out by the sheriff, she resolved to help him.

In pawning her jewels and saving to the general his possessions in the old Sickles home at 23 Fifth Avenue, she had no other motive than making her husband happy, according to Ralph Wolf, attorney for Gen. Sickles.

Since coming to this country in 1908 after the death of her Spanish mother, Mrs. Sickles has lived at the Brevoort house, adjoining that of Gen. Sickles and owned by him, and more recently in an apartment on West Eighth street with her son, George Stanton Sickles.

At noon today Mrs. Sickles set forth on her mission to relieve the embarrassed general. She and her son went first to the Knickerbocker Trust company. Then Mrs. Sickles opened her safe deposit box and dropped into her handbag fifteen pieces of jewelry.

Then mother and son walked to McAleen's pawnshop on Sixth Avenue and Thirty-fifth street. Henry McAleen knew they were coming. The visit was arranged three days ago. The lawyers for Gen. Sickles and the Lincoln Trust company knew something about it, too.

Mrs. Sickles laid the contents of her satchel before Mr. McAleen. She seemed to think she would be able to redeem her pledges in good time. As she handed the pawnbroker a diamond and sapphire bracelet she observed to her son:

That was a present from the general.

Mrs. Sickles little excursion ended at the offices of the Lincoln Trust company. There she paid $8,066 to Vice President Webb and got a receipt acknowledging that the judgement had been satisfied. Mr. Webb waived the costs and accepted only the principal and interest of the general's indebtedness.

The news having been flashed to Sheriff Harburger, that official quit for the day ahead of time in order to find the general and congratulate him.

INQUIRY INTO WAGE QUESTION

Exhaustive Investigation by the Dominion Department of Labor

Ottawa.—The department of labor is making an exhaustive inquiry into the whole question of wages in Canada. The work is in the hands of R. H. Coles, editor of the Labor Gazette, who is recognized as one of the ablest statisticians in Canada.

The idea is to make the inquiry very thorough, so that the information will be authoritative. The wages paid in every industry as far back as can be ascertained accurately will be obtained yearly. Such information it is felt, will be of great value in settling labor disputes.

A somewhat similar inquiry into wholesale prices in Canada was conducted by Mr. Coles several years ago, and an investigation into retail prices is being contemplated. The figures enable the department to keep close watch on the rise and fall of the cost of living.

IMMIGRATION OF RESERVISTS

Imperial and Dominion Government Will Facilitate it in Future

Ottawa.—Arrangements, it is believed, have been completed between the Imperial and the Canadian Governments whereby the immigration of reservists of the Special Army Reserve will be facilitated in the future. Formerly known as the militia, this arm is now used as an adjunct to the regular army, with men enlisted for a few months service and then for several years held to serve in the event of mobilization.

This obligation has hitherto hampered the immigration of these men as well as reservists of the regular army, but some time ago arrangements were concluded between the British and Canadian Governments whereby the latter class could come to Canada. This arrangement for the special reservists will now be extended.

FLOOD CANADA WITH WIDOWS

Salvation Army Would Send 100,000 to This Country

Vancouver.—Colonel Lamb, head of the Internal-immigration work of the Salvation Army, received a cable from General Bramwell Booth from London stating that the Army would start at once to float the 'widow scheme.'

Colonel Lamb says there are one hundred and seventeen thousand widows and two hundred thousand persons from whose ranks it is proposed to draw immigrants to Canada.

Women who wish to come to Canada will be relieved of their children pending a start.

Colonel Lamb thinks that many of them will marry again in this country.

He is enthusiastically regarding the whole scheme.

Profits in Butter Fat

Wainwright, Alta.—Dairy and Catlet growers in the Wainwright district are being forcibly reminded of the large possibilities at hand for development of a profitable export trade by the high prices now ruling for butter fat in Edmonton and other large centres. The Edmonton city dairy is now offering $2.40 per hundred pounds for milk delivered at Edmonton during the coming season. The Edmonton concern has had difficulty to supply the demands of the growing population, and is making a special effort to develop reliable supply centres; and until the establishment of a local creamery at Wainwright it is believed that dairymen here will be eager to take advantage of the available market. The output of butter fat of the Wainwright district is estimated at about $1,000 monthly.

After Realty Sharks

Toronto.—War has been declared by the Toronto Board of Trade on the real estate sub-division business in districts adjacent to the city. A resolution was adopted which places the board on record as being opposed to the advertising and selling of lands in the districts surrounding Toronto to people throughout the province, when these lands are represented as being contiguous to the city and within reach of city improvements and conveniences. Besides strongly condemning the practice, the board advises all intending purchasers of real estate to make a personal inspection as to location and actual value of the land, and to take steps to assure themselves that the material facts are as represented.

French Officers Must Quit Leagues

Paris.—Officers of the French army reserve have been given by the Minister of War the choice of resigning their membership in certain societies or losing their commissions.

Alexandre Millerand has just sent a circular to reserve officers all over the country pointing out that membership of the so-called military leagues is incompatable with discipline. One of the leagues is Masonic and another anti-Masonic, and they had their origin in more or less harmless societies for the promotion of comradeship, but each of them has acquired an aggressive political character within recent years.

English Olympic Report

London.— The British Olympic Council has issued its official report on the Stockholm games. It is signed by Lord Desborough and the Rev. Robert Decourcey Laffen. The leading point as set forth in the report is the need of national support, and more money for training purposes.

It is contended that it was not mere specialization which enabled the United States and Sweden to do better than England in the games but that the great factor in the excellence of the American teams lies in the existence of institutions throughout the United States after the model of the New York Athletic Club.

AEROPLANES IN WAR TIME

Quickly Accomplished Work in French Manoeuvres That Cavalry Would Take Days

Paris.—The great feature of the mimic warfare here today was the flying scouts, who in a few hours were able to accomplish work that the cavalry would take days in doing. The military aviators were able to unmask every position and to keep the respective commanders fully informed regarding the movements of the opposing forces.

The bicycle scouts also proved most useful.

Five Hundred Chinese Soldiers Burned to Death

Chicago.—Five hundred Chinese soldiers were burned to death, according to a dispatch to the Chicago Daily News, in a forest fire started by a large force of Mongols retreating from the Chinese. Generals Hsih and Tsao, proceeding northward from Tongafu with 5,000 men, engaged a force of Mongols at Chiatsun. The Mongols were defeated and fled northward, with the Chinese in pursuit. In a forest near Pehlichuchu they started a fire to maintain their stand. The Chinese troops were unable to escape, and perished.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON XIII.—THIRD QUARTER FOR SEPT. 29, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Comprehensive Quarterly Review—Golden Text, John vi, 63 —Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Lesson 1.—Malignant unbelief, Mark iii, 20-35. Golden Text, John iii, 19. "This is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil." It seems to me that the talk against Christ in our day on the part of many religious people is as bad as was that of the scribes in this lesson. May the word and the will of God be so dear to us that we shall be to Him all that He desires.

Lesson II.—The seed in the four kinds of soil, Mark iv, 1-20. Golden Text, Jas. 1, 21. "Receive with meekness the engrafted word, which is able to save your souls." To know God is life. He reveals Himself by His word, and Jesus Christ is the Living Word, between whom and the written word there is the most perfect agreement. Receiving Him we become children of God, the children of the kingdom, for which we wait.

Lesson III.—The growth of the kingdom, Mark iv, 26-32; Matt. xiii, 33. Golden Text, Matt. vi, 10, "Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." The title of this lesson is unfortunate as the kingdom has not yet begun and therefore cannot be growing. In all His parables about the kingdom we must remember His saying, "The mystery of the kingdom of God." (Mark iv, 11.) The Church, which is His body, is the mystery which is now growing.

Lesson IV.—The wheat and the tares, Matt. xiii, 24-30, 36-43. Golden Text, Matt. xiii, 30. "Gather ye together first the tares and bind them in bundles to burn them but gather the wheat into my barn." Since the harvest is the end of this age and the devil keeps at work till then, it should be clear to all who believe that the kingdom cannot come in this age. First the church is taken, then the age runs on till He shall come to close it.

Lesson V.—The worth of the kingdom, Matt. xiii, 44-53. Golden text, Matt. vi, 33. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." The parables of the treasure and the pearl set forth the preciousness of Israel and the church to Him who gave up all for their sakes, for they will be the heavenly and earthly centers of His kingdom.

Lesson VI.—A troubled sea and a troubled soul, Mark iv, 35 to v. 20. Golden Text, Ps. xlvi, 1, 2 (R.V.) "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." See a weary man untroubled, peacefully sleeping in the midst of great troubles. See Him mightier than the storm or than a legion of demons, for He is as truly God as man, and all things shall yet be subject to Him.

Lesson VII. The Ruler's daughter, Mark v, 21-43. Golden Text, Mark v, 41. "And He took the damsel by the hand and said unto her, Talithacumi, which is, being interpretated, Damsel, I say unto thee arise." Twelve years of life developing, suddenly ended, but restored; twelve years of life wasting away suddenly made whole for in Him is life. He is the life and the resurrection.

Lesson VIII.—The visit to Nazareth Luke iv, 16-30. Golden Text, John i, 11 (R.V.), "He came unto His own and they that were His own received Him not." Both this and the later visit to Nazareth (Mark vi, 1-6), resulted in their refusing Him, because they thought they knew Him too well to receive Him as the Messiah. Some one has said that they might have known Him better if they had not known Him so well.

Lesson.—The death of John the Baptist, Mark vi, 14-29. Golden text, Rev. ii, 10 (R.V.) "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee the crown of life." To my mind the story of John is, from the human side in many respects one of the saddest in the Bible. A great man in the sight of the Lord, foretold centuries before he was born, honored to hear the voice of God and baptize Jesus yet killed to please Herodias.

Lesson X.—The mission of the twelve, Matt. ix, 35; x, 15. Golden Text, Matt. x, 40. "He that receiveth me receiveth Him that sent me." Another perplexing lesson to those who see only the earth side. Sent forth with blessing only for Israel, to be bestowed freely, promised hatred and persecution and probably death. Yet we know that, "As for God, His way is perfect." (Ps. xviii, 30.)

Lesson XI.—Judgment and mercy, Matt. xi, 20-30. Golden Text, Matt. xi, 28. "Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." All spiritual things are hidden from unbelief and from the wisdom of this world. Only those who are like little children, the meek and lowly, can understand.

Lesson XII.—The feeding of the 5,000, Mark vi, 30-44. Golden Text, John vi, 35, "Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life." Instead of puzzling over that which is too deep or too high for us, here is something within reach of all. Do as the lad did and give our all to Jesus, that He may bless and multiply it and use us to give to the hungry the bread of life. "All power is His.

C.P.R. Will Boost Elko

Elko, B.C.—The decision of the Canadian Pacific to double-track its line from Lethbridge to Elko is understood to have been taken as a relief measure in view of the heavy passenger and freight traffic over this section of the road. With the completion of this project Elko will possess the best railway facilities to be found in this section of the province; and a substantial uplift in industrial and agricultural development is anticipated. In recognition of the growth of this town which adjoins the most extensive coal mines in British Columbia, the C.P.R. will build repair shops here in the near future and establish a tourist hotel.

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W. W. CORY
Deputy Minister of the Interior

RAILROADS GIVE $1000 EACH TO APPLE SHOW

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pecially when exhibited in large quantities and numerous varieties in their respective districts. Personally, I am especially anxious that Professor Close may visit the Pacific Northwest in order to become more particularly familiar with conditions prevailing there with reference to the demand for a recrating of certain varieties of apples."

Prizes aggregating more than $15,000 will be awarded by the fifth National Apple show, November 11 to 17, inclusive. "The scope of the apples show broadens each year," said vice president and general manager H. C. Sampson. "From 250 exhibitors in 1908 it grew to 416 in 1909, to 600 in 1910, and to 712 in 1911, from 28 states and two foreign countries. This year we will exceed 900.

"Last year the Canadian, Japanese and Australian governments sent official representatives to study our methods of packing, spraying, sprays used, etc. Buyers, growers, scientists and delegates from all parts of the civilized world will be present in 1913.

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Professor W. S. Thornber, director and chief horticulturist of the Lewiston-Clarkston School of Horticultvre, expresses the belief that "the National Apple shows of Spokane have done more for the apple industry than all other factors taken together." Professor Thornber, in a letter to General Manager H. C. Sampson of the apple show, made the following suggestions:

First:—That men who are familiar with the varieties of the Pacific Northwest should be the judges, particularly of the plates, and that great care should be exercised in seeing that a prize winner is true to name and type.

Second:—That the factor of varieti s from particular districts be emphasized probably by offering premiums for a collection of the five best commercial apples of any district, to be exhibited as plates.

Third:—That practical, simple lectures (illustrated, if possible) be given each afternoon of the show by successful men and college men from Pacific Northwest institutions.

Fourth:—That there should be a boys and girls' judging contest, the entrants to be instructed previously in methods of judging.

Fifth:—That the boys and girls should be taught to pack apples in an artistic and practical manner, in order that more uniformity in regular commercial packs be attained as these young people go into orcharding as a business.

Professor Thornber urges also that quality be made the prime object of the show rather than bigness.

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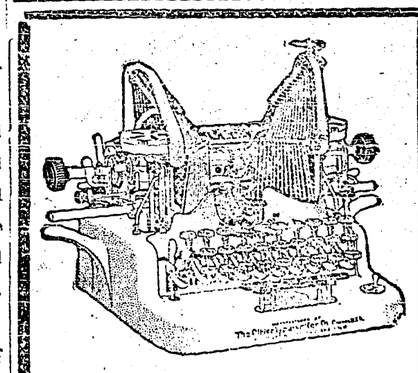

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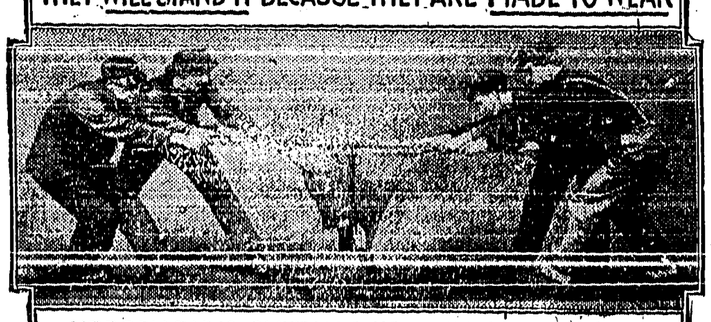

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