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1125 Acres Have 100,933 Trees

The very heavy show of bloom on the Valley apple trees, and the healthy way the earlier varieties of tree fruits are "setting" this season, leads to considerable speculation as to how extensive the final harvest will be.

While our old friend, the June drop, has still to be reckoned with, along with some other factors that invariably expedite thinning operations, unless these unfavorable elements are very much to the fore 1919 has all the earmarks right now of giving the Valley the half-million dollar crop that some of the optimists predict.

To come to some intelligent conclusion in the matter the fruit tree census taken by Jos. Heath in the summer of 1916 should be of considerable assistance. At that time Mr. Heath found the Valley had 90,307 apple trees of numerous varieties, as well as 10,626 trees of other kinds of fruit.

On Mr. Heath's returns to the horticultural department we find that 1919 sees 54 per cent. of those trees eight years old or under, 45 per cent. between eight and thirteen years, and one per cent. over thirteen.

In 1918 the apple trees gave an average yield of a little better than two-thirds of a box per tree on a showing of bloom that certainly did not look as favorable as this year's blossom. With another year added to the life of all of them, and a considerable area of new o chard that will come into bearing this year for the first time, one does not need to be an optimist to forsee an apple crop of at least 100,000 boxes, given normal conditions throughout the season. The Heath report, which has been supplied the Creston Board of Trade in condensed form by the provincial department of agriculture, is as follows:

"Mr. Heath recorded 186 fruit growers in his survey of the Creston District, which includes Wynndel, Erickson, Canyon City and Sirdar. The table below gives the number of the different kinds of fruit trees in the district, as well as the number of a great many of the varieties of apples and percentage of each in the district:

	Total Trees	Per cent. of total
Wagner	26,803	29.6
Wealthy	12,349	13.0
McIntosh Red	9,452	10.4
Jonathan	7,333	8.1
Northern Spy	5,676	6.3
Delicious	4,373	4.8
Spitzenberg	3,502	3.9
Rome Beauty	3,150	3.4
Ontario	1,891	2.0
King	1,743	1.9
Cox Orange	1,690	1.8
Grimes Golden	1,690	1.8
Gravenstein	1,383	1.6
Winesap	995	
Winter Banana	982	
Baldwin	928	
Duchess	655	
N.W. Greening	524	
Red Astrachan	431	
King David	399	
Yel. Transparent	344	
Cellini	341	
Hubbardson	273	
R.I. Greening	194	
Snow	187	
Black Twig	185	
Vanderpool Red	162	
Stayman	150	
Ben Davis & Gano	145	
Oranco	124	
Redcheek Pippin	125	
Odd vaieties	1,936	
Total Apples	90,307	

	Total trees
Crabapples	1,198
Pears	4,764
Sweet Cherries	1,105
Sour Cherries	395
Plums	1,953
Prunes	969
Peaches	366
Apricots	35
Quince, and others	150
Total other fruit	10,626
Grand total of all fruit trees	100,933

"The survey also shows that most [illegible] (square system) with fillers one way, making 90 trees to the acre. However the average number of trees per acre for the district is 90. With this average the district has about 1,125 acres planted to fruit trees. At the time the survey was made (1916) 54 per cent. of the apple trees were 5 years old or under; and 45 per cent. were between the ages 5 and 10. 1 per cent. was over 10 years old."

What with the removal of "fillers," thinning out of poor varieties, and the "working over" of many hundreds of trees in the aggregate, these figures are not now correct as to varieties, nor are there 90,307 trees to crop from, neither will the new plantings of the last five years make good the deficit in this respect, as very little nursery stock of the tree sort has been put in the ground since 1914. This year shows considerable improvement in this respect, the import of trees being the heaviest for several seasons back. However, until the price of powder takes a considerable tumble new orchard areas of any extent can hardly be looked for.

Alice Siding

W. Barraclough of Fernie was a week-end guest with his parents here, returning on Monday.

Guy Constable is spending a few days this week on his annual fishing trip at points along Kootenay Lake.

After making some improvements in the way of enlarging the house W. H. Farrell on Monday moved his family from Crestod and will spend the next few months on the Andy Miller ranch.

Pte. Frank Simister arrived home on Monday, having spent a couple of days with his sister at Sirdar enroute. He has a couple of years overseas service to his credit, but looks and feels none the worse for the rather busy few months he put in beating Fritz. He will probably return to the prairie after a holiday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Simister.

Earl Pease left the fore part of the week for Goatfell, where he has joined up with T. Harris' squad on some new road building at that point.

The Walters ranch, near Victor Carr's which was sold early last fall to Mr. Mallanteen, and was occupied for a time by his wife and family, has changed hands, this time to another coast buyer who is expected to take possession next week.

Morgan Long has invested in another milch cow, getting the animal this week from the well-known Dow herd of Shorthorns.

Jack Smith is expecting to go back to his old job as fire patrol at the Lookout station next week, which position he had last season.

Wynndel

The shipping season opened last week with the small quantities of rhubarb. Luckily nothing is moving, as the general strike at Alberta points has necessitated the express company refusing shipments outside of B.C.

Dr. Henderson was here on Thursday last on his annual visit of inspection to the local school, which he found in the best of shape.

Mrs. Eakin chaperoned a party of Wynndel young people to the celebration at Cranbrook on Saturday, the party motoring from here to Creston to catch the train. In the party were Misses Olga Wigen, Florence and Merle Bathie, and Messrs. Joe and Monrad Wigen. They stayed over and returned on Sunday.

Monrad Wigen is fitting up his steam launch preparatory to getting away for a boom of logs, and will likely have the mill in operation the early part of the week.

Mr. Piggott and daughter, Lizzie—the latter from Kamloops—are visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Rosendale at present. Lizzie has been at the sanitarium there for some time, and expects to return early in June.

A C.P.R. work train is operating [illegible] loading up the winter's cut of ties. Several hundred of them in this section, belonging to Messrs. Biafore and Price, figure in the export.

Principal Dewar has the school garden in ship shape, and with another seasonable rain to keep things moving he should have [illegible] that will compare with the best in the Valley

Local and Personal

Rev. J. Knox Wright, district secretary of the B.C. Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Society, will deliver an illustrated lecture on China and Korea in Creston Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening, June 10th, at 8.15 o'clock. All are invited. Admission free. Collection for funds of the Bible Society.

C. F. Hayes was the Creston board of trade representative at the banquet at Nelson to C.P.R. President Beatty on Saturday night, being one of the speakers of the evening—to the toast to The Press. The affair attracted a large and representative attendance, about 150 sitting down to the spread, which was under Associated Board's of Trade auspices.

C. O. Rodgers and R. S. Bevan were at Cronbrook on Friday night for a conference of East Kootenay board of trade representatives called for the purpose of having a preliminary discussion of matters that effect this part of B.C. and formulatigg a policy to lay before a boards of trade convention which will likely be held at Cranbrook early in June.

Things were exciting for a time at Kootenay River ferry on Friday morning last. While making the trip across the ferry became stalled due to some complications in the overhead cable, and in order to land Angus Curry, who was aboard with a team, as well as the ferryman, the cable had to be cut to allow the scow to drift ashore to get the horses off. It was afterwards towed back to its old moorings by team, and resumed business as usual.

H. Davis, the local sheepman on the Geo. Huscroft place, started out on Thursday last with the balance of his flock—about 250 head—to find summer pasture for them on Tobacco Plains in the Elko country. The high water on the flats forced him to leave here, and although Creston and Cranbrook buyers offered $10 and $11 a head for the sheep he preferred to herd them rather than sell at the price offered.

Canyon City

Mr. and Mrs. L. McInnes are back from Yahk, and will spend some time on their ranch here. They are good citizens, and will hope they are back to stay.

J. E. Hodge, who recently leased the John Huscroft place, and who brought in a half dozen cars of stock about a month ago, left on Tuesday for Macleod, Alta., where he will load another four cars of cattle for shipment here.

Canyon City must be getting to be quite a summer resort if one may judge by the number of autos that pass and repass especially on Sundays. The latest buyer of a motor car is Campbell Blair, who last week purchased S. A. Speers' Ford and is already becoming quite expert in handling it.

A union Sunday School was got under way on Sunday, with an attendance of about twenty-five scholars. The present teaching staff is composed of Mesdemes Strong, Gilbert, Knott and Miss Francis Knott. All children are cordially invited to attend, and with the prospect of an every Sunday church service in a couple of weeks a good turnout of adults as well as children is anticipated.

The house on the A. R. Swanson place has just been treated to a new dress of paint, which greatly enhances the appearance of the residence. In fact the whole place is looking fine under the handling of Geo. Strong, who has recently leased it for two years. Mr. Strong is a [illegible] trade and this bit of work should attract many new customers.

The caterpillar engine, which was off the log haul from the school a few days last week undergoing an overhauling, is again busy. There are a couple of thousand pieces on skidways at that point.

Mr. Hale of Phoenix, who recently bought a ten-acre tract here arrived with his family and effects the latter part of the week, and is occupying a cabin that was on the premises.

Word as to the government's buy of 8000 acres of the Company's land is expected any day now, with all convinced that the purchase is a good one. With development work under way on it, and construction started on the new bridge Canyon City will be the livliest point in the Valley.

The examination results of the 1919 session of the B.C. University at Vancouver, which appeared a few days ago, show Miss May McLean, who had charge of the Canyon City school a couple of years ago passing well up in final tests in the second year in arts. She topped the class in psychology, and was well quite prominent in history, logic, Latin and English literature. We understand Miss McLean has taken a school on the prairie for the summer, and will return to the university in the fall.

Erickson

Mr., Mrs. and Miss Birch arrived from Newport, Monmouth, England, on Saturday, and are expecting to remain here permanently with their son-in-law, Chas. Kelsey, whose guests they are at present.

Mrs. Ray Crisler arrived from Tybourn, Calif., the latter part of the week, and intends spending the next two months with her mother, Mrs. Ryckman.

A. Lode, who is at present employed at Silverton, spent the week-end here looking after his ranch interests. W. V. Jackson has the place leased for another year.

Erickson baseball team had no trouble handing a walloping to the Creston aggregation at the latter place in Sunday's game, the score 22—14. Gerald Craigie umpired.

Miss Telford of Galt, Ont., arrived a few days pgo on a visit to her brother, Postmaster R. M. Telford.

Mrs. Sam Scott and children got away on Saturday on a trip to England, on a visit to the old home and her husband, who is in poor health in a British military hospital. She will be away about three months, and all are hoping she and Sam will be back even sooner, with the latter feeling his old-time self.

Field tomatoes are reported in blossom on the Kelsey ranch. This place also reports strawberries well formed and expects to be shipping these by the middle of June.

Shipments of tomatoes may show a slight falling off at Erickson this season due to the fact that the Staples brothers have dissolved the partnership that has existed since they came into the Valley. They have been heavy shippers of tomatoes and other truck. It is not the intention of either partner to farm extensively this year.

Made $110 at Fair

The country fair feature of Christ Church Ladies' Guild entertainment on May 24th was a decided success, there being a large turnout of buyers all afternoon at the Parish Hall, and with the exception of the tail end of a generous supply of rhubarb and a couple of dozen eggs practically everything exposed for sale was readily disposed of, articles in the wearable line, home cooking and dairy produce being in great demand. In addition to the sale there was a ring-throwing stand that did a roaring trade, and the afternoon tea was equally popular. The turnout at night for the whist was dissappointing, there being only eight tables of players. [illegible] at cards were Miss Erickson and Mrs. Baynes, while W. S Watson won the gentleman's prize. All told the gathering gathered in almost $110, which included about $20 which was realized from the sale of a table cloth donated by Mrs. Watson. With the proceeds the ladies expect to install the water in the hall, the only convenience the building at present lacks.

Erect Monument Soldiers Memorial

As forecasted some weeks ago the Creston Valley memorial to those fallen in the great war will take the form of a monument, which will be erected on a suitable site at Creston. This was the decision of the citizens meeting in Mercantile Hall on Wednesday night, which was presided over by R. B. Staples, chairman of the canvassing and plebiscite organization committee.

J. W. Hamilton, the committee treasurer, submitted the financial statement showing how those subscribing had voted. According to the canvassers returns 235 people were approachen, and of these 153 expressed a preference for a monument, 65 preferred a building, and 17 were neutral in the matter. In the matter of money guaranteed the statement showed the monument faction guaranteeing $1124 while the guaranteeing from the building forces footed up to $538. In connection with the giving a number made their donation conditional on either a monument or a building being erected, and if those committed themselves so rigidly to a building and nothing else decide to stick to their pledge there will be a little over $1500 wherewith to proceed with the work, though this is sure to be augmented by subscriptions from a number who declined to commit themselves to any amount at all until the decision was reached as to just what the memorial is to be.

Having adopted the financial statement, passed a vote of thanks to the canvassing committee, adopted a formal motion to proceed with the erection of the monument, and re-elected Mr. Hamilton the permanent treasurer, the meeting was adjourned, and re organized under Mr. Staples' chairmanship to select a committee to get on with the erection of the memorial. A committee of six was favored and the following were selected: Robt. Stark, C. G. Bennett, A. R. Swanson, W. H. Crawford Lieut. R. Sinclair-Smith and J. W. Hamilton.

In view of the scanty attendance the two meetings have attracted it was decided to give the half-dozen gentlemen named full power to select the design of the monument, the site and arrange all other details and have the work completed at the earliest possible date. However the gentlemen are very anxious to receive suggestions from all and sundry as to what would be appropriate both as to design and location for the monumental pillar, and it is hoped all so inclined will pass along their ideas at the earliest possible moment.

Until the style of monument is finally decided upon, and the cost of same complete is available the matter of a location for it would be premature, but judging by the cost of a similar undertakings elsewhere it would look as if some considerable added revenue will be needed if a site for the monument is to be purchased and put in shape to provide an esthetic setting for the memorial, including room for the field guns the board of trade is pressing the War Trophies Board at Ottawa to send here for memorial decorative purposes.

At the close of the meeting the committee of six had an organization conference when R. Stark was made chairman and C. G. Bennett secretary to the committee, and arrangements were completed for interviewing those who have promised contributions so that the exact amount of money that will be available may be determined before proceeding with the ordering and erection of the monument.

F. G. Morin, who has been a master carpenter at the Trail smelter for a matter of twenty-three years has quit the job and is moving to Spokane. His removal will necessitate electing a new mayor at Trail, which position he has held for two or three years past.

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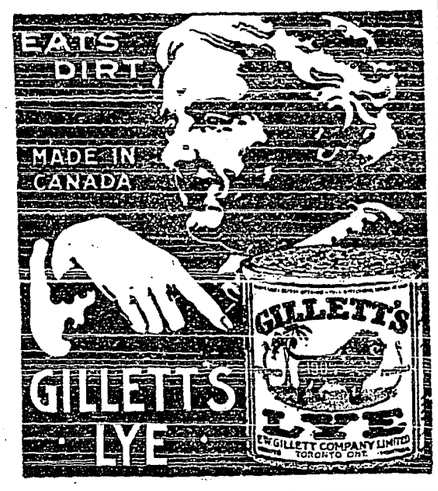

EDITORIAL

Farm Life in Canada

The whole world is in a state of unrest, and society is being shaken to its very foundations. Conditions are changing, and uncertainty exists in almost every walk of life. Turmoil and strife are everywhere in evidence throughout industry, our political institutions are undergoing the greatest strain yet placed upon them, in the world of finance there is doubt and anxiety, and throughout the whole social fabric there is much questioning and groping as to what is best to be done.

This discontent and unrest is, however, much more apparent in large centres of population all over the world, in the cities and large towns, than it is in the rural communities. While there is, of course, some doubt and uncertainty as to the general effect which these disturbed world conditions may have on the profits of agriculture, there is peace and contentment on the farms of Canada in comparison to the state of feeling in the cities and towns.

Present conditions, in fact, demonstrate that no man leads a happier or more independent existence today than does the successful farmer. In urban centres the working man is filled with doubts and misgivings as to the future. He lives in constant dread that the present upheaval following the Great War will result in widespread unemployment, and that soon he will find himself and his family facing actual want. The almost universal demand for higher wages is occasioned by the fact that the city worker finds it impossible to make ends meet and bring his family up in decency and comfort with the present high cost of living. He realizes that, to a greater extent than ever before, he is not dependent on his own efforts, but is the plaything of forces he cannot control. In comparison with the farmer, the city worker is a slave.

So, too, the employer of labor, and the business and professional man in city and town, is harassed with countless worries. The large employer of labor would like to give work to all, and pay the wages demanded to meet the [illegible] increased cost of living, but [illegible] with an uncertain financial [illegible] doubtful of the means to [illegible] sell his products in such [illegible] the employ- [illegible] numbers of men and [illegible] he finds [illegible] Hedging. He, too, is [illegible] On the contrary, he [illegible] dependent on world [illegible] control, and also [illegible] on the [illegible] and loyal [illegible] of his employees.

The farmer, on the other hand, while confronted with increased costs of living and higher wages for farm help, has the assurance that there is a market for all he can produce. The world can get along for a time without manufactured goods of many classes, but mankind cannot get along without food for even a day. The farmer is not troubled with men demanding work that they may live; his worry is rather to get sufficient help to enable him to produce all that he would like to produce.

While no man can live unto himself alone, the farmer is more independent of his fellowmen than any other class. He is more dependent on his own efforts than others, and can regulate the operations of his business to suit his needs and circumstances better than can the city business man or city worker.

It would be foolish to attempt to minimize the difficulties with which the farmer has to contend, or to discount the problems he has to solve, but the fact remains that, admitting and recognizing these, he is still able to live a happier and more independent life than is the city toiler. He is to a far greater extent master of his own life and destinies.

And after all, to feel independent, to know that the measure of your success in life is largely in your own hands, that you are your own boss, is one of the supreme satisfactions in life. The boy or youth on the farm who sometimes feels that farm work is drudgery, that he is leading a narrow existence, and who is tempted by the lure of the city with its bright lights, its crowds, and surface gaiety, would do well to reflect that on the farm he is his own master, while in the city he would become someone's servant. On the farm he is a man; in the city he would be but one of the crowd. In the city the bright lights, the laughter, the passing amusements, are all on the surface, and beneath and back of them there is much loneliness and heartache and far more monotony and drudgery than on the farm. For every success in the city of which the world hears, there are one hundred failures of which no notice is taken.

Thousands of city toilers in office, store and factory would gladly relinquish those things which constitute the lure of the city if they had the opportunity, knowledge and strength to engage in agricultural pursuits. Youths on the farm who have such opportunity, knowledge and strength should hesitate long before abandoning their substantial substance for the shadows of city life.

"Black Watch" The Best Black Plug Chewing Tobacco on the Market

A concrete walk from the house to the barn will help the wife fully as much as it will the appearance of the yard.

Miller's Worm Powders are a pleasant medicine for worm-infested children, and they will take it without objection. When directions are followed it will not injure the most delicate child, as there is nothing of an injurious nature in its composition. They will speedily rid a child of worms and restore the health of the little sufferers whose vitality has become impaired by the attacks of these internal pests.

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Ask for Minard's and take no other.

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There's Great Satisfaction
in knowing the children's health and enjoyment are being provided for when you give them
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as their hot table drink

Authorities differ as to whether a poker room should be classed as an anteroom or a drawing room.

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It Is Rooted in the Blood and Must Be Treated Through the Blood

The pain of rheumatism is something that you cannot rub out. Every sufferer from rheumatism has been advised to rub this liniment or that on the affected part, but after all the rubbing the pain remained. Rubbing did not cure it and can't cure it.

Thin blood and rheumatism come together and if they are properly treated they will go together. Rheumatism is rooted in the blood, in poor, watery blood. Sometimes cold, damp weather starts the aches and pains, but it is the condition of the blood that is at fault, and only by correcting this, and making the blood rich and red can the rheumatic poison be driven out. This is exactly what is done in the treatment of rheumatism with Dr. Williams Pink Pills. Acute and muscular rheumatism show improvement as the thin blood is built up, and when the blood has been restored to its normal condition, the rheumatism is driven out and does not return as long as the blood is kept rich and red. There is no part of Canada in which some rheumatic sufferer has not been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and they do not hesitate to express their thanks for what this medicine has done for them. As an example, Miss Annie S. Dedrick, R.R. No. 2, St. Thomas, Ont., says:—"Dr. Williams Pink Pills cured me of rheumatism after a great many other remedies had failed. The pain in my arms and shoulders was so great that I could scarcely sleep. I could not raise my arms to comb my hair, and could not dress myself without help. In this condition I read of a cure of rheumatism through the use of Dr. Williams Pink Pills and decided to try them. I got half a dozen boxes and I am thankful to say they not only cured my rheumatism, but that my general health was greatly improved. My appetite was increased and I gained in weight. Since then a number of cases have come under my observation in which cures have been made by this splendid medicine. As for myself, I shall always speak a good word for Dr. Williams Pink Pills."

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Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation; Soothes and Heals. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

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Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Obedience

Pat, just returned from the trenches with his head swathed in bandages, was the centre of attraction. "How did you get wounded?" asked a proud admirer.

"Well," said Pat, "the dirty boche wuz raisin' Ned wit' our trenches when our brave captain shouts 'kape down, boys, and sthand Pat!' Oi obade." Judge.

Life insurance is a business man's protection; that's one reason why the farmer needs it.

Refugees are Starving

Igdir, Trans-Caucasia. — A systematic removal and the destruction of crops and food supplies carried out by the Turkish troops in the southern part of Russian Armenia, even after the signing of the armistice, has left the country in a state of famine. A large number of refugees who fled before the Turkish advance and took refuge in remote villages and mountains, are crowding fast in a starving condition into the larger villages and towns.

If people never changed their minds, humanity would still be in the stone age.

HOW'S THIS?
We offer $100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System.
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Arranging for Wool Crop

Co-operative Scheme of Marketing Will Again Be Undertaken

Sheep owners of Manitoba and Saskatchewan have already been notified by the governments of the respective provinces that the co-operative scheme of marketing will again be undertaken this year. For the past few years farmers in these two provinces have sent their wool to a government centre for grading and marketing. In Alberta the wool is handled by wool growers' associations, of which there are four or five in the province. The industry has grown enormously since a proper system of grading and marketing was introduced, and it is expected that there will again be a large increase in the number of growers participating, as well as in the quantity of wool handled in all three provinces.

The suitability of Western Canada for sheep is all that could be desired, and experienced sheep breeders say they know of no country where sheep are less liable to disease.

It is better to purchase 12 cents' worth of music daily from an organ grinder than to owe for a grand piano.

Useful in Camp. — Explorers, surveyors, prospectors and hunters will find Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil very useful in camp. When the feet and legs are wet and cold it is well to rub them freely with the Oil and the result will be the prevention of pains in the muscles, and should a cut, or contusion, or sprain be sustained, nothing could be better as a dressing or lotion.

Money in Eggs

Seventeen carloads of eggs were shipped from Regina, Saskatchewan, during the week ending May 8. Most of them went to Vancouver and other Western Coast points, but four carloads went to Montreal. The numerous shipments of eggs and butter that have been made from Regina, Saskatoon and other Saskatchewan points recently show that the farmers of the province can produce something else besides grain, and what is more, are beginning to do so. They are finding eggs rather profitable, receiving forty-four and forty-five cents a dozen at a time when eggs are plentiful.

The Real Proportion

The New York World says that sixty per cent. of the people of Alberta were born in the United States. The real proportion is 18.4 per cent., compared with 13.6 per cent. in Saskatchewan and 3.3 per cent. in Manitoba.

CUTICURA HEALS ECZEMA

All over baby's face. Came in water blisters and then formed a solid scale. Began to itch and burn so had to bandage his hands as he wanted to scratch. Face was badly disfigured. Trouble lasted 4 months. Began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Used one cake Soap and one box Ointment when he was healed.
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For every purpose of the toilet Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum are supreme.

For free sample each of Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. A, Boston, U. S. A." Sold everywhere.

Accident to British Airmen

Rome.—One of ten British airplanes which were flying from Marseilles to Egypt was wrecked when the machines landed at an airdrome near here. A lieutenant in the machine was killed, and four others injured, one of whom died later.

Stops Bronchitis Quickly Without Any Medicine

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You are nothing but a plain, simple boob to suffer a day longer from Bronchitis. It's real easy to cure — this has been proved time and again.

Relief comes at once when you breathe in the soothing vapor of Catarrhozone. Once its healing, piney essences strike the bronchial tubes, you realize that a powerful treatment is at work.

Irritation can't live in the throat of a person inhaling Catarrhozone. It is so soothing, so warming, so full of concentrated healing power that you get results at once.

Catarrhozone strengthens the weak throat, stops the cough, removes that hacking, irritating necessity to clear the throat, makes even the chronic sufferer realize that at last he has discovered a real cure. For coughs, colds, catarrh, and winter ills, nothing in the family could be better than the complete dollar outfit. Small size 50c; trial size 25c, all dealers, or The Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

History repeats itself. Lord Beaconsfield wrote in the spring of 1848 to France's Lady Londonberry: "In Germany Kings and Princes are turned off as we turn away servants, and worse, without a character, and nobody resists."—London Truth.

GIRLS! WHITEN YOUR SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Make a Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents to Remove Tan, Freckles, Sallowness

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.

The boy who "can't," grows into the man who is "canned."

A gloomy temper is often brightened up by a change of wallpaper.

We Now Recommend New Porcupine Imperial at 10c. per Share

Those that followed our advice and bought Porcupine Crown when it was selling around 15c and Vipond V.N.T. around 12c have made handsome profits.

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Wants Prompt Action For To Save Russia

Paris—A. F. Kerensky and members of the Parisian Union for the Regeneration of Russia have issued an appeal to the democracies of the world for prompt action, with a view to helping Russia out of her present chaotic condition. It proposes the organization of a mission composed of delegates from all the powers, and including representatives of organized labor, which will go to Russia and explain to the people and the different Russian governments the democratic aims they are pursuing.

The appeal says:

"It should be stated categorically that the different governments repudiate the idea of any intervention likely to infringe upon the sovereign rights of Russia.

German People Are Learning the Truth

Have Been Ignorant of Acts Committed by Armies

Paris.—The German peace delegation, through the German correspondents, seems to be trying to prepare their country for the acceptance of the treaty. A new tone is observable in the German press; for example the Liepziger Volkszeitung in explaining the enormous indemnity figure, says:

"It must be remembered that great tracts of French territory have been rendered useless for many years. The devastated regions are twice the size of Saxony. Moreover, Germany took considerable quantities of stocks and bonds from the occupied territories. In the export warehouses stocks of manufactured goods were taken to Germany, together with the cargoes from the ships at Antwerp and the different river boats. Finally, even the kitchens and bedrooms of the inhabitants in the occupied territories were entered. There is not a place where a German non-commissioned officer armed with a requisition slip has not presented himself. The confiscated merchandise was resold in other countries with enormous profit.

"Better still, systematic devastations were operated in the leading industries on a great scale. First the warehouses were emptied, then parts of the machinery were confiscated, and even the old iron were resold. Factories, looms, foundries, machine shops all fell into the hands of the devastation commission. It was thought thus to get rid of competition for many years or during the long period which France and Belgium would need to reconstitute their industries and restore the devastated lands. Germany hoped to be able immediately after the war to offer her products to the world."

The German people seem to have been kept in ignorance hitherto of the acts committed by the German armies. They are just beginning to learn the truth.

Italians Hold Back

Not Disposed to Agree With Terms Offered to Austria

Paris.—The Temps anticipates that the revision of the peace treaty which is to be offered the Austrian plenipotentiaries at St. Germain will be delayed for a few days. This will be due, the newspapers say, to the fact that the Italian government appears not disposed to sanction the new Austrian Jugo-Slovak frontier, so long as the question of the frontier between Italy and Jugo-Slavia remains undetermined.

Papal Secretary Pleads For Huns

Note Declares Peace Proposals Are Impossible

Rome. — Cardinal Gasparri, the papal secretary of state, had written in the name of the Pope an official note to Col. E. M. House, of the United States peace delegation, transmitting the arguments sent to the Pontiff by the German ships to demonstrate the absolute impossibility of their country fulfilling the peace conditions imposed by the allies.

In his note, Cardinal Gasparri explained that the Pope takes this step in favor of Germany as he would do for any country requesting his assistance, as he is only animated by humanitarian feelings. The cardinal adds that the Pope has done this the more willingly since he was also urged to undertake this initiative by a country belonging to the entente. He begs Col. House to submit the situation to President Wilson, hoping that the latter will use his power of the influence with the other delegates of the various powers with a view to securing a peace which will really be lasting.

Germans Resented Week Of Mourning

Order Decreed by Government Far From Being Effective

Paris.—The week of mourning in Germany decreed by the government because of the terms of the peace treaty appears to have met with little success. The German musicians in particular seem to be resentful over the order as a measure which prevented them from earning their daily bread, while the Taeglische Rundschau and the Berlin Tageblatt admit that the mourning was far from being completely effective. Reports are that nearly all the music-halls remained open, and that in some places the people danced all night. One bit of pungent comment comes from the Volksblatt of Halle, which says:

"It is not now, but on August 1, 1914, that general mourning ought to have been ordered in Germany."

Germans Must Share Economic Losses

Protest to Peace Terms Answered By Allied Governments

Paris.—A reply by the allied and associated governments to the German note protesting against the economic terms of the peace treaty as being calculated to cause the industrial ruin of Germany has been delivered to the German peace plenipotentiaries. The reply is under eleven heads, and answers each German contention. It declared that the allied and associated government, in framing the economic terms, "had no intention to destroy Germany's economic life."

On the contrary, the report points out that in the reconstruction of the world's affairs Germany will have her part in the progressive development, but also will share with the rest of the world in the economic losses and disadvantages inevitably resulting from the war.

The reply declares that the German note fails to take into consideration the fact that the disarmament of Germany and the end of militarism will relieve the German people of an immense burden of taxation, and return to the ranks of useful production millions of men formerly in the army who have been entirely withdrawn from industrial or agricultural activity.

The reply also makes an emphatic rejoinder to the German complaint that the loss of the German merchant marine will throw out of work thousands of German merchant seamen. The allies' answer is that the destruction of merchant ships, chiefly by German submarines, has had the unfortunate effect of limiting the opportunities for work of seamen throughout the world, the allied powers being the greatest sufferers. It adds that there clearly is no reason why Germany should be exempted from its share of the economic disadvantage growing out of this destruction of merchant ships.

The reply on the economic objections is regarded as one of the best documents in the exchange of notes.

Rumanians Protest Against Polish Advance

Poland Has Not Ceased Fighting in Accordance with Paderewski's Pledge

Paris. — The Ukranian armistice commission here has lodged a vigorous protest with the Peace Conference against the Polish advance in Galicia subsequent to the Paris agreement providing that hostilities be suspended. Premier Paderewski's inability to fulfill Poland's pledge to the entente, that the armistice would be respected, is causing much embarrassment to the allies. The supreme economic council discussed the advisability of continuing assistance to states asking for supplies, but fighting on regardless of pledges.

Representatives of Ukraine and Poland appeared before the Council of Four, but no decision on the situation was reached.

Minister Of Blockade Resigns

French Leader Considers Terms of Treaty Too Generous

Paris.—Baron Denys Cochin, former minister of blockade, has resigned from the right group in the chamber of deputies, after a meeting of the group, at which it was decided to send a note to Premier Clemenceau criticizing the peace treaty.

In a letter addressed to the Temps, Baron Denys Cochin considers that the treaty is too generous and unworthy of France and her allies. If it weighs heavily upon Germany, he said, it is because Germany's crimes "were big, and that her reparations will be costly—which is justice."

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Volunteer for Special Reserve

Melbourne. — Returned Australian soldiers have been exempted from compulsory service in the Australian army under the Defence of the Realm act. Many of them, however, are voluntarily joining the special reserve being organized in the Commonwealth.

Liquor Prohibition Is Upheld in Commons

OTTAWA.—The commons deliberated the methods of the government bill validating, with modifications, the orders-in-council passed under the War Measures act relating to prohibition in Canada. The discussion took place in committee and was for the most part based upon an amendment moved by Hume Cronyn, which would have permitted the manufacture in Ontario of beer of a greater alcoholic content than two and a half per cent. for export to other provinces where its sale is permitted.

Frank criticism of bone-dry prohibition came from Dr. Blake, member for North Winnipeg, who asserted that there has been too much control of the action of the people and that "prohibition was the straw which had broken the camel's back, and precipitated unrest in the country."

At the evening sitting, Hon. N. W. Rowell spoke at some length in support of the bill, declaring that no one piece of legislation had been received with so many expressions of approval.

He asked the committee to consider what the situation in Winnipeg would be today were the bars open. Dealing with the matter of permanency, Mr. Rowell said that the government was redeeming its pledge to the people by enacting the legislation for another year. During the next year some of the provinces would express their opinions with regard to prohibition, and this would have a bearing upon the situation.

After some further discussion, Mr. Cronyn's amendment was declared lost, and the bill was reported from committee. It stands for third reading.

Prince of Wales Coming to Canada

Will Open the New Parliament Buildings at Ottawa

Ottawa.—The Prince of Wales will visit Canada in August of this year, and will open the new parliament buildings at Ottawa. Sir Thomas White stated in the house that he had received a message from His Majesty the King, through the Governor-General, as follows:

"I am very glad to tell you that, with my entire approval, the Prince of Wales will visit Canada this year in August. He will open the new parliament buildings in Ottawa."

It is understood that the Prince of Wales will also open the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto the same month.

British Aviator Undaunted

Raynham Still Intends to Attempt a Non-Stop Atlantic Flight

St. John's, Nfld.—Frederick Raynham, the British aviator whose intention to attempt the ocean flight with Harry Hawker, believed to have been lost at sea, came to grief when his Martinsyde plane was wrecked while running to the "take off," announced that he was in the race again for the first non-stop ocean air cruise. Recovered sufficiently from injuries suffered when his plane collapsed, able to leave his bed, Raynham said that the machine could be rebuilt with spare parts at hand here, provided the motor was in working condition.

While the Handley-Page and Vimy mechanics are assembling their huge machines for the Atlantic "hop," the little Martinsyde will be removed to town for repairs.

Captain C. W. F. Morgan, Raynham's navigator, will not be his partner in the new trans-Atlantic flight he is planning. Morgan's physicians told him his flying days were over, and it might take him two or three months to recover from the injuries he suffered in the wreck of the Martinsyde. Raynham has not named a substitute for him.

Wireless enquiry in all parts of the north Atlantic has brought no news of Hawker. His plane has been neither seen nor heard from since it was seen by the signal hill lookout at the harbor mouth, disappearing over the ice strewn Arctic current to the east.

Delegates Say Terms Unacceptable

Copenhagen. — The conference of German political leaders and German peace delegates at Spa agreed that the peace terms were unacceptable, according to a dispatch to a German semi-official statement, and that Germany will leave no stone unturned in an attempt "to find a practicable basis of peace which takes into account our opponents' justifiable demands and those capable of being borne and carried out by the German people."

Russia at War With Rumania

Bolsheviki Troops Have Defeated the Rumanians and Occupy Two Towns

London.—Owing to Rumania's disregard of the ultimatum from the Russian Soviet government demanding an evacuation of Bessarabia, a state of war exists between Russia and Rumania according to a wireless dispatch from Moscow received here. Bolsheviki troops have crossed the Dniester river in the Tiraspol district, where they have defeated the Rumanians and occupied Tchegrutchi and Bender, the dispatch says. Bender is on the west side of the Dniester and 58 miles from Odessa. Near this town is the village of Varnitza, where Charles XII. took refuge after the battle of Poltava in 1709.

German Officers to Be Tried

London.—Frederick William Hohenzollern, the former German Crown Prince, will be liable to trial under the terms of the German peace treaty, it was declared by Mr. A. Bonar Law, the government leader in the house of commons. Mr. Bonar Law said that the commandants of prison camps would also be liable under the treaty's terms.

Germans Are Given A Time Extension

New York.—The Associated Press issues the following:

"A period of seven days of grace has been extended to Germany by the representatives of the entente and associated governments, in which the German peace plenipotentiaries may conclude their study of the peace treaty and formulate such replies to the various clauses as they desire.

The extension of time, which originally was to have expired at noon, Thursday, was granted at the request of the Germans, who advanced the plea that more time was required in order that they might formulate arguments of such importance and length that, were the original date adhered to, it would be impossible to complete them; thus the time has been set forward to Thursday, May 29.

Efforts made in Germany to ascertain even the gist of the contents of the proposed reply of Germany have been without reward. A report has it, however, that lengthy notes dealing with Alsace-Lorraine, the east German frontier, the territory occupied by the allied forces and the amount of the indemnity and the method of its payment are to be dealt with.

Almost simultaneously with the request by the peace plenipotentiaries for more time comes from Berlin a statement of the German cabinet that Germany is unwilling to sign the peace treaty. The document is a reiteration, although in stronger words, of the views of the foremost statesmen in Germany, that the signing of the compact would spell the ruin of the former empire.

The old ground that signing the document as it stands would involve the economic destruction, political dishonor and moral degradation of the country is adhered to.

President Wilson's fourteen points for peace are demanded by the statesmen as the basis of the peace desired, it being asserted that Germany accepted the terms and laid down her arms, believing that they would be carried out

Turkey Presents Complications

Paris.—The Turkish problem has become most acute in the peace conference. Various delegations are striving to find some solution for the dismemberment of the empire which will not provoke a religious war.

The United States is being looked to by the other powers as the only nation which can become mandatory for Constantinople without the danger of precipitating another European war, but the United States delegates to the peace conference express doubt of the willingness of the United States to accept the mandate especially under the conditions which the powers have outlined.

With the Sultan expelled from Constantinople, the United States delegates expressed the belief that it might be possible for the United States public to become reconciled to the mandate. However, the Indian delegation, which has appeared before the Council of Four to plead for special consideration for the feelings of the Mohammedan world, as well as other Mohammedans who have made statements, assert that the sultan must not be forced out of Constantinople, declaring that such action would greatly affect his standing in the church.

Consequently Great Britain is seeking to have the sultan remain in Constantinople as head of the Moslem faith, but with purely spiritual powers.

[illegible] transferring the sultan to a strip of territory somewhere in Asia Minor, that he remain in Constantinople, but be allowed to exercise a degree of temporal power over some territory in Asia minor, to be selected, thus preserving the form of the Ottoman empire

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Demand for Improved Lands

Next to the weather—with its favorable or adverse effect on the growing crop—chief interest, locally, centres in the deal now pending over the purchase of Valley lands by the Land Settlement Board. So far as THE REVIEW can learn opinion is unanimous that buy is a good one—both from the standpoint of utilizing part of it for soldier settlers as well as retaining the balance for board development and sale to civilian buyers.

As to what the settlement board intends to do with the tracts that will be made available to the soldiers their policy is very clear, and there is no denying that the plans evolved in this respect are both sound and generous. As regards the 40-acre tracts that the board proposes to retain in its possession for the time being it is earnestly hoped that a a similar comprehensive development policy will at an early date become effective. In other words THE REVIEW trusts that the board is planning, if need be, to proceed with the development of the untaken areas to at least a similar state as to productive capacity, if not to a more advanced degree.

This year, particularly, with its greately increased influx of land buyers, the demand is solely for at least parially improved places; properties where a man go on the land and produce something the first year. The call for this class of property is not due to the fact entirely that the buyer is limited as to capital, but rather to the fact that he does not care to tackle land clearing with its arduous labor and uncertaintity as to ultimate cost of such effort. Invariably he has the money wherewith to buy an improved place, and the fact that there are none available here at the price he is willing to pay has sent more than a score of would-be land owners to points further west.

The Land Settlement Board is vested with wide powers both in acquiring and developing lands and it is hoped that when the transaction is closed and the area taken over that very serious attention will be given to the clearing up and making ready for cultivation as much of the tract as the board,s financial recources will permit.

We take it the board's policy is to get men on their lands at the earliest possible moment and thus start to get some return on the capital invested. To accomplish this the partly-improved place is a desideratum, and in view of the many advantages the Valley has to offer this is the ideal location to try out such a venture. A government guaranteed farm, as it were—in a section that has already demonstrated its capabilities should prove irresitible to the present-day buyer, and more especially to those who have had experiences with some professional land dealers in B.C. and elsewhere.

A Favorable Factor

In discussing Land Settlement Board matters with some assurance we hope none of our readers [illegible] way or the other in the premises. The deal is not finally closed, nor is it likely to be for a few days yet, due to the fact that the minister of agriculture is at present absent from Victoria, and is not expected [illegible] week, and final decision in the transaction rests with him.

However, some straws which THE REVIEW takes to indicate the direction the wind is blowing, are furnished in a statement which Mr. Nelems, chairman of the board, gave out at Victoria on Thursday last, as reported in the Daily Colonist. One very pertinent paragraph in the Colonist's story reads to this effect:

"The chairman of the Land Settlement Board visited Golden, whence he drove to Creston, Nelson and other points, in company with Director Ward, in charge of that particular section. At Creston he inspected a 10,000-acre area, which the board probably will recummend be acquired as a land settlement area. It consists of most excellent land and is favorably situated."

An advance statement of that nature can bear only one interpretation, and that is that the board strongly favors purchasing here, and under existing economic conditions we think there is little to fear as to the purchase not being made, particularly when one recalls the favorable impression Hon E. D. Barrow, minister of agriculture, gathered of the Valley during his brief visit here last August.

In connection with the buying of this 8000 acres readers should not overlook the fact that the government at Victoria very shortly comes into possession of several hundred acres of crown lands of excellent quality that are now held under timber license. With the purchase area settled and well developed it becomes at once apparent that these lands of their own now known as timber limits will considerably advance in value due to their proximity to a prosperous, thriving and proven district.

Any few dollars the board may pay the Canyon City Lumber Co. in excess of the board's original valuation will be returned to the board's offers may fold when it comes to place aformentioned crown lands on the market. And it might not be amiss to observe that due to the fact that these at-present timber license areas adjoin a well developed community they will sell readily to resident landowners, who about that time will be ready to increase their holdings.

Rayally Received

If there is any merit to the old saying that "first impressions are the most lasting" certainly President Beatty, who was the guest of the Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern B.C. at a banquet at Nelson on Saturday night, should not in the immediate future have reason to forget West Kootenay in particular.

Gathered around the festive board with the new head of the C.P.R. was a galaxy of representative citizens entitled to rank as leaders in many of the industries of this part of B.C. While the gathering was primarily to do honor to ont whom the great corporation has delighted to honor with one of the most important positions attainable in Canada, there was a considerable frank and open discussion of public matters as they touch this part of the province by the speakers and in his response Mr. Beatty was equally frank in discussing such C.P.R. matters as seemed relevant on this occasion.

That Mr Beatty is seized of the fact that the interior of the province has transportation problems that [illegible] was apparent in his remarks, and that these would receive a full measure of business like attention in their just proportion to the needs of other parts of the country was equally manifest. As he ap[illegible] our prosperity, and we are in the business for dividends."

In adittion to showing capacity for the position he occupies Mr. Beatty has also a pleasing personality, and has the happy faculty of readily adapting himself to impress favorably all with whom he may be thrown in contact. The banquet was graced with a representative attendance from all points from Cranbrook to Revelstoke, and certainly in every detail merited such a splendid turnout.

Fred Starkey was the presiding genius, and thoroughly sustained his reputation for handling an affair of this kind, There wasn't a hitch anywhere, and as toastmaster Mr. Starkey excelled. In calling up the various toasts he had the happy knack of saying the right thing right, and briefly. Commendation is also due the Hume Hotel where the banquet was spread. The menu included all the seasonable delicacies, the service was excellent, and certainly the commodious dining room looked its handsomest. It was a great occasion for the Kootenay country, and certainly Nelson and her citizens rose to the occasion in magnificent fashion.

Needs Consideration

If we are not too late THE REVIEW would like to call the attention of the Great War Veterans to the advisability of their postponing their prospective celebration from Dominion Day until some date a little later on in July, or possibly in August.

While from various standpoints July 1st has much to recommend it as a day to celebrate, sight must not be lost of the fact that it has a particularly inopportune feature in that it comes in the midst of the very busy strawberry picking season.

For the whites possibly the taking of the day off would not be attended with any serious effects to the berry crop, but with the Si. washes the matter is entirely different. Their concern for the best interests of the berry grower is a decidedly minus quantity, and to take in the doings of this sort would necessitate their losing at least three days—one to get ready, one for the day itself, and the third to recover from the after effects.

Seeing, too, that the holiday falls on a Tuesday, and the reds are inclined to take Sunday seriously even in a berry season, it is just possible that the Dominion Day doings might tempt them to make it a four-day layoff in order to do their devotions, or whatever they need the Sabbath for.

Besides averting some disaster to strawberry harvesting, the withholding of the affair has other advantages. A date early in August will find more money in circulation especially amongst the younger generation, as well as finding the citizens generally in a better humor to make the day the all-round success the veterans deserve.

With the prospect of strawberries this year fetching the highest prices in the history of the berry industry the the loss of even a few hundred crates will be a matter of a thousand or more dollars of lost revenue, as from present appearances this fruit will be bringing top price the latter part of June.

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Creston Women's Institute library now boasts 140 volumes available to library patrons. Within the past week eight more books have been donated—five of them coming from Nanton, Alta., from Mrs. Guy Browell and Mrs. T. Hickey—while the other three are from local members of the W.I. Here are the books:

The First Violin.
The Pathway.
Pickwick Papers.
That Lass o' Lowrie's.
The Two Miss Jeffreys.
The Inside of the Cup.
Eight Cousins.
Lane that Hath No Turning.

The librarian suggests that members paste this list onto the several others that have appeared, which will bring the catalogue of books up to date.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

It will cost Cranbrook $2700 for street lighting this year.

Teddy Clauson is building a three-story hotel and boarding house at Yahk.

After being idle for two years the shingle mill at Nakusp is again in operation.

Grand Forks will only pay corporation laborers $3.50 for an eight hour day this year.

Nelson firemen had but one blaze to attend to in April, at which $5 damage was done.

At Rossland the Great Northern Railway has cut down its staff at the station to one man.

Nelson lodge Knights of Columbus took in 35 members at a special initiatory session one last week.

At Porthill during the hot spell last week the Kootenay River rose as much as 5½ feet in 30 hours.

The smelter at Trail is now treating ores from its own mines to the extent of 90 per cent. of its output.

Penticton council is seriously considering spending $75,000 in improving the city's electric light plant.

W. H. Howard, who trapped at Trout Lake all winter, is reported to have taken furs to the value of $600.

At Kaslo corporation laborers will draw $4 a day again this year. Some of the aldermen favored a cut to $3.50 same as government road workers get.

In future Cranbrook merchants will take the full Wednesday half-holiday regardless of how many statutory or civic holidays may come in the same week.

Mirror Lake claims the outlook for a fruit crop this year is just as favorable as in 1918. Winter apples, more especially Spies, are inclined to be a little light.

At the May revision of the provincial voters list for the Kaslo riding eight names were added, and the names of a number of deceased voters struck off.

Normal School at Nelson

Hope springs eternal in the human breast, with no quenching of the brand of it that obtains in Nelson in certain directions. One of these has to do with the establishment of a brand new provincial Normal School in that city, which effort has again been revived, the good offices of the Women's Institue being enlisted to help get somewhere with the matter. The following letter has just been received by the Creston W. I.

Nelson, B. C., May 20.

Dear Madam,

There is some talk of organizing a Normal School at Nelson. Will you send in the names of any pupils in your neighborhood who are unable to attend Normal at the coast but would guarantee to attend at Nelson if school were established. We feel it is time the interior of British Columbia should be recognized as an important part of the province, and not as a feeder for the coast cities. Please let me have your answer as soon as possible.

Yours truly,
M. MacKenzie,
Secy. N.D.W.I.

Members of the Creston Institute as well as all parents interested are asked to give the letter their best attention and advise Mrs. St. Jean, the Institute secretary direct, or report on the matter at the next Institute meeting the second Friday in June.

Investing for Children

If heads of families drawing interest from Victory Bonds do not consider the amount large enough to invest on their own account, they might well put it into War Savings Stamps for their children.

The holder of a $100 Victory Bond receives $5.50 a year, which, if put into War Savings Stamps for a child, would mean a saving of 10c. a week on which an amount equal to about 5% simple interest is paid.

A $200 Victory Bond annually bears $11 interest, which put into War Savings Stamps would mean the saving of a little over 20c. a week, drawing about 5% simple interest.

A $500 Bond pays $27.50 a year in interest, which, invested in War Savings Stamps, would mean the saving of 51c. a week, or 7½c. a day, for every day in the year, and constitutes a very considerable sum.

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Lookout Contents Wrecked

Hunters, who in the past have been able to avail themselves of the accommodation of the fire guard's cabin on Lookout Mountain, will in future be denied that much-appreciated hospitality. On Tuesday, when fire warden Jim Long went up the hill to get the cabin in shape for the 1919 season he found the contents so badly wrecked and ruined that precautions in the way of locking the place up will have to be taken to prevent a recurrence of these depredations. He found the camp stove shot full of holes and the cooking utensils similarly destroyed. Nearly every window in the house broken or shot full of holes; and, worst of all, a telephone instrument which was only installed last season was completely wrecked, even to taking the botteries out of it to use for target practice. Such deliberate destruction of valuable property is, doubtless, the work of irresponsible youths but will certainly be guarded against in future.

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SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENT

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions, with joint residence, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and make improvements to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown Grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued provided applicant makes improvements to extent of $300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained on these claims in less than 5 years, with improvements of $10 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes, areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company.

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

TOWNSITE PROPERTY ALLOTMENT ACT.

Provision is made for the grant to persons holding uncompleted Agreements to Purchase from the Crown of such proportion of the land, if divisible, as the payments already made will cover in proportion to the sale price of the whole parcel. Two or more persons holding such Agreements may group their interests and apply for a proportionate allotment jointly. If it is not considered advisable to divide the land covered by an application for a proportionate allotment, an allotment of land of equal value selected from available Crown lands in the locality may be made. These allotments are conditional upon payment of all taxes due the Crown or to any municipality. The rights of persons to whom the purchaser from the Crown has agreed to sell are also protected. The decision of the Minister of Lands in respect to the adjustment of a proportionate allotment is final. The time for making application for these allotments is limited to the 1st day of May, 1919. Any application made after this date will not be considered. These allotments apply to town lots and lands of the Crown sold at public auction.

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Filling His Own Shoes

— BY —

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But this panic of hers was of short duration, and Ruggles came on her a moment later standing beside the bicycle and looking back fearsomely.

"Are they coming?" she asked breathlessly.

"I don't believe so," he answered. "I guess the ducking cooled 'em off. We'd better keep on, though."

"Do you think they could have drowned?" she asked. "The river was deep right under the bank."

"Oh, they're all right," he answered. "I looked over and saw them hanging on to the bushes. One of them started to climb up, and I swiped him over the head with the easel. I am sorry, but your picture fell into the river."

"Never mind the picture. Let's hurry on. I say, it was plucky of you! Such horrid beasts!" She gave a little shiver. "I fancy it would have been all up with me if you hadn't come along just then."

"Oh, they may have been just trying to bluff you into giving up your purse," said Ruggles, though he had his doubts on this score.

He took the bicycle by the handlebars, and they started to walk on rapidly, with occasional backward glances. The girl had recovered herself, and, though still rather pale, was entirely self-possessed.

She told Ruggles that while she had been making a study of the river the two tramps had come along the towpath and, after pausing for a few moments and making some flattering remarks about the sketch, had informed her that they were making their way back to Paris from Epernay, where they had gone hoping to find work. But there had been no work to be had and they were penniless and hungry and in need of shoes. She had given them a franc apiece, saying that that was all she could spare, but unfortunately they had caught sight of the money in her purse and it had aroused their cupidity. When Ruggles had arrived on the scene, one of the tramps had been saying to the other that you could easily throw the river and drown, just at that point, and nobody be the wiser.

"I was horribly frightened," she concluded, "and if you hadn't come at that moment I meant to jump into the river and try to swim across."

As she talked, Ruggles observed her with unobtrusive admiration, and he thought that he had never met a more charming girl. She was of little less than his own height, which was five feet nine, straight, lithe, gracefully [illegible] head, dark chestnut hair, with delicate features, and slaty-gray eyes fringed by a double row of long, dark lashes. Everything about her pleased him exceedingly.

Finding that they were not pursued, they slackened their pace.

"Are you doing a bicycle tour?" asked the girl, glancing at the waterproof bundle on the handlebars.

"No. Just a little spin for the day. I'm in business in Paris. Been there for the last three years. My name is Ruggles."

"Mine is Darthea Westbrooke," she answered, and Ruggles thought the name precisely fitted her. "I live in Paris, too, with my aunt, Miss Challand. We're stopping for a few days at this little village on ahead. I'm studying art, and I wanted to make some sketches of the river. We come out here quite often in the summer. Here's aunty, now."

Ruggles had already seen approaching them a woman with a tall and rather angular figure, who walked with a swinging, masculine stride, the speed of which increased as she discovered her niece strolling along in company with an entirely strange young man. She bore down upon the couple like an osprey on a brace of young and downy ducks, and Ruggles observed that her features were high and, at that particular moment, severe.

"Suppose you thought I was never coming, my dear," said Miss Challand, and stared questioningly at Ruggles. As a rule, of which that particular morning was the rare exception, Miss Challand took good care of her pretty niece, to which more than one admiring stranger could bear witness.

"This is Mr. Ruggles, aunty," said Darthea; and added to Ruggles, "My aunt, Miss Challand."

Miss Challand returned Ruggles's best professional bow with a brief nod, and the austerity of her face did not soften. Darthea quickly smoothed the situation. In a few brief words she described what had just occurred, and, having the artistic temperament, she may possibly have exaggerated the heroism of her rescue, quite omitting the precipitate retreat of the rescuer. Ruggles, listening modestly, was impressed by the fact that perhaps he was more of a hero than he had realized. Whether true or not, it was certainly gratifying to hear Darthea's glowing version of the affair, while the gradual softening that overspread Miss Challand's austere features was if anything even more flattering. Then, much to his surprise, he discovered that the aquamarine eyes of the spinster were filling with tears, and that her sallow skin held a warm flush. At the conclusion of the brief narrative, she took a stride forward and gave him a grip of the hand that might have made him wince, had he been of the wincing sort.

"Good for you!" said Miss Challand huskily. "Mercy, what an escape! All my fault for letting the child go off alone. We ought to inform the gendarmes immediately."

"Oh, I don't think I'd do that if I were you," said Ruggles. "They'd haul 'em up before the juge de la paix, and we'd have to hang around and give evidence, and then they'd let 'em off with a warning. I guess they've had their lesson."

"Well, perhaps you're right," admitted Miss Challand; then glanced at a small cheap watch on her bony wrist. "It's nearly twelve. Can't you come and have dejeuner with us, Mr. Ruggles? We're stopping at the little hotel on the river, and there's usually a friture de la Marne and an omelette and a salad and cold meats and things."

"Thank you, I should enjoy it very much," said Ruggles.

CHAPTER II.

The Paris branch of the great Walkeasy Shoe Company of America was, like all of the company's retail stores, a splendidly stocked and handsomely furnished establishment which did a steady and profitable business and was the despair of the local trade. It was situated on a prominent boulevard in the heart of the city, and there was seldom a space of five minutes in the day when its handsome plate-glass doors were not swinging open to welcome the coming or to speed the parting customer.

The Walkeasy Company was naturally very proud of its handsome retail store, and the managers of these stores were in turn proud of their various equipments and the high-class [illegible] of their personnel. In the Paris branch there were seven salesmen in the gentlemen's department and four saleswomen upstairs in the ladies'. Of the male clerks, two were Americans, two French, one English, one German, and one Spaniard. Of the Americans, one was Ruggles. They were trim, well-dressed, efficient young men, and all on excellent terms with one another, though frequently of but slight esteem in the eyes of the manager, who was a fat and fussy Frenchman with an undue sense of his own importance and a tongue which could be bitingly insulting to those over whom he held the power of bread and cheese. In the whole establishment there was but one employee whom he did not dislike and who did not return the sentiment with an interest which compounded with almost every passing day. From a business standpoint, however, he was a good manager and kept the store up to the highest of commercial levels.

The middle of the forenoon following his adventure on the Marne found Ruggles in the shop trying on a pair of shoes. He was not trying them on his own trim feet, but upon those of a listless young American tourist who was leaning back in the chair with a cigarette hanging from his lips, his hat on the back of his head, and a bored, petulant look in his watery eyes.

Down on his knees before this peevish youth, who was of about his own age, knelt Ruggles, shoehorn in hand and the vortex of a veritable maelstrom of shoes. His face was rather red, for his customer's listless remarks had been in no way flattering to ready-made shoes in general and to those of the Walkeasy Company in particular, while Ruggles's patient and respectful efforts to fit a well-shaped shoe to a badly shaped foot had met with no return courtesy nor appreciation.

"Go easy, there," snarled the customer as Ruggles eased his foot as gently as possible into a buttoned box-calf; "I got a hammer-toe with a tender callus on it. Hang it, your beastly shoes are all too low across the foot—"

"I can ease that for you over the sore spot," said Ruggles.

"Ease it be damned," replied the customer peevishly. "Haven't you got anything higher across the foot?"

"I'm afraid not, sir, in that shape," said Ruggles, who had been at his task for nearly half an hour and had tried every available shape and form in the required size; "but I'm quite sure that I can make this one comfortable."

"Oh, never mind," snapped the young man; "I'll try somewhere else. You bet my shoemaker'll hear from me when I get back to New York. Just put that old shoe on again, will you?"

Ruggles did so in silence, and the pampered youth got up and limped out in sulky silence and without a word of thanks or regret. He belonged to that class of people, not so uncommon, who take courtesy on the part of a clerk for an obsequiousness to be met with rudeness, and who are accountable for the lack of this former quality which is unfortunately becoming so prevalent in many shops.

Ruggles gathered up the loose shoes and proceeded to put them away in silence. Such an experience as this was unusual for him. Thanks to his pleasing manner and its utter freedom from that subtle hectoring peculiar to some salesmen and so irritating to certain people, once addressed he very seldom failed to effect a sale. Regular clients once served by him usually preferred thereafter to wait until he might be free rather than to have their needs attended to by one of the other clerks, all of which counted in Ruggles's favor on the sales slips. He prided himself on being a good retail salesman of the best shoes on the market, and it was a matter of gratification to him that his tact and delicacy were of such quality that the most modest of lady clients never objected to his fitting their delicate ankles even with high gaiters, if they were in a hurry and the saleswomen were all busy.

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Canadian Battalions Receive Colors

London, England.—The Prince of Wales presented the King's and regimental colors to the 25th, 27th, 28th, and 26th Canadian battalions at their camp.

SAT UP IN BED TO GET HER BREATH

Palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, inability to lie on the left side, feelings as if smothering, oppressed feeling in the chest, dizzy and faint spells, tired, weak, worn out feeling, involuntary twitching of the muscles, sleeplessness, restless, etc., all point to the fact that either the heart or nerves, or both, are not what they should be. Any of these conditions should be remedied immediately so as to avoid a complete breakdown of the whole system.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will bring energy to the weakened constitution, strengthen and regulate the heart, and tone up the tired, overstrained nerves.

Mrs. William Steeves, Chemical Road, N.B., writes:—"I have been a great sufferer from nerve troubles and palpitation of the heart, which was so bad I had to sit straight up in bed to get my breath. I could not lie on my left side at all. I tried doctor after doctor, also several different remedies, but got no help from them. My mother insisted on me trying Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. By the time I had used one box, I was feeling very much better. I took in all three boxes, and now I am in perfect health and can enjoy a good sound sleep, and can lie on my left side without any trouble."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Industrial Activity in Manitoba

Several large manufacturing concerns have been incorporated in Manitoba during the past week. A mining company with a capital stock of $2,500,000 and a pulp mill capitalized at $200,000, along with many other large plants will begin operations in the province this summer.

Farmers Buying More Land

The Winnipeg Telegram reports a keen demand for more land among the farmers of Manitoba. "Now that the labor situation is less acute," says this paper," they are purchasing more land in order to grow as much grain as possible while the prices are at the present high level.

This demand for land has increased its value. Farm lands are now selling at 25 per cent. higher than at this period last year.

In all of one's hurry, save time to plan what to do next.

Why isn't a fireman a hose supporter?

Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freezone applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freezone, which costs very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

This drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip this out and pin on your wife's dresser.

An intoxicated man may not be the centre of the universe, yet he imagines that everything revolves around him.

CROWN BRAND CORN SYRUP

The Syrup for Pancakes

A golden stream of Crown Brand Corn Syrup is the most delicious touch you can give to Pancakes!

In the Kitchen, there is a constant call for Crown Brand Corn Syrup for making puddings, candies, cakes, etc.

Sad the day when you are too big to enjoy a slice of bread spread thick with Crown Brand!

Could that day ever come?

Ward it off! Grace your table daily with a generous jug of Crown Brand Corn Syrup, ready for the dozen desserts and dishes it will truly "crown".

Sold by Grocers everywhere—in 2, 5, 10, and 20 pound tins.

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Rantzau is Cheerful

Returned to Versailles With Financial Experts

New York.—The Associated Press issues the following:

Not alone has Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, the chief German peace plenipotentiary, returned to Versailles from Spa, where he went for a conference, but he brought back with him Herr Landsberg and Herr Giesberts, two of the main members of the German delegation who had been in Berlin going over the situation with the authorities, and also a large retinue of naval, military and financial experts.

Thus, the indications are that the Germans intend to continue their efforts to come into agreement with the allied and associated representatives on peace terms, that will be satisfactory to the German government and people.

Pills for Nervous Troubles. — The stomach is the centre of the nervous system, and when the stomach suspends healthy action the result is manifest in disturbances of the nerves. If allowed to persist, nervous debility, a dangerous ailment, may ensue. The first consideration is to restore the stomach to proper action, and there is no readier remedy for this than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Thousands can attest the virtue of these pills in curing nervous disorders.

Clocks Call the Time

Clocks without hands or faces are now common in Switzerland. The timepiece stands in the hall, and, when a button is pressed by means of phonographic arrangements it calls out "Half-past five" or "Five minutes to nine," as the case may be.

CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS BEAR THIS GOVERNMENT LEGEND

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Turks Fight Greeks

Constantinople.—In the fighting which took place after the landing of Greek troops at Smyrna, 300 Turks and 100 Greeks were killed.

The fighting took place for the most part in the Turkish quarter of the town, where the Greeks were met by heavy rifle fire.

Paris.—A political crisis has arisen in Constantinople since the debarkation of Greek and allied forces at Smyrna, the Journal says. The Turkish Grand Vizier or prime minister is said to have resigned.

By Keeping the Liver Right

The Health of the Vital Organs Is Maintained and Serious Disease Is Avoided

Brandon, Man. — The secret of health in the home is found in keeping the liver, kidneys and bowels in healthful working order. The liver is usually first to get out of order, and there come headache, indigestion, dizzy spells and biliousness to make life miserable.

Mrs. Cook tells how they have learned to avoid such derangements by the timely use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. As she says in her letter, they could scarcely keep house without them.

Mrs. G. L. Cook, 248 10th street, Brandon, Man., writes: "I have been using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills for the last four years for liver trouble, and can say I have had great satisfaction and help from using them. I find I don't need any doctor if I use them. I just think they are the thing for me, and my husband uses them for his kidneys and thinks them a great help. He also uses Dr. Chase's Ointment and finds no equal to it for piles. I just sent last week and got four boxes of Pills and one box of Ointment. My daughter in Winnipeg has used the Pills and found they helped her a great deal. We say we can't keep house without them and that I have cheated the doctors here out of a good many visits they had here before I began using your Pills, and I can truthfully say I think Dr. Chase's Medicines are just the thing."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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The Whole Story

She: So your glee club has formed a baseball team. What are you?

He: I sing first tenor and play second base.—Boston Transcript.

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Keep Canadian money in Canada for Canadians. Buy W.S.S. with your Victory Bond interest coupons.

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LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

Can't Do It

Redd: "The doctor said he'd have me on my feet in a fortnight."

Greene: "And did he?"

"Sure. I've had to sell my automobile."—Yonkers Statesman.

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When your razor is dull as a hoe, ask your wife if she wasn't paring her corns. Get her Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's the only painless and safe cure. All dealers sell "Putnam's" at 25c per bottle.

Too Deep for Him

An Irish sailor, after pulling in fifty fathoms of line, muttered to himself: "Sure, it's as long as today and tomorrow! It's a good week's work for five men. More of it yit? The say's mighty deep, to be sure." Then he suddenly stopped short, and, looking up to the officer on watch, he exclaimed: "Bad luck to me, sorr if I don't belave somebody's cut off the other end of this line!"

It is a wise contrivance of nature that prevents a man's slumbers from being disturbed by his own snores.

CURE COWS' CAKED BAGS

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Douglas & Company, Napanee, Ont.

Bank Clearings Increasing

Indicate Healthy Business Conditions In Prairie Provinces

In the bank clearing returns for April of Western Canada cities are signs of greater business activity, which will no doubt be more accentuated during the next few months. Compared with April last year, the increase at Calgary was over half a million dollars—$6,594,744, as against $6,081,990 a year ago.

At Edmonton, Alberta, there was a jump from $14,761,201 to $16,826,237, a gain of more than two million dollars. Such increases are typical of the returns at the other cities throughout the three provinces, and not being confined to one or two places, are indicative of the healthy business conditions generally prevailing.

It is a wise man that does not repeat his own wisdom.

If a man is right he doesn't have to get mad about it.

No Case is Too Old, None Too Severe

Mrs. Riches Proves Once Again That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure

She Suffered for Seventeen Years from Kidney Trouble and Now a Well Woman Says, "Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Me."

St. Denis, Riviere, Richelieu, Quebec, May 26th.—(Special.)—One of the most remarkable cures in the long record made by Dodd's Kidney Pills is that of Mde. Alf. Riches, well known and highly respected here. For seventeen years Mrs. Riches was a sufferer from kidney disease in its worst forms. Today she is a well woman. And she says with an earnestness born of conviction, "Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me."

"I suffered for seventeen long years," Mrs. Riches goes on to say. "From backache, headache and sleeplessness my troubles grew to rheumatism and diabetes. I tried the doctor and other medicines, but I got no lasting good till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took 12 boxes of them in all. They cured me."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely and simply a kidney remedy. But no case of kidney trouble is too severe or of too long standing to resist them. If you haven't used Dodd's Kidney Pills, ask your neighbors about them.

Every bank teller in Canada will give you W.S.S. for your Victory Bond interest coupons. Re-invest them.

Recognized as the leading specific for the destruction of worms, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has proved a boon to suffering children everywhere. It seldom fails.

New Taxes in Jamaica

Kingston, Jamaica.—To meet a deficit of $700,000, the legislative council has imposed a tax of 25 cents on each parcel unloaded here from steamers. Commercial travellers will also be subject to a tax.

Had ship's anchor fall on my knee and leg, and knee swelled up and for six days I could not move it or get help. I then started to use MINARD'S LINIMENT and two bottles cured me.

PROSPER FERGUSON.

A diplomat is a man who can successfully make a business engagement that takes him out of town for house-cleaning week, and at the same time keeps on speaking terms with his wife.

CHILDREN NEED HELP

Spanking doesn't cure bed wetting—the trouble is due to weakness of the internal organs. My successful home treatment will be found helpful. Send no money, but write me today. My treatment is equally successful for adults, troubled with urinary difficulties.

MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 42 Windsor, Ont.

Terms Not Harsh

London, England.—On his arrival in London from America, Earl Reading stated, in the course of an interview, that he did not consider the peace terms unnecessarily harsh. Regarding the German contention that the treaty went beyond the 14 points of President Wilson, Earl Reading said: "President Wilson's acceptance of the treaty provided the best answer, for, being the author of them, he was the best interpreter."

WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she would not be without them. The Tablets are a perfect home remedy. They regulate the bowels and stomach; drive out constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fever and make baby healthy and happy. Concerning them, Mrs. Noble A. Pye, Ecum Secum, N.S., writes:—"I have found Baby's Own Tablets of great benefit for my children, and I would not be without them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Taking a walk on an empty stomach is said to cure indigestion — but you should be careful whose stomach you walk on.

Asthma Can Be Cured.—Its suffering is as needless as it is terrible to endure. After its many years of relief of the most stubborn cures no sufferer can doubt the perfect effectiveness of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Comfort of body and peace of mind return with its use and nights of sound sleep come back for good. Ask your druggist; he can supply you.

Boy Breeders of Baby Beef

Young Farmers Greatly Encouraged By Prices Received

Encouragement in a tangible form to the young raisers of baby beef in Manitoba was given at Brandon recently, when about 60 calves which had been cared for by boys of the province were sold in record time at prices ranging from twenty to forty-one cents a pound. Buyers from the leading packing houses are said to have smothered the auction ring with bids. The prices the boys received are a great encouragement to this rising generation of farmers, though many found it hard to part with their pets. But their work will have an important bearing on the livestock industry of the future, and their reward should encourage them to come back stronger every year.

Only the uninformed endure the agony of corns. The knowing ones apply Holloway's Corn Cure and get relief.

Big Enterprise To be Launched

For Further Development of British Columbia Lumber Industry

What is undoubtedly one of the most gigantic lumber enterprises ever conceived, and a scheme which is fraught with tremendous possibilities in the development of the British Columbia lumber industry is about to be launched by a strong syndicate, says a dispatch from Victoria. This syndicate is said to be headed by a well-known New York financier, and its operations will be conducted on a colossal and world-wide scale.

The dispatch goes on to say that the syndicate by British interests to deliver 30,000,000 feet of lumber, which, in the event of a satisfactory agreement being reached on purchase price with the saw mills and lumber manufacturers, will be supplied by British Columbia mills; and in addition to this huge contract, further contracts are pending from European interests for an unlimited quantity of lumber that will run into billions of feet and will keep the mills of the province operating day and night at full capacity.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

Set a Record

Two friends met in the Strand the morning after an airplane raid.

"Any damage done your way?" the first asked.

"Damage? Rather!" answered the other. "Father and mother were blown clean out of the window. The neighbors say it's the first time they've been seen to leave the house together in seventeen years."

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Local and Personal

FRESH COW FOR SALE—Price $125. C. Blair, Erickson.

Miss Kane was a week-end visitor at her home in Kaslo, returning on Monday.

Miss Audrey Farrell was a week-end visitor with friends at Cranbrook, returning on Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Stark and Master Arthur are spending a few days this week with friends in Nelson.

WANTED—Woman or capable girl for housework, to live with family. State salary. Apply REVIEW office.

FOR SALE—Extra good mare, weight probably 1050 lbs., very suitable for lady to drive. Apply C. Blair, Erickson.

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T. Mawson, leaving on Monday for Wycliffe, where he has taken a position.

WATER PIPE FOR SALE—5000 feet of 1-inch water pipe at Duck Creek at 10 cents a foot. J. B. Winlaw, Nelson, B.C.

There are now 140 books to choose from at the Women's Institute library, eight additional volumes being donated last week.

Winlaw & Son are busy loading out poles from the yard opposite Creston station. They have about twento cars of them ready for shipping.

FOR SALE—5 acres choice fruit land slashed and burned. Road and water. All level, ideal homesite. Apply to owner, Mrs. C. Moore, Creston, B.C.

Ten dollars per acre for the 320 acre, known as Sub Lot 54, on Arrow Creek. Half cash and balance in four annual payments. W. K. Esling, owner, Rossland, B.C.

STRAWBERRIES—Pedigreed strawberry plants; Senator Dunlap and Magoon. Hardy, northern-grown stock. $10 per thousand. Monrad Wigen, Wynndel.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of next Sunday morning's service in the Presbyterian Church. All church members are invited.

BEERY PICKERS TICKETS—$1 a hundred in lots under 200, with larger quantities at a better price. Order at once and be sure of having them when required. REVIEW OFFICE.

Joe Martell is a patient at Cranbrook hospital at present, where he is undergoing treatment for stomach trouble. Until he took up the Hooper ranch he had been porter at the Creston Hotel.

R. R. Piper spent the week-end at Cranbrook with Mrs. Piper, who is a patient at St. Eugene hospital in that town. She continues to make favorable progress, though her recovery will of necessity be slow.

To-night's social fixture is the Creston Branch of the G.W.V.A. dance in the Auditorium, which is scheduled to start at 9 o'clock, with Creston orchestra music. Gentlemen $1, and will the ladies please provide the lunch.

R. Walmsley was a week-end visitor with friends at Cranbrook, taking in the celebration on Saturday, which he reports as being good—though hardly the exciting time they used to have in that town a few years ago.

Mr. Speers of Pincher Creek, Alta., this week purchased the former Teddy Malone cottage at the corner of McLeod Ave. from Mrs. Mead, and is now at Pincher getting his household effects ready to move here to reside.

Miss Edna Holmes is now in charge of the afternoon and evening shift at the telephone central, relieving Miss Vida Gobbett, who has the primary room at the public school until the summer vacation, replacing Miss Ross

The C.P.R. announce a change in passenger train time, effective Sunday, June 1st. From on the train from the west will arrive ten minutes later—12.35. The train from the east will continue as at present, arriving at 3.07.

Rev. F. L. Carpenter, a former Creston Methodist pastor, who has been at Kaslo the past year, has been transferred by the 1919 conference, and will be in charge at Ladysmith, on Vancouver Island, for the next three years.

The White Lunch (opposite the Creston Hotel) Fourth Street, announces the opening of their ice cream parlor. They are serving the Cranbrook creamery ice cream, and have bananas, oranges and all seasonable fruits on sale.

Friends of Miss Bertha Hurry, who is teaching at Rock Creek, will be pleased to hear that she has recovered from an attack of the flu, which confined her to Grand Forks hospital for two weeks, and has again taken charge of her school.

A citizens meeting is called for Monday night in Mercantile Hall, at 8.30, to discuss with the G.W.V.A. the matter of putting on an old-time celebration in Creston on Dominion Day, July 1st, under Veterans auspices. All interested are urged to turn out.

Sergt. Percy Watson is the latest of the local soldiers to return from overseas, arriving on Tuesday after getting his discharge at Vancouver. He was with Major Mallandaine's forestry company, and is looking as fit as the day the boys left over two years ago.

Mac. Jeff Hanton, son of Mrs. F. Hanton, now resident at Vancouver, got back from overseas the early part of the month, after about three years with an artillery corps. He expects to pay Creston a visit before going back to work at his old job with the Dominion Express Co.

May 24th was rather quietly observed in town, the only excitement being the country fair and whist in the Parish Hall. A notable feature of the day, however, was the entire absence of rain—the first time in several years that old Jupiter Pluvius has overlooked giving us a soaking.

Rev. G. H. Hamilton, the new pastor of Creston Methodist church, is expected early in June to take over the pastorate. He is a returned soldier and a speaker of considerable ability, and conference looks forward to him restoring Methadism in the Valley to its old time strength and usefulness.

A high-class vauderville show is booked for Tuesday night, June 3rd, in Mercantile Hall, when the C. E. Smith Co. presents Dusty Roads, the flexible tramp; songs, music, monologue, playlets, hard shoe dancing, and a number of other features. Popular prices. There will be a dance after the show.

Frank Staples is advertising this week as a dealer in fruits and vegetables. His experience as a travelling salesman, and his expert knowledge of the packing and shipping end of the industry should guarantee success. A Medicine Hat, Alta., firm of good standing is behind the venture, and negotiations will be opened for connections at Lethbridge and other points. Plans include the building of a warehouse at Erickson.

YOUNG PIGS FOR SALE—$7 each. W. H. Kemp, Erickson.

Andrew Johnsan is a business visitor at Spokane this week. He left on Wednesday.

BUFF ORPINGTONS—Purebred Buff Orpington eggs, $1.50 per setting. Chicks, 20c. each. F. Will, Creston.

There will be morning service only in Christ Church on Sunday, with the usual after celebration of Holy Communion.

WHITE LEGHORN EGGS—For hatching, single comb stock, Barron strain, $1.25 per setting of 15. Sam Moon, Wynndel.

Jack Lamont left on Wednesday for Princeton, where he expects to spend some time on some copper claims he has in the Similkameen.

Miss F. Erickson of the nursing staff of the Spokane, Wash., hospital, spent a few days here this week, with her sister, Mrs. C. G. Bennett.

One beneficial effect of President Beatty's trip in the white-washing of the cattle guards. These are all resplendent in a new coat of kalsomine.

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Phil. Hurry, who has also been having trouble with touches of rheumatism, got away on Monday to Soap Lake, Wash., for treatment at that well-known resort.

F. K. Hurry, who has been at Soap Lake, Wash., for the past month, taking treatment at the baths for rheumatism, got back on Saturday considerably improved in health.

Leslie Mawson of Estevan, Sask. spent a few days here the latter part of the week with his parents, Mr. and

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