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Creston's April School Report

Division I.—C. Brousson, B.Sc., Principal.

Pupils attending, 19.

Average attendance, 18.18.

Perfect Attendance—Rose Cherrington, Ruth Compton, Erma Hayden, Orin Hayden, Hazel Hobden, Frances Lyne, Katherine Moore, Vivanne Moore, Vera Parker, Marion Swanson, Dorothy Stark.

Highest Standing: Advanced High School—Erma Hayden, Lyda Johnson, Preliminary—Katherine Moore, Frances Lyne. Entrance—Ruth Compton, Vera Parker.

Division II.—Alex. Smith, Vice-Principal.

Pupils attending, 37.

Average attendance 35.2.

Percentage of attendance, .95.

Standing: Junior IV.—Eunice Moore. Senior Third—Eva Webster. Junior Third—Evelyn Hurry.

Perfect Attendance—Nellie Adlard, Louise Bevan, Evelyn Bevan, Fred Boffey, Jennie Belanger, Robert Crawford, Harry Compton, Margurite Crawford, George Gibson, Arthur Gobbett, Agnes Hobden, Eva Holmes, Evelyn Hurry, Ruth Lidgate, Elson Lidgate, Eunice Moore, Robert Moore, Frank Maione, Denzil Maxwell, Joe Romano, Louise Romano, Will Smith, Ruth Swanson, Jean Westwood, Eva Webster, Gladys Webster.

Division III.—Miss N. E. Faulkner, Teacher.

Pupils attending, 39.

Average attendance, 33.23.

Percentage, 85.21.

Perfect Attendance—Marguerite Benney, Leslie Boffey, Alfred Boffey, Ollie Christie, Harvey Gobbett, Keith Lidgate, Marion Learmonth, Ruth Kennedy, Edna Nicholls, Arthur Stark, George St.Jean, Gilmoure Taylor, Henry Webster, Dudley Wilson, Donald Young, John Belanger.

Highest Standing: Senior Second Reader—Edith Crawford, Freddy Payne, Ivin Compton. Junior Second Reader—Mary Lewis. Harry Smith, Ollie Christie. First Reader Class—Arthur Stark, Henry Webster, Jeffery Collis.

Division IV.—Miss B. Hardman, Teacher.

Pupils attending, 31.

Average attendance, 29.67.

Percentage, 95.71.

Perfect Attendance—George Carter, James Cherrington, Hazel Christie, Benjamin Crawford, Catherine Embree, Ruby Gibson, William Mannel, Charles Moore, Helen M. Moore, Ray Oatway, Honoria Payne, Louise Ross, Reginald Smith, Ethel Lewis, Jean E. Henderson, Alexander Henderson, Bertha Spiers, Elmer Olsen, Edwin Olsen.

Highest Standing: Second Primer—Edith Couling, James Cherrington. Senior First Primer—Helen Moore, George Carter. Junior First Primer—Hazel Christie, Ruby Gibson.

Canyon City

The Red Cross Auxiliary is still meeting every Thursday and turning out goodly supplies of work. This week they delivered to Creston 27 towels, 54 face cloths, 5 trench caps, 2 suits pyjamas, and one bandage. It is possible, in the busy season, fortnightly sessions will be held.

Special Mother's Day service at the church on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, with an appropriate program of music and recitations. Come.

The sheriff's srle of Axel Leaf's effects, which has been twice postponed already, is again adjourned for another week, and will now take place May 15th.

W. Carver spent a few days with friends in Nelson the latter part of the week.

Messrs. Knott and Mawson, the Military Y.M.C.A. canvassers, were on the rounds Tuesday, and had a very successful visit most every call made.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and two sons, who left here a few months ago with a view to locating in the Fort George country, returned last week, and for the present are in the McInnes house at the mill. They are likely back to stay—if they can secure a likely ranch property right. They brought with them a Chevrolet auto, which the boys are expert at operating already.

Last Thursday's Red Cross work session at Mrs. Wickholm's was another of the season's successes, financially, as well as in the way of turning out supplies. The tea and proceeds of a raffle of a chicken donated by Mrs. Hall produced $5.90.

Messrs. Wheeler and Felker of Portland, Ore., were Canyon City visitors a couple of days last week, taking a look over the logged-off lands in this section. Mr. Briggs was also in the party.

Canyon was on the livestock exporting list this week. The company shipped a few weeks' old Holstein bull to a Nakusp rancher on Tuesday.

The scholars at Huscroft school free will offering for Red Cross work in April totalled $2

John Miller of Alice Siding was here on Saturday delivering nursery stock to local ranchers, leaving quite a large number at the Searle place. G. Leach is looking after it this year.

Wynndel

The service at the schoolhouse on Sunday, at 2.3o, will be appropriate for Mother's Day and Rev. G. S. Wood will deliver a special address befitting the occasion.

Jack Norman, who has been working at the box factory here, left on Monday for the coast to work in the shipbuilding yards.

Miss Lizzie Piggot, who has been staying with the Misses Knott at Canyon City, returned on Monday.

Miss Anna Hagen and Victor Johnson were here for the dance on Saturday, returning on Sunday.

Lieut. Ashley Cooper of Bonnington is home for a few days and will, no doubt, be trying his new power sprayer which arrived Wednesday.

Dick Dalbum was a week-end visitor at Kitchener, returning Sunday.

Creston callers this week include Jack Ness, Marie and Nora Hagen and Mr. and Mrs. Rosendale.

E. Butterfield returned from Nelson on Monday, having passed the examination for the avation corps, and is expecting to recieve notice at an early date to report at Vancouver to start into training.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry White, who have been at Fort George for the fall and winter, returned to Wynndel on Wednesday. Mr. White has come to take his former position at the box factory.

Monrad Wigen and crew are building a new tramway to carry logs from the slough to the mill, and expect to have the mill operating full blast in a day or two.

We regret to report that the dance last Saturday night was very quiet only about thirty being in attendance, but we are to have another dance this Saturday night and can assure our Canyon and Creston friends a really good time. Gents 50c. Ladies not bringing refreshments 25c. There will also be a bean guessing contest with an entrance fee of 10c., with two fine prizes to be given the lady and gentleman making nearest guesses.

Wynndel is unable to give a final report on the subscription to the Military Y.M.C.A. However, sufficient is subscribed to more than assure $1 per head of our population, and as Wynndel enjoys some reputation for big families this augurs well for the Y.M.C.A. Should the rest of Canada respond correspondingly well considerably over $8,000,000 will result.

Barred Rock Eggs—For hatching, Shoemaker strain. Cannot be excelled as layers. $1.50 per setting. Leave orders at The Review Office, or Wm. Wright, Creston.

Noted Speakers Here To-Morrow

A public meeting that should attract a crowded house is called for 8.30 tomorrow (Saturday) evening, at the Auditorium, when the irrigation question, as it affects Creston Valley, will be discussed, as well as the 1918 marketing situation.

M. S. Middleton, provincial horticulturist, Victoria, who until very lately was in charge of the horticultural work in the Valley, will be the foremost speaker on irrigation. It is a subject he is particularly well qualified so handle in view of his intimate knowledge of this part of the province, and more especially as he has given the irrigation problem close study of late.

An effort is being made to have W. J. E. Biker, the local provincial Engineer, present, to take up irrigation system installation, more especially costs and the best system to utilize here. He has some data on the Arrow Creek water supply, which on a number of measurements at the low water season was found to give an abundant flow for irrigating the Valley.

Although Mr. Biker will be slightly handicapped through not yet having been over the proposed pipe line route his experience on projects of this kind should be helpful, and his talk, along with that of Mr. Middleton on the benefits of irrigation, should be particularly interesting and illuminating at this time.

And for good measure the gathering will be favored with a talk on Co-Operative Marketing of Fruits and Vegetadles by J. A. Grant, the prairie frnit markets commissioner. Prior to taking up this work Mr. Grant was in the fruit-growing industry, and after a year's experience on the spot, watching the selling end of the business in all its details at Calgary and other centres, he surely will also have something that will be equally worth while just when the ranchers are at the threshold of the 1918 shipping season.

The meeting is under the joint auspices of the Farmers' Institute and the board of trade. The subjects to be taken up admit of wide discussion, consequently the meeting will start at 8.30 prompt. Please be early.

Sirdar

Sirdar station is now running double shift, Mr. Hatton arrived last week to take the night operator end of the work.

Jrs. Blair has taken the contract of handling the coal chute work this year, succeeding Santo Pascuzzo, who is going in heavy on the ranch this season.

Inspector Forrester af the Dominion Police, Creston, was here on Sunday and Monday. He made a call at Kuskanook on Monday and gathered in a Mr. Hudson, who had failed to register, taking on to Nelson for medical examination on Monday afternoon.

Not only in peach bloom does this section lead the Valley. Local strawberries are now in blossom, and Mrs. Jones at Kuskanook has been using lettuce and onions from the garden for over a week now.

Dr. Henderson and Chas. Moore were here this week passing the hat for the Military Y.M.C.A. and met with a very creditable response.

As a fruit and vegetable shipping point Sirdar looms up well in the 1917 statement issued by the Dominion Express Company. This point has 839 packages to its credit, compared with 285 from Proctor, 114 from Cranbrook, and 1641 from Nelson.

Messrs. Radclifte and Barker, who are leaving this week for Vancouver to go into training for overseas service, were tendered a splendid sendoff at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Goodman on Wednesday night, when they and their friends were entertained at an evening of music and dancing with a sumptuous repast at midnight. The musical part of the evening was contributed by Mrs. Seaman, who favored with instrumental numbers, while Mrs. T. Bysouth and Mrs. Dennes gave a couple of vocal selections. For the dance Mrs. Seaman and Mr. Dennes obliged with excellent music, and an evening with not a dull spot in it is reported by all present. Sirdar's godspeeds and a safe return go with Messrs. Barker and Radcliffe, who were deservedly popular here.

Alice Siding

John Miller had a busy time of it the latter part of the week with his annual delivery of nursery stock.

The Wednesday morning rain was indeed welcome in this section, particularly to garden stuff. Strrwberries too, show the beneficial effects of the downpour.

Spraying operations are general all through here, most of the machines operating by power. The outlook for a bumper apple crop was never better.

W. A. Pease was on the rounds on Tuesday and Wedneseay on behalf of the Military Y.M.C.A., and the response from Alice Siding is all that could be looked for at this time of year.

The warm weather last week brought the water up on the flats in a hurry, and for a time it looked as if the cattle would have to be rounded up to the hills. With this week's cool spell, however, the water is again going down.

Rose & Watcher are the first to lose any cattle this season, a yearling heifer of theirs being found dead in the pasture on Sunday.

Alice Siding school report for April shows an average daily attendance of 9.62, with a total attendance of 164. Those making highest standing during the month are: Entrance—Anna Miller. Third Reader—Wilfrid Mason. Second Reader—Gladys Stewart. First Primer—Bessie Matthews. Second Primer—Bertell Carr. Regularity and punctuality—Wilfrid Mason, Roy Pease.

Erickson

E. N. Holmes, who has spent the past few weeks on his ranch here, returned to Coleman, Alta., on Sunday.

Miss C. Olsen left for Cardston, Alta., for a short visit with her brother who has just been called up for overseas service.

Miss Mabel Craigie has taken a position in The Review office at Creston, and is learning the typesetting art.

Birth—On May 2nd, at the home of her father, H. Hamilton, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kerr of Sandon, a daughter (10½ pounds).

J. Attwood arrived from Moyie on Monday, and will spend the next few weeks on his ranch here. Mrs. Attwood arrived on Tuesday to spend a few days.

April saw the biggest school enrollment of the year, Principal McCallum having twenty eight names on the roll. The arrival of a number of new ranchers with families is the explanation.

W. V. Jackson has been doing a big export business in bees the past week, when about twenty-five hives of them were shipped west, some going as far as Kamloops and Grand Forks

Erickson baseball team has been playing a few practice games with Creston the past few Sundays, and it is likely the two towns will have a Valley championship clash on May 24 at Creston.

Mrs. Brownrigg, Cranbrook, returned to the ranch this week and will, we understand, spend the summer here.

The following is the Erickson school report for April: Pupils attending, 28. Total attendance, 417. Perfect attendance; Annie Botterill, Audrey Craigie, Jean Craigie, Beatrice Dodds, Robert Dodds, Aubrey Kemp, Joan Kemp, Walter Long, Beth Putnam, Ivan Stopler, Ernest Stinson, Walter Dodds. The contributions to the Red Cross fund amounted to $1.75.

War's Timber Demands Heavy

The letter below, from Corp. Hilton Young of the Forestry Draft, will be read with interest by his army of friends hereabouts. He is still at bush work at Eartham, Sussex, England, and from present appearances will be there another year, as only about one-quarter of the timber, mostly beech, has so far been cut. He states that Forestry corps recruits over 45 years of age are being sent back to Canada. If this order applies to these companies in France some of the local forestry draft will be affected, as there are a few of them that were over that age. Corp. Young writes in part:

"We are still pegging away in the beech timber, two shifts in the sawmill. Have about one-quarter of the limit logged; probably another year's work here yet. Logs are sawn into 2-inch plank and on rush orders to ship to France—so urgent that about the middle of February all leave (six days) was temporarily cancelled.

"When the prisoners arrived half of our corps was sent to Forrington, Devon, and I would like to have gone just for a change. A draft was also sent to Plymouth, Devon, where new camps were started. I don't know what the mills in England are turning out; in France they are cutting three million feet a day. During the past four months they were using 60 million feet a day on the western front. You can judge the magnitude of operations and the good work being done by the Forestry corps. 22,000 men are engaged in this work and reinforcements are urgently needed. All our machinery and tools are made in the Forestry shops in London. We have eight motor tractors and lorries hauling lumber to the railway.

German prisoners do all the heavy work. They are very good workers, are well enough fed, and are only too glad to be over here. Some have been prisoners for over three years, and most all of them can speak some English. Those who are not dressed in their own uniform are wearing old Imperial Army clothing—navy blue with red stripe on trousers. They seem to have plenty of money. It is nothing to have them offer us half a crown to get them a package of cigarettes at the Y.M.C.A. They seldom get anyone who will do business for them.

Every prisoner has large red patches sewn on the back of the coat and the legs of the pants for identification in case of escaping. Some are smart, intelligent men. One was a circus manager in peace time, some schoolteachers, some were business men in London before the war. The majority remind one of the gentry we call bohunks in B.C.

"We are well fed. The civil population is taking the rations good naturedly. Meat, sugar and margarine are the only things so far rationed. It should have happened long ago. What surprises many of the boys, and especially the U.S. troops, is the government appealing to the farmer to raise every ounce of grain possible and yet allow thousands of tons to be used in the manufacture of beer. Men and women line the bars—shoulder to shoulder to shoulder, leaving their children outside to watch them drink to their satisfaction.

"I guess you had a lively election in Canada last December. No stir here whatever. In our camp out of 270 men 200 voted Unionist. They have had the finest winter weather I have ever known. About Christmas we had a fall of about three inches of snow and 15 degrees of frost. Since then we have had no frost, very little rain or fog, and a good deal of sunshine.

"Canadian mails don't seem to come as often as formerly. Takes about 30 days for a letter to come, and only one mail in that time. It will amuse you, possibly, to hear that the German prisoners work nine hours a day but we work ten. They had Good Friday off; we worked. They are issued waterproof clothing the same as we but when it rains they are taken in but we stay out at work.

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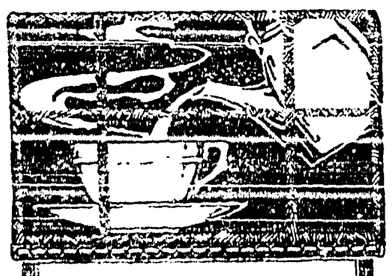
Livestock Branch States Policy on Slaughtering of Young Animals

The livestock branch of the department of agriculture has expressed the opinion that "any action taken arbitrarily to prohibit the slaughter of calves or females or to limit the market for Canadian cattle through restrictions upon exports or otherwise would be absolutely unwise." Under present conditions the farmer reaps a profit from the feeding of calves to veal age, while previous to the war such calves were killed as soon as born. Such prohibition as that proposed would, therefore, cause a return of the pre-war practice, resulting in a very considerable waste of food.



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French Strong for Boycott

Germany Cannot Live Without Permission of the Allies

French opinion is more and more inclined to emphasize the enormous value to the allies of the economic weapon against Germany. Nearly every day there is a call here for a plain statement from the allies as to the manner in which the economic boycott will be used if Germany persists in prolonging the war.

Edmond Laskine, a well-known writer on economics, remarks in Liberte that the allies hold trump cards of which no Ludendorff or Trotszky can deprive them.

"These," he says, "are the mastery of the most important world markets and a monopoly of the most important raw materials. When the German chancellor poses in the Reichstag as the supreme dictator of war and peace, the allies can reply through the voice of their authorities that although Germany may be master of Reval and Riga, the allies are the masters of the world.

"The Germans can pillage and massacre without our permission, but without that permission they cannot live. Germany must be given to understand that a resumption of normal economic relations depends not only on her accepting the allies' peace terms, but on the date when she accepts them.

"So far as German exports are concerned, the allies ought to prepare a boycotting system of conditional duration. The Germans ought to be told that if they agree to peace within six months their products will be excluded from the allies' markets for five years only; if the war lasts another year our boycott should continue ten years after the signature of peace, and so forth. It would thus be left to Germany herself to decide how long the boycott on her trade would last."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Steel Helmets

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The plain steel helmet worn by all our Tommies is becoming quite familiar even to people in England. It will surprise most people who have seen these helmets to know that there are no fewer than sixty-four distinct operations necessary in turning out one of them.

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Since the French army has been provided with the helmets the number of deaths due to wounds in the head has decreased to a remarkable extent.

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[illegible] Did you get caught in the shower while you were shopping today?

[illegible] Oh, yes, I got in a department store while it rained.

Mr. Tyler. But it rained for two hours.

Mrs. Tyler. Oh, I was waiting for the rain to stop. Best [illegible]

Nothing Like It For Bronchitis And Weak Throat

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The Art of Forgetting

Blot Out as Far as Possible All the Disagreeables of Life

If you would increase your happiness and prolong your life, forget your neighbor's faults. Forget the slander you have heard. Forget the temptations. Forget the faultfindings, and give a little thought to the cause which provoked it. Forget the peculiarities of your friends, and remember only the good points which made you fond of them. Forget all personal quarrels or histories you may have heard by accident, and which, if repeated, would seem a thousand times worse than they are. Blot out as far as possible all the disagreeables of life; they will come, but they will grow when you remember them, and the constant thought of the acts of meanness, or, worse still, malice, will only tend to make you more familiar with them. Obliterate everything disagreeable from yesterday; start out with a clean sheet for today, and write upon it, for sweet memory's sake, only those things which are lovely and lovable.—Southern Churchman.

Teacher (at object lesson)—So, now, children, you know how a knife is made. I want you, Marjorie, to tell me which is the most important part of a knife.

Marjorie—Er—er—er—

Teacher—Well, I'll help you. What part of his knife does your father use the most?

Marjorie—The corkscrew. — Pearson's.

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Sun Life Leads Canadian Companies

Notable Expansion Continues to Be Shown by This Reliable Company

The Sun Life of Canada's published statement of 1917 results, which appears in this issue, is in every sense a satisfactory document. It shows assurances issued and paid for in cash during 1917 for a total of over $47,800,000, the largest amount of new business ever issued and paid for by any Canadian life company in any year. Assurances in force now total over $311,800,000. Assets increased by over $7,000,000 to over $90,000,000, the largest assets ever attained by a Canadian company. Cash income totalled over $19,288,000. Payments to policyholders exceeded $8,800,000, bringing total payments to policyholders since organization to over $69,000,000.

The record of the Sun Life of Canada for 1917 reflects the highest credit upon the Directors and Officers of the Company and should be equally satisfactory to the Company's policyholders.

The new Head Office building on Dominion Square, Montreal, has now been completed and the staff have been installed in their new quarters, where, with the most up-to-date equipment, the work of administering the Company's rapidly-growing business will be carried on with the greatest possible degree of efficiency.

It was the first vaudeville performance the old colored lady had ever seen, and she was particularly excited over the marvellous feats of the magician. But when he covered a newspaper with a heavy flannel cloth and read the print through it, she grew a little nervous. He then doubled the cloth and again read the letters accurately.

This was more than she could stand, and rising in her seat, she said:

"I'm goin' home. This ain't no place for a lady in a thin calico dress!"

DISEASE COMES THROUGH THE BLOOD

To Cure Common Ailments the Blood Must be Made Rich and Red

Nearly all the common diseases that afflict mankind are caused by bad blood-weak, watery blood poisoned by impurities. Bad blood is the cause of headaches and backaches, lumbago and rheumatism, debility and indigestion, neuralgia, sciatica and other nerve troubles. It is bad blood that causes disfiguring skin diseases like eczema, and salt rheum, pimples and eruptions. The severity of the trouble indicates how impure the blood is, and it goes always from bad to worse unless steps are promptly taken to enrich and purify the blood. There is no use trying a different medicine for each disease, for they all come through the one trouble—bad blood. To cure any of these troubles you must get right down to the root of the trouble in the blood. That is just what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do. They make new, rich red blood. They simply purify and enrich the blood, and the disease disappears. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured thousands of cases after other medicines had failed. Here is proof of the power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to cure. Mrs. M. Stills, who resides near the town of Napanee, says: I cannot praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills too highly. I was very much run down in health, suffered from frequent spells of indigestion, biliousness, and sick headache. I had an almost constant pain in my head and my housework was a source of dread. In fact I felt so miserable that life held but little enjoyment. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I did, and the result was simply marvellous, and can best be summed up by saying that they made me feel like a new woman, and fully restored my health. I would advise every woman and girl who has poor blood, or is run down in health to give these wonderful pills a trial. I am never without them in the house.

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Must Have Help

Sir William Goode, secretary of the British ministry of food, says: "Few people have yet grasped the fundamental fact that Great Britain still relies on the United States and Canada for sixty-five per cent. of her essential foodstuffs. Unless we can get this food, or nearly all of it, we shall peter out."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

An elderly farmer hitched his team to a telegraph post.

"Here," exclaimed the policeman, "you can't hitch there!"

"Can't hitch!" shouted the irate farmer. "Well, why have you a post up, 'Fine for Hitching'?"—Presbyterian Standard.

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When you wake up with a stiff neck or sore muscles, strains or sprains, use Sloan's Liniment. No need to rub; it quickly penetrates to the seat of pain and removes it. Cleaner than mussy plasters or ointments. It does not stain the skin or clog the pores. Always have a bottle handy for rheumatic aches, neuralgia soreness, bruises and lame back. In fact, all external pain.

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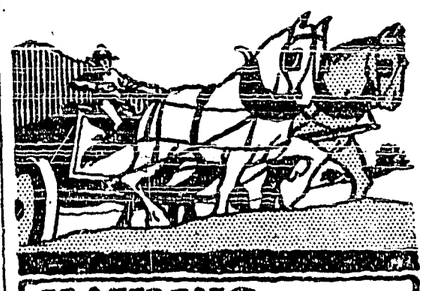

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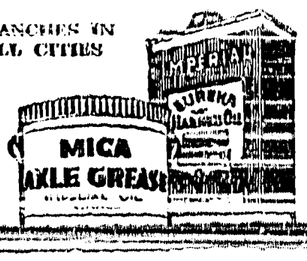

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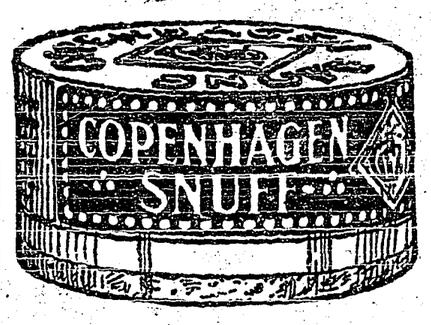

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CAMPAIGN OF FRIGHTFULNESS HAS NO TERRORS FOR BRITISH MARINE

IS VERY DISCONCERTING TO HUN CALCULATIONS

The Trouble is Not That the British Sailor is Alarmed, but That He is Too Careless and Contemptuous of the Risks Occasioned by Submarine Depredations

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States, was right when he said, as reported: "If the Hun has any notion that he'll frighten the British seaman off the waters by his frightfulness he has another think coming." The trouble doesn't seem to be that the British marine is too cautious and self-calculating in dealing with Teuton U-boat frightfulness, but that he is too careless and contemptuous. It has been necessary for the admiralty to issue during the past few days an official warning to the effect that several vessels have been torpedoed by reason of failure to screen their lights when passing through the danger zone at night. A special observation showed that only one out of eight ships passing a given point obeyed the order to darken their signals.

Of course this is serious and foolhardy conduct, and very reprehensible at a time when shortage in ships is most acute. But the daring disobedience must be disconcerting to the calculations of the Hun. He estimated the character of the British seaman by Teutonic standards. He figured on success through fear and frightfulness. By sinking their ships and displaying deviltry toward seamen and passengers, including women and children, he imagined Britain would soon find herself unable to secure men to sail her vessels. He boasted that he would bring her "to her knees"—and set feverishly about his fiendish job.

Kaiserism is learning the dauntless character of Britons. After months of ruthless operation of the underseas menace, after more than twelve hundred merchant vessels have been sunk within a year, the Hun finds that instead of having frightened his unflinching enemy from the sea it is necessary for his foe to issue specific warnings against the careless contempt in which British seamen hold his treacherous submarines. The spirit of the sea-grit Isles finds expression not alone on the fields of France and Flanders, and in the Far East, but in the silent, effective service of the fisher folk, whose trawlers are forever picking up mines and gathering in submarines, the scions of Drake and Nelson ceaselessly patrolling the waters, and the men who go down to the sea in unprotected merchant vessels and liners against the unseen and lurking danger. When this spirit is broken Britain may be beaten. But the Teuton knows now that he cannot break it. —Toronto Globe.

To clean a furred kettle, boil a handful of whitening in it for a few hours.

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Eminent Scientist—I didn't marry beauty, my boy; I didn't marry wealth or position; I married for sympathy.

Friend—Well, you have mine!

SAVE FOOD

In a time needing food economy many people are not getting all the nourishment they might from their food. It is not how much you eat, but how much you assimilate, that does you good.

The addition of a small teaspoonful of Bovril to the diet as a peptogenic before meals leads to more thorough digestion and assimilation and thus saves food, for you need less.

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Betrayed by Slang

Spy Gave Wrong Answer to Question Couched in Slang

Civilization will become a myth like the lost Atlantis if another war, waged more scientifically and more diabolically than this one, is ever allowed to occur, said John Masefield in an address at Aeolian Hall. His subject was "The War and the Future." He told of war incidents "which have come under my eyes or have happened to friends of mine," and he touched on the end of all wars, which he earnestly believes must result from this one.

"If two great nations—yours and mine—would agree to end war, it would be done," he said.

His stories made the war seem near and real, peopled by human beings. Incredibly neat was the self-betrayal of one spy at Gallipoli, who was unversed in the intricacies of English idiom. "It was the day after the landing, April 26," he said, "and an Australian captain was up the hill at Anzac. And an Australian major came to him and said, 'Don't let your men fire to their front for the next half hour, because an Indian working party has just gone up and might be hit.' And the captain thought this odd, as he had seen no Indian working party. The major had the number 31 on his shoulder strap, and the captain thought this odd, as only eighteen battalions, from 1 to 18, had landed. And he said to the major, 'I say, are you fair dinkum?' (which means, Mr. Masefield translated, straight goods, on the level). And the major said, 'Yes, I'm Major Fairdinkum.' So they shot him for a spy, and it seems he had taken the number 13 from a dead man and twisted it around, which was unwise of him."

And Mr. Masefield told little incidents of everyday life and of the nerve and verve and general gayety of the men who fight the war.

"General Birdwood had charge of the Australians," he said, "and the men called him Birdie and worshipped him. He was a bright little man and greatly loved. He was given to talking to every one, and every man on the peninsula believed that Birdie knew him by name. One day he was walking along the trenches and looking into the dugouts and chaffing the men. It was very hot and there was scarcely any water. And he saw a soldier washing in a cup as big as a finger-bowl. And he said, 'Hullo, having a good washup? And the man answered, 'Yes, general, and I only wish I was a bally canary.'"

German Troops Buy Furloughs

Holding of Old Men in Trenches Hotly Protested by Socialists

The Berlin Socialist newspaper, Vorwaerts reports a debate in the Reichstag during which strong complaints were made against the treatment given the older classes of German soldiers. Herr Stuecklen, a Socialist member, said the government had no intention of releasing the older military classes. He criticised the fact that in the landstrum men 48 years of age still were being kept in the trenches, despite the order that they be taken out of the firing line.

In consequence of the arbitrary procedure of officers regarding furloughs, added Herr Stuecklen, increasing numbers of soldiers had taken their own furloughs and were now undergoing imprisonment for desertion.

Herr Mueller-Meiningen, the radical leader, said that 10,000 of the older men were still in the firing line. The pretext that there were no reserves to replace such men were scouted by Herr Ryssel, a Socialist.

"It would only be necessary," he remarked, "to request all the pan-German braggarts, who thank God the war is not yet ended, to volunteer. The feeling at the front is not enthusiastic, and this is not surprising in view of the treatment the soldiers are getting."

Criticising the food of the soldiers, Herr Ryssel declared there were units in the army called "hunger companies," and he remarked that a furlough could be bought by subscribing to the war loan. He ended by demanding the appointment of a commission of inquiry to examine into the sentences passed by military tribunals.

General Scheuch denied that men had been called up because of their allegiance to a political party. He added, however: "We certainly call up those who prove to be agitators."

Free Men for Farm Work

The Canada food board is preparing plans for the mobilization of labor for spring seeding operations. Men familiar with handling horses will be specially needed and it is essential that they be secured to work on the land. For this reason employers of such labor, in urban centres, will be well advised to consider the adoption of co-operative methods of delivery in order to free the men capable of driving horses and especially those with farm experience.

Willy Bilton—Pa, will you please tell me a fairy story?

Bilton—A fairy story? Well, let's see, how will we begin it?

Mrs. Bilton (sweetly)—Begin it, "I was detained at the office, dear," then continue.—Lethbridge Herald.

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MILITARY SUCCESSES OF ENEMY WILL ONLY PROLONG THE WAR

NO PEACE WHILE SPIRIT OF CONQUEST ENDURES

Interest in the War by People of Germany is Maintained by Occasional Spectacular Achievements in the Field, and Crushing Defeat is the Only Way to Bring Peace

The greater the German success on the battlefield, said Arthur Henderson in a recent speech, the more remote was world peace. He accepts the view that there can be no peace until Germany abandons her policy of conquest and military domination; successes, by encouraging the German people to believe in military piracy as a profitable business undertaking, tend to postpone the time when this will be the view of the German people.

Mr. Henderson, whose position is becoming more assured as the leader of allied Labor and Socialist forces in Great Britain, has clear ideas of what is necessary to safe-guard the world against a renewal of a world-wide war. He wants a league of nations, the complete democratization of the machinery of government in all countries, limitation of armaments, and the abandonment of all plans of economic boycotting.

These are highly desirable ends; and Mr. Henderson has a clear idea how they can be obtained. The democratic peoples of the world, he says, can only sheathe the sword when the German people are able to induce "a change of mentality" in their leaders. He assumes, no doubt correctly, that only from the German people can come the impulses which will break the power of the war lords and fit Germany to belong to the proposed league of nations; but how are the German people to be brought to this frame of mind? The peace offensives carried on by Mr. Wilson, Mr. Henderson and others may help; but nothing but the actual demonstration by results that war is a huge and criminal blunder will complete their enlightenment.

There have been periods in this war when the German people appeared to be on the eve of disillusionment; but in each case they were enabled to recover their faith in the efficacy of the "German sword" by some spectacular achievement in the field. The crushing of Serbia in the fall of 1915; the overrunning of the larger part of Roumania in 1916; and the Italian successes in October, 1917, were all carefully staged for the encouragement of civilian faith in the army; and now there comes this unresisted advance into the heart of Russia which has, for the moment at any rate, renewed the original lust of the German people for the conquest of the world by the sword.

Until they learn the truth of Mr. Henderson's statement that such military successes as are within their power, merely prolong the war and postpone indefinitely the peace which they undoubtedly desire, they will consent to the Prussian program of rapine and piracy. They can only be taught by experience, which is a slow process. They will have to be convinced by the progress of events that the high hopes based upon their victories over the disorganized mobs of Russia were illusory.

This implies the continued vigorous, unrelenting conduct of the war—and this is the program favored by Mr. Henderson, who speaks for British Labor. Mr. Henderson's position is sounder than that of the Marquis of Lansdowne, who is obviously prepared to yield something to save the social order which means so much to him and his class. The one sure chance still left for the right ending of this war is in the rallying of all the forces of Labor throughout the allied world to the cause with a determination to see it through. It is becoming increasingly certain that this support will be forthcoming in ample volume.—Manitoba Free Press.

Barley is the earliest of the small grains to mature. Sixty days of favorable weather from the sowing will show the farmer his return seed. As early green pasture it is not excelled; the young barley is richer as a food than oats.

Xantippe's Work

Xantippe, the wife of Socrates, was a famous scold. George Ade says he once asked a bright little schoolgirl:

"How did Socrates die?"

"He died," the little girl answered with ready confidence, "from a dose of wedlock."

Speak of Them In the Highest Terms

WHY MR. AND MRS. WEST RECOMMEND DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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"I myself took six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and am just like a new person. I have gained 10 lbs. since using them and my friends compliment me on how well I look.

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Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the kidneys. Cured kidneys make pure blood. That is why Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best tonic.

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The Baby — Googly-googly-goo-goo.

The Mother—Yes, indeed, dear, that's the public library. — Dallas News.

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C. F. HAYES, Owner and Editor.

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More Roots

Locally, at any rate, the old saying that "God helps those who help themselves," stands a mightly likely chance of being rather severey tested out this year, in the way of making the Valley livestock industry more or less self-supporting, in the matter of producing the necessary feeds to carry the animals through the non-pasture seasons in any sort of shape.

Already the pinch of a shortage of mill feeds has been felt at times, and if those in authority know what they are talking about, the worst is yet to come; and just how bad the "worst" is likely to be has not been revealed. Certain it is, however, with the ever-increasing demand for foodstuffs by the Allied nations—a demand that will certainly have first consideration—a very real, and a very serious shortage of stock feeds made from grain can not help but eventuate.

Nor can we quit the raising of livestock due to this scarcity of millfeeds. The success of the Allied arms depends to just as great an extent on the meat supply as it does on the quantity of flour, etc., Canada can export, to say nothing of the supply of these that is required to "carry on" at home. In such a crisis there must be no let up. We dare not resign ourselves, but must face the issue squarely.

The Review, on occasion, has called attention to the penny wise and pound foolish policy that prevails in the Valley of annualy sending anywhere from $10,000 to $20,000 out of Creston for mill feeds when at least a goodly portion of this could be kept at home if substitute feeds in the way of mangolds, beets, carrots, etc., were grown and fed along with a very much lessened grain ration. Certainly to take on the cultivation of these crops would necessitate some extra labor, but at the price feeds of all sorts have got to now surely the rancher would be ahead slightly by trying out the root-feeding system, to say nothing of always being sure of having a supply of this on hand.

But whether the production of root crops is popular or no it now seems absolutely certain that if the live stock industry here is to be kept up to its present standard considerably less grain and mill feeds will have to be got along without, and there is no time to lose in preparing for the 1918 season.

The War Budget

Hereabouts, at any rate, the Unionist government did not lose any friends in the new taxes announced in the budget brought down at Ottawa last week. With the exception of the levies on tea, coffee, tobaccos, matches and possibly gramaphones very few of us will feel the new taxation directly—save those who utilize the C. P. R. extensively and will have to help make up the $7,000,000 special levy on the big railway corporation.

Taken as a whole the various wrinkles to get badly-needed war revenue have been placed on shoulders best able to carry the added burdens. In most instances it has been luxuries that are hit the heaviest, while a splendid move has been made in making the unmarried men with incomes of $1,000 and over pay 2 per cent income tax, while the married men drawing down over $2,000 will be similarly muleted.

Ten cents per pound on tea and seven cents a pound on coffee is, of course, a pretty stiff imposition for the middle classes, but as these are the only lines that seriously affect them there will be little complaint; the war is not a rich man's affair entirely. Matches are liable to a tax of one cent per 100, tobacco 10 to 20 cents a pound, cigars $5 to $6 per thousand, and cigarettes $3 to $6 per 1000. The tobacco tax will not be widely popular, but it may prove a blessing in disguise; Canada will be a whole lot better for decreased tobacco usuage, and the pity is that the tax on cigarettes wasn't treble what it is.

In presenting the budget the acting minister of finance, Hon. A. K. Maclean, pointed out that another call will be made on Canadians very early in the fall with a war loan for half a billion—the last money thus raised being only sufficient to finance our war activities until July. With the U. S. in the war on the present magnificent scale there is no place money can now be borrowed, and it is up to Canadians to finance their share of the war expenses it entails, themselves in its entirety.

Wise and Otherwise

Canada's income for the past year was $258,000,000. Her expenditure for purposes apart from from the war was $203,000,000.

Canada's expenditure for war purposes during the same period was $345,000,000. Since 1914 the war altogether has cost the country $878,000,000.

Towards this amount the surplus of revenue over ordinary and capital expenditure has been since 1915, $188,000,000. The balance is met by borrowing.

So far, the net debt of the Dominion has been increased through the war from $336,000,000 to approximately $1,200,000,000 or four times as much.

If the war continues another year, more loans must be found so that next year the national debt will reach the unparalleled figure of over one and a half billion dollars.

With the Women's Institute showing a commendable zeal for the welfare of the boys of the town, The Review ever so respectfully hopes that the ladies will not entirely overlook a resoution they adopted some months to the effect that the dates on which the almost two-dozen Creston Valley heroes fell in battle would be ascertained, and what on each of these dates, climatic conditions permitting, the shrine would be suitably adorned with flowers and a placard displayed letting people know which one of our heroes had gloriously "gone west" on the particular date one, two or three years ago, as the case might be. With parents or friends of the fallen still resident amongst us it should not be difficult to ascertain the dates, and with very little expense to provide suitable resceptacles to hold the floral offerings in case of windy weather, it should not be difficult to carry out this splendid idea. A likely looking committee appointed from month to month from Institute members could surely be relied on to see that the work was done in fitting fashion. Now that the memorial has been put in good shape to show a little remembrance of this sort to some advantage, we feel sure it will be only necessary to remind the Institute of its excellent resolution to have the matter given the best possible attention.

And while we are discussing our soldiers' monument, isn't it about time we were inaugurating a decoration or memorial day. In a few weeks now the Valley will have an ample variety of flowers for such a purpose. Quite a likely-looking boy scouts troop is avaiable to give a little military touch to the affair. The Creston band has come back to life with renewed vigor and would, doubtless, be happy to get up music meet for such an occasion, while in the line of suitable orations surely our clerical and lay talent could do full justice. With the school children marshalled out, also, and such of the secret societies as could find it convenient to appear in regalia out of respect to those of their members who have made the supreme sacrifice, the affair could be made doubly impressive. This is something that will surely come when the war is over and a suitable shaft has been erected to replace the one now doing splendid service, so why not start the thing going this year? In addition to doing honor to those already passed over, with the tide of battle running as at present more than a few of the religiously--inclined in the Valley would welcome the occasion, particularly were a touch of the intercessory interjected into it. What about it, ladies and gentlemen?

The provincial public works department has bought three Ford cars for use on the roads in the Boundary country.

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Sock Shower

At the sock shower staged by the Creston Valley Red Cross Society the latter part of April 56 pairs of hosiery were donated, and the society trkes this means of expressing appreciation of donated footwear, from the following citizens:

Mr. Eastlake, pairs	5
Mrs. Henderson	2
Miss Candy	1
Mrs. S. Fraser	1
Mrs. R. Telford	1
Mrs. Stark	1
Miss D. Stark	1
Mrs. Rose	1
Mrs Watcher	1
Mrs. A. Smith	1
Mrs. McCreath	2
Mrs. Crawford	2
Mrs. Blair	3
Mrs. Hilton	1
Mrs. S. A. Speers	2
Mrs. S. Johnstone	1
Mrs. Crosthwait	1
Mrs. Maxwell	1
Mrs. Botteril	1
Mrs. Gibbs	1
Mrs. McMurtrie	3
Miss Dodd	1
Mrs. G. Young	1
Mrs. Collis	2
Mrs. Pope	3
Miss V. Gobbett	1
Miss B. Mawson	2
Mrs. Fraelick	1
Miss Hazel Andrews	1
Mrs. F. K. Smith	1
Miss Stella Smith	1
Mrs. Cook	1
Mrs. Ebbutt	1
Miss Foxall	1
Mrs. R. S. Smith	1
Misses Land R. Cherrington	2
Mrs. Lyne	1
Mrs. Thurston	1
Mrs. Dow	2

During April the C.P.R. installed new agents at Greenwood, Phoenix, and Fort Steele.

At Greenwood the council is using cinders to replace some of the wornout plank sidewalks.

Grand Forks is asked to contribute $2000 to the Military Y.M.C.A. at next week's drive for funds.

Peach and plum trees are in bloom in the Okanagan, and in these the outlook is for a bumper crop.

Raffia for tieing tomato plants, etc., at Mawson Brothers.

A garden club has been organized amongst the scholars at Crambrook Methodist Sunday school.

New Denver farmers' institute pays a bounty of a cent apiece for every gopher killed in that section.

Things must be stirring in several directions at Kaslo. Three new telephones were installed last week.

Revelstoke had a Red Cross sock day last week when 362 pairs of hosiery and $120 of real mohes came in.

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The above sale is hereby further postponed until WEDNESDAY, MAY 15th, 1918, at the same time and place.

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Bids will be received up to and including, FRIDAY, MAY 31, 1918.

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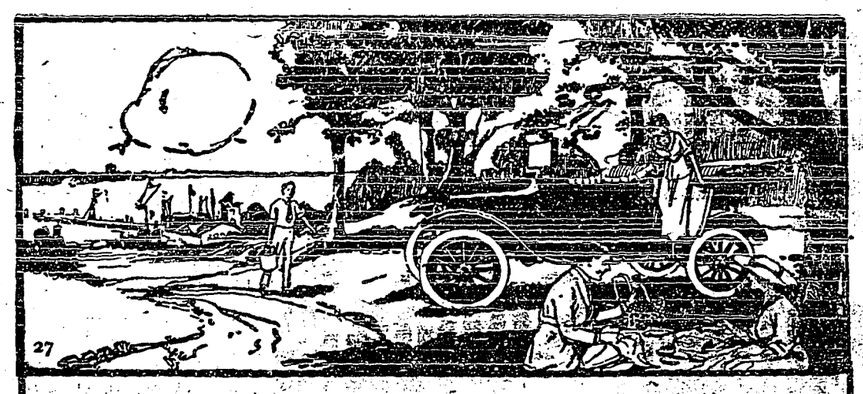

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of DANIEL ENGLISH, Late of Creston, in the County of West Kootenay, British Columbia, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Daniel English, who died on or about the 15th day of July, 1917, at Creston, in the Province of British Columbia, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, S. A. Speers, Administrator of the estate of the said Daniel English, their names and addresses, and full particulars, in writing, of their claims, and statements of their accounts, verified by a Statutory Declaration, and the natpre and value of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 31st day of May, 1918, the said S. A. Speers will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, and having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said S. A. Speers will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons indebted to the said deceased at the time of his death are required forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned.

DATED at Creston, British Columbia, this 3rd day of May, 1918.

S. A. SPEERS,
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NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

The April payroll at Trail smelter was close to $140,000.

Nelson boy scouts have planted seven acres to potatoes this year.

The Granby smelter at Grand Forks has four copper furnaces going now.

The C. P. R. is now using five pusher engines out of Golden so heavy is main line traffic.

More backyard gardens are being cultivated in Rossland this year than ever before.

At the Princeton camp "skinners" who can handle six-horse teams are getting $6 a day.

Nelson retailers claim 25 per cent more silk is being sold in that city than was the case in 1916.

The acreage under crop in the Okanagan this year shows quite a decided increase over 1917.

Five autos owned in Kaslo now. The latest arrival is a Studebaker, imported by Fred Spiers.

For a period of five years, ending March 31st, Trail records 544 births, 95 marriages and 128 deaths.

Cranbrook's 1918 fall fair will be on October 2nd and 3rd. They are after a $1500 government grant this year.

Seventeen of the soldiers enlisted at Grand Forks have been killed in action, according to the Gazette.

Six clergy assisted at an open air wartime service of intercession at Grand Forks on Sunday afternoon last.

Starting Monday Rossland grocers and butchers will do a strictly cash business, and will cut out deliveries.

$7500 is asked of West Kootenay points for the Military Y. M. C. A. East Kootenay is counted on for $10,000.

The first forest fire of the season at Fernie, last week, burned up a stable of three horses, along with some grain and hay, all valued at $3000.

In the Boundary country the prolonged dry weather has enabled many forest fires to do considerable damage already this season.

Trail's birth rate for the latter part of April made a record for the town. Four girls and two boys arriving between the 20th and 26th.

James Norgrove of Fernie, a returned soldier, with sixteen months service to his credit, has been chosen chief of police at Grand Forks.

The Fernie electoral district has a vote of but $4000 for public works this year. $29,000 is voted for Cranbrook, but only $2900 at Nelson.

Cranbrook has achieved sufficient judicial importance to have a regulation police magistrate. One John Leask has been honored with the job.

On a fire test at the Nelson schools last week, the 675 pupils in 13 rooms were all out of the building 90 seconds after the alarm was sounded.

By a vote of 69 to 13 the members of the Presbyterian congregation at Cranbrook voted in favor of church union with the Methodists of that city.

Many complaints are heard at Revelstoke of boys breaking windows in vacant houses, as well as electric light globes—some of the latter costing $3 each.

The mines at Rossland greatly reduced their staffs the first of the month. For a time at least only development work will be carried on in most of them.

Trail council has just given the final reading to a by-law compelling dealers in that town to sell eggs, bananas, oranges, lemons, etc., by the pound hereafter.

New Denver will not have its usual fall fair this year. Any surplus energy the town has will be put into a 24th of May celebration for Military Y.M.-C.A. benefit.

As a starter Rossland council will take on twenty-five pigs which will be sold to citizens at cost, and the necessary permission given to keep them within the city limits.

For making beer 12 per cent stronger than the temperance legislation allows, the two proprietors of the Trail brewery have been sentenced to six months in jail.

At Fernie the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company has almost 2,000 men on the payroll and the recent 20 cents a day raise in pay awarded them will mean at least $10,000 added to the wages paid.

The electric light company at Bonner's Ferry which offered to sell out to the town for $125,000 a few months ago, has now fixed the price of sale at $80,000 and the council may talk business.

The demand for lead is looking up. In consequence the smelter at Trail is now open to accept all the lead ore offering, all of which is expected to considerably revive mining operations in the Slocan.

Rev. M. D. McKee, for eight years pastor of Grand Forks Presbyterian Church, has resigned. It is likely the Methodists and Presbyterian congregations in that town will merge into a United Church.

The C. P. R. is trying out waitresses on the boat between Nelson and Kaslo. Some time ago they had a lady cook on the boat but life on the ocean wave was too strenuous for female help of that sort.

R. J. McDougall of the Penticton Herald has bought the plant of the defunct Hedley Gazette and moved it to Princeton, where he has just acquired the Star, and will merge the plants for the publication of the latter.

In the Matter of the "Administration Act," and in the Matter of the Estate of ROBERT DIXON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Nelson Registry, dated May 2nd, 1918, the undersigned, James H. Doyle, Official Administrator of the Nelson City and Ymir Electoral Districts, of Nelson, B.C., was appointed Administrator of all and singular the estate of the above-named Robert Dixon, late of Wynndel, B.C.

All persons having claims against the said estate are required to file same, duly verified by statutory declaration, with the said Official Administrator, on or before June 2nd, 1918.

Dated this 2nd day of May, A.D. 1918.

JAMES H. DOYLE,
Official Administrator.

In the Matter of the "Administration Act," and in the Matter of the Estate of OLE KNUDSEN TOFTE, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by order of the County Court of West Kootenay, holden at Nelson, dated May 2nd, 1918, the undersigned, James H. Doyle, Official Administrator of the Nelson City and Ymir Electoral Districts, of Nelson, B.C., was appointed Administrator of all and singular the estate of the above-named Ole Knudsen Tofte, late of Erickson, B.C.

All persons having claims against the said estate are required to file same, duly verified by statutory declaration, with the said Official Administrator, on or before June 2nd, 1918.

Dated this 2nd day of May, A.D. 1918.

JAMES H. DOYLE,
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(Continued.)

"There is not an actor of them all who can surpass me at this fine branch of their art!" he thought complacently, as he studied the effect of his work in his full length mirror. "Who would know that for the Otto von Roon who sat at that desk in his shirtsleeves an hour ago? No man! And now there is nothing needed but courage—confidence. I embrace them!"

In and out of the ground floor hall of the chambers in which von Roon was achieving these triumphs, people were perpetually passing. There were many sets of chambers in that building, and some of them were used as offices; two men who kept an observing eye upon the swinging doors which admitted to Shaftesbury avenue had therefore a stiff task in taking notice of those who came and went. Moreover, neither of them were personally acquainted with von Roon; all that they knew of him was by description; they, in fact, were acting as stop-gaps until a man who was well acquainted with him came on the scene. Naturally, they were anxious and fidgety.

About half past six o'clock there came out of the entrance of the chambers a tall, elderly gentleman, whose appearance was notable and distinguished. He was dressed in the height of fashion; a glossy silk hat crowned his handsome head, and was set at a rakish angle; a warm overcoat, finished off with a luxurious collar of fur, protected him from the evening wind. Perfectly creased trousers fell over his gaitered boots of patent leather; his whole air denoted well-to-do-ness; his gold-mounted umbrella was as solid as himself. He walked carelessly away, pausing for a moment to glance into the window of a print ship close by; standing there, he fumbled for and drew out a gold-mounted monocle. Adjusting it to his eye he peered at the goods exposed for sale. Then he moved off, leisurely enough, a fine-looking, white-moustached, white-whiskered old fellow, apparently at ease with himself and the world.

One of the two sharp-eyed men who hung about looked at this old gentleman and then at his companion.

"That old fellow who came out hasn't gone in there since we were here," he said. "And that's two hours."

"May live here, or have gone in before we came," said the other.

The first speaker seemed uneasy and suspicious.

"I noticed one or two sword cuts on his cheek—such as Germans have," he said.

"Some old officer," he said.

"Well, this von Roon may attempt to escape in disguise," said the first. "Look here, I'll follow that old chap a bit. There'll be Chilvers here in five minutes. You can manage until then."

The second man shrugged his shoulders.

"That's some old army man," he said. "However, do as you think best."

The suspicious individual hesitated a moment, glancing down the street at the tall figure, now slowly retreating towards Picadilly Circus.

"I'll watch him a bit, anyway," he said. "If I notice anything, I'll follow him up and let you and Chilvers know somehow."

And he went off sharply until he came within easy distance of the leisurely pacing figure in front, easily discernible from the rest of the crowd by its height, saunteringly afterwards. All unknown to von Roon the chase had begun, and the sleuth-hound that was on his track was watching for any sign which would suggest to his practised eye that his quarry was wanting to escape and feared pursuit.

That sign came quickly. Von Roon soon paused—again to look into a shop window. The pursuer, following his own methods, managed to watch him, and saw that his man had no interest whatever in the goods which he affected to gaze at, and that his real object in pausing was to look stealthily back along the short distance he had come. His suspicion grew stronger; he began to have some confidence that he was on the right track, and when von Roon moved on again he too moved, always effacing himself and always watching.

Von Roon went on to Piccadilly Circus, threaded the traffic, and at the corner of the Criterion joined a small knot of people who were awaiting the south-running omnibuses. Here the sleuth-hound did a smart thing. He, too, joined the waiting throng, making himself look as casual and as unconcerned as he could, and certainly betraying no interest in the military-looking, elderly person. He was already assured that his man was going to board an omnibus; in that case he was going to board the same conveyance—and he was not going to follow but to precede. If, which was unlikely, he got on the wrong omnibus, it would be an easy matter to get off it. But in his experience, men who were afraid of being followed naturally concluded that they were being dogged from behind; it never occurred to them that their pursuers would get in front of them.

A Victoria omnibus came up; the sleuth-hound knew by instinct that his man was going to board it. Therefore he himself bustled forward as it drew to the curb; his quick eye had noticed that the hindermost seat at the top was vacant, and he meant to have it. He climbed the stair and secured it before the vehicle had fairly stopped, and leaning over the side and looking back he saw that the tall, elderly, military-looking man had disappeared from the knot of people. He was, accordingly, safe inside.

The hunter and the hunted, rolling on to Victoria one, at any rate, unconscious of the other's presence and interest, were each occupied with busy thoughts. Von Roon believed that he had got safely away from the vicinity of his chambers; had his flight been observed, he argued, he would have been stopped before he had reached Piccadilly Circus. He now considered himself safely launched on his short voyage to the port of safety—which meant the coast of France. But he was not quite decided as to his exact line of voyage. He had told Metz that he would go by Folkestone and Boulogne, but it had always been von Roon's policy through life to tell even his confidants—who were usually friends of a moment and only friends while they were serving him—that he would do one thing, and then do another. And it was in true accordance with that policy that he had already decided to travel by another route than that of which he had spoken to his man. He would go by the 8:45 boat train form Victoria to Newhaven, and thence cross to Dieppe. If he eventually decided to meet Metz at Calais next day, he could easily travel along the coast from Dieppe. But he was not decided about even that; his main notion was to get out of England. And the course he was taking was the speediest.

As for the man on the roof of the omnibus, he was wondering what his best plan was. He canvassed that subject pretty thoroughly between Piccadilly Circus and Victoria; finally he determined to see what his man did when he arrived at that terminus, and to shape his own course on the results. Meanwhile, he kept a sharp lookout over the side of the omnibus, determined that the inside fare should not alight and go away unwatched.

(To Be Continued.)

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RESULTS FOR 1917.

Assets at December 31st, 1917.		$90,160,174.00
Increase		7,211,176.66
Cash Income		19,288,997.00
Increase		789,863.00
New Assurances issued and *Paid for in Cash*		47,811,567.00
Increase		5,039,270.00
Assurances in Force at December 31st, 1917.		311,870,945.00
Increase		30,436,245.00
Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders		1,560,389.00
Increase		449,498.00
Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders, in past five years.		5,221,963.93
Total Payments to Policyholders, 1917.		8,810,215.00
Payments to Policyholders since organization	$69,094,316	
Assets held for Policyholders	90,160,174	
		$159,254,490
Premiums received since organization		153,361,226
Payments to Policyholders and Assets held for them exceed the premiums received by:		$5,893,264
Undivided surplus at December 31st, 1917, over all liabilities including capital		$8,550,761.00

THE COMPANY'S GROWTH

YEAR	INCOME	ASSETS	LIFE ASSURANCES IN FORCE
1872	$ 43,210.73	$ 96,461.05	$ 1,064,850.00
1887	477,410.68	3,312,504.48	10,879,777.69
1897	2,208,804.74	7,122,371.44	44,083,700.70
1907	6,240,288.25	25,468,695.15	112,195,694.38
1917	19,289,997.00	90,160,174.24	311,870,945.71

The Company takes this opportunity of thanking its policyholders and the public generally for the continued confidence and goodwill of which the above figures give such strong evidence.

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Brakeman — This train goes to New York in ten minutes.

Inquirer—Goodness! That's going some!—Christian Register.

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"A man who is not happy in his domestic life cannot be thoroughly efficient. If he has to fret and worry over things at home he cannot give the best that is in him to his work. His strength and nerve and enthusiasm are detracted from. The main thing is to marry a girl with good common sense. It is not necessary that she should learn a great deal about his business problems; but if she has solid sense she will know how to be sympathetic, how to economize, how to encourage him, how to inspire his ambition, and how to facilitate the attainment of that ambition by having his home surroundings cheerful and pleasant, by attending carefully to his physical well-being, and by entering into the spirit of his aims and objects. Good health is extremely, important in the struggle for success, and a man's health is dependent in a very large measure upon his home life. A young man in seeking a wife should pay more attention to her heart and her health than to her dowry."—E. P. Ripley, Veteran President of the Santa Fe, in The American Magazine.

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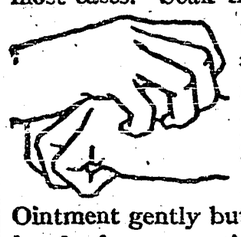

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This war has done one thing; it has made farming one of the most dignified callings a man can engage in. There was a time when many looked on the cultivator of the soil as "a mere hayseed," not worthy of being considered seriously in the economics of the nation, but that day has passed. Today everybody is appealing to the farmer to come to the rescue of the nation by helping to produce something to eat so that we can win the war. The day is not far distant when the "man who makes two blades of grass grow where only one grew before" will be looked up to as one of the princes of the land. — Montgomery, Ala., Times.

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Royal Milliners

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It has long been a well-known fact that Queen Mary has often trimmed her own hats, as also has Queen Maude of Norway.

Princess Patricia of Connaught, too, is a clever milliner, and her sister, the Crown Princess of Sweden, has often looked charming in hats which she has trimmed herself.

There are many society women who are experts with their needles, and who can turn an ugly "shape" into a beautiful "creation." One of these is Lady Cheylesmore, and she has several times won prizes at hat-trimming competitions.

Lady Maitland, too, is a clever milliner, and she once organized a sale of hats, every one made or trimmed by her own hands. Lady Hervey-Bathurst has trimmed many pretty hats, and before her marriage she had a millinery shop in Sloans Square. Mrs. Arthur Weigall is another society woman who would make a small fortune as a milliner. —Tit-Bits.

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Parts of Submarines Included in Catch of Dutch Fishermen

Not only fish, but parts of German submarines destroyed now frequently constitute the catch of Dutch fishermen when they haul up their nets off the Dutch coast, according to H. Venstra, a dairy expert from Holland.

"Floating parts of submarines are raising havoc with the nets of our fishermen," Mr. Venstra said. "In many cases floatsam and jetsam have been submitted to coast guardsmen and officers of the Dutch navy and were identified as belonging to submarines that probably had been destroyed by depth charges."

A Pill for Brain Workers.—The man who works with his brains is more liable to derangement of the digestive system than the man who works with his hands, because the one calls upon his nervous energy while the other applies only his muscular strength. Brain fag begets irregularities of the stomach and liver, and the best remedy that can be used is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They are specially compounded for such cases and all those who use them can certify to their superior power.

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A Stupendous Decision

Women Can Become the Dominant Political Power of the Future

Commenting on the granting of the franchise to 6,000,000 women in the British Isles, the Edinburgh Scotsman says: "It is a stupendous decision. It assuredly would not have been taken but for the demonstration of women's capabilities which the war has brought. No one four years ago foresaw how powerfully the fabric of our national life could be buttressed by women's work. That element is everywhere today; it has disclosed reserves of national strength that imply permanent developments; its relation to organized labor in its old form, is one of the problems of the reconstruction period." Woman, if she asserts herself, can become the dominant political power of the future.

CONSTIPATED CHILDREN

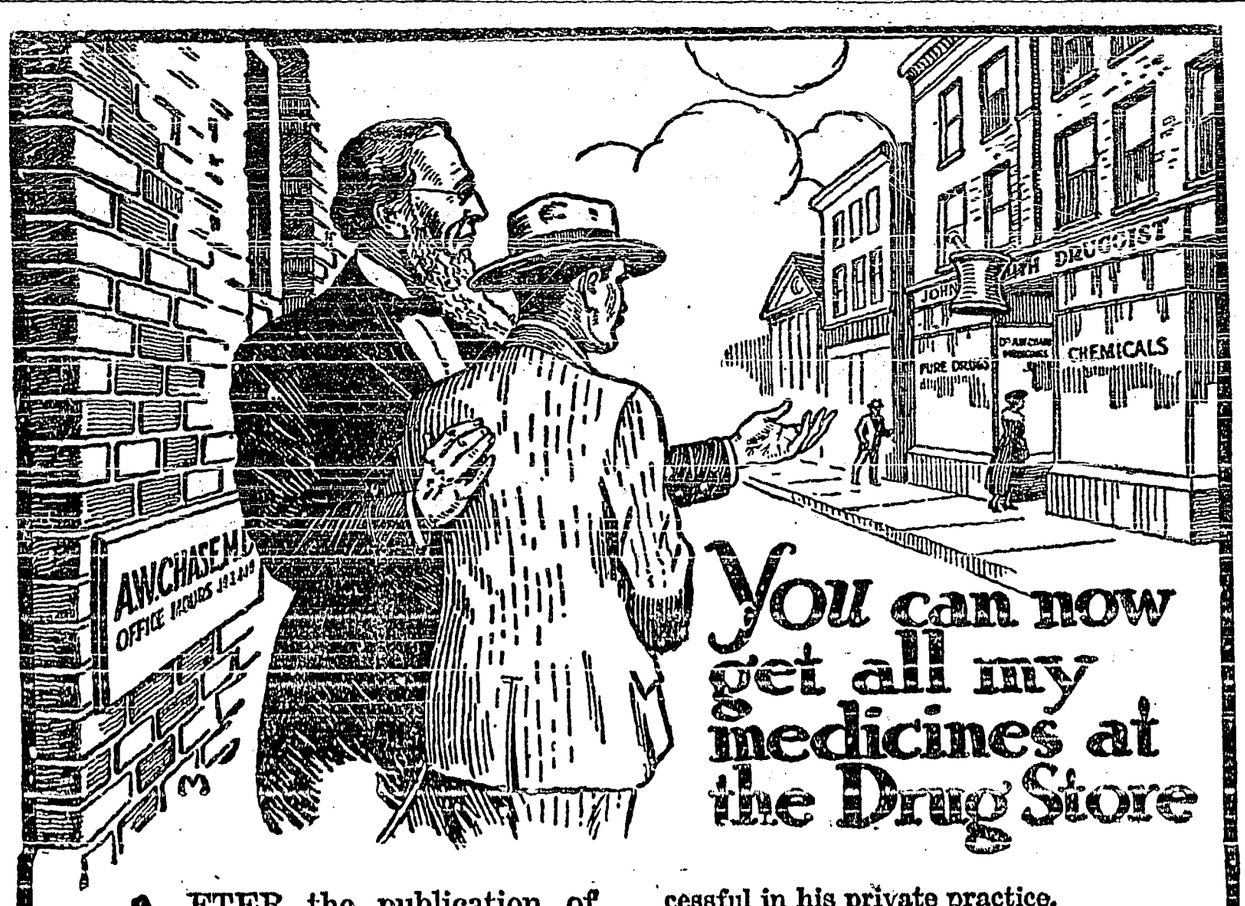
Nothing will so quickly remove childhood constipation as will Baby's Own Tablets. They are a mild but thorough laxative; are pleasant to take; do not gripe and never fail to regulate the stomach and bowels. Concerning them Mrs. Adolphe Noel, Petite Lameque, Que., says:—"Baby's Own Tablets are the best remedy for constipation I know of and I would strongly recommend them to all mothers of little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Stamp Out Trade With Enemy

Through control of the nation's foreign trade, made effective by the president's proclamation requiring licenses for all imports and exports, the U. S. war trade board plans to stamp out completely all trading with firms of pro-enemy character which are furnishing information, smuggling supplies, providing credits or hoarding for post-war purposes in order to give aid and comfort to Germany.

THE SPRING DRIVE

Our boys are going "Over the top" and into "No man's land" this spring. No one has any doubt of their ability to get there. There will also be a spring drive on this side of the ocean, because March is the year's "blue Monday." It is the most fatal month of the year. March and April is a time when resistance usually is at lowest ebb. It is a trying season for the "run-down" man. But medical science steps in, and says, "it need not be"! We should cultivate a love of health, a sense of responsibility for the care of our bodies. Do not allow the machinery of the body to clog. Put the stomach and liver in proper condition. Take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, to be had at most drug stores in tablet or liquid form, tablets fifty cents a vial, composed of native herbs. This puts the stomach and liver in proper condition. You may be plodding along, no spring, [illegible] have put the body into its normal physical condition—oiled the machinery, as it were—you will find new vim, vigor and vitality within you. A little "pep," and we laugh and live. Try it now. Send Dr. Pierce, Invalids Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y., or branch office, Bridgeburg, Ont., 10c. for trial pkg. The prime necessity of life is health. With health and energy you have the power to force yourself [illegible] Golden Medical Discovery is the spring tonic which you need.



You can now get all my medicines at the Drug Store

AFTER the publication of his Receipt Book Dr. Chase found himself overwhelmed with the demand for his services and his medicines. Not only did patients come from many miles to throng his office, but the mails were filled with letters ordering medicines.

Rather than disappoint his patients and admirers, and always anxious to relieve suffering, the doctor decided to give to the people the great prescriptions which had been so thoroughly tested and so remarkably successful in his private practice.

And so it came that Dr. Chase's Medicines were placed on public sale at nominal prices. To-day you can scarcely find a drug store that is not stocked with a full line of these medicines, and that home is the exception where there is not one or more of them in use.

Like most articles of exceptional merit and large sales Dr. Chase's Medicines are widely imitated, and substitutes are frequently offered in their place. On this account it is very important that you should see the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author, on the box you buy. They are printed on every box for your protection, and imitators do not dare to use them.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, 5 boxes for $1.00.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food (Pills), 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for $2.75.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Catarrh Powder, 25 cents a box, blower free, 5 boxes for $1.00.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, 25 cents a bottle. Family size, three times as much, 60 cents.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Liver Cure, $1.00.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Backache Plaster, 25 cents each, 5 for $1.00.

All dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Local and Personal

Raffia for tieing tomato plants, etc., at Mawson Brothers.

Mrs. Hayes will not receive on May 22nd, nor again until fall.

PASTURE WANTED—For the summer, one cow, close to town.—R. S. Bevan, Creston.

WANTED—Will exchange a Planet Jr. seeder for a one-horse cultivator. C. OLSEN, Creston.

Q.M. Sergt. Keddell of the 107th Batt., Nelson, spent the week-end at his ranch in Creston.

Miss McEachren, who has leen Miss Faulkner's guest for the last few weeks, left for Cranbrook Sunday.

Posts continue to be the staple export from Creston. In April thirty-five cars of them were shipped east.

Nurse Foxhall left on Tuesday for Michel, where we hear she has taken a position in the hospital in that town.

Mrs C. G. Bennet and children, who have been with Cranbrook frietds for a couple of weeks, returned on Saturday.

C. O. Rodgers was a Calgary visitor the early part of the week, for a meeting of the Lumbermen's Association.

The quarterly opening of the Red Cross contribution boxes that are around town secured $3.94 for the society's work.

Henry Chester of Cranbrook, who was assistant at the C.P.R. station for a couple of months last fall, spent the week-end here.

Thos. Parker of Nelson, inspector of weights and measures, as well as the pure food inspector, paid Creston his offical visit this week.

At least one new power sprayer has come into the Valley this year. Jas. Cook is the purchaser, and the new machine is the Novo make.

Rev. J. S. Mahood will be here for morning service in Christ Church on Sunday next with the usual celebration of Holy Communion at the close.

W. B. Embree started work this week as C.P.R. fire patrol, taking the run Ray Crisler had last year, Kingsgate-Yahk and Kootenay Landing.

Formaldehyde

Take no chances with potato scab this fall. Use Formalin and be doubly sure you are safe.

Creston Drug & Book Co.

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Mrs. G. A. Hunt of Kitchener spent the latter part of the week with Creston friends, prior to leaving for Ontario, where she will visit for a couple of months.

Sunday is Mother's Day. Service with address appropriate for the occasion will be held at the Presbyterian Church at 11 a.m., Sunday, to which all are invited.

Mrs. Miller of Winnipeg arrived on Friday to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Brown. She is a sister of Mr. Brown, and is very much taken with the Valley already.

The board of trade has its May meeting on Tuesday night, and it is hoped every member will be out, as there is considerable routine business to dispose of, as well as the fall fair matter.

The warm weather of the past week brought the Goat River into flood, and has produced quite a rise in the Kootenay. In consequence a considerable portion of the flats is now under water.

B. J. Miller, the fellow Insp. Forrester took to Fernie last week for medical inspection, was placed in Class A, and is now detained in that city awaiting to be taken to the coast to get into khaki.

Members of the Unionist executive are reminded of a meeting to-night (Friday) at R. S. Belan's garage office at 8.30 prompt. Important business, and a full turnout of members is requested.

W. Ramsay, Nelson, the provincial engineer for West Kootenay, was here on an offical visit the fore part of the week, looking the Valleys needs over in the way of road and bridge improvements.

Miss Ruby Gilchrist, a Nelson nurse, well known to many in Creston, who went overseas for military nursing about a year ago, was married last month to Capt. N. Macdonald, a Cape Breton officer.

John Miller has been busy this week making the annual delivery of nursery stock for the B C. Nurseries Co., Vancouver. He states that almost 10,000 trees of one sort and another have come in this spring.

Creston W.C.T.U. members are reminded of a meeting at the home of Mrs. W.V. Jackson. next Wednesday afternoon. when important business will be up for discussion. All are urged to be present.

At the initial meeting the re-organized board of managers of Creston Presbyterian church on Friday hight, H. K. Oatway was electel chairman of the board. Dr. Henderson was reappointed treasurer.

Members of the Red Cross executive are reminded of the usual monthly business session at the depor on Tuesday afternoon. There is business of the utmost importance, and every member is urged to be present.

Miss Barbara Mawson, who has been on The Review staff for almost three years, left for Sandon, where she will spend a few weeks having secured a position in a store in that town. She expects to be away all summer.

Creston Fruit Grewers Union got in the initial instalment of soft fruit shipping supplies this week, in the shape of part of a car of decking for the crates. A carload of cups is also expected this week from the coast.

C. L. Wheeler and G. W. Felker, two Portland, Ore., realty men, who specialize in handling logged-off areas spent a few days in Creston Valley this week, the former returning on Wednesday and the latter Monday.

Creston Valley was favored with a half-inch rainfall on Wednesday morning, and as a result garden stuff is coming along in fine style. The moisture was also timely for the soft fruits, more especially strawberries.

W. B. Embree is busy with the erection of a building on the Barton ranch, which he has just purchased, which he will utilize as a workshop. He will vacate his old stand at the Auditorium at the end of the month.

Freight traffic into Creston is the heaviest right now that it has been for several years past. Apparently dairying is receiving considerable attention as quite a few cream separators are arriving—four of them last week.

There should be a big turnout of ranchers at the Auditorium to-morrow (Saturday) night to hear Messrs. Middleton and Biker discuss the irrigatioh question, and J. A. Grant. who will speak on co-operative marketing.

Returns from the canvas of the Valley for funds in connection with the Y.M.C.A. drive this week are not yet complete, but on those already to hand it looks safe to predict that the $1000 asked to be raised in this section will de secured.

The monthly school report show 126 pupils registered during April, divided fifty-fifty—63 boys and the same number of girls precisely. Principal Brousson's room is strong to girls, 17 to 2, while Miss Faulkner's department goes 26 boys to 13 girls.

According to R. R. Phillips, Nelson, representing the Robin Hood Flour Mills, the milling companies are all taking their travellers off the road, and many of the firms are offering inducements to the men laid off to take up farm work for the present.

E. C. Hunt, Nelson, assistant provincial horticulturist, spens a few days here this week, looking over crop prospects. He reports a particulary heavy pear bloom, while the yonng apple trees are also carrying a surprisingly heavy blossom this season here.

RED CROSS—For this week's Tuesday meeting the following donations are acknowledged: Mrs. Sherwood. pair socks. Mrs. C. Huscroft, material for trench caps. Canyon City Auxiliary. 27 towels, 54 face cloths. 5 trench caps, 2 suits pyjamas, 1 bandage.

RED CROSS—Covering the two weeks ended Tuesday the treasurer's statement shows the following receipts: Tea and raffle on April 30th, $7, and donations, $1.92. Contents of contribution bores, $3.94. Donations, May, 7th, 40c. Huscroft school $2.

William Isaac, who up till about twelve years ago was a member of the local tribe of Indians, but who then left to take up land near Bonners Ferry, disposed of his place last month and was here last week on a visit, making the trip in his own Ford car.

Rev. J. Knox Wright, travelling secretary for the Bible Society, had a fair turnout for his illustrated lecture on India in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday night. Creston showed its usual generosity in his canvas of the town for funds the following day.

S. A. Speers has just been offically notified of his appointment adminstrator of the estate of the late Dan English, who was drowned last July while returning to his ranch at Corn Creek. Those having claims against the estate are to file them on or before May 31st.

Inspector Forrester picked up another deserter in the person of Walter Hudson of Kuskanook, and took him to Nelson on Monday for medical examination. Hudson had neglected to register although he appears to have been at Kuskanook for at least the last six months.

Notice is given that Sheriff Doyle of Nelson has been named offical administrator in the estates of the late Bob Dixon and Ole K. Tofte—the latter deceased almost four years and a former resident at Erickson. Those having claims against these estates must file them before June 2nd.

A special Mother's Day service will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday night at 7.30, with a programme of appropiate hymns and recitations. The address will be given by Mrs. Knott, and the service in charge of Mrs. F. K. Smith. Come and pay tribute to the best friend a fellow has—his mother.

Vice-Principal Alex. Smith is addressing Creston Women's Institute at their meeting this afternoon on "Manual Training. The ladies are also utilizing the session for Red Cross sewing. All interested are reminded that institute msmbership dues must be paid next month by those wishing to compete at the fall fair.

Rev. M. W. Lees was a Cranbrook visitor a couple of days the fore part of the week for the East Kootenay Methodist district meeting in that town. Church union has taken a firm hold in Cranbrook, the Presbyterians last week voting for amalgamation by a show of 69 to 13. Fernie is also talking the question strong, too.

Creston board of trade is expecting any day now to start receiving a daily weather forecast from the observatory at Victoria. The matter has been before R. F. Green, M.P., at Ottawa, who assures that Victoria will be advised to start sending along the probibilities. They will be posted at the postoffice, and will be of considerable value to the ranchers particularly during berry season.

R. S. Bevan was up before Stipendiary Magistrate Lamont on Saturday on a charge of handling automobiles without a dealer's license, and fined the maximum penalty of $300. The case will be appealed, Mr. Bevan visiting Nelson the early part of the week consulting his solicitor in the case. Up till this year no dealer's license was required, Mr. Bevan being an agent for the Ford Co., and not a dealer in cars.

W. E. Carruthers of Calgary, and J. W. Simington of Regina, representatives of the Mutual Brokers, were here on Monday, looking over the fruit situation and incidentally, closed a deal to again handle the vegetables and fruits shipped by the Fruit Growers Union this year, on about the same terms as the business was so satisfactorily handled in 1917. They are quite optimistic as to good prices for soft fruits again this year.

Local ranchers who do independent selling along the cash-with-mail-order line will be interested to know that one of the foremost Hatzic ranchers who does all his selling that way is now quoting strawberries at $2.85 a crate; plums $1; ripe tomatoes, $1.25; cucumbers $1; Transparent and Duchess apples, No. 1, $1.75. These prices are all f.o.b. Hatzic. A year ago the same dealer quoted strawberries at $2. Just at present it would seem as if the least of the growers troubles would be the prices on his product.

Mrs. Forrester was agreeably surprised to find herself a guest of honor at the May meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid on Friday last at the home of the president, Mrs. Dow, when the members presented her with a cut glass bowl as a slight token of apprecation of her six years' work with the organization. The afternoon was purely a social function at which refreshments were served, with a doll dressing contest among the features and Mrs. Sherwood showed greatest proficiency in this line. On Saturday Mrs. Forrester was similarly remembered by the Mission Band who entertained her at the home of Miss Lyda Johnson, and presented a hand painted fruit dish. Until this year the guest had been in charge of Mission Band activities. Mrs. Forrester anticipates removing from Creston to Nelson to reside shortly, and she leaves a vacancy in all lines of Presbyterian church work that will be hard to fill.

Creston Fruit Growers Union, Ltd.

Solicits the Handling of Your 1918 output of FRUIT and VEGETABLES and Offers Top-Notch Service at Rock Bottom Cost to You

LAST SEASON THE UNION DEMONSTRATED ITS RIGHT TO CLAIM YOUR PATRONAGE

1. By securing for all fruit shipped the highest going market price.
2. By prompt payments in full for shipments, and accurate accounting.
3. By cutting down running expenses to the lowest possible point, making the actual cost to growers the lowest of any organization in the Province giving similar service.
4. By assisting in securing supplies and labor, and in many other ways trying to help in the success of Union shippers.

This Season the aim of the Union will be to greatly increase the effectiveness of this service and no grower can afford to plan for 1918 marketing without thoroughly investigating what the Union has to offer. All we ask is an honest comparison of the service we are prepared to give with that which can be secured in any other way. The advantage will be all Union.

That "Something"

Notwithstanding high living costs your old friend, Appetite, at this time of year, still insists on being humored, and his demands must be acceded to in part at least, if the best is to be got out of these busy work days. When you require that "something" to keep you feeling fit, let us suggest—

OLIVES—Plain and Stuffed. Olive Oil
Mushroom Catsup. Horse Radish
Holbrook Sauce

And when it comes to something in the line of liquid refreshment that "touches the spot" as well as quenching the thirst, we confidently recommend—

Loganberry Juice. Lemon Kia Ora
Ideal Lemonade Fruit Juice
Street's Grape Fruit Juice
Montserrat Lime Juice
Bird's Lemonade Powder

PICKLES IN GALLON JARS sweet or sour.

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STOCK OF SHOES FOR SPRING HAS ARRIVED

and we have placed in stock the best and most stylish lines of footwear ever shown in the district

For Men

we recommend Geo. A. Slater's INVICTUS in Button or Lace. For dress or hard wear they are unsurpassed.

Other lines for men and boys include AMHERST, LECKIE'S and the celebrated G.V.O. Shoe, made to stand the hardest wear.

Ladies' Shoes

include INVICTUS in high tops in lace or button, kid or cloth, at $7.50, $8.00, $8.50 and $9.00.

McFARLANE SHOES, easy fitters and very stylish, in high buttoned at $5.75.

PUMPS, OXFORDS and MARY JANE in all sizes for Infants, Children, Misses and Ladies, from $1.50 to $3.90.

White Canvas Pumps for Ladies and Girls, also Rubber footwear in White and Black for the Boys and Girls

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