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42 Pupils Here Write on Exams.

To-day will see the close of the 1920 school examinations, which have been on since Monday morning, with Principal Smith in charge of those taking high school trials, and Vice-principal Pearce supervising the Entrance candidates. In both sections the number of candidates writing is the biggest in the Valley's history. Mr. Pearce has no less than thirty under his care, and Mr. Smith a dozen. For the past several years it has always been possible for one presiding examiner to handle the work. Those writing on the Entrance are:

Alice Siding—Wilfrid Mason.
Huscroft's—LeRoy Huscroft.
Lister—Annie Chalmers, Lena Frampton.
Wynndel—Nora Hagen, Olga Hagen, Charles Penson.
Erickson—Aubrey Kemp, Walter Long, Richard Penson.
Canyon City—Norma Carver, Elmer Chambers, Kathleen Clayton, Jeffrey Knott, Annie McRobb, Charlotte Speakar.
Creston—Osborn Bell, Sydney Bell, Louise Bevan, Edith Cook, Marguerite Crawford, Robert Crawford, Robert Hetherington, Agnes Hobden, Eva Holmes, Lionel Moore, Robert Moore, Violet Morrow, Edward Staples, Eva Webster.

With the opening of the new high school here last September enabling scholars to take third year high school work the number taking the higher exams. can be accounted for—and that eight candidates are available would indicate that the high school was established none too soon. The candidates writing on H.S. papers are:

Second Year—Rose Cherrington, Ruth Compton, Frances Knott, Dorothy Stark.

Third year—Earl Birney, Lillian Cherrington, Edna Holmes, Frances Lyne, Katherine Moore, Vivanne Marion Swanson, Sadie Wood.

The papers, of course, are being examined at Victoria, and it is not expected the results will be announced till about the first of August.

Wynndel

The dance Saturday night drew the biggest crowd of any dance this year, quite a large party coming from Creston and, as usual, had a good time. The floor was well handled by Carl Carlson, and the ladies provided an excellent supper. Quite a nice sum was realized, which was donated the local baseball club.

Wynndel baseball team again tried their luck against Creston and due to a bit of hard luck again lost, but are sure to win on the 25th.

E. S. Butterfield, who has spent the past ten days with friends at Proctor and Balfour, returned Wednesday.

On Tuesday the big red berries started to move, two crates strawberries and six of gooseberries going out that day. Berries appeared for sale at the local stores on Monday.

Monday was the hottest day of the year, the thermometer standing at 90 almost all day.

Miss Dorothy Butterfield and Mr. and Mrs. Pitt-Brooke visited Proctor last Thursday, returning Sunday.

M. Wigen started bringing logs over from Cottonwood Camp, Wednesday.

A representative of Western Grocers, Ltd., paid a visit here by motor on Friday, going on to Sirdar.

W. G. Stevens, who has been with Ashley Cooper for a couple of months, moved into the Blafore shack on Saturday and is now finishing his course of instruction under the S.S.B. with O. J. Wigen.

There was a meeting of the United Farmers in the schoolhouse on Wednesday night to discuss ways and means of raising money for the organization.

On Sunday Misses Olga and Nora Hagen and Master Charles Penson left for Creston to write on their Entrance exams. and from all accounts are doing famously.

Friends of R. W. Davies will be sorry to hear that while spending a couple of days in Calgary last week he was taken suddenly ill and taken to hospital where he had to undergo an immediate operation for appendicitus. We believe that he is now doing fine.

School closes for the summer holidays on Friday, June 25th. The very late berry season will permit of a fair attendance to the end of the term.

T. Anderson and H. Rosendale carry jointly the honor of having the first berries for the 1920 market.

The young people especially will be out in full force on Dominion Day—Thursday next—for the free dance at Jas. Compton's big new packing shed near Creston. Good floor, music and supper, with dancing at 9 prompt.

Lister

A hard times dance under the direction of the Ladies' Auxiliary, is announced for Saturday night at the schoolhouse, with an admission of 50 cents to gentlemen, and 25 cents to ladies.

Hon. W. J. Bowser, who is on a tour of the province, included Lister in his itinerary by favoring with a call on Sunday, when he discussed soldier settlement affairs with the residents at a meeting at the schoolhouse, at which Major Mallandaine of Creston presided.

Lister school has two candidates trying their luck on the Entrance exams. at Creston this week. They are Annie Chalmers and Lena Frampton.

The sawmill commenced running steadily this week after operating a few days intermittently cutting lumber to house the plant in. A crew of about twelve men is employed.

Listers who wish to round out Dominion Day in good style are reminded of the dance at Creston on the evening of July 1st, at the big new packing shed at Jas. Compton's ranch. Everything free, and a hearty welcome to all.

"Dad" Burgess is claiming the distinction of being the first rancher to have garden vegetables for sale this year.

A total of sixty-five acres have now been plowed at Lister, and are ready for crops of various kinds.

K. R. Thompson of Slocan City is reported as having purchased the N. Stones shack here.

Crops of all kinds are looking fine in this section. Frank May can justly claim the rank of our foremost agriculturist. He has about 30 acres in corn and potatoes, and in a fair way to become tomato king as well, with 2000 plants already set out.

The Fruit Growers' Union asks for the co-operation of growers in the matter of getting their express shipments of small fruits in early. The Express Company has notified that it will not accept stuff after 12.30 town time. The Union would like to have the goods delivered at least by 12.15 in order to give them time to address and check all shipments, as well as to invoice them. It takes time to do things right, and it is desirable to have as few shipping errors as possible.

Get-Together Day Plans Perfected

With the exception of the football match, which has had to be abandoned, and which will be replaced by a series of races for the children, the programme of Get-Together Day sports for to-morrow will be as outlined last week.

Starting at 10 a.m. there will be the junior baseball match, followed by the children's sports, which events will be ample to take all the time available before dinner. Afternoon proceedings will open with the decorated auto parade at 1.30, followed by the first baseball match in which Creston and Porthill will clash. Following the ball game will come the athletic events, and at 4.30 the winner of the first match will play off with Wynndel for the championship of the Valley.

In the early evening the horse races will be run on Canyon road, with $45 in prizes for the three events. At 7.30 and 9.30 there will be moving picture shows, and a dance at Mercantile Hall which will start at 9 p.m., with Creston orchestra music.

A tractor and grader were at work on the grounds on Wednesday and a splendid course has been laid out for the races, etc., while the baseball diamond and grounds have been put in the best possible shape.

Erickson

A. Lode, who has been working at Alamo the past few months, was a visitor in this section last week.

J. H. Schofield, M.P.P., of Trail, who was a Valley visitor over the week-end, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Long during his stay.

Erickson school has three pupils trying the Enrance examinations at Creston this week in Aubrey Kemp, Richard Penson and Walter Long.

G. A. Hunt is expected from Kitchener this week for a short stay at his ranch here, during which he contemplates putting in about five acres of potatoes.

Erickson will be well represented at the Dominion Day dance at the Compton packing shed on Thursday evening next. It is a sort of housewarming, with good music and a good supper—and everything free.

F. B. Turner last week finally closed the sale of his ten-acre ranch to Mr. Palfryman, who has lately arrived from Illinois. The price was in the neighborhood of $7000. The new owner got immediate possession.

It is expected that Miss Marion Swanson will again be Dominion Express Co. agent at this point this season, and will take charge here about the first of July. Not even a whisper can be heard as to the C P.R. putting an agent here permanently, although assurance along that line was given early in the year.

In addition to supplying water to the members of the community for irrigation purposes, it is now possible the association will allow ranchers along the lower road to get in on the proposition to the extent of getting a supply of the wet goods for domestic use only.

Word was officially and definitely given out at the end of the week that construction of the Fruit Growers' warehouse will commence before the end of the month with Geo. Hendren in charge. The structure will be about 100 x 30 feet, and will be built on a site about opposite the present station.

Canyon City

Birth—On July 20th, to Mr. and and Mrs. Alfred Spencer, a daughter.

Tom Hickey of Nanton, Alta., was a Valley visitor the latter part of the week, looking much the same as when he left Canyon about five years ago. He reports a very successful season at fur buying for a Calgary firm last winter.

Canyon school will close for a long summer vacation at the end of the week. A new teacher will have to be secured for the senior room as the trustees are not expecting Miss Corbett to return.

Canyon City Lumber Company has already commenced work on the make of apple boxes for the 1920 crop. Due to a lesser demand for lumber at present, it is expected the manufacture of boxes will be heavier than last year.

The new high level bridge is nearing completion and from present appearances rigs should be able to utilize it by the end of the month. Pedestrians were making the trip across it almost a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Hussack and family got away on Thursday last on a trip to Ontario, where their present intention is to make their future home, after spending a few months visiting old friends. Their place was sold last fall to Mr. McQueen. Mr. and Mrs. Hussack are almost pioneer citizens here and the place won't seem quite the same without them.

Outside of Creston the Canyon school is supplying more candidates for this year's Entrance exams. than any rural school in the Valley. If we include Lister as part of this district we have eight pupils writing.

Mawson Bros. removal sale closes to-morrow night. The public has not been slow in availing themselves of the exceptional values that have been offered, the firm reporting the turnover at the sale to have been considerably in excess of their expectations.

Creston had another distinguished week-end visitor in R. R. Walker, of the reportorial staff of the Vancouver Daily Province, who was here to size up the Valley's 1920 fruit prospects, as well as to look over the Lister section, which he first visited for the same paper in August last.

Creston school is due to close to-day for the usual two-month summer vacation. For next term there will be at least two new teachers on the staff. Miss Roy of the primary room, and Miss Hunt, who has had charge of Division II., have both tendered their resignations to the board of trustees.

New Warehouse Erickson Assured

After being hung up for several weeks, due to the fact that the C.P.R. had to make a re-survey of their trackage, it was only Friday that Creston Fruit Growers Union, Ltd., received definite word from the railway company as to the exact site alotted for the new Union warehouse at Erickson. Now that every detail has been arranged in that connection, materials ordered for immediate delivery and builders secured to get at the work immediately, some details as to the new structure are available.

Plans, which were prepared some time ago, call for a warehouse that for the present will be one storey, 100 x 30 feet, on a site just about opposite the present Erickson station, at which point the railway will install the requisite trackage accommodation. For 1920 it is not proposed to devote much attention to the interior finish, but if the experiment at the Compton packing shed with a plastered interior this winter proves that that sort of finish is suitable for storage conditions then it is likely plaster will be utilized on the inside construction. Specifications call for construction that will permit of the economical enlargement of the new warehouse in any direction.

The size all round is ample for the simultaneous loading of three cars, and three carloading doorways are being installed. There will be no central support posts anywhere in the building, which will be an advantage over the Creston warehouse, and the size is ample to readily take care of the loading of a 2000-box supply and at the same time take care of incoming fruit as fast as it is likely to arrive from the growers during the day.

The new building will also enable the Union to supply its clients with flour, feed, etc., which will be carried at Erickson, along with crates, boxes, and such like supplies. The interior has also been planned to take care of a central packing plant, which it has been decided to put into operation at Erickson this year. The equipment for this will be the latest obtainable and full particulars concerning it will be given out when some minor details of the project have been completed. In introducing central pack the Union feels that not only will the average rancher have about all he can do from now on in looking after the picking, but the uniform grade of Valley apples that central packing, will assure is vitally essential if Creston is to compete successfully in the wide open market—something it must do in view of the dimensions the local crop has now attained.

Construction of the new warehouse will start before the end of the month. Geo. Hendren has been secured to supervise its erection and all the available workmen in the district will be secured to ensure its completion at the earliest possible date.

ELECTORS WARNED

In order to vote on the forthcoming Prohibition Plebiscite and in Provincial or Dominion General Elections

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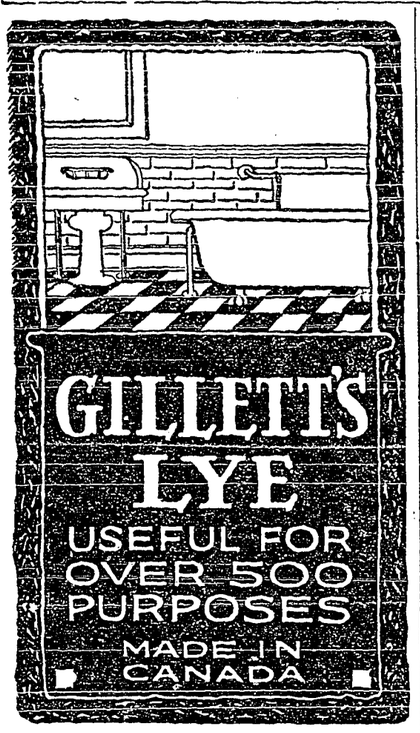

A Great Institution

During the last week of May some forty or fifty editors of Saskatchewan newspapers assembled at the University of Saskatchewan for their fifth annual convention and second annual short course for editors. For several days each year Saskatchewan editors thus live in a University atmosphere, not only holding their meetings within the college walls, but sleeping and eating in one of the student residence buildings and having placed at their disposal all the facilities of this institution of higher education.

What this means to the newspaper men it would be difficult to over-estimate, and that the editors appreciate the opportunities thus afforded them was demonstrated by an attendance this year two and one-half times larger than a year ago. The assistance and encouragement thus given the press of Saskatchewan by the provincial university is bound to have a markedly beneficial effect as the years pass in the raising of the standard of journalism in the west.

Reciprocal benefits must likewise unquestionably accrue to the University by reason of the closer relationship and understanding of the press toward that institution. By being brought into close personal touch with the University and learning of and studying the many-sided activities of that institution, the editors are coming to more fully appreciate the really wonderful work it is carrying on and directing in the interests of the people, and they will not be backward in bringing to the attention of the people the advantages to be obtained through a loyal support of the University.

In the course of a brief address to the editors, preliminary to an inspection of the University plant and equipment, [illegible] Rutherford of the College of Agriculture, quoted some striking figures indicating what the education of farmers' sons means to them and to the country in actual dollars [illegible] the decided advantage [illegible] which the educated farmer has over the uneducated. He showed that as the result of a number of surveys made in a number of States to the south it had been established that [illegible] farmers [illegible] the way of land, farm equipment and capital, the man with [illegible] made a greater [illegible] than the man lacking such equipment.

Of farmers with equal opportunities in every respect, except in the matter of education, the following facts were established:

Those who attended the common school had a labor income for themselves of $318.00 per annum.

Those who attended high school had a labor income of $620.00

Those who had attended college had a labor income of $851.00.

A somewhat similar survey of Dundas County, Ontario, had revealed the fact that out of 100 farmers surveyed, 98 percent had no education except that obtained in the elementary school, notwithstanding the fact that there were four high schools in the county, thus demonstrating the regrettable fact that the boys who attended high school had not gone back to the farms.

Why is it that the college educated boy makes such a greater success of farming than the one who lacks such training was revealed to the editors as they made their tour of inspection of the University. On one part of the University farm extensive experiments were being carried on to demonstrate the value of crop rotation, and the best crops to follow each other. Other experiments had as their object the ascertaining of the best methods to prevent the blowing away of the soil, which is the cause of heavy losses annually when high prairie winds prevail. Elsewhere demonstrations were carried on to show the best type of horses, cattle, sheep and swine to breed in this country, and the nature of the crops which should be grown in connection with these types. In the well equipped farm mechanics building almost every type of tractor and other classes of farm machinery were in evidence where the students were trained in the handling and repair of machinery with a view to securing maximum results from their use. Lastly, through the agency of the Better Farming Train, which was standing on the university grounds preparatory to starting out on its tour of the province, there was revealed the practical common-sense manner in which the university is carrying to the people far and wide the lessons learned as a result of the research work carried on at the university.

The University of Saskatchewan is unique among institutions of its kind that it embraces within the scope of its activities, not merely the arts and sciences, but everything that closely touches the lives and businesses of all classes of people, paying particular attention to the primary industry of the west, agriculture, whereas in most provinces and states agricultural instruction is quite separate and distinct from the universities.

The site of the University of Saskatchewan, consisting of 1,600 acres, is beautifully located on the banks of the Saskatchewan River, overlooking the city of Saskatoon. The magnificent buildings are built of native stone, obtainable only a few miles away, and year by year additional buildings are erected. Over $2,000,000 has already been expended, and the ultimate plans call for the erection of a score or more handsome buildings and the expenditure of many more millions of dollars.

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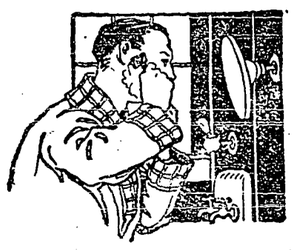

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In the course of one year the ends of the British Empire have been reached by aircraft from England, the Atlantic has been spanned, and the journey of over five thousand miles from Cairo to the Cape has been accomplished. Twenty-five years ago and more it was the dream of Cecil Rhodes to build a railway from Cape Town to Cairo—but geography prevented it. The airplane has at last given reality to his dream. And dreams not only his. To reach Cairo by air, one passes over the Icarian Sea, and the airway to India lies [illegible] the vision of the six winged Seraphim, and on through Assyria, where winged creatures adorn the palaces.

At the end of 1917 Germany had more than 83,000 women metal workers.

New Settlers for Canada

First Contingent of the British-Canadian Farmers Land Syndicate

The tide of immigration that is now passing through Montreal to the Canadian West included the other day a sturdy group of young English and Scottish farmers, forming the first contingent of the British-Canadian Farmers Land Syndicate, an overseas organization which has secured large tracts of land in what is called the Spirit River settlement colony in Alberta. In the West each settler is assigned 160 acres, or a quarter-section of land, with the option of adding another 160 acres when the first tract has been improved. The district they were going to is situated about 500 miles northwest of Edmonton.

At the Yarmouth Y. M. C. A. Boys' Camp, held at Tusket Falls in August, I found MINARD'S LINIMENT most beneficial for sunburn, an immediate relief for colic and toothache.
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Advertising Bill for Recruits

The amount of money spent in newspaper advertising for recruits to the C.E.F. in all Canada was $45,184, according to a return tabled in the commons at the request of Joseph Archambault (Chambly - Vercheres). Of this sum, $42.739 went to English papers, and $2,444 to French. In Quebec $6,238 was paid to English papers and $2,262 to French papers.

After the Sea Lions

B. C. Fishermen Say One Will Eat 50 Pounds of Fish A Day

Large numbers of sea lions on the British Columbia coast, which destroy annually vast quantities of food fish may be slaughtered and their hides placed on the market to reduce the world's leather shortage. The proposal, first put forward by Premier Oliver, has the approval of many experienced fisherman. One Prince Rupert pioneer declared that with three companions he had killed 700 sea-lions on the Queen Charlotte Islands in two days. The sea-lions, it is said, weigh from 2,000 to 2,500 pounds. The hides are nearly an inch in thickness and make a tough and durable leather such as is used in workmen's gloves and saddles. Fishermen declare that a sea-lion will eat fifty lbs. of fish in a day.

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Manitoba's Wheat Production

The total value of Manitoba's 1919-1920 wheat crops is estimated at $118,850,400. Last year the province had 2,913,000 acres sown to wheat, and the latest returns given show an average yield of 17 bushels to the acre.

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Discuss Value of Good Roads as An Aid to Agriculture

Winnipeg. — The value of good roads as an aid to agriculture, as a factor in the development of the country and as an inducement to tourist traffic, were some of the topics, apart from the professional and technical uses that were discussed at the two sessions of the Canadian good roads convention here.

Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of public works, Ontario, declaring that the best way to increase production was to keep the boys on the farms, said that they had come to realize in the eastern province that they must have improved roads for bringing the boys to the consolidated schools and continuation schools, they were providing so that the children on the farms would not have to travel to the towns to obtain the education required to fit them for their life's work.

Herbert Cuthbert, executive secretary of the Pacific Northwest Tourist association, asserted that one million dollars would be spent in Canada each year by American tourists if the Dominion possessed a national highway.

A. P. Sandles, secretary of the National Crushed Stone Association, of Columbus, Ohio, asserted that there had been a reaction on the rates on road building and Mr. Biggs, commenting on these freight charges, observed that he could see no reason or common sense on the part of the Dominion government, if, after giving a grant to improve roads construction they would permit the railways to increase the freight rate on stone.

Japan Suspects Plot

Negotiations for Buffer Siberian State Are All Off

Honolulu.— Japan has broken off negotiations with the Russian Bolsheviki for the formation of a buffer state in Siberia, according to a Tokio cable to the Nippu Juji, a Japanese newspaper here.

The breach in negotiations came about as a result of Japan's discovery of a plot to undermine General Seminoff, commander of the all-Russian forces in Siberia and bring the Baikal region under the Bolsheviki, the cable stated.

Safeguard Interests in Persia

London.—In reply to a question in the house of commons regarding the Bolshevik activity in Persia, Cecil B. Harmsworth, under-secretary for foreign affair, said the Persian minister in London had been in constant touch with the British foreign office, and a complete understanding had been reached that both Persian and British interests would be safeguarded.

She Says She Can Now Do Her Work

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Budget in Committee

Luxury Tax Will Likely be Subjected To Some Changes

Ottawa.—The formal budget debate out of the way, consideration of the budget resolution in committee will open with the least possible delay. Here, in all probability discussion will be protracted, covering possibly a week or so. Provisions made in regard to income tax and business profits tax are expected to go through without a doubt.

The luxury taxes will be subjected to some changes, it is thought, particularly with a view to making their administration more workable. Since the budget was brought down the minister of finance has been in constant receipt of representations with regard to the luxury taxes and the sales tax. Important points have been brought up and notice will no doubt be taken of some of the suggestions. In addition to any amendment which the finance minister may propose, it is likely that a number will be submitted by members of the opposition.

Some Profit in Clothing

Farmer Sold Wool For Fifty Suits and Got One With the Price

Toronto.—The Globe published the following despatch from Hickman, Ky.:

Roy Shaw, a well-known farmer living near Hickman, took 200 pounds of wool to Hickman the other day, which he sold for 30 cents a pound, or for $60.00. Then he purchased a suit of clothes for his son, and found that the money he received for the wool was just enough to pay for the suit. He says there are about four pounds of wool in a suit of clothes, and on that basis the wool he sold will make fifty suits, which is sold at $60 a suit, would bring the seller $3,000. Allowing one-half for labor and other materials going into the suit, somebody will get a return of $1,500 on a $60 investment, he figures.

Respect Wishes of Canada

Do Not Consider it Advisable to Publish Correspondence

London.—In the house of commons recently the colonial under-secretary of state said it had been ageed by the British and Canadian governments that it would be inadvisable to publish at present the correspondence regarding the appointment of a Canadian representative at Washington.

Percy Hurd and Sir Richard Cooper demurred somewhat at this answer but Andrew Bonar Law said that the British government must consider also the desires of the Canadian government in such matters.

Rain Ends Forest Fires

St. John, N. B.— Heavy rain in Northern New Brunswick and other districts put an end to the menace of many fires. Two new fires were reported near Newcastle, and another on the southwest Mirimichi, but they are under control. Situation in Victoria and Madawaska counties is much improved. The fire at Glennie on the Fredericton and Grand Trunk railway in Sunbury county, has burned about 1,200 acres.

Yukon Free of Ice

Dawson, Y. T.—The Yukon River is now entirely free from ice from Lake Labarge northward. Advices from interior Alaska say all restrictions there against travel because of influenza are being lifted as there have been no new cases in the last 13 days. The first arrivals from Mayo Camp bring highly favorable reports of silver prospects in the Keno Hill district.

Continue Wheat Standards in U.S.

Reduction Urged Would Decrease Return to Farmers

Washington.—Continuation of the present federal wheat standards was decided upon by Secretary Meredith in an opinion covering hearings held to inquire into dissatisfaction in the central northwest with existing grades for hard red spring and Durum wheat. Request for lowering the present standards, the secretary announced would tend to decrease the return to farmers while advocates of the change argued that the producer would receive more money for his wheat.

The federal standards establised in 1917 and revived in 1918 have been operative only under fixed price and war conditions, the secretary stated, adding that opportunity for fair tests of their merits or defects have now been afforded under normal marketing conditions.

Bid Sir Thos. Lipton Good Luck

Starts For America in Quest of the Cup With His Boat Shamrock IV.

London.— Crowds of people were at the station to wish Sir Thomas Lipton bon voyage and good luck in his quest for the American cup, with his boat Shamrock IV. against either the Resolute or the Vanitie. Dowager Queen Alexandra, in expressing her hopes that Sir Thomas would win with the Shamrock IV. said: "Certainly I am confident, but I am glad I am not too sure, for then there would be no sport for anyone."

No Military Compulsion

Signing of Peace Treaty Has Rescinded Conscription In Germany

Berlin. — It is semi-officially announced that no law will be enacted abolishing compulsory military service which is demanded by the peace treaty, because the national assembly's acceptance of the treaty automatically rescinds the former compulsory resolutions. This objection has been issued in view of the allegations that Germany is not carrying out the provisions of the treaty.

It is also announced that the minister of defence will issue a decree forbidding discharged soldiers to carry service rifles and hand grenades.

This order is somewhat belated, as according to reports, thousands of discharged men all over the country are in possession of their full army outfits. A few days ago the police seized, near Hanover, 194 hidden rifles and 190 swords and 10,000 cartridges.

Geddes Given Honorary Degree

Washington.— George Washington university, at its ninety-ninth annual announcement exercises conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on Sir Auckland Geddes, ambassador to the United States. Ambassador Geddes delivered the commencement address.

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Want Government To Control Wheat For Another Year

The Newsprint Situation

Sir Henry Drayton Tells Manufacturers Government Will Insist On Domestic Supply

Ottawa.—The conference with the newsprint manufacturers announced in the house took place in the finance minister's office. Sir Henry Drayton told the manufacturers that the government was much disturbed to find that, knowing the agreements made last fall, twenty-five percent of the daily newspapers in Canada were facing the period of suspension owing to inability to get newsprint paper, although willing to pay current prices for export to foreign countries. He said the government would insist upon the domestic requirements being supplied as they represent only 15 percent of the total production.

The situation is still regarded as very serious. The publishers are emphasizing the point that the total amount of newsprint necessary to the continued existence of the 26 daily newspapers affected represents less than two percent of the exports of newsprint and that they ask for no favors regarding price.

The publishers state that the great majority of the mills are keeping their Canadian customers supplied, and that the present crisis has been caused by the attitude of a very small minority.

The Hearst newspapers also had a representative in Ottawa interviewing the government regarding newsprint supplies. It is said that the consumption of newsprint of the Hearst papers is 200,000 tons, a substantial portion of which is made in Canada.

Will Open Office in London

Cabinet Grants Permission to Soviet Government

London.—As the first result of the meeting of Gregory Krassin, Russian Bolshevik minister of trade and commerce, with Premier Lloyd George and members of the British cabinet, the soviet government, according to the Evening Standard, has been granted permission to open immediately a central trading office in London. At this office, the newspaper says, an endeavor will be made to organize an exchange of goods with British traders.

Troops Are Gathering

Sensational Reports of Concentration Of Bavarian Forces Comes From Potsdam

Berlin. — The Tageblatt publishes under reserve sensational reports of the concentration of Bavarian troops in the neighborhood of Potsdam, and that Prince August Wilhelm, of Prussia, son of the former emperor, is playing a prominent part in the movement. It also publishes a rumor that the authorities intend in future to arrest all pacifists and a number of prominent Leftists.

Shortage of Laborers in West

Calgary, Alta.—That the west could absorb at least 20,000 men for railway construction, farm work and mining, was the statement made by Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the course of an interview here.

D. C. Coleman, vice-president of western lines, who was also present, confirmed this great shortage. They stated that there was a scarcity of unskilled labor in the east today, also, but not to the same extent as in western Canada.

Chief of Police

St. Paul, Minn.—Thomas E. Campbell, for three years chief special agent in the Minnesota bureau of investigation, department of justice, has accepted the post of chief of police in St. Paul, effective June 9.

Winnipeg.—Asserting that the Canadian Wheat Board cannot exercise control over the 1920 crop unless its authority is renewed at the present session of parliament, the executive committee of the Canadian Council of Agriculture telegraphed the Dominion government, urging that steps be taken to have government control of the wheat crop for at least another year.

The resolution as forwarded to Ottawa, recalls a resolution of the council of agriculture adopted last January, favoring government control of the wheat crop of 1920-21, provided that "controlled buying should be discontinued on the part of overseas importers of Canadian wheat," points out that the conventions of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba organized farmers subsequently approved of this resolution and asserts that "there is no indication of the lifting of government control of buying for foreign export, as to affect the marketing of the next crop." The resolution continues, "Whereas the present Canadian Wheat Board exists under and in virtue of the provisions of the War Measures Act and cannot exercise its power over wheat grown in Canada in 1920 unless its existence is continued for another year by an act of parliament at the present session;

"Therefore the Canadian Council of Agriculture would strongly urge the government, before prorogation of the parliament this session, to take the necessary steps to have the powers of the Canadian Wheat Board continued for at least another year.

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Weather Aids Wheat Crop

Brandon.—The rains and cold weather of the past few days have been of immense benefit to the crop in the Brandon district. One week ago, due to the dust storms, many fields looked brown and bare. Today everything is green and the roots of the wheat are driving deep down in the earth, making for a vigorous and sturdy growth and a promise of ability to withstand drought, should there be one at a later date.

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Stop, Look, Listen Use More Care

Tons of Steel are Harder to Stop Than Any Motor Car Made

Careless and thoughtless driving of motor cars have cost the lives of many people and millions of dollars damage since the auto came into general use in the United States and Canada The railroads of both countries have been forced to pay out large sums of money in damages.

It should be remembered by all drivers of motor cars that a train has to run on tracks and that a motor car has a certain amount of freedom in this regard. It should be remembered that a motor car can be stopped within a few feet while it often takes far more than one hundred yards for a train to stop. Always look before crossing a railroad and be sure to approach the crossing at a speed such that allows you perfect control of your machine.

The growing list of fatalities from motor cars is alarming. In the United States it has reached such a stage that the public is crying out against it and in some cities some novel plans of punishment have been put in force. In Chicago speeders are sentenced to make a slow trip through the morgue under the guidance of a deputy coroner. In Youngstown, Ohio, speeders are sentenced to hold watch beside the dead body of their victim or at the hospital bedside of the injured victim. New York City makes the speeders go througg practically the same procedure on arrest that they would the most daring criminal. Photographs and finger prints are taken and a "rogues" gallery is maintained.

Grand Jury Report

St. Louis gives a splendid example how serious the public are considering this question. In that city a grand jury was in session for four months and two-thirds of a lengthy report submitted dealt with recommendations for the safety of the citizens of the city.

Undonbtedly much of these facts bear on accidents on streets of the different cities, nevertheless, it shows how public opinion is shaping in the United States in regard to careless drivers. There is no reason in the world why a driver of a motor car cannot proceed along a city street or a country road with full control of his machine. Automobiles are built for business and pleasure and not for the purpose of killing people but they are not fool proof and probably never will be.

The Chicago Tribune, printed an editorial recently as follows: "In emphasizing the great number of deaths and injuries caused by motor car accidents The Tribune is trying to bring home to the average motorist that a great majority of mishaps are the result of carelessness.

Pedestrians Careless

It is an aphorism that an automobilist must not only watch himself but the other fellow as well. Drivers often are victims of the carelessness of others. And this is just as true of pedestrians as motorists.

"Too many pedestrians fail to observe the simple precaution of "stop, look and listen." Too many pedestrians insist upon personal privilege to the point of disastrous collision with an automobile. A motorist may plainly be beyond his rights by speeding, by thrusting his car over a crossing, or by driving on the wrong side of the road. The fact that a motorist is guilty of gross law violation hardly compensates the pedestrian who persists in martyrdom to establish the legality of his position and the lawlessness of motorists.

"A pedestrian, haughtily conscious of his right to cross a street, will saunter casually, though the pavement be slippery and though there is not the slightest assurance that the approaching motor, tons of steel, will not resist the brakes and skid down upon him. There is no question here of the pedestrian's rights; the motorist clearly may be at fault, but what principle has been reinforced after the pedestrian has been killed or injured?"

At Railway Crossings

Investigations have clearly shown that often motorists will not take proper precautions at railway crossings, appearing to act in practically the same manner as the pedestrian in the above quotation. They seem to forget that the train, thousands of tons of steel and wood, has perhaps gathered a momentum since its last stop that would either send the train tumbling into the ditch, killing many passengers and doing thousands of dollars of damage by the sudden applications of brakes, or that it might skid far enough to mean the death of all those in the motor car and the destruction of the car.

A swiftly moving train cannot stop as quickly as a motor car and a passenger train carries a heavier load of human freight than many cars can do. Motorists should constantly remember this. They should slow down and look for approaching trains. A few minutes at a railway crossing may save your life. It may save the lives of many passengers.

An engineer will probably be made unfit when he hits your motor car. Statistics prove that many engineers become physically unfit for their positions through just such accidents. It takes away their nerves.

U.S.A. Statistics

According to the annual report of the National Highway Protective Society, dated January 1 1918, there were 455 persons killed by automobiles on the national highways of New York state including New York city, in 1912 and 837 persons killed by automobiles on these highways in 1917—an increase of approximately 100 per cent. in five years. The Society's report furnishes proof, besides railroad experience and records, that railroad grade crossing slaughter was due to recklessness and the assesting companions, who almost invariably accompany drivers, and that these are the factors to be dealt with vigoriously and rigorously if there is to be a cessation of street and railroad grade crossing accidents.

The alarming increase in the number of accidents to motors at highway crossings with the attending shattering of the nerves of enginemen and their incapacitation for the very responsible duties of their positions caused the Illinois Central Railroad Company sometime ago, to have observations made at certain highway crossings on their system for the purpose of noting the conduct of persons about to cross their track. It was seen that seventy-five per cent. of the people neither stopped, looked or listened for approaching trains but crossed the railway without apparently the slighest thought for the safety of either themselves or anyone else.

FOR SALE—Farm wagon, double box, spring seat, whiffletrees and neckyoke, all in good order, $65. Morrow's Blacksmith Shop.

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Boys' Combination Balbriggan Undersuits

Sizes 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32
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A variety of styles and materials at 2.00, 2.50, 3.85 to $6.00 per suit.

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The moving picture theatre at Natal has resumed operations.

The McDonald Jam Co. at Nelson wants 550 tons of soft fruits for this year's operations, with a liking for about 200 tons each of strawberries and raspberries.

FOR SALE—Early cabbage plants and Danish Bullhead cabbage plants; 75c. per 100. R. Stewart, Creston.

The sawmill at Nakusp is putting in another engine and boiler and will shortly be running night and day shifts.

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Ready at Wynndel

The army of berry pickers that will be required for the strawberry harvest at Wynndel this season will not lack for supplies of every sort, to say nothing of opportunity to secure refreshments that are always in demand by those engaged in work of this sort.

With commendable enterprise the well-known store of Butterfield & Son has been put in the best possible shape to take care of this rush trade as well as handling the business of their regular customers, while Manager Dewar of the Wynndel Mercantile Co., has also got things lined up to be equally accommodating.

At the Butterfield store more room has been provided by including the old sun parlor as well as that part formerly occupied as the postoffice in the store proper, the postal business being now transacted in quarters created out of the sun parlor. In addition to which a verandah has been placed around the front and this is to be utilized as the ice cream parlor. For the ice cream feature a decided improvement has been made in the securing of the equipment to serve sodas, sundaes, etc., while hygenic spoons are to be used, which are destroyed after but the one using. While it will be impossible to do away with the Indian trade entirely the Butterfields' have arranged so that the reds will be served from dishes, spoons, glasses, etc., that will be exclusively for the Indian trade.

This year a stock of bananas, oranges, lemons, etc., will always be available, and stocks of bread, biscuits, canned meats and fruits will never fail. Another welcome addition to the lines hitherto carried will be a range of canvas and rubber shoes, hosiery for men and ladies, and a line of furnishings and soft wear that is always in demand. And, most important of all, Mr. Butterfield assures that there will always be a staff of helpers that will provide prompt and efficient service at all times. So far as it is possible for merchants to cooperate certainly the Wynndel stores have done most everything possible to make things comfortrble for the 1920 berry season.

Crops and Market

Prairie fruit markets commissioner J. A. Grant of Calgary has just issued the first of his 1920 market bulletins in which he has the following observations as to crop prospects and prices:

Pears will be a heavy crop in B.C. this year, news from every fruit growing centre confirms this. Plums and prunes will be an average crop and so will peaches, cherries and apricots.

Reports from the principal stone fruit growing centres all suggest a very heavy setting of fruit, if the June drop is moderate a big crop of stone fruit is assured.

Fall apples are light; so are Jonathans and Wagner. Wealthy always a heavy yield is reported at 75 per cent. of last year's crop, McIntosh Reds are very heavily set and so are Delicious and Winesaps. The average will be under last year's yield, but the young trees coming into bearing will likely increase the total tonnage beyond last year's output.

Strawberries are about 80 per cent. last year's crop. Raspberries about 60 per cent. Blackberries and Loganberries about 25 per cent. There is about 400 acres of small fruit added to the acreage this year. The minimum price of straws, rasps, and logans will be about $4.50 f.o.b. shipping point, gooseberries, red currants and black currants from $2.50 to $3.50; Cherries, Bings and Lamberts about $2.50; Windsors, etc., $2.25, sour $2.00, 4 basket crates. Apples will range from $2.25 to $3.00 at opening price; grade No. 1 A Delicious and McIntosh class, $3.00; Wealthy and Wagners, grade No. 1 B., about $2.25. It is too early to give exact apple prices. Apricots, $2.25, 4 basket crate for No. 1; $2.00 for No. 2 in peach boxes.

Plunkett & Savage, the well-known Calgary fruit wholesulers, are also issuing a weekly bulletin on market conditions as they find them in Calgary, Lethbridge and Edmonton, in which cities they have distributing houses. Their first market letter, on lines in which local growers are at present interested, is as follows:

During the week the first shipments of B.C. berries reached this market and sold at around $7.50 to $8.50 per crate. Quality was none too good, being green and not properly matured. The coming week we look for good heavy supplies. There will be at least two or three carload lots, come in, and should clean up quickly at this price as the market has been very short for the last ten days or two weeks. Hood Rivers during the week, sold freely at from $0.00 to $0.50 per crate. Stock was particularly fine.

Apples, cold storage stock, is now practically cleaned up and the jobbers are awaiting supplies of new stocks from California which will be in two or three weeks.

Cherries have been coming in very freely from California and are being sold at very high prices, namely $1.75 for 10 lb. box. The market is going to be quite short on cherries during the coming week. Any cherries reaching here from Washington or Oregon should command good prices during the week.

Cabbage—the cabbage market locally is rather sluggish on account of so many cars reaching here on a consignment basis when the California market was at its height. It is selling at 4c and 5½c. lb. according to quality. The market will likely be all cleaned up for the arrival of the first shipment of B.C. cabbage which is expected here in about two weeks.

New potatoes—there have been none on the market as yet, and it is expected that there will not be any imported from the other side on account of the high price; therefore the first receipts of new potatoes from B.C. should command very good prices.

Gooseberries are arriving in limited quantities, and selling at $4.25 to $4.75 per crate. The supply does not in any way equal the demand.

Grand Forks rejoices greatly these days in the news that Miss Bunty Manley, a native daughter of the Boundary metropolis, has just scored a big hit as a moving picture star. Out of 20,000 candidates she was recently chosen to play a leading role.

At Cranbrook the pool room license fee has been raised from $5 to $7.50. Ald. Flowers wants them closed at 11 o'clock instead of twelve, his argument being, according to the Courier, "that it would have a tendency to keep boys and girls off the streets late at night." What next will these Cranbrook girls be up to.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons holding Crown Lands or Lots in Townsite subdivisions under agreements for sale from whom the purchase money on such lands or Townsite Lots remaining unpaid is overdue are required to make payment, within six months from the date of this Notice, either of the full amount due, together with interest thereon, if any be due, or a substantial proportion of such amount, which must at least cover the full interest due to date together with evidence that all taxes, whether Municipal or Provincial, have been paid, failing which the agreements for sale will be cancelled, as provided by Section 70 of the "Land Act," Chapter 129, Revised Statutes of 1911.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., April 1st, 1920.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with an Amendment to the "Townsite Proportionate Allotment Act" passed at the last session of the Legislature any person holding an agreement for sale from the Crown in respect to the purchase at Auction of Town or City lots or lands within the site or suburb of a town, payment for which has not been made in full, and who wishes to obtain a proportionate allotment of such land in consideration of the monies already paid, must file application in that respect on or before the 1st day of September, 1920, on which date the privilege of obtaining a proportionate allotment will cease and any person in arrears of payment under an agreement for sale as aforesaid failing to make application as stipulated will thereafter be debarred from taking advantage of such privilege, and will be subject to the fulfilment of the terms of the sale and the provisions of the "Land Act" governing overdue purchase money, in connection with which special attention is drawn to the notice appearing in the current issue of this paper.

GEO. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., May 5th, 1920.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to $5 an acre; second-class to $2.50 an acre.

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 in less than 5 years, and improvements of $10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

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.

Mill, factory or industrial sites on timber land not exceeding 40 acres may be purchased; conditions include payment of stumpage.

Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price, is made.

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 for 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.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfilment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, interest, price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged, priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form Associations for the improvement of ranges on partially free permits for settlers, campers or travellers up to ten head.

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Willow, The Wisp

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"Well," he addressed her, "it seems as though I am to have trouble with all my children this morning, Spray-coat. First I find Lulu trying to murder a nesting grouse, and now I find you bent on disorganizing the whole duck colony—you, a royal-born silver grey, setting such an example to your puppies. I'm ashamed of you! Don't you get the very best of food, and an abundance of it? I've a good mind to take a stick to you, Mrs. Reynard, and if I find you worrying the ducks I'll certainly do it. Now, you be good or I'll send you away to the man who offered me five thousand dollars for you. Being of royal birth I can't chain you up as I could a common red fox, so I'll take other measures with you if you try to destroy the discipline of Hardwood's Retreat. Now then, come along to the enclosure, and you'll be lucky if it isn't bread and water for you for two days."

The young foxes were rolling over each other in play, growling and scratching as they romped, all except the small reddish-grey of the family, who sat on his haunches, a little apart from the others, his sharp ears pricked forward, his mouth half open in a grin of pleasure.

The woodsman stooped down and picked up the largest of the puppies, a pure silver-grey, who was at that [illegible] hundred days [illegible] away in the path. But [illegible] eyes still on the feed-[illegible] the [illegible] head [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] and

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A thriving British Columbia town that has a very bright future before it is Vanderhoof. Situated in the Nechacko Valley on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, midway between Edmonton and Prince Rupert, it is the centre of a fine agricultural district, eminently suitable for mixed farming. The soil in the Vanderhoof district is almost inexhaustible and is easy to clear. The land in the Nechacko Valley produces wonderful crops of grain and timothy hay, as well as fine vegetables. Settlers are fast filling up the country, and the Soldiers' Settlement Board has placed a number of returned men on the land. The government is establishing a creamery at Vanderhoof, and undoubtedly it will become the centre of a great dairying district. Much of the land is suitable for steam plowing and the timbered area furnishes good shelter for stock. Sheep raising and mixed farming generally will prove very profitable.

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Northern grown alfalfa seed of the Grimm, Turkestan or Baltic varieties must be used, Grimm being hardier than either of the other two. Before sowing the land or the seed must be inoculated with alfalfa nitro culture unless the land has grown alfalfa or sweet clover previously. Of the two methods, inoculation of the seed is usually easier, and gives good results. If these two precautions are taken, the first steps necessary to success are assured.—N. D. McKenzie, Supt. Indian Head Experimental Farm.

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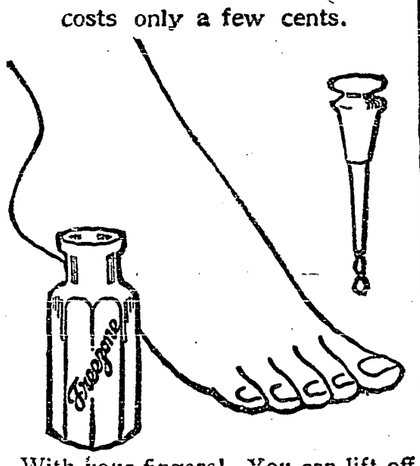

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!

Americans Interested In Western Lands

New York Financial Houses Investigate Lethbridge Irrigation Project

Investigation of the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation Project by two New York financial houses of high standing, will be undertaken in the immediate future with a view to purchasing the bonds of the irrigation district, it was asserted by L. M. Roberts, a leading barrister, on his return to Calgary from New York. Mr. Roberts, who some time ago obtained an open option for the purchase of the bonds, went to New York in this connection. He anticipates that the inquiry into the irrigation undertaking by engineers sent out by the financial houses will take place in June. The terms of his option are not such as to interfere with the right of the irrigation district to make any other arrangements for the sale of the bonds which they may desire, and in the event of a definite offer being made the district will have the right to accept or refuse.

New Building Material

Experiments are being carried on in building houses from marble dust and sawdust at Vancouver. It has been claimed that the cost of the house in construction will be six cents a foot in place of 60 cents a foot for ordinary building materials. The new material is claimed to be durable and take a high polish.

Strangers to Truth

The preacher announced that next Sunday his subject would be "Liars" and that he would be very glad if during the week, they would read the 17th chapter of Romans for themselves.

The next Sunday the preacher commenced by reminding his hearers of the request he had made, and asked all those who had read the 17th chapter of Romans to stand up. To his astonishment half the congregation stood up.

"Thank you very much" said the preacher, "now it is to you I want to speak today, because there is no 17th chapter of Romans!"

NOURISHING FOOD AND GOOD HOURS

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The power of your body to resist disease and to fight it after disease gets a foothold, is one of the most precious possessions you have. You weaken this power when you let your general health run down, your blood gets thin and your nerves unsteady.

You weaken it when you worry, when you overwork, when you do not get sufficient sleep, and when you are under-nourished, either because you do not eat the right kind of food or because your digestion is out of order.

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Bee Culture is Profitable in Alberta

Edmonton Apiarist Proves That Bee-Keeping is Profitable

Bees have proved themselves not only adaptable to the climate of Western Canada, but very profitable to raise as a side line, and as an example of this, the experience of Mr. William Wensel, of Edmonton, may be given. Mr. Wensel has been keeping bees for the last six years. The returns he has obtained from them go to show that they can be reared economically, and that the honey produced is fully equal to any of the imported variety.

Mr. Wensel started with a foundation swarm of mixed bees. By using only well bred queens, which he imported from Tennessee, he managed, within a few years to so improve his swarm that he had an almost pure strain of Italian bees. He keeps from ten to fifteen hives of bees, disposing of the increase in the spring or fall.

From the standpoint of profit and prolificness, bees can hardly be equalled by any other member of the animal or insect family producing food for human consumption. In the spring of 1918 Mr. Wensel had nine hives, three of which were in very poor condition. During the summer the nine hives increased to 21, and honey produced, less the amount left for winter feed, was eight hundred and twenty-seven pounds. The honey sells at from 35 to 40 cents per pound. In 1918 the record of production from the apiary was 100 lbs. per hive, or, at 40 cents per pound, $40 worth of honey per hive.

Bees require very little attention in Western Canada. With a clover or alfalfa field in the neighborhood and supplied with sufficient comb and suitable hives, they will practically look after themselves for the whole summer. In the fall the hives containing the bees are either stored in a cellar or left out in the open. If the bees are left outside, a box large enough to cover the hive and leave a space of about four inches on all sides is put over the hive, and the space filled with chaff. An opening, however, is always provided. It has been found that when the hive is plugged up the bees will come to where the opening is and work until they die in their attempt to get out. On the other hand, when there is an opening they never go out unless on very bright sunny days.

Mr. Wensel's experience goes to show that it is better to winter the bees outside. They are not only more active and start to work earlier in the spring, but seem to be in far better health. However, if the bees are kept in a cellar over the winter it has been found best to take them out about April first.

Bees come out and are ready to start their season's work as soon as the warm weather begins. The hives are then cleaned out and the frames and comb put into place. From then on they require no attention until they start to swarm towards the end of May or the beginning of June. Between this swarm of the season, if put in a hive of its own, may hatch out a second swarm. One season one of Mr. Wensel's swarms that were hatched in June produced 99 pounds of honey the same season.

It is the practice to take out some honey and put on a super with a queen excluded to induce honey production about the end of July. In September, all except 35 or 40 pounds of honey, which is left as winter feed, is taken out and the hives prepared for winter.

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Saturday, July 3

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Silk Lined Burglar

Local and Personal

Mrs. Webb of Silverton was a visitor here this week with her sister, Mrs. G. P. Smith.

R. Rose of Medicine Hat, Alt., arrived on Monday, on a visit to his brother, J. F. Rose.

Thursday next is Dominion Day, a statutory holiday, and all places of business in town will be closed. The general deliyery wicket at the post-office will be open from 5 to 6 p.m.

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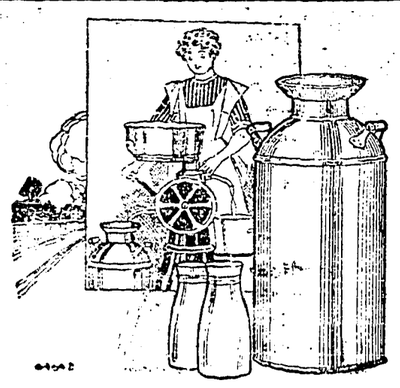

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BIRTH—On June 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beaser, a son.

BIRTH—At Kellogg, Idaho, on June 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McLeod, of Creston, a daughter.

Bring your old tires and any rubber goods needing repairing to C. Olsen at Embree's Garage, Creston.

Mrs. Brewis of Sirdar spent the latter part of the week on a visit with Creston friends, the guest of Mrs. Jas. Cook.

R. Lamont is a Portland, Ore., visitor this week, where he is in attendance at the annual Shriners conclave in that city.

In the new store Beattie-Oatway, Ltd., will have a sales force of three, Miss Erma Hayden having joined the staff on Monday.

Misses Louise and Helen Morgan of Dothan, Alabama, arrived on Monpay on a visit with Mrs. W. K. Brown and Mrs. R. S. Bevan.

Monday proved the hottest day the Valley has so far been favored with this year, the mercury getting up to 84 in the shade that afternoon.

PIANO FOR SALE—Heintzman, in excellent condition, would give reasonable terms to responsible party. Apply Mrs. L. M. Kennedy, Creston.

H. D. Jaffray of Winnipeg, Man., western inspector of the Imperial Bank, paid Manager Allen and staff an official visit the latter part of the week.

R. B. Ilisley of Armstrong, the provincial dairy inspector, accompanied by J. W. Frank, V.S., of Nelson, paid the Valley an official visit the latter part of the week.

A cash prize of $5 is offered by Mawson Bros. to the customer who makes the highest total cash purchases at their store to-morrow, the prize to be awarded at 10.30 the same evening.

The first of the local strawberries to make their appearance in the stores were from John Spratt ranch, who had a crate of them on June 19th. They were retailed out at 30c. a pint cup.

A famine that was developing in bran and shorts was relieved on Tuesday when T. M. Edmondson unloaded a car with about 400 sacks of this commodity in it, along with a supply of flour.

The first of the Valley gooseberry crop was moving on Friday of last week, P. G. Ebbutt being the first exporter. The shipping of these since has been quite heavy, 25 crates moving on Tuesday.

Another five-acre block of the Dow Addition was disposed of last week by Rose & Timmons, the buyer being A. Anderson of Victoria Ave. His buy is located just opposite the W. K. Brown ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lydiatt and family of Bow Island, Alta., arrived on Tuesday, and are at present guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gobbett. He has a couple of places in view and they will likely become permanent citizens.

Magistrate W. S. Watson inflicted the minimum penalty of $2.50 and costs on three ranchers on Wednesdhy morning on finding them guilty of allowing livestock to run at large on Provincial hay lands without the necessary permit from the Stockbreeders' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers got away on Sunday for Portland, Ore., where Mr. Speers is attending the annual session of the imperial council of the Mystic Shrine. They went via Spokane, but will return by way of Vancouver, and will probably make a two-weeks trip of it.

This has been moving week for Beattie-Oatway, Ltd., who have now got practically all their stock moved to the new quarters in the Mercantile block, where they are better prepared than ever to look after the Valley's needs in the drug, stationery, and all the firm's other lines.

The attention of the ladies is called to the visit at Creston on Monday, June 28, at S. A. Speers' store, of a representative of the Pullan Company, Toronto, who will show samples of fall and winter suits, coats, dresses, as well as children's coats, and who will be prepared to take orders for made to measure garments for later delivery.

Hon. W. J. Bowser, leader of the Conservative opposition, had a good turnout at his meeting in Mercantile Hall, on Saturday night, which was presided over by Maior Mallandaine. J. H. Schofield, M.P.P., Trail, was also on the platform and spoke briefly. On Sunday the party made a visit to Lister, Mr. Bowser going on to Cranbrook on Monday

S. A. Speers has just been notified by B.C. Masonic grand Lodge, of his appointment as D.D.G.M. for District No. 8, which embraces all the lodges in East Kootenay, for the ensuing term. This is only the second time in the history of Creston lodge that one of its members has been favored with this honor. R. M. Reid acted in the same capacity in 1916.

J. W. Sheppard of Nelson, provincial bee inspector, was here on an official visit the latter part of the week, and on Thursday night gave an illustrated lecture on beekeeping at the high school, that was fairly well attended. The past season has been rather a severe one on the apiarists, the loss from winter kill or some other cause being at least 25 per cent.

Every school in Creston Valley has one or more candidates writing on the Entrance exams. here this week, the total scholars trying their luck being thirty. Of these 13 are from Creston, 6 from Canyon City, three each from Erickson and Wynndel, two from Lister, and one from both Alice Siding and Huscroft's. F. H. Pearce of the Creston school staff is presiding.

Secretary Constable of the Stockbreeders' Association has just been advised by the deputy minister of agriculture, that the department will this season carefully investigate Creston Valley with a view to establishing a government creamery here. Of late there have been several requests for such an investigation and the department has decided to make the requested investigation.

Citizens generally are reminded of the meeting in Speers' Hall on Saturday night, June 26th, at 8.30, which will be addressed by Mrs. McLachlan, secretary of the provincial Women's Institutes, and who will discuss the public health nurse question—a matter the local institute have in hand. Mrs. McLachlan is well fitted to deal with the subject and it is to be hoped there will be a large attendance.

Creston had a week-end visit from John Kemmis, M.P.P., of Pincher Creek, Alta., who stopped off here en route from Nelson, where he had been a fraternal delegate at Masonic grand lodge meeting. Mr. Kemmis is grand master of Alberta A.F. & A.M. He is a member of the Conservative opposition in the Alberta legislature, and spoke briefly at Mr. Bowser's meeting here on Saturday night.

Rev. H. M. Lyon took the two Presbyterian services here on Sunday. This was his second appearance here this month, but he will not again be available. He has just received a call to the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church at Outlook, Sask., and leaves for that town this month. His ability can be judged by the fact that Outlook extended a unanimous invitation at an increased salary without ever hearing him preach.

The feature of Dominion Day, Thursday, July 1st, this year will be the dance in the big, new packing shed at the Jas. Compton ranch. The building is just recently completed with a good floor. Good music has been secured, and an excellent supper will be provided. Everything is absolutely free and this is the invitation to everybody to come and enjoy themselves—the building is plenty big enough for the largest crowd.

According to a 1920 amendment to the Game Act it is now compulsory for ranchers who shoot deer or bear which they find destroying property in the close season to report such killing of these animals within twenty-four hours to the local provincial police or game warden. For failing to do so notify the officials one of our Valley citizens was on Friday last fined $25 and costs by Magistrate Mallandaine, Provincial police Vachon being the prosecutor.

A record for house construction is in fair way to be established in Creston this month by Chas. Fass. On Friday he unloaded a house which he had dismantled at Hosmer, and shipped in in convenient-sized sections. Ereccion started the same afternoon on his lots at the corner of Victoria Ave. and Vancouver streets, and at the rate construction is progressing it will be in shape to occupy in summer fashion in a few days now. It is a five-room one story structure.

Owing to the heavy list of scholars taking the Entrance exams. this year, it has been found neccessary to have two presiding examiners, and Principal Smith is supervising the high school students who are writing. Twelve candidates are taking the examinations, four in the second year, and eight in the third year work. The high school principal gave the first year candidates their examinations last week, having set his own papers and will do his own marking of them.

The new store of Beattie-Oatway, Ltd., in the Mercantile Block, was introduced to the public Thursday night last, when the firm was host to their friends at an opening dance, for which music was furnished by a four piece orchestra of Mesdames Foreman and Lister and Messrs. Chorlton and A. Lidgate. The new floor was quickly danced into fine shape, and with the excellent music and a splendid lunch about midnight it is unnecessary to state that the crowd that filled the store to capacity had a very fine time.

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