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ALL THE NEWS of the CRESTON DISTRICT

# THE CRESTON REVIEW

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## C.P.R. FENCING 200 FT ROADWAY

### RANCHERS BELIEVE 50 FEET THEIRS

### Board of Trade Is Working to Find Seat of Trouble

By reason of a complicated mistake either by the government land registrar or the Canadian Pacific Railway company, the fencing crew now at work along the right of way of that company below Creston, is fencing 100 feet on both sides of the track and in so doing is, according to the Crown Grants of the ranchers along the line, cutting off 50 feet of their ranches, many of which are in orchards.

The C. P. R., this year, is fencing only in those places where there is need to prevent live stock from getting on the track, and from where the most complaints and requests for fence have come. Next year the fence is to be completed by a contractor.

According to reports of the ranchers affected, the crew now has orders from headquarters to fence a 200 foot right of way from a quarter of a mile east of the 70 mile post (out of Cranbrook) which is near W. A. Pease's place, westward to a point beyond Alice Siding. The order for a 200 foot roadway was also in effect east of Creston.

The Board of Trade at its meeting on Tuesday night decided to take the matter in hand and determine the cause of the trouble. It was maintained that the original charter of the railway company gave them a two hundred foot right of way and that the C. P. R. was working within its rights. However a telegram was sent to W. J. Teetzel the government agent at Nelson to look over the records there and make certain as to the right in the case. Mr. Teetzel wired a reply to P. B. Fowler, secretary of the Board of Trade that the plats of the district were in the hands of the engineer in charge of the survey being made for the purpose of determining the possibility of reclaiming the Kootenay flats. Today the plats were brought into Creston but at the time of going to press nothing definite has been learned.

A delightful entertainment was given by the Imperial English Bell Ringers at their initial appearance before a Spokane audience—each number was received with applause. Perhaps the most difficult selections of the evening were the two overatures, "Masaniello" and "Italiana," and the selection from "Il Trovatore." The Bell Ringers rendered the numbers with wonderful technique. Another feature of the entertainment proved to be the piccolo and violin solos with bell accompaniments. —Spokane Chronicle.

Tom Quaife of Sirdar spent Thursday in Creston.

Walter Jackson left today for a visit at his old home in England. He expects to interest his townspeople in the possibilities of Creston and possibly induce some to return with him.

## TO DISCUSS INCORPORATION

### CALL MEETING FOR SATURDAY NIGHT

### Want to Be Independent of Rural Municipality if Organized

Dodgers are out announcing a meeting of Creston property holders to discuss the feasibility of incorporating the town of Creston. The meeting is to be held Saturday evening at the Mercantile hall. The movement is being pushed by a number of business men who believe the town should be incorporated for the purpose of securing the right to construct a much needed sewer, and in case the ranchers succeed in the movement now on foot to organize a rural municipality, to be independent of and equal with them.

The proceedure at the meeting will probably be to thoroughly discuss the matter and then in case it is the will of the meeting to incorporate, to appoint committees to attend to the work of circulating petitions and and other necessary measures.

## WEDDING BELLS

### Browell--Hickey

Miss Capitola Hickey and Guy Browell on Monday, November 11, were united in marriage at a quiet wedding at the home of the brides parents. Only a few of the friends of the young couple were present. Roy Telford of Erickson was best man and Miss Rhoda Beam of Canyon City, bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Browell left on the noon train for a trip to Spokane. They will return and make their home at Canyon City.

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

The Ladies Guild of Christ Church, Creston, are holding their annual Bazaar on Wednesday, December 4th. Full particulars will be given in next weeks paper.

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

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crosthwaite, a son on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 10.

—Registered Yorkshire White Boar, Oak Lodge Duke of Agassiz—36278, bred by the director of the experimental farm Agassiz, B. C., is for service at Valley View ranch.

L. Perkins left Thursday for a visit at Coleman, Alberta.

—We pay the freight, and if you are not satisfied with the values received from us, we will pay the freight back and refund full amount of your purchase. C. C. S.

—Send for our prices on furniture, we pay the freight. C. C. S.

## HERE and THERE

The house of commons was a scene Wednesday night, of riot over Premier Asquith's proposal to rescind the action of Monday, when the Unionists carried by a majority of 22, Sir Frederick Brandbury's amendment defeating the most important financial feature of the home rule bill. The Unionists refused to permit the debate and the speaker was forced to adjourn the session on account of disorder. The uproar far exceeded that which stifled Premier Asquith's speech when he introduced the home rule bill and has not been equalled since the free fight over Gladstone's first home rule measure. The ministers were taunted with epithets like "apes" and "traitors." Sir William Bull, Unionist for Hammarsmith, was ordered from the floor for repeatedly calling Mr. Asquith a traitor. After adjournment the Unionists doubled up programs and threw them across the floor at the prime minister, Winston Churchill, first lord of admiralty, was hit with a heavy book hurled from the camp of the enemy. A fight appeared imminent until Will Crooks, the Labor member, poured oil on the troubled waters by starting the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

It has been generally supposed that the principal effect upon the soil, of weeds in the growing crops, was that they take away moisture and plant food that should go to the crops. Recent investigation at Cornell University has demonstrated that they have a deleterious effect upon crops in that they poisen the plants by the intermingling of their roots. Corn and weeds were allowed to grow side by side in similar soil but with partitions placed so that the roots were kept apart. The corn and weeds grew normally. In another box the corn and weeds were placed so that the roots could intermingle, with the result that the corn was stunted and its growth materially retarded. It is a case of incompatibility of association.—Conservation.

One more illustration of the great and increasing value of the British market to Canada is given in peach export figures for the past season. The practicability of shipping Canadian peaches to England was first tested by the Department of Trade and Commerce in 1910. The experiment proved successful and succeeding shipments have found a ready market. This year the weather conditions were regarded as unfavourable and peach exporters were in some doubt as to the likelihood of the Canadian peaches reaching the British market in good condition. The results have however, been most satisfactory, and prospects are good for a very large trade with Great Britian in Canadian peaches in the future.

The peach shipments for the past three seasons were as follows, showing a notable increase for the present year; 1910—3,743, 1911—3,034 and 1912—8,443 single layer cases.

On Thursday, Nov, 7 a most enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. P. C. Hayman. The guests numbering about 27 arrived at 9 p. m. and immediately took possession of the house. All kinds of games together with a musical evening were much enjoyed. At midnight refreshments were provided, the guests taking the whole thing in hand, besides leaving the pantry laden with good things.

## LOCAL NEWS

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

Floyd Rodgers, who is attending the Gonzaga University at Spokane, came home yesterday for a few days visit.

—Man, age 30, single seeks work, constant if possible, in or around Creston. Write S. A. Thacker, P. O.

Mrs. Roy Staples, Alfred and Miss Palmer of Erickson attended the apple show at Spokane the first of the week.

—For the next week all the stock on hand at the late J. H. Howarth's jewelry store will be sold at cost.

Dan Montgomery of Nelson is the new cook at the Canyon City lumber mill.

—The C. C. S. of Cranbrook is selling Iron Beds with mattress and spring for $11.

Dr. Henderson made a flying visit to Spokane the first of the week.

—FOR SALE—1 dozen brown leghorn hens, 1 thoroughbred Rhode Island Red Rooster. Mrs. O. P. Wisler.

Rex Case, who was engaged last winter at Sam Hatfield's barber shop and pool room, is again occupied there.

—A full line of snag proof rubbers just arrived at The Cash Store.

W. P. Holmes of Cranbrook, formerly engaged at the Creston branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, passed through Creston Thursday on his way to Vancouver, at which branch he is now to work. He says that J. P. Baston has been transfered to Nakusp.

—We have absolutely pure, local honey in combs or strained at The Cash Store.

The W. C. T. U, will meet at the home of Mrs. Henderson next Thursday at 2 p. m.

—General purpose, black team for sale.—J. Compton.

Miss Anna L. Needham of Kitchener spent the first of the week in Creston visiting friends.

—Stanfields underwear at the Creston Mercantile.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Hurry returned Saturday from a trip to Nelson

—Pedigreed Airdale pups for sale. J. E. Hayden.

Mrs. Walmsley and son of Southy Sask., arrived in Creston last week to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Forward.

—Our new fall shapes in Mens Hats have arrived. Creston Mercantile Co.

Divine Service at Christ Church will commence at 7 p. m., instead of 7:30 p. m., on Nov. 3rd and throughout the winter months.

## CRESTON TO HAVE LIBRARY

### BOOKS ALREADY ON WAY

### Is Branch of Provicial Government Circulating Library

A branch of the provincial circulating library is to be installed in Creston as a result of the petition signed some time ago by a number of Creston citizens. The books have been shipped and they will probably be securable by readers at the Creston Power, Light & Telephone company's office the first of next week. The people of Creston are fortunate in having secured this library as it will place at hand a large supply of reference works as well a good fiction. As far as is now known, the books now enroute to Creston will remain here six months when they will be sent on to another point and a new set installed here.

### Christmas Bazaar

The Annual Christmas Bazaar held under the auspices of the Parish Guild of Christ church, Creston, promises to be an unqualified success. It will take place this year on the 4th of Dec., in the mercantile hall. A large collection of useful and fancy articles, suitable for Christmas gifts has been selected in the Old Country and many large donations towards the stalls have also come from the same land With such and assortment on hand, besides the work in course of preparation by the Guild even the most critical buyer will certainly be satisfied. Besides the numerous novelties, which will be offered for sale, there will be a number of dolls in various modes of dress, wool goods, rugs, baskets and candy and the usual tea tables will be in readiness to serve dainty lunches to the many visitors. The amusements will consist of "Hoop La" table. "Tumbling Tommies", "Orange Tree" and "Dancing Doll."

### K. of Ps. Entertain

With cards and dancing, the guests, comprising of the families and friends of the members, at the Knights of Pythias At Home, spent a most enjoyable evening last Monday. Not a large crowd were out owing to the inclemency of the weather, but one nicely sized for the games and dancing.

Progressive whist was first in the order of the evening in which Miss Ursula Wells won the prize for gaining the most points. George Pacey, his usual good fortune having left him, carried off the booby prize.

After cards with the hosts as waiters sandwiches, cake and coffee were served When the taking of refreshments was over, the floor was cleared for dancing which continued until an early hour.

A progressive whist party, given under the auspices of the Catholic Ladies Society, will be held Wednesday, Nov. 20, at the Mercantile Hall. Refreshments will be served and an admission of 25 cents will be charged.

## BOARD OF TRADE WITH RANCHERS

### VOTE TO ASSIST IN C. P. R. AFFAIR

### Numerous Important Resolutions Are Passed at Meeting

Believing that which concerns the welfare of the rancher, concerns the welfare of the community, action on behalf of the ranchers whose land is being fenced in by the Canadian Pacific Railway company, was taken by the Creston Board of Trade at its regular monthly meeting last Tuesday evening. After a lengthy discussion it was decided to wire the government agent at Nelson requesting him to determine at the registry office whether the right of way is 200 feet, the amount the C. P. R. is fencing in, or 100 feet as the deeds of the ranchers indicate. If the ranchers are right action will be taken to stop the work of the fencing crew.

Many things of importance and interest were discussed and passed by the board during the meeting. The report of the committee that had charge of the exhibit at the Dry Farming Congress was heard. All members of the committee and the other members of the board of trade who attended the exposition, agreed that the sending of the exhibit was the best thing that Creston has ever done in the publicity line, although no prize was won. According to the report, the total cost of the exhibit was $371.97; the amount collected to date is $315 37. Because Creston's display was so well prepared and handled the board passed the resolution, "That a vote of thanks be tendered to Messrs Brown, Jackson, Rodgers, Compton, Leonard, and to all the ranchers in the district for the generous help given to make the exhibit at the Lethbridge Dry Farming Congress such an unqualified success."

The topic of subway under the Canadian Pacific tracks, which has been long hanging fire, was brought up for discussion. New plans are to be drawn and the matter taken up by a special committee, W. H. Crawford, S. A. Speers and Guy Lowenberg, with the Railroad Commission which is to sit at Nelson on December 9. Government engineers are to be sent for to survey for plans. The subway will probably be started under the track near Hickey's Livery barn under the old crossing.

Because of the amount of work to be done on roads, etc, in this vicinity the board decided to ask the department of Public Works to appoint a special resident engineer here.

In order to strengthen feeling of fellowship among the local businessmen and in order to make plans for a pleasant meeting with some business men of Bonners Ferry, Nelson and Cranbrook, with whom it is desired to talk over topics concerning the welfare of the Kootenays, the board voted to hold a banquet in the near future, the date to be named, to which these men should be invited.

As Walter Jackson is leaving for the Old Country where he intends to interest all he can in the Creston district, the board instructed the secretary to write a letter of introduction and commendation for him to use on his trip.

# Injustice

By Arthur Applin

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(Continued)

When we're married you'll stay with us whenever you like. You're going to be happier than ever you were before, Reuben. Jim says so, and Jim knows.

The boy nodded and blinked his eyes. He looked about eighteen or nineteen years old, but his age was thirty; he had never grown up, would never be a man. And this he knew himself.

Jim's all right, he whispered. I like Jim—but tonight I hate him, because he's hurt you.

Iris pulled the veil over her face. What are you talking about, Reuben?

You can't deceive me, he chuckled. He was afraid to look at me when he put you into the car. Something's happened. Oh, something's always happening in this world. You see, I know, because I don't belong to the world, I'm not in it, I've just got to sit on the edge and watch the people, and so I know everything that happens. What fools they all are, too, aren't they, Iris, all fools. He chuckled, twining his short, thick fingers together. But what's Jim done to hurt you?

Nothing.

If he has, I shall find out, Reuben continued, and he'll answer to me.

The car reached the de Fontaigne's house, one of the small villas in Abingdon Road. Iris helped her brother to dismount, and ran quickly up the steps. Her mother opened the front door. She was an elderly woman with pretty white hair. She too, was beautiful with the rare beauty of old age.

You'll be very late for the dinner, dear. I'll come and help you dress.

I'm not dining out, Iris replied.

But, my dear—

You must telephone, mother, say I'm indisposed. I'll have something to eat with you and Reuben, then I must go out on business.

Mrs. de Fontaigne seldom questioned her daughter. She was a level-headed, practical woman, yet at the same time she held high ideals; in theory she was Conservative, in practice Radical. Her portion in life had been suffering and disappointment, but she had braved the latter and with the aid of the magican Love, turned the former into the likeness of happiness. Her dream had been the dream of all women, that she should bear a son who would serve his country and fight for the ideals she cherished.

She bent down now and tenderly kissed him, this dream child of hers—a little distorted, disfigured boy of thirty. Run and tell cook we shall be three for dinner, dear, then ring up the Blakes on the telephone for me. Nothing wrong, I hope, Iris? she asked as soon as she was alone with her daughter.

No, mother, I want to see a Mr. Saintsbury, a lawyer on some business of Jim's, that's all. But don't talk about it.

I can't help you?

Iris shook her head. No, darling—bless you.

Directly dinner was over, Iris rose, put on her hat and went out. Reuben followed her to the door. I know that Saintsbury man; he's a beast. Let me go with you, Iris.

She looked at her brother curiously, trying to read the secrets he kept locked behind the black fringe of lashes. What do you know about Mr. Saintsbury?

I only know he's a beast, Reuben said obstinately. He doesn't know me, but I've seen him often. He's cruel, don't trust him.

Iris smiled. I shall not be long, she said, as she called a cab and drove away.

It was a quarter to nine when she rang the bell of Mr. Saintsbury's private house, a dreary five-storied building in West Kensington. The maid servant stared at her when she answered the door. Mr. Saintsbury was unused to visitors in the evening especially visitors of Iris's youth and beauty.

I don't know if master's at home or not. Will you please to wait, I'll go and see.

Tell him my business is very important, Iris said. And presently she was shown into the Saintsbury dining-room. The room resembled its owner—it was cold, barren and dusty, but that was the fault of West Kensington. Behind the glass doors of a mahogany book-case stood rows of books, mostly in vellum covers which looked as if they had not been opened for years. A large gilt clock ticked aggressively on the mantelshelf. The table in the center of the room was barren, even of a vase of flowers; the windows tightly closed, the Tottenham Court Road chairs stood in a row against the wall.

Mr. Samuel Saintsbury kept Iris waiting. He felt slightly perturbed on her name being handed to him; and his wife, as dry and barren of love and life as he himself, was frankly inquisitive.

What on earth can a young woman want with you at this time of night, I would like to know. If it's on business why couldn't she go to you office in the City? She can't be a nice person, Sam. I hope you'll send her away.

I will, Sam said. He entered the room adjusting his glasses and peering cautiously over them at the slim figure standing by the dusty window.

To what am I indebted for the honor of this visit?

Before replying, Iris looked closely at Mr. Saintsbury, trying to read his character, to discover his weakness and his strength She had a difficult task to perform, even a dangerous one. She was nervous, but not afraid. Mr. Saintsbury kept his little ferret like eyes fixed on her. That she was beautiful, scarcely appealed to him at all, but he realized that she was well-dressed, bizarre and unconventional, the type of woman of whom he disapproved. But there was just enough manhood left in his withered body, to make him realize that she was a woman any man would be glad to win, and a woman for whom James Francks would fight to the death. This knowledge gave him some satisfaction. He disliked dealings with women, and he was not quite at his ease. He had been married for fifteen years and he distrusted the sex.

Wont you sit down? He waved her to one of the chairs against the wall. She drew it to the table, and leaning forward rested her face between her hands, her elbows on the shining mahogany.

You called this evening to see Mr. Francks, my future husband.

Mr. Saintsbury inclined his eagle-like head.

You were the bearer of unpleasant news?

Mr. Saintsbury spread out his hands apologetically. The law was not conceived to make itself pleasant. Did Mr. Francks confide in you?

In a couple of days he will be my husband. We will have no secrets from one another, we share everything.

The lawyer also sat down now. He took out a large handkerchief and polished his glasses, then peered at Iris again. I'm sorry for you, he said guardedly, but I must do my duty.

And that is—? Iris queried.

Mr. Francks told you, he said with a ghost of a smile.

He didn't tell me, but you're going to

Ah! Now we understand one another. I'm sorry, my dear young lady, but I can tell you nothing. It would not be right or proper.

Iris took her elbows off the table and turning her head, glanced at the clock. It was now half-past nine.

Mr. Saintsbury, I know you came to Mr Francks to-night to threaten him, possibly with some boyish indiscretion he committed in the past and had forgotten. He's rich, I know he has no debts, he is brave, he is honest, he's loved and respected by everyone. He has fought his own way in the world, builded his own fortune. Perhaps when he laid the foundations of his life he made a false step. I don't want to know what that was, but I want to know what your claim against him is.

My dear young lady, you must realize it's impossible for me to tell you that.

Iris leaned back in her chair. Then there is something? Well, Mr. Saintsbury, I'm not going to leave this room until you do tell me.

Really! Mr. Saintsbury rose to his feet. I don't think you realise what you're saying.

Yes, I do, she replied calmly. Danger threatens the man I love, and that danger comes from you. It must be removed, do you understand? And removed before I leave here to-night.

The lawyer cleared his throat and blew his nose violently. He glanced a little uneasily towards the door. Ten o'clock was the hour of bedtime, his wife would be getting suspicious, she might even be listening. Her methods were very similar to his.

If Mr. Francks wishes he can save himself all unpleasantness, the matter rests entirely in his hands.

Iris said nothing for a little while, she calmly sat, as if waiting. The lawyer took a few nervous steps up and down the room. I wonder if you would give me a cigarette? she asked presently, I don't generally smoke, but it's good for the nerves, and it helps the time to pass.

Mr. Saintsbury fumbled for his case and offered it to her.

Thanks, a match.

He lit one and held it for her, his hands trembled slightly. He watched her as she blew the smoke between her lips, a mixture of amazement and annoyance on his face, as if she were some extraordinary creature of whose existence in his little life he had been unaware, a new and dangerous species of the human race.

(To be Continued)


## SALT RHEUM CAME OUT ON HANDS

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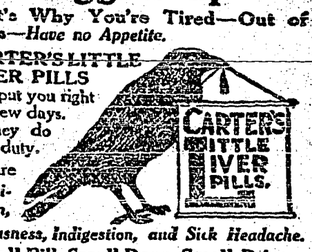


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### Labby and the Brigand

Brigandage in Mexico was a common profession and had its rules. The late Mr. Labouchere was once for some weeks at a sugar plantation near a small provincial town in Mexico. In the town lived a brigand. He was highly esteemed by his neighbors, and, said Mr. Labouchere, I passed many a pleasant evening with him and his family. His daughter was a beauty, and his estimable parent was amassing a little fortune for her.

His habit was to ride at night to the road between Mexico and Vera Cruz with two or three associates, and to levy contributions on the diligence. When I left the town I wanted to strike this road and I went with him and his friends. We reached it at about six in the morning. Having partaken of chocolate, the brigands posted themselves behind some rocks, and I looked on. Soon the diligence was seen approaching The brigands emerged and the coachman stopped; the passengers were requested to descend, and were politely eased of their money.

The passengers then took their places again in the coach and it drove off, while the brigands courteously bowed to them. So honest were they in their peculiar way that they wished me to take my share in the spoil; but this, of course, my standard of morality being different from theirs, I declined. My estimable friends then retired into a neigrboring church to give thanks for the success of their enterprise and I wished them good-bye. Riding on to Puecla, I dined at a table d'hote that evening with the despoiled travellers, and adds Mr. Labouchere, was greatly amused to hear them recount the valorous manner in which they had defended themselves, and how they at last had to succumb to rumbers.

Holloway's Corn Cure takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

### In the Soup

Fairly reeking of the salt sea waves the two mariners strolled into a cheap restaurant and ordered a dinner. They were captain and mate, ashore after a long trip.

In a few minutes the somewhat grimy waiter appeared, and with an airy flourish, deposited before the sea-dogs two plates of some thin, anaemic-looking liquid.

Ahoy, there! barked the skipper, as his eye fell upon the concoction. What in the name of Neptune is this?

The waiter bowed gracefully, arranged his napkin in the proper position, and replied, in lordly tones:

Soup, sir.

Then it was that the grizzled captain flew into such fits of laughter that he nearly brought tears to his eyes.

Bill, he cried, giving the mate a mighty nudge, here's news, my lad! Here's you and me these forty years been sailing on soup.

### Both Satisfied

A hunter set out one day to hunt, and a panther set out at the same time to eat.

I must have a fur coat, said the hunter.

I, said the panther, must have a dinner.

Some hours later in a lonely wood the panther and the hunter met.

Ah, said the hunter, gaily levelling his gun, here is my fur overcoat.

And he shot, but the panther dodging behind a tree, escaped unhurt.

Then the panther rushed forth before the hunter could reload.

Aha! here's my dinner, said the panther. And he fell upon the hunter and devoured him.

Thus each got what he wanted, the hunter getting his fur overcoat and the panther his dinner.

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Some men were discussing the sudden death of a neighbor who had left a rather helpless family.

And the worst of it is, said one, that there isn't one of those boys that has the head to fill his father's shoes.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

The Tenant—That cellar I've rented off you is full of rats.

Landlord—Great goodness, man! What do you expect for five shillings a week—white mice?

### A Miraculous Escape

A mishap befell a steamboat tripper on the West Coast last summer. In common with others he found much enjoyment in watching the engines at work. There were several doors around and above the engine-room and he was interestedly following the movements of the engineer through one of these when a crowd came suddenly along the passage, the pressure being so great that the door gave way and he was hurled, as it seemed, into the midst of the moving machinery and lost consciousness.

When he came to on the upper deck he was informed that a moment before he fell the starboard engine had been stopped as the boat was just rounding in, and it was found that he had simply received a few bruises. It was a miraculous escape from what might have been a fearful death.

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A banker in an American town, having a bald head, was in the habit of wearing his hat during business hours. Every week a negro workman on the railway presented a cheque for his wages, and one day as he put his money in a greasy wallet the banker said to him:

Look here, Moses, why don't you let some of that money stay in the bank and earn interest for you?

Oh, no, boss replied the darky, with a glance at the banker's hat. I'se jes' afeared. You look like you was always ready to start off somewheres.


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### What Had She Been Doing?

A teacher in a local Sunday school desired to reprove a small boy. Johnnie, she said, quite solemnly, I'm afraid I shall never meet you in the better land.

Johnnie put on a look of astonishment. Why, teacher, he asked, whatever have yo been a-doing of now?

A doctor and his friend were out walking together one day and passed by some houses which the doctor had built and owned, and which he could seldom let. The doctor remarked to his friend:

I lost money when I built those houses.

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A great deal of our stomach and bowel troubles come from eating too much starchy and greasy food.

The stomach does not digest any of the starchy food we eat—white bread, pastry, potatoes, oats, etc.—these things are digested in the small intestines and if we eat too much, as most of us do, the organs that should digest this kind of food are overcome by excess of work, so that fermentation, indigestion, and a long train of ills result.

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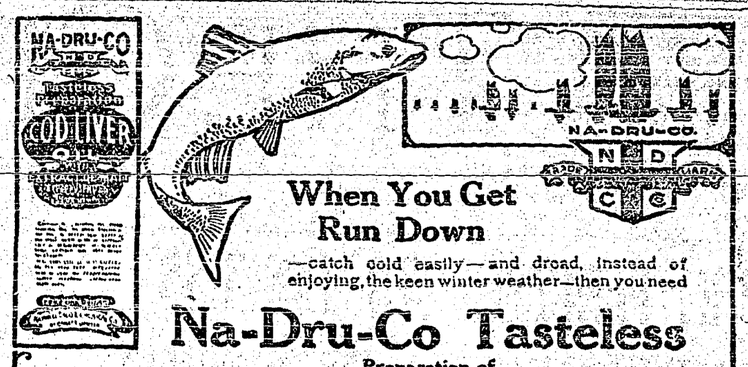


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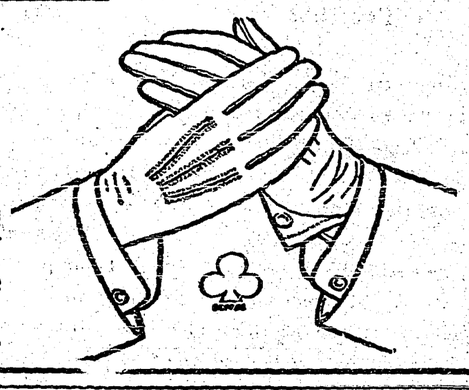



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Farmer (on one sid eof the hedge to boy on the other side): Now then, my lad, didn't I tell you not to let me catch you here again.

Boy (preparing to run): All right, don't make a fuss. You ain't caught me yet!

About a million tourists visit the Alps each year, of whom about twenty four are killed in accidents.

Isn't your son rather young to join the Army? said a recruiting sergeant to an old lady, who brought a boy of fourteen to aim to enlist.

Why, no, she replied. You see, I want him to join the infantry.

### Same Old Story

Good-morning, madam! I've called about the quarter's rates.

So spoke the rate-collector ingratiatingly.

The lady of the house eyed him coolly. She'd got the money ready.

Good-morning, she replied amiably, but I can't say I'm exactly glad to see you.

Then that's where you differ from most of 'em, retorted the visitor. A lot of them like me so much that they nearly always ask me to call again!

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### Smart

N. P. Willis, the American writer, was usually the life of the company he happened to be in. His repartee at Mrs. Gales's dinner in Washington is famous. Mrs. Gales wrote on a card to her niece at the other end of the table: Don't flirt so with Nat Willis. She herself was talking vivaciously to a Mr. Campbell.

Willis wrote the niece's reply: Dear aunt, don't attempt my young feelings to trammel, nor strain at a Nat while you swallow a Campbell.

### Pleasure First

Where do you get your papers, little boy? asked the benevolent old gentleman.

From Jimmy Wilson sir, answered the small boy.

And who is Jimmy Wilson?

Oh, he's a newsboy! He buys 'em at the newspaper office.

How much do you pay him for them?

A penny each

And yet you sell them for a halfpenny. You can't make much.

No.

Then why do you sell them?

Oh, just to get a fair chance of hollering!


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Price $1 per bottle—6 bottles $5. Ask druggist for free book "Treatise on the Horse" or write to us. 73

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### A Point of Honor

No power on earth shall make me do it! The man spoke firmly, but his knees trembled.

She approached close to his side. Her eyes blazed into his.

You shall do it, she snarled, however much you dread it! D'you hear me?

I refuse utterly. Such action is unworthy of a man of pride and honor.

You refuse? Quickly she was at his side again; and though he drew back from her as from a whip-lash, she gripped him like a vice.

Then she took out a small knife—a thin, sharp-pointed piece of steel. She thrust it into his hand.

There! she exclaimed. His obstinacy was driving her to desperation. Her voice broke with passion. William Tompkins, she cried, unless you obey, and peel those potatoes now—at once—you shall go to bed without any dinner!

### Suggestive

An Englishman travelling in California was impressed by a specimen of local humour. He was going down a dangerous mountain road in a coach when he saw these ominous words, branded in black letters upon a white board nailed to a wayside tree: How would you like to have a broken neck and a dirty shirt on? Try the Snowhite Laundry.

### Inquisitive

A small boy was seated in the parlor with his sister's young man. Being of an inquiring turn of mind he asked Mr Graysmith: Do you weigh very much?

About 150lbs, my little man, the hopeful lover responded.

Do you think sister would lift you? the boy continued.

Oh, goodness, no; said the young man blushing at the mere thought, why do you ask?

I don't believe she can, either, but I heard her tell ma this morning that she was going to throw you over as soon as she could.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

Overheard during the holiday season at Blackpool:

A little boy said to his father: Eh, feyther, isn't there a lot of fooak on th' sands this week?

Father—Aye, but there'll be a lot more on th' rocks next week.


WEAK STOMACH

Need New, Rich Blood to Restore Them to a Healthy Condition

Actually in need of food to nourish the body, and yet afraid to eat because of the racking pains that follow. That is the condition of the sufferer from indigestion—a choice between starvation or merciless torture.

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Wigwag—I never knew such a fellow as Jones. He is always looking for trouble.

Henpecke—Then why doesn't he get married?

**For Sprains and Bruises.**—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It will reduce the swelling that follows a sprain, will cool the inflamed flesh and draw the pain as if by magic. It will take the ache out of a bruise and prevent the flesh from discoloring. It seems as if there was magic in it, so speedily does the injury disappear under treatment.

Who was that seedy individual I saw you give half a crown to?

An old literary friend of mine; author of "Ten Thousand Ways of Making Money.'

### Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

Ninety-eight out of every thousand women married annually in England are widows, and yet more than 50 per cent. of the women between the ages of 15 and 50 remain unmarried.

In the causes of infant mortality cholera morbus figures frequently, and it may be said that complaints of the bowels are great destroyers of child life. If all mothers would avail themselves of so effective a remedy as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial many a little one could be saved. This Cordial can be given with safety to the smallest child, as there is no injurious substance in it.

Henry Peck—Do you think you can make a good portrait of my wife?

Mr. Brushaway—My friend, I can make it so lifelike you'll jump every time you see her.


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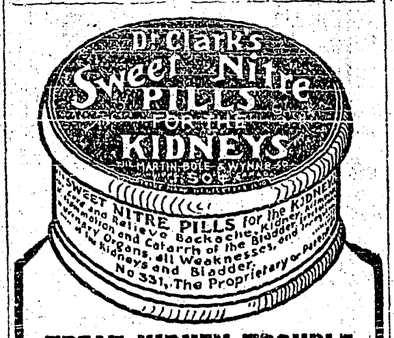


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### Not a Complaint

Look here he said to the groom, are you the man who put the saddle on Miss Jennie's horse?

Yes, sir. Anything wrong, sir?

It was loose—very loose. She had no sooner mounted than the saddle slipped, and if I hadn't caught her she would have been thrown to the ground.

I'm very sorry, sir.

But I did catch her, went on the young man, meditatively. I caught her in my arms, and—Here's half a crown for you, John. Do you suppose you could leave the girth loose when we go riding again to-morrow.

It is estimated that $5,000,000 a year is spent in wages to professional footballers.


She Had Such Beautiful Hands

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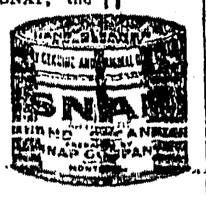


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### Bride Training

To those who take their wifely duties just as a matter of course it may come as a great surprise to know that there exist academies solely devoted to the training of brides-to-be.

This is the case, however; and such an institution is St. Martha's College of Housecraft, which is situated in Chichester Street, St. George's Square S.W. Under its accommodating roof future brides are taught what to, and what not to do. For the assumption is long since dead that a girl must necessarily be born a perfect wife and mother. Every experienced housewife, although never, perhaps having been through a course of hygiene or domestic science knows full well how many and hard were the lessons she had to learn before she became the perfect home product.

It should of course be within the means of every woman to go through a proper domestic training, and possibly in the near future better facilities may be afforded for poor women, as well as rich, to train as wives.

Meanwhile, at the bride's school in Chichester Street the girls are taught the entire art of managing a house, from making beds to cooking evening dinners. For it is one of the principal's theories that even should a girl in after life be fortunate enough to keep her two or three servants and footman, her early knowledge must always prove useful.

For servants need managing, as well as training, and the young wife often finds the former the more difficult of the two. Either she is too lenient and indulgent or she is haughty and overbearing. She is taught the happy medium at St. Martha's College.

Life there is none too easy. The laundry students, for example, rise at 7.30 the house student at 6 and the cook on Fridays (the day for flues), at 5.30. The remaining girls not acting in the above capacities rise at 6 in the summer and strip their beds and open windows.

A cup of tea is then taken, after which the real work of the day begins. The girls lay and light fires filling coal scuttles, sweeping and dusting rooms, brushing down the steps, and polishing the door brasses.

Then follows 8 o'clock breakfast which is prepared by the cook on duty. Such tasks as washing up, cleaning silver, turning out rooms, and cooking, for everyone lasts till 1 o'clock, the luncheon hour.

The course is a six months' one and each girl studies a week in each branch of the work. Becoming uniforms of brown linen, white aprons, mob caps and sleeves are worn in this particular establishment.

Shopping expeditions are also the rule of the house and lectures and practical classes are given on such subjects as sewing, darning, patching, mending, upholstery, cooking and the laws of hygiene in the afternoons.

The great idea of the whole system of the institution is that housewifery is a science to be tackled in a scientific way. As Miss Feddon, the principal, herself puts it, the perfect housewife should attack her work scientifically, and so get it done better and quicker than one lacking method and training. She would then have time to interest herself in other matters.

Which is eminently true, as every housewife, whether controlling a large or small house, will readily admit.

### Don't Get Injured

I've been thinking of it ever since I started on my present journey, said the commercial traveller thoughtfully, and I'm bothered if I can make up my mind just what she was aiming at. You see, some time ago I realised that travelling about the country as I am I was taking a good many chances. I decided, therefore, to insure myself.

So I said to my wife, after I had acted upon the thought, I have done something today that I should have done when I first started on the road. I have taken out an accident insurance policy on my life. If I am killed, the company pay a thousand pounds. If I am injured, then I get a pound a week.

For how long? she asked.

As long as I am laid up.

But it might be only a week.

Yes.

And you would only get a sovereign.

That is all.

And if you get killed you get a thousand pounds?

You would, I answered patiently.

Well, the next morning, when I started on my journey she threw her arms round me and cried—

Now, John, for heaven's sake whatever you do, don't get injured.

### Levelling It up

The proprietor of the pig shop on the corner was a chemist, flourishing withal and keenly business-like. He was at the post of duty midway between the red and green vials when the fierce-looking lady entered his premises, but he rubbed his hands and greeted her cordially.

Good-evening, madam, he whinnied, in his high-pitched voice. And what may I have the great pleasure of doing for you?

The fearsome lady placed her arms akimbo, and faced him angrily.

The other night, she said, in sepulchral tones, you sold my husband a bottle of tonic, and he came home and went for me like anything. What yer goin' to do about it?

For a brief moment the man of medicine was nonplussed, but only for a moment. Then he turned on his might-be customer his sweetest smile, and suavely remarked:

Well, ma'am, buy two bottles for yourself, and then go home and get even with him!

Tommy had been promoted by the chemist. He was now allowed to serve behind the counter.

One morning a middle-aged lady, looking her full age, came in.

Have you got any cream for restoring the complexion? she queried bashfully.

Tommy was a wise lad. He eyed her too-vivid cheeks wit hopen admiration.

Pardon me, madam, he said politely. Don't you mean cream for preserving the complexion?

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# No Christmas Catalogue This Year

It is now high time to think of Christmas and your Christmas needs. A little later on the mails will be so heavy that delays are liable to occur; and a little later on our Mail Order Department will be so rushed with business that we will have difficulty in giving the attention to orders that we desire to do, and that we usually do.

We are not issuing a Christmas Catalogue this year, but our regular Catalogue contains a very full list of articles suitable for Yuletide remembrances.

The great advantage of including these in our regular Catalogue is that our customers can order their Christmas requirements at the same time as they are ordering other goods, and in this way save considerable in transportation.

Make your selection early, and order early, so as to have all the advantage of an unbroken assortment.

Of course we have made provision for big business but it always happens that there is a big run on certain lines which sometimes quickly exhausts our supply. You can avoid disappointment by ordering early.

If you have not had a copy of our Fall and Winter Catalogue write for it and we will send it to you at once. It is well worth having as it is the biggest and best we have ever issued, while our values too are the best we have ever offered.

If you already have a copy of the Catalogue test our values and our service with an order. You are sure to be pleased with both.

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WINNIPEG CANADA

# Every Woman's Complexion

is bound to show whether or not she is in good physical condition. If the complexion is muddy, the skin sallow; if pimples or skin blemishes appear it is then attention must be given to improve the bodily condition. There is one safe and simple way. Clear the system and purify the blood with a few doses of

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This well known vegetable family remedy is famous for its power to improve the action of the organs of digestion and elimination. They will regulate the bowels, stimulate the liver, tone the stomach and you will know what it is to be free from troubles, from headaches, backaches, lassitude, and extreme nervousness. They will make you feel healthier and stronger in every way. By clearing your system of poisonous waste Beecham's Pills will have good effect upon your looks—these they

Will Beautify and Improve.

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### Deep in Thought

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Mr. Rhymer (to himself)—I have to order sugar from the grocer's, beef at the butcher's, pay for last week's bread and bring some soothing syrup for the baby. I wish to goodness Mary would attend to all these things herself!

### The Wise Man and the Fool

Once, in travelling, Dr. Bledso was exceedingly annoyed by a pedantic bore who forced himself upon him and made a great parade of his learning. The doctor bore it as long as he could and at length, looking at him gravely, said—

My friend, you and I know all that is to be known.

How is that? said the man, pleased with what he thought a compliment to his association.

Why, said the doctor, you know everything except that you are a fool, and I know that.

## The Creston Review

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W. B. McCLURE - - Editor and Manager

The Review is the acknowledged advertising medium of the Creston valley, circulating in nearly one thousand homes throughout the Creston district and reaching out in a broad manner into other communities. Our advertising rates are based on the scale of the Kootenay and Boundary Printers' Board of Trade. Land purchase and land lease notices, $7 for statutory time. Display advertisements, $1 per inch per month; other advertising 10 cents per line first issue and 5 cents per line in succeeding weeks. Subscription rates $2.00 a year in advance. Our columns are open to contributions dealing in matters of local interest and the welfare of the community. Contributions must be brief and signed.


What can be accomplished for the good of the district when the ranchers and the business men work harmoniously for a common end, was well exemplified by the success of the exhibit which was gotten up by the community for the Dry Farming exposition at Lethbridge. This exhibit was handled by a committee chosen from the three organizations the Board of Trade, the Farmers Institute and the Fruit Growers Association. The ranchers supplied the fruit and produce for the exhibit and the Board of Trade financed the staging of it, and the result of this was that Creston's display was bigger and better than it would have been had it been handled by any one body. The exhibit attracted the attention of the crowds and was generally acknowledged to be the best in the British Columbia building.

It is to be hoped for the sake of the advancement of the interests of the valley, that this harmony between the business men and the ranchers is maintained. At present everything seems to indicate that it will be. The Board of Trade at its meeting last Tuesday evening took steps which plainly show that it is its desire to continue to work with the interests of the ranchers, by shoulderiug the task and expense of determining the lawful owners of the land being fenced in by the Canadian Pacific Railway company along its right of way. The ranchers as a class would act unhesitatingly, at the present time, with the business men were anything to come up to put their will to a test.

Personal feelings and prejudices must be forgotten in all matters pretaining to the welfare of the entire district. Cooperation of the ranchers will insure business success, and harmonious working of ranchers and business men in matters of information and publicity will hasten the day.

There are two compensations for the weeks of rain we have been experiencing. The moderate temperoture has reduced the fuel bills, and the heavy rain has completely saturated the fall plowed ground insuring against drouth next year.

### Use Of Cedar Ties Decreases

In 1910 eastern cedar composed 40 per cent of the total number of cross ties purchased in the Dominion; in 1911 it fell to 5.4 per cent, and to fifth place in importance of species used. Its place has been taken by jack pine of which wood 40 per cent of the ties used in 1911 were made. Tamarack, with 19 per cent; Douglas fir with 14 per cent, and hemlock with 12 per cent are the three next in order.

The Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior, which is authority for the above, states in its bulletin on the subject that 13,683,770 ties, or 4,469,808 more than in 1910, were purchased in 1911. Railway development in the West is largely responsible for the increase.

The average price per tie was 39 cents. The United States furnished the most expensive kinds,-Southern pine at $1.10 and white oak at 81 cents apiece. These latter were used largely in switches.

In 1911 the sawn tie stood ahead of the hewen tie both in quantity used and price, 70 per cent of the total being from the mill. The cost was 41 cents apiece or 4 cents more than the hewn tie.

An interesting estimate of the amount of timber which could be saved by preservative treatment is given. Creosoting makes the initial expense per tie per tie about 93 cents as compared with 58 cents for the untreated tie. However as the length of life is extended by 10 years, the economy is two cents per tie per year. This would mean $1,400,000 per annum, to say nothing of the vast quantity (estimated to be 350,000,000 feet board measure annually), which is being taken from the fast diminishing timber supplies,

—Large stock of heavy shoes just arrived.—A. Mirabelli.

The Beaver Lodge has changed its headquarters to rooms over Johnson's pool hall.

—LADIES, call at our store and look over our supply of McCalls patterns just received. S. A. Speers.

Mrs. Hope of Ottawa arrived in Creston Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gibbs.

—I can supply you with rubbers. A. Mirabelli, the Shoe Maker.

Divine Service at Christ Church will commence at 7 p. m., instead of 7:30 p. m., on Nov. 3rd and throughout the winter months.


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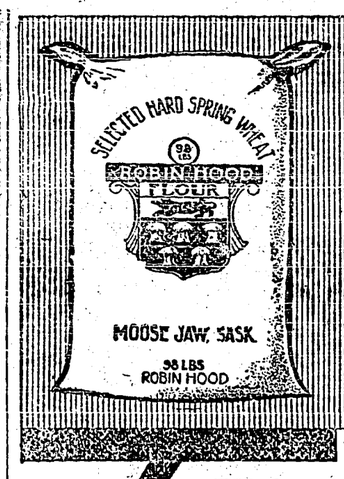


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## Announcement of Fruit Packing Schools

(By Wm. E. Scott, Deputy Minister)

The department of Agriculture, in accordance with its policy of the past three years, will continue the fruit packing schools during the coming winter. The packing schools proved even more popular in 1912 than previously and we expect, from the number of applications already in, that there will be a great growth in the work this winter. It is hoped that this year schools will be placed in every fruit district of the Province, where a sufficient number of pupils can be secured.

The class of instruction furnished by the experts employed by the Department, in previous years has demonstrated its efficiency in meeting the competition of Oregon and Washington in fruit packing. The experience and standing of the instructors secured and the confidence reposed in them by the Department, guarantee to the fruit growers the highest class of instruction.

As in previous years the local administration of the packing schools will be placed in the hands of a responsible local body, such as the Farmers' Institute, the Fruit Growers' Association, or the Board of Trade.

The Department of Agriculture provides the instructor and pays his expences. The Department will also bear the cost of the packing paper, the fruit and all other legitimate expenses, except that of the Secretarial work, which it has been found most satisfactory to leave to local arrangement.

The responsible organization in each case will be required to guarantee a minimum of twelve pupils, but not more than fifteen, with proper qualifications at a fee of three dollars each, to take the twelve lessons of two and one-half hours a lesson, the school extending over one week. In a limited number of districts a double packing school can be arranged for, in which the minimum guarantee will be twenty-four pupils, but not more than thirty, for the same number of lessons. The guaranteeing organization will also arrange for and bear the expenses of the hall, its heating and lighting.

The hall for fifteen pupils must be at least 30 ft by 50 ft., and well lighted. It must be heated sufficiently to prevent chilling of the fingers of the packers, and to prevent freezing of the fruit at night.

The Department will as far as possible, use local fauit. At the time of making application for the packing school, you are requested to reserve fruit at the rate of 2½ to 3 boxes per pupil. The hardier varieties, such as Ben Davis, are preferred. Fruit must be in good condition, but need not be graded and none should run under 2¼ diameter. The Department will pay the legitimate market price for this fruit. If local fruit cannot be secured, the Department should be expressly notified and will undertake to secure same.

The instructor will bring with him the necessary packing tables and fruit paper. The Department expects that he will be met on his arrival by some responsible person, who should provide him with all necessary information, so as to get the school under way without loss of time.

It seems hardly necessary to present to you the important advantages to be gained from the packing school, particularly in the way of practical and thorough instruction in actual commercial packing.

Pupils will learn in addition, a good deal about the methods and equipment used by the most progressive Associations, will also learn a great deal of value about exhibition packing by attending the school as well as a good deal of the interpretation of the Fruit Marks Act.

Pupils who gain in a score of 75% for efficiency in the packing school, and who put up a creditable pack for the Department prizes the following year, may secure a diploma certifying the same from from the Department.

## Three Important Articles on Canada

No. 1. Appears in the Review of Reviews for November: "Canada's Government Railway, An Experiment in Public Ownership and Operation," by Albert J. Beveridge, former United States Senator from Indiana. This is a brilliant and informing discussion of the conception, construction and of the Intercolonial Railroad, with an interpretation of its national importance.

No. 2. "Is Canada to Have a Navy?" by P. T. McGrath, editor of the St. Johns [Newfoundland] Evening Chronicle, and member of the Upper House of the Newfounuland Legislature. This will appear in the December Review of Reviews, and will be an informational, comprehensive discussion of the naval policy of the Dominion; Whether Canada shall build warships to aid in Imperial defense fund. The Dominion Parliament meets next month, November 21st, in special session, at the call of the Premier, to receive the official report of Mr. Borden's recent visit to London and to discuss matters of naval policy. This article will set forth the Borden point of view as well as that of the opposition, headed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

No. 3. "Canada's New Railways and the Panama Canal," by P. T. McGrath Is the new Hudson Bay railway, which has excited so much interest in the Dominion, to be favorably or unfavorably affected by the opening of the Panama Canal?

WATER NOTICE
For License to Take and Use Water

Notice is hereby given that Paul Ofner of Duck Creek, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use ¼ cubic foot of water per second, out of a tributary of Duck Creek, which flows in a westerly direction through Blocks 4 and 5, Lot 279, and empties in Duck Creek near Block G. H., Lot 191. The water will be diverted at the south east corner of Block 4, Lot 279. This notice was posted on the ground on the 11th day of November, 1912,

The application will be filed in the office of the water recorder at Nelson.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the comptroller of water rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Paul Ofner (Applicant)

O. J. Stephens, who has been spending the summer in the prairie provinces returned to Creston last Thursday.

C. G. Reeder of Spokane, a member of a real estate company holding large tracts of the Kootenay Valley Flat lands in Idaho, spent Friday and Saturday in Creston in interest of the reclamation of the low lands.

The new ferry across the Kootenay has arrived from Nelson.

L. Perkins, teller at the local branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is off on a leave of absence. L. Lindsey of Golden is relieving him.


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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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RENEWAL OF LICENSE
Liquor License Act (Section 18)

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of December next application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the renewal of License for the sale of Liquor by wholesale in and upon the premises known as Creston Wine & Spirit Co., situate at Creston, B. C, upon the lands described as Lot 32, Block A.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1912
Sidney Poole
Applicant

Renewal of License
Liquor License Act (Section 42)

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial police for a renewal of the Hotel License to sell Liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Creston Hotel, situate at Creston in the province of British Columbia.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1912.
J. B. Moran, Proprietor.

TRANSFER OF LICENSE
Liquor License Act (Section 48)

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the Transfer of the License for the sale of Liquor by wholesale in and upon the premises known as Creston Wine & Spirit Co., to the premises to be known as the same, situate at Creston, B. C., upon the lands described as Lot 2, Block A

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One day, when the third baby was four weeks old, his wife came bustling into his office.

Isn't it lovely, dear? she gurgled. Father has sent us five pounds for our new baby.

He never looked up from the accounts he was making up.

Right-ho! he murmured abstractedly. You wrap him up, and post the parcel, while I write out the receipt for the money.

Sir Walter Raleigh, who in 1548, first introduced the potato into Ireland, was beheaded on October 20th, 1618.

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Jim eyed her for a minute and then said:

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### The Artful Porter

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Fuddle—Pretty wideawake man, isn't he?

Doctor—I should say so. I'm treating him for insomnia.

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A reporter was once interviewing a famous English international footballer, and asked him how he liked being a professional.

Immensely, he replied.

Aye, but well enough to bring your children up to it? said the reporter.

No, he replied, not well enough for that.

Why not? asked the reporter.

Because they're lassos, said he, with loud laughter.

To have the children sound and healthy is the first care of a mother. They cannot be healthy if troubled with worms. Use Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

What's the gloaming, Uncle Tom? Well, perhaps a man is married if it is the time to take a walk with the girl he loves; but after he is married it is the time he falls over rocking-horses and building blocks on the parlor floor.

Landlady—You believe in mustard plasters, doctor?

Medical Doctor—I always order them for patients who call me out in the middle of the night when there's nothing the matter with 'em.

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### Behind His Back

Father—Tommy how many times have you been whacked at school today?

Tommy—Oh, I never take any notice of what is going on behind my back.

### Appropriate

Will—The sight of an old schoolmate is—er—well, it might be called both meat and drink.

Bertha—Yes, that's what you men usually do in the circumstances.

Eh?

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### Counteracting the American Flag

To the Editor.

I notice, according to your correspondence columns that the Overseas Club, of London, and the British Empire is taking more than ordinary interest in the moving picture world, and that there has been going the round of almost every newspaper throughout Canada and England, a letter complaining of the absence of the British flag in the films of the thousands of moving picture shows, not only throughout Canada but throughout the whole of the British Empire, while in the United States the people appear to be so bigotted in their ideas of patriotism and loyalty and obedience to their own flag that they discry and abominate any other, and this is it which prompts this letter. It is deplorable that so strong a feeling prevails every time the British flag is exhibited, although it is so seldom that the number of times can be counted on one hand, while most pictures contain the American. But the time is coming when all will be changed. Picture halls will have the opportunity of not only exhibiting the British and Canadian flags, but of other Empire pictures on a large scale. Montreal is to be the city where the transformation will emanate from, and already considerable interest is being evinced in the British American Film Company which has recently been established with Canadian capital and head offices in Montreal, and already a very large sum has been spent in productions. Recently a valuable property has been acquired in a suitable section of the city to be transformed into a town studio, and fitted up with all the latest appliances for producing moving picture films. Historic scenes which are dear to the heart of all real Canadians, and even the most modern Englishman have already been depicted, including the great and famous battle of the Long Sault, which will shortly be ready, while others which will be taken during the winter months, with the snow lying deep on the ground, will be many of the world famous romances of the Hudson's Bay Company at the various posts throughout the Northwest. Attention will be turned to the landing of Champlain, the battle of the Plains of Abraham, and the interesting and exciting episodes which were the stirring events in the early days of the founding of this great Dominion, which has become one of the greatest the world has ever known. This company is the only one of its kind operating in Canada and one of the very few producing scenic pictures entirely of a British Empire character. The Canadian public has undoubtedly been surfeited in the past by the goods of the American producer, and in view of the considerable correspondence that is constantly appearing in the newspapers from time to time on this particular subject it is only fair that the public should know what efforts of a national character are being made to counteract the present movement of circulating the films which make such a vivid display of the American flag. I am sure that the Overseas Club of London, England, who have been responsible for drawing attention to the absence of such companies as the British American Film Company, will be pleased to know that an effort, and a strong one too, is being made by Canadians themselves to fight this battle. Apologizing for taking so much of your space,

I remain, your faithfully,
FRANK W. FOX.
100 Rockland Ave., Montreal, Canada.

### The Fraser Valley

Mr. G. L. McDonnell, a prospector of western reputation has just returned to Edmonton from British Columbia where he was sent by an English syndicate to report upon the mining possibilities of the new country opened up by the progress of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. He walked from Mile 140 to Mile 53 over the grade of the main line and reported that silver and lead are plentiful, also that copper showed strong out-croppings and that gold had been heard of. He further stated that between 4,000 and 5,000 men were working in the Fraser Valley on the new line.

"The Fraser Valley," Mr. McDonnell observed, "is the most beautiful and interesting of the two routes through the Canadian Rockies. It is wider and more expansive than the panorama in the Kicking Horse Pass. On the southern side of the river the mountains are some distance off, their snow-clad peaks silhuetting the skyline and shutting out the Cariboo country beyond On the other side of the stream here and there threatened by the tumbling river of many rapids which suddenly divert its bending way for 20 or 30 miles to the northward, are expanses of timber all billowing and surging up from the 50 by 50 mile plains until they reach the railway grade, jump it, and climb the mountains in their course until they recede into the barrenness beyond the timber lines."

### His Wife Saw to That

Farmer Turmut had had a good day at market. His cattle had fetched good prices, and, feeling flush, he bought a nice piece of cloth to have made into a suit of clothes.

But, alas on his homeward way he lost it, a happening which annoyed Mrs. Turmut very much.

Full of the grievance, she told the vicar about it next day, blaming her husband's carelessness for the loss.

A week later the vicar met Turmut.

Good morning Mr. Turmut, said the good man. Have you heard anything about your cloth?

Turmut smiled sadly.

Yes, he said, solemnly and mournfully, yet philosophically, I have—morning, noon and night!

### Explained

My dear, said the young husband, did you speak to the milkman about there being no cream on the milk.

Yes. I told him about it this morning, and he has explained it satisfactorily; I think it is quite a credit to him, too.

What did he say?

He said that he always filled the jugs so full that there is no room on the top for the cream.

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First Duke—Well, do you think Miss Van Bullion intends to buy you?

Second Duke—My dear boy, I don't know; sometimes I think she does, at other times I fear she is merely shopping.

A camel, when burdened, can travel 25 miles a day; when unburdened, so many as 60, or even 90 miles.

### Flattering

Harold, when we are married, you must stay at home, whilst I sing and play to you, instead of going to your club.

Yes, darling. You know I never cared much for pleasure, anyway.

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### At the Lecture

The lecture arose and said impressively: Every time I see a young man coming out of a saloon, I want to go right up to that young man, and say, Turn right around, young man; you're going the wrong way.

### Pedagogue and Pupil

Do you understand me now? thundered an angry schoolmaster to an urchin at whose head he had thrown an inkstand.

I've got an inkling of what you mean, replied the boy.

EMPIRE NAVY PLUG CHEWING TOBACCO

What the Chief Gunner Says:

"There are two occasions when a gunner feels perfectly happy, —one is when his shot hits the target and the other is when he can enjoy a chew of Empire Navy Plug Chewing Tobacco."

# DEMOCRATS SWEEP U. S.

## WILSON AND MARSHALL ELECTED BY BIG MAJORITY

**Governor Wilson, of New Jersey, is Elected President of the United States to Succeed Wm. H. Taft, by an Overwhelming Majority—Interest in Great Britain.**

New York.—Woodrow Wilson was elected president and Thomas R. Marshall vice-president by an electoral majority which challenged comparison with the year in which Horace M. Greeley was defeated by Grant. Until now, that year has always been the standard of comparison for disastrous defeats, but the downfall of the Republican party this year runs it a close second.

The Republican party is wiped off the map. Nearly everywhere Taft ran third, with Roosevelt capturing a large majority of the old Republican votes, and in many states Taft's votes were almost negligible.

New York gave Wilson a plurality over Taft of about 205,000. Wilson's vote in the state was 698,000, Taft's 494,000, and Roosevelt's 419,000.

The Democratic majority in the house of representatives will not be less than 160 and the United States senate will probably be Democratic also. The Democrats swept New York, electing Senator Sulzer governor, with Hedges running second and Straus a poor third.

Not only that but for the first time since the organization of the Republican party the Democrats will get the electoral vote of Maine.

Wilson goes into office with heavy Democratic Congressmen behind him, and assurances are that the next Senate will be made up of men of his party, who will be able to force through the measures to which it is pledged.

Wilson carried victory with Democratic Congressmen and Senators; he even carried the following States, all of which were carried by Bryan four years ago: Alabama, Kentucky, Nebraska, Carolina, Arkansas, Louisiana, Nevada, Tennessee, Florida, Maryland, North Carolina, Texas, Georgia, Mississippi, Oklahama and Virginia.

London.—The chief interest in the American presidential election for England is its relations to the tariff. Tariff reform is one of the leading issues in British politics. The Liberal papers hail the Democratic success as a great victory for low tariff which was certain to have an influence in England.

The Daily News says:—That the Democratic party should return to office after fifteen years in the wilderness is nothing. What matters is that it is a regenerated party which has returned, entrusted by the American people with a definite mission and led by a man who has character and intellect to carry the mission through.

The News thinks that Woodrow Wilson's election should stimulate all men of the American universities, which are more national and democratic than the English, to participate in politics, and adds:—

War against protection is an interest common to all peoples, and the world has too long been denied that inspiration, that leading which we have a right to expect from the greatest of all republics.

The Standard says:—The people had grown tired of two sets of office seekers, grouped for the mere purpose of the game of parties and divided by no real questions of principles.

The Standard holds that the Democratic revision will leave duties higher than the tariff reformers in England propose.

The Morning Post says:—The significance of the election lies in the fact that the people were dissatisfied with the Taft administration which was too much controlled by the bosses, but were not ready to accept the advanced Roosevelt programme.

The Express says:—Mr. Wilson's success depends upon the degree to which he can raise enthusiasm for politics in hitherto apathetic quarters. He will not lay violent hands on the tariff.

What emerges most significantly from the election, says the Chronicle, is that the majority of the American people have awakened to keen dissatisfaction with things as they are; that a great forward surge is agitating the mighty mass; that although to some its purposes may be confused, to some its battles still fought in the half light, there is enough will and vitality in the gigantic nation to carry it forward to final victory.

### American Immigration to Canada

Ottawa.—An interesting analysis of the American immigration to Canada for the past year has been made by the department of the interior. Sixty-nine per cent of the settlers from the States were naturalized American citizens, while no less than thirty-one per cent had never taken out naturalization papers.

The total immigration from the republic was 133,710 and of these 19,384, or 14 per cent were returned Canadians. One per cent of the other nationalities had not taken out papers as Americans. There were English, 3,680; Scotch, 1,399; Irish, 936; Germans, 32,923; Finns, 23,811; Swedes 3,707; Norwegians, 1,072.

### Claims Cure for Tuberculosis

Berlin.—At a meeting of the Berlin Medical Society, Dr. Frederick Friedmann announced the discovery of what he believed to be a practical cure for every form of tuberculosis. He exhibited cured patients and declared that he had treated 682 cases by his method with almost invariably complete cures.

Prominent physicians attested to successes by this method in their own practice.

Dr. Friedmann injects living tuberculosis bacilli which has been rendered benevolent.

Berlin.—A horse entered the open doorway of a private house in Berlin, ran up the stairs, which gave way, and the animal was pinned beneath the boards. As it could not be extricated it was killed.

## ON LONG VOYAGE

**Steamer Constructed at Collingwood Sails for Victoria, B.C.**

Collingwood, Ont.—The new lighthouse steamer, Estevan, which the Collingwood Shipbuilding company have just completed to the order of the Dominion government for service on the Pacific coast, left on a trip of 17,000 miles to Victoria, British Columbia, a voyage that will occupy three months. The Estevan is a steel steamer constructed along lines specially designed for steamers of her class by the marine experts of the government. Her dimensions are: Length, 210 feet; breadth, 38 feet; and depth 18 feet.

Before her departure the steamer was taken to Owen Sound where trials of speed were made over a measured course. The log showed a speed of 14 knots per hour, two knots more than the contract called for.

The shipbuilding company are under contract to deliver the steamer at Victoria, British Columbia. This necessitates the engagement of two crews, one to take her to Quebec and another to make the ocean voyage down the Atlantic ocean, round Cape Horn and up the Pacific ocean to her destination.

From Collingwood to Quebec the steamer will be in charge of Captain Lachlan Morrison, an experienced lake captain and pilot. At the ancient capital, Captain Morrison will turn his charge over to Captain Lindgren, of Victoria, B.C., who in recent years has taken three C.P.R. steamers, the Princesses, from England to Victoria.

# TURKS LOSING HOPE

## BULGARIANS ARE PURSUING ANCIENT ENEMY

**The Turkish Army is given no time to Recuperate From their Recent Losses—Constantinople has Apparently Abandoned all Hope and Court is Ready to Cross to Asia.**

London.—Bulgaria is giving the broken Turkish army no time to recuperate. In accordance with the tactics adopted throughout the war, Bulgarians are following up the defeated Turkish army with extraordinary energy. Flying columns are pushing along the sea coast towards Tschatalja lines and it is believed that the main attack will be delivered at any time.

Constantinople appears to have lost hope of stemming the victorious advance even at Tschatalja, and the Turkish court is ready to cross into Asia.

Apparently, however, the Bulgarian Government has no aspirations on Constantinople itself and would be ready to conclude peace provided Turkey will agree to surrender Adrianople and some other positions in the western theatre of war and give a guarantee to bring no more reinforcements from Asia.

The Porte shows no disposition as yet to treat for peace direct with the allies, and until the big Tschatalja battle has been fought, the diplomatic situation is not likely to be changed.

What will happen then, it is impossible to forsee, the only thing certain being that the European concert which is not too harmonious will be faced by the most difficult and thorny task of settling trivial claims of the many aspirants for Turkish territory.

Albania forms the crux of the position. It is stated that an attempt by Servia to encroach on Albani will be regarded by Austria as a casus belli. On the other hand Servia declares that a port on the Adriatic is a matter of life and death for her and she fails to see why her presence there should be detrimental to the interests of any other power

Further, Servia argues she would only regain what belonged to her before the downfall of the Servian Empire when Adriatic seaports were flourishing Servian towns.

The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Chronicle sends the following:

At any moment the storm may break and involve us in the red ruin of massacre and outrage. Soon Constantinople itself will be surrounded. All the discordant elements of the population, Turks, Armenians, Greeks, Kurds and heterogenous mass of Europeans will be crushed together into a seething congerie of panic-stricken humanity and all the old hatreds will blaze into scorching flames.

For five hundred years the Turk has lorded it over the infidel. The last hours of that ascendancy, it is feared, may be dyed in blood. We had a foretaste of what is to come in the news from Rodosto. Thither came bands of Nazim Pasha's broken force, driven from Lule Burgas by the victorious Bulgarians. Their thin veneer of European civilization vanished like mist in the morning sunlight. A scene of horror followed. The town was given up to massacre, outrage and pillage. It was set on fire in seven places. Children were hurled into the raging flames.

In their agony of fear many tried to get into the open sea in boats, anywhere from these human wolves. In some cases the boatmen were massacred. In others those who trusted to the sea found a merciful death beneath the waves.

The victorious march of the Bulgarian army results in similar scenes wherever the Turks anticipate the coming of the enemy.

The arrival of the foreign cruisers has exasperated the Moslems who consider it evidence that the city will be occupied by foreign troops. The government exercises no moral authority and murders in the Greek and Jewish quarters occur daily.

Conditions in Syria are alarming; Catholics are suffering most. The Governor of Smyrna seems unable to control the people.

Many officers are hiding in Constantinople fearing to go to the front. Everyone is laying in supplies of water. Great alarm has been caused by the report that 25,000 Kurds from Asia Minor are marching on Constantinople.

## LORD ROBERTS EXPLAINS

**Breaks the Silence He has Maintained Since His War-Like Speech at Manchester**

London.—Lord Roberts breaks the silence he has maintained since his famous Manchester speech by a vigorous letter in the Manchester Guardian. He explains he is so much accustomed to adverse criticism in his efforts to arouse the nation to the sense of its unpreparedness for war as not to resent in anyway the attacks of his opponents, but nevertheless, he feels bound to answer what he describes as a complete misconstruction by the Guardian of the salient passage in his speech: It is true, he says, I pointed out the striking process by which Germany developed from a loose coterie of petty federated states to a united Empire which arouses the admiration of the world today. But to suggest I am urging upon England that it should be her policy first to arm herself better than Germany and then make war on Germany with or without just cause or even quarrel simply because England thinks herself at that moment able to win a war, is a suggestion so strange and so repugnant to my mind, that I am utterly at a loss to understand how it could attributed to me or elicited from my speech. My whole speech was directed, as are all my efforts, to impressing on the fellow countrymen the terrible danger involved in the present situation in which we alone find ourselves. A nation untrained, unprepared and unarmed amid a Europe in which every people, not only the great powers like Russia, Germany and France, but the smaller states, Bulgaria, Servia, Greece, Norway, Sweden and Denmark stand as armed nations providing Balkan forces, which while it strengthens each one of them physically industrially, makes for peace with honor or for triumph of right.

Portage la Prairie, Man.—At a meeting of the rural council, a committee was appointed to confer with the municipal council of Fort Francois Xavier, regarding the building of an electric railway from Winnipeg to this city.

WOODROW WILSON, Elected First Democratic President of the United States in Sixteen Years

## HOME RULE BILL

**Several Amendments Agreed to in British House of Commons**

London.—In the proceeding in the house of commons on the home rule bill on clause eleven, providing for a joint session of both houses of the Irish parliament in the event of a disagreement, an amendment was agreed to limiting the operation of the clause to public bills.

An amendment requiring all public bills to be sent to the Irish senate at least one month before the end of the session was also agreed to.

A third amendment to exclude from the operation of the clause any bill affecting the qualification of the Irish parliamentary electors of the right to vote at any parliamentary election, was rejected by 260 to 120.

Sir Harry Samuel moved an amendment to exempt any bill which effected the constitution of either house of Irish parliament or their relation to each other in the constitution which they are setting up. The new Irish constitution should not suffer as the imperial parliament was now suffering under a weakened upper chamber, he said. The amendment was defeated of 214 to 190.

### Expert for Fisheries

Ottawa.—An expert board to advise the marine and fisheries department regarding the fishing industry generally is being considered by the minister. The idea is to have all branches of the fishing industry—deep sea coast and lake and rivers—represented on an advisory board which would meet regularly and deal first hand with questions affecting the fisheries. Legislation along that line is anticipated at the coming session.

London.—Lambeth guardians yesterday decided to prosecute able-bodied paupers who frequently enter and leave the workhouse without attempting to obtain employment on a charge of failing to maintain themselves.

# THE MARKET REPORT

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

Winnipeg, Oct. 30th, 1912.—There has been an almost total absence of bullish influences in the wheat markets in the last seven days, and a steady coming to the front of bearish features, and the result has been an almost daily decline in prices since a week ago. On the one or two days when closing quotations were recorded at higher figures than the close of the preceding day, the advance was only a small fraction, whereas on the days showing lower prices the decline was from ½c. to 1c., and the net decline on the week is from 2c. to 3c. per bushel, according to the month of delivery and which market. The decline is natural; the Balkan war is progressing but there have been no alarming reports from it during the week, of the kind to excite the grain markets, and in the absence of the stimulus of war scare reports, and in the presence of large movements of wheat and favorable weather nearly everywhere, prices for wheat have gradually eased down, and the market may be said to have come back to the merchandising position of the new crop. The Balkan trouble will more than likely furnish a few more scares which will advance the markets with sharp spurts, but only the closing of the Dardanelles and the bottling up of the Black Sea wheat for an indefinite time can cause an important advance in prices which would last any time. There is no doubt now that the wheat harvests of the northern hemisphere have this year produced at least 200,000,000 bushels more grain than in 1911 and the increased yield is practically all in the large exporting countries, Russia, the United States and Canada. Besides increased production of wheat in these countries, there is also largely increased production of corn, oats, barley, rye and potatoes. In fact, generally speaking, it has been a season of abundant growth of all farm products, although over some important areas there has been seriously unfavorable weather during and after harvest time; but the growth and maturing of the crops has been mostly or altogether made before the advent of such weather and thus, although the quality of part of the products was depreciated to a moderate extent, the quantity has not been lessened to any extent worth mentioning. During the latter half of the crop year of 1912-1913 the Argentine, Australian and Indian wheat crops arrive at harvest the larger portion of their production coming on the market during the six months from Jan. 1st to July 1st. These three countries are the next largest exporters after the three northern countries mentioned above, and if in their ensuing season their crops increase in yield in the same way as the crops of Russia, the United States and Canada have done, then there will be a carry over world's surplus of wheat much larger than there has been for some years past, and the effect of this surplus of supply over requirements must work in the direction of easiness in prices sooner or later. We never write pessimistically about the prospect for wheat prices if we can help it, and so while under the conditions here mentioned we do not see any prospect for important advance over the present level of prices, we would point out that although the world's production of wheat has so increased as to make the crop year of 1912-1913 to carry the record yield (if Argentine, Australia and Indian crops do not meet with some catastrophe before they are secured), the world's consumption of wheat has also increased, and is continually increasing, and the increased demand is a prop to prices. This leads us to think that present prices of wheat are on about a fair commercial basis, and that although under the influence of speculative short selling we may see them go a little lower, we will not see them stay there. Speculative trading has a great deal to do in shaping prices and there is this year a peculiar situation in the Chicago market owing to the failure of soft winter wheat crop in the States tributory to Chicago. The principal contract grade of wheat in Chicago is No. 2 Red Winter but this is so small in supply that the cash price of it in Chicago is $1.05 to $1.09 per bushel, while to-day Chicago December wheat closed at 91c. No. 1 Nor. wheat can be delivered on Chicago contracts at the option price and also No. 2 hard winter. This is causing Chicago traders to turn to Duluth, Minneapolis, Omaha and Kansas City, etc., and procure wheat from these centres to fill their contracts, and it will have the effect of keeping Chicago prices higher than the other markets by at least the amount of the freight per bushel between these markets and Chicago. It will put the Chicago price on an artificial level and that will have some influence in keeping the level of price up all round. The weekly statistics are altogether on the bear side of the market. The U.S. visible supply increased last week 2,508,000 bushels compared with an increase of only 803,000 bushels of last year. The Canadian visible supply increased 2,850,000 bushels against an increase of only 600,000 bushels last year. The European visible supply increased 3,624,000 bus. against an increase of 1,700,000 bus. a year ago. The world's visible supply, according to Bradstreets, increased 12,010,000 bushels against an increase of 6,029,000 bushels a year ago. The world's shipments from exporting to importing countries this year from July 1st to date have been 209,744,000 bushels against 177,142,000 bushels, showing an increase this year of 32,602,000 bus or a little over 2,000,000 bushels per week extra over last year. These statistics are the reverse of the bullish especially when it is remembered that practically all importing countries have good crops of their own this year.

Our Winnipeg market has been active during the week, both in cash wheat and future deliveries, but prices have declined in line with outside markets. Receipts from the west have been heavy but a big demand has been experienced for all grades spot or past Winnipeg in order to provide for the vessels loading at Fort William and Port Arthur. An item of interest is the definite announcement that on Nov. 8th freight rate on grain shipped from the three prairie provinces to Duluth will be the same as to Fort William and Port Arthur, but only for grain shipped in bond for export and not for consumption in the United States. The arrangement will help the movement of grain from the west during the winter months. The movement from the west has been very heavy lately, averaging over a thousand cars of wheat per day, and stocks of wheat at Fort William and Port Arthur show an increase of 1,254,000 bushels on the week, although the amount shipped away was 4,828,000 bushels. With good weather this large movement will keep up for some weeks yet. To-day's cash prices are 1 Northern, 88¼c; 2 Nor., 85¼c; 3 Nor., 83¾c; No. 4 wheat, 81c.; No. 5, 73c; No. 6, 62½c; Feed, 57c. Tough wheat is 4c. under the straight grade. No. 1 Alberta Red Winter, 88¼c; No. 2 A.R., 85½c; No. 3 A.R., 83¾c. Futures closed October 89⅝c; Nov., 88½c; Dec., 84¾c; ⅞c; May, 89⅝-¾c.

**Oats—**

The demand for oats has fallen off considerably and supplies have been large. It was feared there might be some congestion in the October option and prices in it have been erratic. To-day there are no quotations for cash oats but nominal values are about No. 2 C.W., 38½c; 3 C.W., 37c; Ex. 1 Fd., 37c; 1 Fd., 36½c; 2 Fd., 35½c. Futures closed October, 38¾c; Nov., 35¾c.; Dec., 33½c.

**Barley—**

The barley market is firm and barley is in good demand at No. 3, 57c; No. 4, 52c; Rejected, 48c; Feed, 48c.

**Flax—**

The flax market is quiet and fairly steady with prices rather better than a week ago. Today's cash prices are 1 N.W. Canadian 135c; 2 Can. Western, 131½c; 3 Can. Western, 112c. Futures closed Oct., 135¾c.; Nov., 134¼c; Dec., 128c.

All prices are for delivery in store Fort William, Port Arthur and Duluth.

### Facts Demonstrating Growth

Swift Current, Sask.—The start made by the engineers' department of Swift Current in the matter of street paving along Eleventh Avenue is regarded quite generally as marking one more important advance in the town's development. Still another feature of the steady growth of Swift Current, especially in the district conveniently located with reference to the C.P.R. station and the business section, is the opening of the branch of the Bank of Montreal on Eleventh Avenue. As stated by Secretary Wood of the local board of trade: Great as was the development of Swift Current in 1910 and 1911, the progress made during the present year has far surpassed anything that has previously been accomplished; our highest expectations have been greatly exceeded. Swift Current is now a divisional point of the C.P.R., which railway already has two branch lines radiating from this point; and in 1913 it will be a divisional point of the C.N.R. and G.T.P., both of which railways will have two lines running out of Swift Current. Recent statistics of building permits in proportion to population place Swift Current third amongst all the cities and towns in the Dominion. This fact alone should be conclusive as to the activity now taking place. Swift Current is the centre of three million acres of the richest grain growing land in the West; and reference to recent statistics will show that this is the largest initial wheat-shipping point in the world. Swift Current has an assured future.

London.—The suffragette movement suffered a setback in the house of commons when an announcement providing for woman suffrage, which it was desired to include in the home rule bill for Ireland, was defeated by 341 against 141 votes.

The suffragettes declare that they will retaliate by organizing outbreaks in Ireland.

# THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

## LESSON VII—FOURTH QUARTER, FOR NOV. 17, 1912

**Text of the Lesson, Mark viii, 27 to ix, 1—Memory Verses 36, 37.—Golden Text, Matt. xvi, 16—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.**

This lesson is recorded also in Matt. xvi and Luke ix, and we will consider it with the harmony of the gospels before us. Mimpriss in his harmony says that this is the first particular prediction concerning the rejection, the death and the resurrection of the Christ and was probably apart from the multitude and is the first key opposed to the leaven of the Pharisees. Matthew and Mark say that He had come into the coasts or towns of Caesarea Philippi, and Luke adds that He was alone praying. His disciples being with Him. We shall see in the next lesson that He was praying also at the time of His transfiguration Luke ix, 18, 29). Luke records other instances of His praying in chapters ii., 21; vi, 12; xi, 1; xxiii, 41; xxii, 34. He ever talked with His Father in heaven with the same realization of His presence as that of the people about Him.

People talked about Him and had their opinions as they have today. The Pharisees who believed in a resurrection thought that He might be John the Baptist or Elijah or Jeremiah or one of the prophets at which no doubt, the Sadducees scoffed, for they did not believe in resurrection or spirit, but the Pharisees confessed both (Acts xxiii, 8). His next question is the one that should lay hold of our hearts. Whom say ye that I am? or as He put it to the Pharisees at another time What think ye of Christ? (Matt. xxii, 42).

It should not so much concern me what others say, but what does my heart say, what is He to me personally? Simon Peter, generally the spokesman, answered: Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God (verse 29; Matt. xvi, 16). See his similar testimony in John vi, 69 and that of Martha in John xi, 27. Can I look upon Him with His eyes as a flame of fire searching me through and through and say, O Lord, thou art to me the risen living Christ, my personal Saviour. If so, then blessed am I, for our Father has taught me by His spirit (Matt. xvi, 17). The words translated Peter and rock in Matt. xvi, 18, are not quite the same, the first signifying a piece of rock easily moved and the other a solid rock immovable. The rock foundation is the great truth that Jesus is God, and other foundation can no man lay (1 Cor. iii, 11; Acts iv, 12).

The church built on this and on His great atonement as God can never be moved. The company of all true believers in Him constitutes this church, and all else must come to naught. Peter was given the keys of the kingdom, not of the church, and the church is not the kingdom, but the heavenly center of it. From that time and repeatedly He began to tell them that at the hands of the elders, chief priests and scribes He must suffer many things, be rejected and killed and after three days rise again (verses 31; ix, 31; x, 33, 34); but although to us seemingly so plain, His disciples did not receive these sayings, not even Peter and John, and it is written concerning them that up to the time of His actual resurrection from the dead they knew not the Scripture that He must rise from the dead (John xx, 9). They had not received the message of the prophets that the Messiah must suffer, die, be buried and rise again, though we can see it plainly in such passages as Ps. xxii; Isa. liii; Dan. ix, 26; Zech. xii, 10; xiii, 6-7. Peter therefore said that He should not speak of suffering: Be it far from Thee, Lord. This shall not be unto Thee. Pity thyself (Matt. xvi, 22 and margin). Mark our Lord's reply and note that what is not of God is of the devil and is an offense to God.

Believers are either a sweet savor of Christ or salt that has lost its savor. There is no room for self in a disciple of Christ. It must be always a denial of self, taking up the cross daily and following Him; always delivered unto death for Jesus sake, that the life of Jesus may be manifest in us; reckoning ourselves dead unto sin and alive unto God (II Cor. iv, 10, 11; Rom. vi, 11). There is no cross of gold or jet or jewels or flowers seen in Scripture, but only a cruel cross of death.

It means crucified to the world and the world to us, seeing Jesus only. To one life means business to another his profession, to another pleasure, to another this or that great scheme, philanthropic perhaps or just to make money, but one who is right with God says, "To me to live is Cchist." He does not ask us to suffer with Him without setting before us the glory of the kingdom to which He has called (I Thess. ii, 12; II Thess. ii, 14; I Pet v, 10), and to which He refers in verses 38 of our lesson and which we shall see more clearly in next week's study of the transfiguration, and to which the last verse of this lesson (Mark ix, 1) clearly belongs. It was the God of glory who appeared to Abraham (Acts vii, 2), and we can only be sustained in the patient waiting as He and others were. But the church as a whole is as blind to the glory of His kingdom as the disciples were to His death and resurrection, not because it is not plainly revealed but because other thoughts and ways leave no room for His.

### Grain From Peace River

Toronto.—A. W. Carveth, of Grand Prairie, Alta., has sent Robert Hay, a leading grain dealer, a number of samples of grain grown in the Peace River district. They are all pronounced as excellent, both in color and quality. The barley is especially large and beautifully light in color.

### Stag Killed by Motorcar

Paris.—Dr. Henri de Rothschild's motorcar ran over a magnificent stag in the forest of Rambouillet, France, last night. The car was upset in a ditch but nobody was hurt. The stag was killed.

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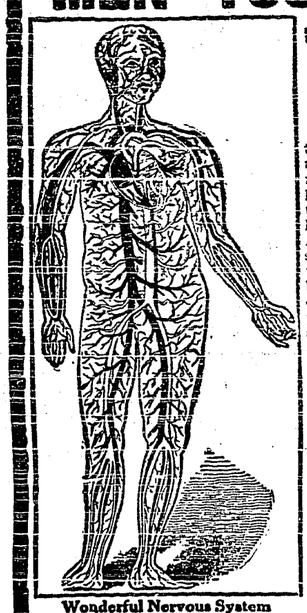

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Minister

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Nov. 17th (24th Sunday after Trinity)

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Liquor License Act (Section 42)

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial police for a renewal of the Hotel License to sell Liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Erickson Hotel, situate at Erickson in the province of British Columbia.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1912

Walter W. Hall, Proprietor

## DUCK CREEK NEWS

Paul Ofner returned from Calgary Saturday. He was glad to get back to the banana belt.

Miss M. Butterfield came down from Creston to spend the week end at her home here and took in the club dance.

Roy Robinson, an old timer at Duck Creek, came down from Cranbrook Saturday. He was much impressed with the great improvements since he was here last. He returned to Cranbrook on Sunday's east bound.

Harry Bathie of Cranbrook came down for the week end. The Duck Creek Social Club gave him a good time. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Lake View Ranch.

Paul Ofner has just completed an extensive system of waterworks, involving the laying of 900 feet of pipe.

Misses Alice Carr and Bertha Pease of Alice Siding were among those who took in the Social club dance Saturday night.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather about 30 people were present at the Social Club dance on Saturday night C. H. Black, (who was responsible for the amusement of the crowd) being master of ceremonies certainly filled the bill everyone being kept in the seventh heaven.

Victor Sandvig was a visitor to Duck Creek Sunday.

Those who braved the storm to go to church on Sunday were disappointed as the Rev. Mr. Blake was unable to get here.

Bob Dixon was down looking over his ranch one day last week.

The residents of this district were slightly inconvenienced by the strike of the C. P. R. freight clerks, there being no local freight for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Thorpe, who have been staying for a few weeks with Mr and Mrs. Embree, left on Tuesday for Creston, where they will reside for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Embree, who have resided on the Bob Dixon ranch for the past year left on Tuesday for Creston where they will reside in the future. They have been shining lights in social circles here and will be greatly missed. We hope they may make as many friends where'ere they go, as they leave behind them here.

Paul and Matt Hagen and Paul Ofner were visitors to Creston Tuesday.

Jerry Johnson, who has been staying with his uncle Gus Johnson, for the past few weeks, left on Sunday for the coast. He traveled via Spokane and Seattle.

Monrad Wigen has just added an additional two acres of clearing to his ranch.

Joe Wigen came over from Canyon City on Saturday to take in the Club dance.

Some fine post card views of the district, taken by C. B. Thorpe are on display at the Post Office.

We don't wish to be too hard on the gentlemen of the social club, not knowing whose fault it is, but visitors to the club are passing remarks on gents sitting around while the ladies hand round the refreshments. We hope to see this order reversed so you young bucks get a move on you next Saturday night.

Don't forget the Social Club dance on Saturday night Nov. 16. W. J. Cooper is master of ceremonies.

C. D. Black was a visitor to Creston, Wednesday.


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Wm. Morris, Proprietor.

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