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Will Irrigate 210 Acres at Erickson

Labor supply and weather permitting, and unforseen contingencies not having to be coped with, at least 160 acres of improved ranch property in the Erickson section will be operating under irrigation by midsummer or thereabouts.

The local irrigation project has been developing since last season and is known as the Erickson Water Ufers' Community. Those making up the association are the well-known ranches of R. J. Long, Elvin and Geo. Cartwright, Frank and Roy Staples, Major Mallandaine, Fraser & Son, F. Putnam, M. R. Palmer, Palmer brothers, W. W. Hall and H. A. McKowrn.

In these properties is included an area aggregating about 210 acres, of which 160 are under cultivation; 100 acres taken up to orchard and the remaining 60 acres readily available for small fruit production if desired.

The supply will be had from Sullivan Creek, with the water diverted at a point about half a mile due east of Goat River Canyon. Orders were placed some time ago for the wooden pipe which will be used and this provides for an 8 inch main just over 8000 feet. The Goat River will be crossed at the canyon where a flume will be erected, the surveyor recommending that at this point the pipe line be encased in a wooden box of a little better than three feet, filled with dry sawdust. From the point of intake about 3500 feet will be traversed before water is landed at the property of Major Mallandaine, and a matter of 4000 feet will be laid to pipe before the water will be placed on the F. V. Staples ranch which will be the first user of any consequence on the system at present.

Figures as to the cost of installing the system vary, but so far as we can learn it is not expected the cost will be much higher than $125 an acre. The work, we understand, will be done by day labor with a ditching machine. A cover of two feet is being provided. A close survey of the land over which the pipe line will run indicates that the excavating will not be costly insofar as rock work goes, as there is less than a 200 foot stretch where stone is likely to be troublesome in connection with construction.

Engineer McCullough of Nelson, who has made an exhaustive report on the whole project, states that there will be ample water for irrigating the whole area even in the dryest of seasons, while in the average year of rainfall there will be wet goods in abundance, all of which is most satisfactory in that provision can be made for allowing other property owners in that section to take advantage of irrigation should they desire to do so.

While there are those doubtful of the wisdom of any such investment in irrigation in the Valley, and others who would seem to be over enthusiastic in the matter of increased production in consequence of an abundant water supply, those who have followed irrigation effort are convinced that the venture will readily pay for itself in a section like Erickson. The availability of the moisture will most certainly make Ericksrn a factor in strawberry production if the ranchers wish to get back into this small fruit—and not only in quantity but also in the quality of the fruit. The raspberry output should also show an increase and with an even more decided improvement in quality. While it may not be generally conceded locally, yet we are informed it is none the less a fact that in the normal season the Valley raspberry runs considerably more heavily to seeds than is the case with the irrigated fruit of this class. And the same thing will apply to the blackberry.

In tree fruits the authorities are quite agreed that this regular supply of water will give us plums that will invariably size up so that they can be packed, something that seldom happens at present, while there would seem little room for doubt that the well regulated water supply will help considerably in giving size to the cherries. As to apples opinion is pretty general that the properly irrigated trees will produce a more uniformly sized fruit of better keeping quality than apples from trees that are subject to dry periods followed by wet spells which produce an unhealthy growth that delay normal-period maturity.

While it would seem that every vegetable crop should benefit by the steady moisture supply, irrigation is expected to prove specially beneficial to tomato culture, in that it will eliminate point rot which always manifest itself in dry seasons, as well as expediting ripening which is frequently held up in dry weather pending the arrival of rain to inaugurate maturity. The Fraser ranch has already demonstrated that the right supply of water will increase the average cabbage a matter of from five to eight pounds aniece, and assuredly cauliflower should benefit in a like proportion. The water may also induce a cultivation of celery, and certainly should help out wonderfully in cucumber production.

In connection with this project a gratifying feature to the venture is that the Water User's Community were successful in getting the regulation financial assistance from the provincial government. For some time back irrigation has been taked of for the Valley and now that the lands department has become a loaning partner in the initial preject its seemingly assured success will make it much easier to procure government assistance for future projects of the sort.

Wynndel

(Too late for last week.)

The Wynndel baseball team, after but a week's practice, played a game with Creston on Sunday but were beaten. The defeat, however, has not discouraged them and they are going back this Sunday for another try at their luck.

Quite a crowd from here were at Creston on Monday night to see The Barrier, and all report it the finest picture yet seen at the Peekin.

Messrs. Moon and Dewar spent the week-end holiday on a fishing trip to Summit Creek, but report the fishing very poor over there. The total catch was nine medium-size trout—six of which were consumed while on the trip.

J. Wildes and family, who have been living at Cranbrook the last three years, returned to Duck Creek on Monday.

T. Crawford spent Wednesday in Wynndel putting in new telephones and investigating old ones. Butterfield and Dewar stores now have phones, and an instrument has also been placed in H. Rosendale's residence.

W. J. E. Biker, the water rights engineer, Nelson, spent a few days here last week on a business trip.

Butterfield & Son are having further improvements made to their store to provide for the new ice cream parlor, which will certainly be the best one ever seen here.

Miss M. Hartnell of Balfour spent the weed-end here, the guest of Mrs. E. Butterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brook and E. S. Butterfield were Balfour visitors a couple of days the early part of the week, returning on Tuesday.

Erickson

Tomato planting will be in full swing this week. Monday witnessed the passing of the full moon—the unfailing sign that frost danger is past. Some of those who set plants out early are reported to have lost most them.

Henry Hamilton was a Kitchener visitor between the trains on Saturday.

Photographer Montgomery of Creston was in this section early in the week, taking orchard views for board of trade use in the next pamphlet they issue.

Another official visitor this week was horticulturist Twigg, who was looking over some of the orchards that are threatened with trouble due to the appearance of the bud moth.

Jos. Stinson has successfully demolished the residence on the R. B. Staples ranch, and is removing the material to Mr. Stinson recently acquired ranch near Geo. Leadbeater's.

Messrs. Handley and Kelsey are the first citizens to try the 1920 fishing, but after a couple of Sunday attempts have given it up for the present.

Painting operations are noted in the Erickson district this year. At present the residence on the Downs ranch is being repainted, while at the Lewis ranch H. Brownrigg has dolled up the barn and packing shed in a C.P.R. section house shade of red.

Every detail in connection with the Water Users Community has now been signed, sealed and delivered and construction work will commence right away. It will be by day labor, with a ditching machine being used on excavating the pipe line.

The chivarree squad should get busy fixing up their equipment. A wedding is on the tapis for the end of this or very early next week.

Miss Palmer, teacher at the Erickson school, spent a couple of days with Spokane friends last week.

Erickson school report for May accounts for an average attendance of 29 and an enrolment of 32, with the following making a 100-foot attendance: Jean Craigie, Lloyd Cartwright, Celia Handley, James Handley, Aubrey Kemp, Joan Kemp, Lyle Kemp, Molly Kemp, Beula Penson, Richard Penson, Stewart Penson, Sylvia Stinson.

Valley Celebrates Friday, June 25

A big day of sports, which was a feature before the war is again to become an annual event in the doings of the Valley. This was decided at a well-attended citizens' meeting on Monday night, which was presided over by S. A. Speers, with C. F. Hayes as secretary.

The affair was turned over to a committee consisting of C. W. Allen, S. G. Foreman, R. S. Bevan, C. B. Garland, Geo. Johnson, E. Mallandaine, and R. B. Staples, with the latter as a permanent chairman.

A canvass for funds for a king's birthday celebration had been made with splendid success, and it was decided to continue the effort and the money be used for the Citizens' Day celebration.

Friday, June 25, has been set for the 1920 big day, and the commitee is meeting to-night to draw up a programme of events, which will include a big list of races and contests for the children as well as the adults, a line of Indian sports, baseball and football matches, besides several novelty features.

The plan is to have something moving continously from at least 2 to 5 p.m., while in the evening Manager Rodgers will put on a special show of pictures at the Peekin, and if the crowd warrants it there will be dances in both the Peekin and Mercantile Hall

The event will be purely a Creston Valley function and the intention is to arrange a programme that will attract visitors and contestants from every part of the district.

Card of Thanks

Me. and Mrs T. M. Edmondson would take this means of expressing their deep appreciation of the sympathy and many kindnesses shown them in their recent bereavement.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Telephone Trouble

Editor Review:

Sir,—Noticing an article in your issue of May 28th on the telephone trouble, I was startled by the remarks of O. J. Wigen. Does this gentleman not know that the telephone or lines are not immune from trouble, especially in a bush country. If they are why do companies keep permanent linemen?

I would not say there is not cause for complaint, but why not direct it to the proper quarter and not make me the goat. In reference to myself I may say that I am employed as casual labor, by the hour and not by the day, week or month, and do as I am told, not as I would, and I challenge you, sir, to test my ability either in theory or practice; a trade can only be learned by the two combined, and not by reading. If I am not competent to hold the position of temporary lineman the management have their remedy; this is not for you to decide.

I would not like to suggest that Mr. Wigen wrote without sense or reason by hearing so prolonged, sloven, selfish and haughty indifference on his phone from myself, therefore I take exception to his statement, which is a fabrication.

I would say that Mr. Wigen (since he does not know me) should judge by his own personal experience and not go by mere heresay.

While I am not defending the management, a more efficient service could be maintained by the hearty co-operation of the public with the company especially in the case of party lines—and not take down the receivers to other subscribers' calls as this tends to poor service.

In conclusion I might say that I have held positions superior to a lineman's duties without complaint, and could do so again should the occasion arise,

J. Vaness.

Peekin Shows

Gertie Jones, known to the craft as "The Chatterbox," had got herself hired in the home of Mrs. Harper just to lift a diamond necklace, valued at $40,000. Strange, very strange, that Mrs. Harper should suddenly change her mind about wearing the necklace to a dance, and return to place it in the safe.

Then she tried to open the safe by listening to the clicking of the tumbles in the lock.

But Gertie was too fumbled fingered and the safe remained safe. Seeing her technique was woeful she telephoned the police telling them of her interupting burglar at work.

Just as she has hung up the receiver, Jimmy Hartigan steps jauntily through the window.

If you would see what happened after Gertie Jones was frustrated in her first safe cracking attempt, had called the police, and saw Jimmy Hartigan about to be in their clutches, you must see Priscilla Dean as Gertie Jones in "Pretty Smooth," to be shown at the Peekin Saturday night.

"Pretty Smooth" is conceded to be the greatest crook play Universal has filmed.

In Western Blood which comes to the Peekin on Wednesday, Tex Wilson, (Tom Mix) ranch owner of the true American type, has contracted to gather horses for the government. His place is in New Mexico. He is on his way to Los Angeles with a shipment and when near the city he leaves the train, mounts his horse and gallops ahead. On the outskirts of the city he sees a horse running away with a girl. He races to her side and lifts her from her saddle onto the back of his own horse. The girl is annoyed because, as she tells him, she believed she could have managed the horse herself if he had not bothered her.

She soon calms down and shows a liking for Tex. She is Roberta, the daughter of Col. Stevens, who is in charge of the U.S. remount station in Los Angeles. The girl invites Tom to a party. As soon as he arrives he finds he is the only man not in full dress. An admirer of Roberta declares he did't know the party was to be a "costume affair". Tex gets the man outside and forces the man to change clothes with him.

Later Tex is giving a party on the ranch. He crowds all the cowboys in full-dress suits despite their protests. Enemies of the government raid the ranch, capture Roberta and carry her across the border. Tex follows and rescues her.

Creston Valley Allotted $53,500

The first reliable information as to the activities of the public works department at this end of the Kaslo constituency was given out the latter part of the week when the Creston Valley was favored with the regular visit of inspection by Hon. John Keen, M.P.P. for Kaslo riding. Mr. Keen's call was a busy one, spending most of his time on motor trips to the several points where works are under way, and to the points where new work is to be undertaken.

If the work on the Goat River Crossing road diversion, which has just been nicely completed, is including as part of the 1920-1921 appropriation the statement given the Review provides for an expenditure of yarious sorts of $60,500, and were the abovementioned work eliminated from the calcualation the current year estimates provide for an outlay in the territory from Kuskanook to Goatfell of over $53,000.

The largest single item is one of $21,000 some of which will be spent on roads and works improvements at Lister, with the more considerable part being used on permanent road building, for which the complete operating outfit came to hand on Saturday. Mr. Keen stated that the decision as to just where the good roads operations would be undertaken was entirely in the hands of Engineer Ramsay, whose instructions were to spend the money on the most used stretch of highway in the Valley. Seeing that Lister had been grouped in the appropriation Mr. Keen felt certain the money is to be spent on highway construction that will facilitate getting in and out of Lister.

$15,000 has been set aside to take of the construction of the new road from Sirdar to Kuskanook, for which tenders will be called for this month. The federal government is asking for bids for erection of a floating wharf at Kuskanook, and the intention is to have the provincial road completed as soon as the wharf is available.

$10,000 has been set aside for the new ferry on the Kootenay River. The department's plan in this case is to bring the ferry now in operation at Nelson to this point, and put in a brand new one at Nelson. The scow that is being brought here is at least 50 per cent. bigger than the one now in use, and is power operated. With its installation and the rebuilding of the approaches on either side it is confidently expected all ferry troubles will be at an end before the snow flies this year. The matter of location will be thoroughly investigated and the new ferry put in at the most advantageous site.

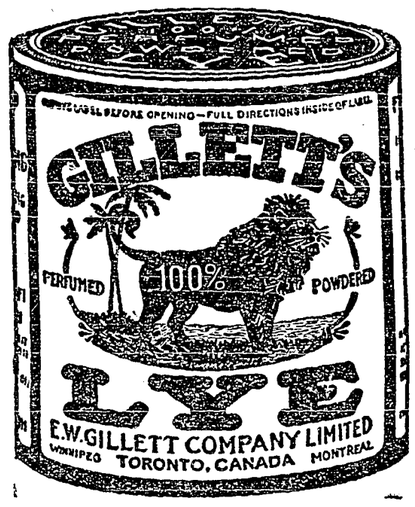
$7500 has been allocated for general repairs to roads and bridges, roads being favored to the extent of $4000, with $3500 for bridges. In bridges, of course, is not included anything for the high level bridge which is nearing completion. It was provided for in last year's vote, though due to the flood crippling operations and other minor troubles it is likely the cost of the new bridge will be higher than originally estimated.

Some figures that will prove interesting and which at the same time go to show how effetually Mr. Keen looks after his constituent's interests in this regard are indicated in the appropriations of the past three years, which are as follows: Vote for 1918-1919 was $7942. For 1919-1920 the increase was to $35,584, while for 1920-1921 the net vote is $53,500. Mr. Keen, too, assured that for next year he is confident of maintaining the excellent yearly increased appropriations that have been in evidence in the past.

He left here on Thursday to make the trip into the extensive territory included in his riding north of the town of Kaslo, but will revisit Creston Valley from time to time this season to keep in touch with the expenditure of this year's appropriation for these parts.

Mrs. Evans' Funeral

The high esteem in which the late Mrs. Samuel T. Evans (nee Laura Edmondson) was held was fittingly attested at the funeral on Thursday of last week, which took place from the Methodist Church shortly after the arrival of the eastbound train, which brought the remains from Revelstoke. Rev. J. P. Westman of Nelson had charge of the last sad rites, delivering a short but impressive address from the text, "Her sun has gone down while yet it is morn." Interment was at Creston cemetry and there was a large turnout both at the church and burying ground to pay their respects. The coffin was heaped with floral tributes from both Creston and Revelstoke friends from the latter place coming wreaths from the L. O. L. and [illegible] and the Methodist Sunday school, in which deceased was a teacher. The pallbearers were J. M. Andrew, Percy Boffey, Vic. Mawson, Gerald Craigie, Stan. Hendren and Clarence Maxwell.



On Our Western Farms

Announcement by the Canadian Wheat Board that the wheat participation certificates issued by it to the farmers will, it is estimated, be worth not less than forty cents a bushel, came as a welcome surprise to the wheat growers of the country. People who have followed the operations of the Board were confident that these certificates would prove of real and substantial value, but they hardly expected a forty-cent per bushel value. This sum, added to the initial payment on the basis of $2.15 for No. I Northern at Fort William, brings the Canadian fixed price well above the guaranteed minimum price in the U. S., and it is believed by many that in the final out-turn the average price received by Canadian farmers will be equal to the average received by the United States farmers.

The announcement means that when final settlement is made with the farmers for their 1919 wheat crop a distribution of something like $75,000,000 will take place. The three prairie provinces will, of course, receive the bulk of this large sum. It will mean much to our farmers, will give an added impetus to production throughout the West, and provides a strong argument for a continuance of the policy of national marketing of wheat, at least so long as the European importing countries maintain national buying and selling. Those farmers who followed the advice tendered in this column last year to retain possession of their participation certificates, and not dispose of them to speculators for a nominal sum at a time when their value was problematical have good reason to congratulate themselves.

At no less than three different conferences to be held this summer the problem occasioned by successive crop failures in the drought affected areas of the West will receive careful consideration, with the object of endeavoring to ascertain the best methods whereby this disability may be overcome. One such conference, to be attended by officials of each of the provincial Departments of Agriculture of the [illegible] provinces, will be held in Winnipeg [illegible] under the auspices of the Dominion Council for [illegible] conferences will be addressed by experts and farmers [illegible] in the discussion of their problems. [illegible] Saskatchewan [illegible] conference of Agricultural [illegible] of Agriculture [illegible] also be considered [illegible] government control [illegible] representatives of the four Western provinces [illegible] government, and, it is announced, many of the greatest experts of the North American continent on the subject of sustainable plant for dry areas."

It is known that [illegible] of the so-called dry districts [illegible] are [illegible] succeeded in harvesting fair [illegible] crops. It is proposed to have these men to attend one or more of these conferences and tender their experiences, outlining their methods of farming [illegible] grown by them, and then to disseminate this information among farmers generally in the districts referred to.

All farmers who have succeeded where others have failed have a patriotic duty to perform in assisting these conferences by every means at their disposal in finding a solution of one of the greatest problems confronting the West.

Although it is yet early to hazard a guess as to the extent of the acreage to be seeded to wheat in Western Canada this year, it is probably quite safe to assume that the preliminary government estimates of a considerable decrease in acreage are correst. The late season has prevented much spring plowing, which will result in a decreased wheat acreage, but reports indicate that the seed is going into the ground well supplied with moisture and under satisfactory conditions, which only requires suitable weather to yield a bountiful crop. At the same time a large decrease in the wheat crop of the United States is anticipated this year, there having been a heavy falling off in the winter wheat crop.

One result in the West will undoubtedly be a substantial increase in the acreage sown to oats and other coarse grains. This will have a beneficial effect, as the past few years have revealed a lamentable shortage of feed grains which has had an adverse effect owing to the rapid manner in which these western provinces are coming to the front in the production of livestock of all classes.

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There were 2,348 millionaires in the United States when the war began, and nearly 7,000 when it ended — a fact which causes the Saskatoon Star to reflect that war produces two sure things, our misery, the other millionaires.—Toronto Globe.

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The Ministry of Transport in Great Britain is giving careful attention to the possibility of building a dam across the estuary of the Severn in order to generate electric power from the tidal waters. The ministry has also formed a strong committee to examine the ambitious schemes for electrification put forward by several British railway companies and to lay down principles which will lead to uniformity in electrical and mechanical matters so that through running will eventually be feasible.

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"Let me see," said a high and mighty young officer who sat next to him at a reception in London shortly after the Boer war, "haven't we —ah—met somewhere?"

"Yes," replied the General.

"Thought so," remarked the officer, adding with a bored air, "One meets so many people! Let me see, where did we meet?"

"In South Africa," retorted the general curtly. "You surrendered to me during the war."

No Contract Breaker

Foundations of Free Government Tested and Not Found Wanting

Trades unionism in the United States and Canada has fought a good fight with anarchy within its own ranks and proved that labor will keep its contracts.

A light arises amid all the darkening signs of the times. That light shines out of the collapse of the outlaw strike on the American railways. and the fate of the same variety of printers' strike in the Montreal Star office. The foundations of free government were tested and not found wanting in an industrial crisis. Labor proved its power to produce and follow a leadership of honor and self-interest.—Toronto Telegram.

Research in Corrosion

Investigations Being Made by Strong Committee

At the recent congress of the British Institution of Metals a valuable report was read on the corrosion of condeser tubes—a subject in which so many engineers are keenly interested. This report was the fifth of a series, recording researches undertaken by a special committee of the institute. Experiments have been made with alloys of copper and zinc, and many suggestions made for avoiding or reducing corrosion. In the British navy trials are being made with exidized tubes, and a British company has been formed to exploit an electrolytic process which deposits and maintains a protective layer of lime on the surface of the tube.

Canadian Boats Shipping Grain

An interesting statement was made in the house of commons recently by Sir George E. Foster, acting premier, regarding the total export of Canadian grains in Canadian ships as compared with the export in United States vessels. The minister stated that 99.55 percent of the wheat exported was carried in Canadian bottoms as well as 85.94 percent of export oats and 89.65 percent of barley.

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Frame New Plans Which May Restore Order in Ireland

London.—General Sir Neville Macready, military commander of Ireland has framed new plans by which he believes better order will be established in Ireland shortly. Mr. Bonar Law announced in the house of commons that the plans had been approved by the cabinet.

The government leader's statement followed questions regarding the sensational murder of two policemen at Cork, and whether General Macready had taken steps to co-ordinate with the police and the military forces.

Mr. Bonar Law said that the military commander had already taken most important steps, and at a cabinet meeting had proposed others, which met with the approval of the government. What these steps were Mr. Bonar Law did not say. He declared, however, that the government would take any action which in its belief would restore decent conditions.

General Macready is at the present time in London for consultation with the officials, and the newspapers predict important developments. In this connection, it is unofficially stated, that additional troops are to be sent to Ireland and that the government is prepared to give the Irish executive all assistance necessary to suppress lawlessness.

Bloodthirsty Bolsheviki

Eighteen Men and Seven Women Executed at Jitomir by Order Of Commission

Warsaw.—Eighteen men and seven women were executed by order of a Bolshevik extraordinary commission in Jitomir just before the capture of that town in the Polish drive on Kiev, according to despatches from the front. The messages also give details of the alleged massacre.

Serious Shortage of Farm Labor

Winnipeg.—Only about 40 percent of Manitoba's wheat lands can be worked this season unless there is a marked increase in the number of the people willing to go to work on farms during the next few weeks, Manitoba farmers say.

According to T. J. Mather of the Dominion employment bureau, the situations left vacant during the last week is nearly three times the number of applicants placed.

Carranza Officials Wiped Out

El Paso, Texas.—High officials accompanying President Carranza in his flight from Mexico City towards Vera Cruz were captured or killed in an engagement between the federal escort and revolutionary troops under General Reyes Marqueiz, according to a telegram received from General Alvaro Abregon by R. E. Prisquira, financial agent for the revolutionary movement here.

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Sheriff Gets Ex-Kaiser

Imperial Throne and Trappings to be sold by Auction in New York

New York.—The Imperial German throne is to be sold here at auction. The goods of the former kaiserin and kaiser and former members of the German Imperial family, seized from the Imperial palaces of Berlin and Munich, for unpaid bills after the emperor abdicated and went to Holland, will be sold under the hammer here May 22, at one of the city's largest art galleries, it was announced.

Sixty-five pieces are in the Imperial collection, which was brought here two weeks ago by the purchaser and importer, Valdemar Pevelson. He declared he had considerable difficulty in getting an export permit from the German government which was against this, but he had promised to buy food with the net profits for resale in Germany.

Authenticity of the art objects is vouched for by one of Berlin's most reputable art firms.

Three complete salons with portieres embossed with German eagles, wall hangings, rugs made to order in the Orient for the former kaiser, and antiques which have belonged to the Imperial German and Bavarian families for centuries, are said to be included in the collection. These sets of furniture were in the collection, the throne of red plush, embroidered with Prussia eagles, also, are advertised for sale.

According to Mr. Pevelson, the ex-kaiser was not always prompt about paying his bills. Immediately upon his flight to Holland, patience was exhausted and creditors seized household belongings in payment for the accounts.

Premier Borden Leturns

Has His Old Vigor and Declares He Is Now in Perfect Health

Ottawa.— Bronzed and apparently in excellent health, Sir Robert Borden has arrived in Ottawa.

Sir Robert showed no traces of the illness which had necessitated his five months' holiday. He had the old vigor and to all queries he smilingly replied that his health was of the best His arrival was the occasion of a celebration by his supporters. Headed by Sir George Foster and members of the cabinet, they gathered on the platform to welcome him back to Ottawa. As Sir Robert and Lady Borden stepped off the car there was a round of cheering. On the platform with the Unionists was Dr. Clark, member for Red Deer, and prominent in the National Progressive party. It was Dr. Clark's birthday. Sir Robert and he laughingly congratulated each other.

"You look younger than I do," Dr. Clark observed.

Distribute Seed Grain

Requirements of Settlers in Alberta Have Been Supplied

Edmonton, Alta.—The distribution of seed grain for settlers' spring requirements throughout Alberta has now been completed, and the department of agriculture is calling in its field men. The total supplies of seed given out this season have not yet been tabulated, but it is estimated by officials of the the department that they will represent a money value of close to $750,000, which is about twice the expenditure of last year and the largest of any one year since the government undertook this method of relief. All the grain thus supplied for seeding purposes has been Alberta grown.

Loan Farmers Seed Wheat

Winnipeg.—The provincial government has loaned the farmers of Manitoba a total of $261,000 so far this year for the purpose of seed wheat.

Huns to Answer For War Crimes

Germans Charged With Acts of Inhumanity Are Named In New Ally List

Berlin.—Men accused of acts of inhumanity are named in the new list of Germans accused of violations of the law of war which has been presented to the government by allied nations.

Among them are four U-boat commanders said to have torpedoed hospital ships; General Stenger, who is alleged to have ordered that wounded prisoners be shot, and officers who carried out that command. Field-marshal Buelow, former commander of the second German army; General Von Below, General Von Langemann, Prince Ernst of Saxony, and General Krusa, commander at the Kaiser prison camp, are charged with spreading germs of typhus, while General Von Oven, former governor of Metz; General Scholtz, camp commander at Hopenzalza; General Huff and Dr. Michelson, are charged with killing, ill-treating and robbing prisoners. Demand is that they be brought before the supreme court at Leipzic.

Toll of White Plague

42,920 Deaths From Consumption In Canada During Five Years

Ottawa.—Dr. D. C. Parfitt, Muskoka, and Col. W. A. Hartt, tubercular specialist, were called by the special committee on pensions in regard to tuberculosis among soldiers.

Dr. Parfitt said there were 35,684 Canadian soldiers killed in action in five years, while the number of deaths from tuberculosis in five years was 42, 920.

There were 8,508 tubercular cases in the Canadian Expeditionary Force during five and three-quarter years to April 30, 1920. The incidence ratio per thousand in five years was 501. There had been an increase of incidence in the last two and a half years of 16 percent. The incidence ratio (crude) of tuberculosis per 11,00 enlisted men was 14.4 (fourteen decimal four). The incidence ratio among the British expeditionary force was 6.14 per 1,000 (six decimal fourteen). Incidence in Canadian expeditionary force was 120 percent greater than in British expeditionary forces.

Anonymous Gift to Britain For War Debt

London.—Chancellor of the Exchequer, Austen Chamberlain, announced that he has received an anonymous gift of $130,000 of the war loan for cancellation and as a contribution to the reduction of the national debt.

The donor, explains Mr. Chamberlain, says that he denied the privilege of fighting for his country and that he desires to encourage other persons to similar patriotic action.

Municipality Rights

Ottawa.—Hon. Arthur Meighen, has secured the first reading of a bill which seeks to give municipalities the same rights as hitherto enjoyed by the provinces in the matter of regulating employment offices.

Has Tried Them Has Faith in Them

ERNEST SMITH TALKS OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Quebec Man Grateful for the Benefit He Has Received, Pays Tribute to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Grand Pabos, West Quebec, May 17th.—(Special.—Mr. Ernest Smith, a highly-respected resident here, is one of the many who have abiding faith in Dodd's Kidney Pills as a remedy for sick kidneys.

"I have suffered from my kidneys," Mr. Smith says, "and I read that Dodd's Kidney Pills were good, so I tried them. They have helped me so much that I will continue to use them when my kidneys trouble me."

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Sir Arthur Currie Appointed Principal Of McGill University

Huge Deficit of C.N.R.

Report of Earnings and Expenses for Past Year Tabled in The House

Ottawa. — Gross earnings of the Canadian Northern railway for the year ended December 31, 1919, were $53,562,177.57, according to the fifth annual report of the directors tabled in the house by Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways.

These were derived as follows: From passenger traffic, $10,775,708.46; from freight traffic, $39,175,555.00; express, mail and telegraph, $1,538,902.18 miscellaneous, $3,337,014.81.

In addition, there were interest and other subsidiary companies that contributed the balance.

Working expenses amounted to $60,034,023.92, and hire of equipment, taxes, rentals, and miscellaneous operations, $1,020,553.61, making the total expenses $61,054,577.00. The deficit was $5,700,647.70, and interest charges $19,969,710.36, a total deficit of $25,670,358.06.

The directors call attention to the fact that the report covers only the operation of Canadian Northern railway lines.

The total mileage operated at the end of the year was $9,685.7, compared with $9,566.5 at the end of 1918, being an increase of 119.2 miles. The average mileage in operation throughout the country was 9.68 miles.

Soviets Grant Concession

Bolsheviki Authorities Have Agreed To Save Lives of All Anti-Soviet Soldiers

London. — Bolsheviki authorities have agreed to spare the lives of soldiers separated from General Denikine's army in Southern Russian, and those of other anti-Soviet troops, who may in future be taken prisoner. A note to this effect was today received by British Officials in answer to a message to the Russian officials. This is the most satisfactory note on this subject yet received from the Soviet government, and officials hope protection can soon be guaranteed to Denikine's men with trade agreements or other concessions to the Soviet government.

Mennonites Would Like to Stay

Reported to Have Asked Manitoba Government for Tract Of Land

Winnipeg, Man.— The Mennonite situation took a further new turn when it was learned that during the past few days, despite reports to the contrary, it has become evident that the Mennonites in Manitoba do not wish to leave the province, but would prefer to make a change in the location of their colony from the present well-settled district to some more remote portion.

They have asked the provincial government, it is stated, to go over the map of the province, and if a tract of country could be found where there were no settlers and where settlers would not go because of the rigorous climate, or the poorness of the land, to allow them to take it over with the privileges of education and religion which are denied them in their present location in southern Manitoba.

The Mennonites, it is declared, possibly have in mind the large tract of open country bordering on the Hudson's Bay. The provincial government, however, has not entertained for a moment any idea of such concessions.

Germany Estimates Damage

Berlin.—Germany has made an independent appraisal of damage done in devastated districts in France and Belgium, and has incorporated her findings in a detailed memorial which will be presented to the allied representatives immediately, according to a recent statement.

Montreal. — Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie, who commanded the Canadian forces in Flanders, and who has been offered the post of principal of McGill University, has accepted the post.

Sir Arthur Currie is at present inspector-general of Canadian militia.

The statement issued at McGill University is as follows:

The board of governors have appointed General Sir Arthur Currie, G.C.M.G. K.C.B., D.S.O., principal and vice-chancellor of McGill university

In offering Sir Arthur Currie the principalship of McGill, the governors were influenced by the conviction that the university needs at the present time, above all other things, a principal with exceptional powers of organization and administration and endowed with a tried capacity for inspiration and leadership. The sustained brilliancy of Sir Arthur Currie's record in the great war will always throw an added lustre upon the most glorious annals of our country. His achievement as general commander of the Canadian army won him a reputation unsurpassed, if not unrivalled, by that of any general in the British forces.

"They were accomplished not alone by his skill as a soldier, but also by the patient, constructive and far-seeing qualities of a statesman with which he welded the Canadian units into an organization, which, we are proud to believe, was the best and most efficient army corps at the front. His war despatches were notable for their clearness and descriptive excellence, while his messages to the Canadian army were characterized by a loftiness of tone and a noble simplicity of utterance which attracted the admiration of all English-speaking peoples. The qualities which made him an incomparable organiser and a leader at the front fit him preeminently for the headship of a great Canadian university.

"The appointment to the principalship of one who, beyond six years' experience as a school teacher, is without academic affiliations may come as a surprise to some of the friends of McGill. But the governors were supported by the sanction of high educational authorities in inviting Sir Arthur Currie to accept the position.

"He was singled out and his appointment enthusiastically urged by Sir Auckland Geddes, and the suggestion was emphatically approved by the Master of Balliol and Professor W. G. S. Adams, fellow of All Souls, Oxford, who rank with the most eminent educationalists in the British Isles. The two high academic personages united with Sir Auckland in the belief that McGill would be singularly fortunate if it succeeded in securing Sir Arthur Currie's services and there is no one, either in Canada or Great Britain, whose name they could put alongside his for consideration.

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A New Road Policy

Now that the municipality question is again indirectly before the residents—in that committees of the United Farmers and Board of Trade are investigating the matter—it will be in order to point out that some new legislation as to highways which was put through at the session of the legislature just closed would make it look as if local self-government will from now on be a much better investment than the present government handled system.

Under the new order of things the provincial authorities stand prepared to extend generous aid in making and maintaining good roads in organized districts, and for the purpose have established road classifications on the following lines: Primary, secondary and local, and have very definitely defined the extent and upon what terms their assistance will be extended. Cost of construction and maintenance of primary and secondary highways have been apportioned as follows:

Primary, 75 per cent by the department and 25 per cent by the municipalities; secondary, equal share in construction cost and, as to maintenance, 40 per cent. by the department and 60 per cent. by the municipality.

In the case of local highways the entire cost of construction and maintenance shall be borne by the municipality. In the case of secondary roads running through municipalities of less than one thousand population the department may contribute as high as 75 per cent. for construction and maintenance. Control of the construction and maintenance of the primary highways will be in the hands of the department, of secondary in the municipalities.

Fifteen days notice may be given by the department to a municipality that a secondary highway is not kept in proper condition, and if it is not put into proper repair the department may step in and charge the cost thereof to the municipality.

Assuming that under municipal government the present tax rate of one per cent is adhered to, and added to which would be the provincial grants as outlined above, with local supervision as to where and how and by whom the greater part of the work would be done, any increased expenditure the proposed organized area might have to assume in the matter of schools under municipal control would be amply recouped in the more generous terms on transportation facilities.

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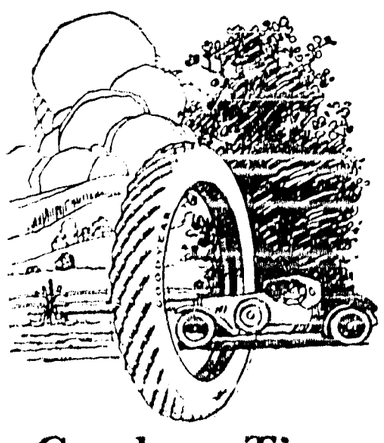
G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

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



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NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

The sawmill at Bonner's Ferry is now running night and day.

Carle's greenhouse at Keremos contains almost a million tomato plants.

In the six lower rooms of Penticton school music will be taught next term.

Kaslo brass band's benefit dance last month enjoyed a cash intake of $150.

P. Burns & Co. is spending $5000 on a new slaughter house at Cranbrook.

The annual hospital ball at Kaslo last month enjoyed a financial intake of over $200.

Trail Presbyterians claim to have over $6000 guaranteed for their new church in that city.

Penticton council is getting ready to market $35,000 of irrigation bonds amongst the citizens.

Cranbrook Methodist Ladies' Aid with 27 members raised a matter of almost $1000 last year.

There is considerable demand at Revelstoke for city-owned vacant lots for gardening purposes.

Penticton council has just promulgated regulations compelling pool rooms to close at 11 p.m.

The Revelstoke hospital has almost $5,000 of unpaid dues, as well as a mortgage of almost $25,000.

About fifty instructors of the young idea were at Cranbrook Easter week for the teachers' convention.

Fernie Italians do not appreciate the white man's music and are organizing a brass band of their own.

Pick and shovel men working on city work at Fernie will be paid $4.00 for the eight hour day this year.

Fernie will religiously enforce the regulations that forbid spitting on the sidewalks or in public buildings.

At Fernie already this season sixty-eight new auto owners have applied for licenses for their motor cars.

For the evening social enjoyment at Cranbrook on May 24th no less than three dances will be staged.

Cranbrook Rod and Gun Club would have the 1920 grouse shooting season open two weeks later than last year.

Cranbrook is to have its 1920 fall fair on Sept. 1st and 2nd. W. E. Worden is the new president of the society.

Both Fernie and Revelstoke report a severe demand for houses by people tired of being their own landlords.

With spuds going at over $100 a ton the Grand Forks Gazette sadly recalls that in 1916 they were to be had [illegible]

C. A. Fenner, the Greenwood barber, announces that in his spare time he is prepared to mend up umbrellas [illegible]

The should power for the installation of 23 new water connections in March and 32 in April as the best possible [illegible]

In April Trail had fifteen births, 4 weddings and 6 deaths. In the reinforcements the girls had it by a margin of ten to five.

The feature of building activity at Kaslo this year is on the hill where owners are putting cement foundations under their residences.

At their first concert and dance to raise funds to pay for the new $500 piano, Cranbrook high school scholars had a gross intake of $200.

The Free Press learns that at least a dozen Fernie citizens will make the trip to the Old Country this summer. About eleven of them are married ladies.

Fernie had at least half a hundred applicants for the position of city police, which has been awarded S. O. Lawson of Macleod, Alta., at a stipend of $200 a month.

Trail Methodist church now boasts a membership of seventy-eight—a gain of seven over the year previous. From all sources the congregation came through with $2700.

Five Kaslo citizens were among the forty candidates who rode the goat at the big Knights of Columbus initiation ceremony at Rossland a couple of weeks ago.

The books just closed for the Methodist church at Revelstoke show the past twelve months to have been the biggest revenue producers in the history of the congregation.

Rev. H. Panabaker, Methodist pastor at Kimberley, who has resigned to go back to Ontario, was presented with a club bag by his congregation before leaving on the trip east.

The Bank of Hamilton is spending $30,000 on a new building at Penticton, while the Bank of Montreal is also planning to spend $20,000 on a new building before the end of the year.

Invermere will entertain delegates from East Kootenay boards of trade on May 28th and 29th, when an effort will be made to organize an associated boards of trade for all the territory east of Kootenay Lake.

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At Penticton there promises to be a heavy crop of cherries, peaches and plums. Apples and apricots are likely to be light, though the total crop will be fully as large as last year.

Rossland Lodge Knights of Pythias increased its membership by about forty at a big initiation ceremony on Sunday last, which was followed by a banquet of considerable dimensions.

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Lister Thriving

Victoria, May 31.—Returned soldiers placed on the land by the British Columbia Government in the Creston district will soon be a big factor in supplying the prairie cities with Canadian-grown small fruits, according to the Hon. E. D. Barrow, minister of agriculture, who is back in Victoria today after a tour of inspection in the interior.

One hundred returned men with their families, many of them already living in their own houses on their own allotments, are busy developing the area so that they will be in a position to take advantage of all the profits that will be offering as soon as they are producing.

Strawberries, Hon. Mr. Barrow explained, picked today and shipped from the Creston station at noon will be on the market early tomorrow morning in Calgary and Lethbridge. This proximity of the famous Creston fruit area to the prairie markets gives the district an advantage over all other fruit producing areas of the West.

Direction at the settlement, Hon. Mr. Barrow found, is also another reason for its success. Captain Rowberry is now superintendent at Creston. Hon. Mr. Barrow declared he found Captain Rowberry to be a practical man who is making the most of the Creston possibilities and the determination of the men themselves to succeed.

Land on which clearing work was started last summer is now being plowed. It will not be sown in crop this year, but is being prepared for the planting of fruit trees. The old settlement at Creston, which adjoins the soldier colony, is one of the most prosperous fruit districts in British Columbia.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Nurse vs. Hospital

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—Having read a letter in your last issue under the heading, Hospital vs. Nurse, I should like to write a few words in reply on behalf of Creston Women's Institute, as it is the Institute that is taking up the matter of a Public Health Nurse.

To begin with the heading itself is misleading, for such a nurse would be in no way against a hospital. Some misunderstanding appears to have arisen on this point amongst some of the general public and a few of the Institute members who were not present at the last meeting, when the matter was discussed.

It is not a matter of having either a hospital or a district nurse. To quote part of a letter from Dr. H. E. Young, provincial officer of health, which has been sent to all our different organizations: "This is a question entirely apart from hospital work, but would work in conjunction with the hospital should you establish one in the future."

We have put off doing anything in the matter of a nurse for some time till we could see what was going to be done about a hospital, so that we shonld not appear to be interfering at all with that scheme, but we did not consider it advisable to delay the matter any longer owing to the conference to be held here in a few months' time. Still, the fact of our having a hospital, if we can get one, would not r er the nurse unnecessary any more than, on the other hand, she would take the place of one, though she would, of courre, be a great deal better than nothing at all.

The nurse would reach some who would have no need to go into a hospital and yet would be greatly benefitted by a little attention daily. She would have an office in town and hours when she could be consulted daily, and she would also work in conjunction with the doctor amongst the school children, following up his medical inspection by going to the parents where necessary and giving them help and advice, thus coming in contact with the younger children who do not attend school.

Her duties are to visit the sick, and help them in their own homes, but she does not undertake the entire charge of any one case to the neglect of others; giving help to all who need it as far as possible. A small fee is charged, but this is not compulsory, those who do not pay receiving attention just the same.

With reference to the notices sent out asking for subscriptions, the Institute at their last meeting decided to take this step following up a suggestion of the provincial health officer, hoping thus to raise enough to pay the board and lodging of a nurse, when the government would help with the salary.

As to a hospital being "cheaper in the long run" the salary of the nurse is $125 per month, $40 of which is allowance for living expenses and no hospital could be run on that sum besides which the government has promised to help toward the keep of a public health nurse, whereas we have no guarantee that they will give anything toward the upkeep of a hospital which might be empty for a great part of the year.

We are hoping that Creston will receive a visit about the 15th of June from Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, secretary of B. C. Women's Institutes, who is a great authority on public health matters, and if all, both men and women, who are interested in the subject (and also those who are not interested, so that they may become so) will come and hear her speak, on a date to be announced later, we feel sure they will gain a great deal of information about forming a public health centre.

This is not a matter to be taken up by the women's institute alone, but being a matter of public interest, and for the benefit of the whole community, the public in general should help to bear the burden, for only by co-operation can we secure success.

J. C. HAMILTON,
Secy. Women's Institute.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Floating wharf at Kuskonook, B.C." will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, June 18, 1920, for the construction of a public floating wharf at Kuskonook, district Kootenay, B.C.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained at this Deparment, at the office of the District engineer at Nelson, B.C., and at the Post Office, Kuskonook, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions contained therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 p.c. of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or War Bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount.

NOTE—Blue prints can be obtained at this Department by depositing an accepted bank cheque for the sum of $10, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submit a regular bid.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 19, 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.

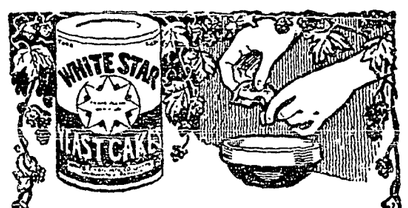
Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands [illegible] 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, purchase 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 [illegible] administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on [illegible] priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form Associations for range management. Fees [illegible] permits for settlers, campers or travellers [illegible]



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(Continued.)

"I'm glad to hear you say so, son," said Mr. Downing heartily. "I thought that maybe you wanted his position."

Ruggles shook his head. There was a flush on his cheeks and his eyes were very bright. "No sir," said he, "I don't want anybody's job. What I want is a new one all of my own. I want the general managership of the far east—Asia and India and Australia. I want to see the Walkeasy Shoe for sale in Colomo and Bombay and Calcutta and Singapore and Sydney and Melbourne and Manila and Hongkong and Yokohama. The California people can look after Honalulu—and there must be a fine field."

Mr. Downing tossed his cigar through the window. There was a flush on his own cheeks now.

"It's a big idea," said he, "but I don't see why not. Look here, can't you come to dine with us tonight? And afterwards we can go over this thing with my boy, Dick." He gave Ruggle's a quizzical smile. "You seem to have got the thing pretty well worked out," said he.

"I've thought about it a lot," Ruggles answered. "It ain't so much the money proposition, because goodness knows I've got more money than I can spend, right now. "It's just the idea of doing something big."

"Yes," Mr. Downing assented, taking out a fresh cigar, "after all, that's the main thing."

CHAPTER XXV.

As the Downing's big limousine entered the grounds of Ruggle's villa, it passed Darthea, fresh and charming in white linen and a little hat to match. Dick flung his big shoulders back and nearly twisted his head off in the effort to keep her in sight.

"Is that one of 'em?" he asked. Oh, [illegible]

[illegible] niece, Miss West- [illegible] Miss Challand, primly.

[illegible] jerked back his head, subsided [illegible] and suffered sub- [illegible] kick in [illegible]

[illegible] "Harbor," he mum- [illegible] full of these [illegible] I forgot about [illegible] girls. Awfully cor- [illegible]

[illegible] and Mr. [illegible] and presented [illegible] followed [illegible] Dick immedi- [illegible] Oriental beauties, [illegible] to be [illegible]

per window. Declining Miss Challand's invitation to enter, Ruth told the chauffeur to go to the hotel, where she sat for half an hour on the terrace, impatiently awaiting her parent, and saying to herself highly unflattering things about the speed of Ruggle's limousine. When finally she saw it approaching, she saw Mr. Downing alight and shake hands with Ruggles and heard him say: "Tonight, then at eight." From which she gathered that Ruggles was to dine with them.

As her father entered, Ruth went forward rather shyly to meet him.

"Hello, Toodles," said he, and he caught her flushed face in his hands and kissed her heartily, to the poignant envy of one or two beflanneled youths who were loitering about. "Think we were never coming?"

"What took you so long?" Ruth asked. "Tire down, or can't that big box get over the road?"

"No. We took it easy 'o purpose. Been having a long business talk. A good man Ruggles. Got a clear, and steady head on his shoulders. Should not wonder if we managed to do some big business together. He's got the right spirit —the sort of spirit I've always tried to infuse our people with. He impressed me a lot."

Ruth's heavy lashes half hid her sapphire eyes.

"Didn't you talk about anything but business?" she demanded.

"Well, no—not that I remember—why?"

"Oh —nothing." She turned her shoulder to him, then looked back resentfully. "I only thought that as he saved me from drowning last night, you might have—have"

Mr. Downing laughed. "Jealous, hey?" said he. His face grew suddenly grave. "My dear little daughter," said he, "Now that you're safe I don't want to think about that any more than I can help. It's too awful! God!"

He turned away suddenly and strode to the stairs.

Ruggels dined that night with the Downing's at the Hermitage. "No shop" was talked during the meal, but Dick drew Ruggles out on his Turkish experiences, listening with the most intense interest to his brief but graphic descriptions, which were, like all of Ruggle's anecdotes, as impersonal as one can conceive possible. That native modesty, which had been a drawback in active commercial life, was now an unconscious asset in a social one. It drew to Ruggles people who he could never possibly have known had he been self-satisfied.

Mr. Downing spoke but seldom. He confined himself to watching Ruggles and weighing him; and despite his first strongly favorable impressions, he was surprised at his gradually growing conviction that he had fallen far short in his estimate of his youthful guest. As an industrial power, Richard P. Downing had gained the greatest part of his success by a genius for the selection of the right men for the right places, and as he watched and listened he began to think that there must have been a flaw in some part of his organisation to have made possible the overlooking of Ruggles.

As for Ruth, she scarcely opened her lips. Ruggles observed this reticence and put his own construction upon it. He decided that the thought of Roxana still weighed on the girl's mind. That problem, thought Ruggle's sadly to himself, should have been settled between them before all these other things had happened. It was there like a broken stitch —in a shoe-sole or anything else. He did not blame Ruth, nor could he blame himself. It seemed to be just one of those kinks in the same fate which had raised him from poverty to opulence, only to mock him in the end. Very young people always look for this sort of mockery when things go wrong and the dream is not carried to fruition—and at once.

Ruth, on her part, was not thinking at all about Roxana. She had dismissed that primitive from her mind as easily as one might forget the unpleasant sensations of being clawed by a Persian cat. What puzzled and vexed Ruth was the fact that Ruggles and her father had ridden back to Le Tourquet in half an hour more than the time required to make the journey and appeared to have talked about nothing but shoes. She began to wonder if perhaps Ruggle's long devotion to herself might not be less on account of her modest attractions than because she happened to be the daughter of Richard Prouty Downing president of the Walkeasy Shoe Company of America.

So Ruth retired early to stretch herself in bed and ponder these problems, and after she had gone, the men went into the salon-couloir and talked "shop." Dick became an immediate and violent partisan of Ruggle's big idea. Wonderful thought!—the sun never setting on the Walkeasy shoe. Our slogan, "We Shoe the World"; and cuts of the globe with the latest model of the Walkeasy poised on the Pole! Carry the war into the enemies countries! Big stores to be established in every town of every country where the people don't still walk barefoot! Palaces—real shoe palaces —in the capitals, with tea-rooms and reading-rooms, and everybody wearing a Walkeasy shoe a welcome guest, whether they want to buy any more or not. Cash Walkeasy patron's check on any old bank in Hog Run or Turkey Trot, and no questions asked. Help 'em in trouble. Estab'ish a Walkeasy cable code and engineer presentations to the Pope or the Sultan or the last man to fly upside down Give 'em any d——d thing they want so long as they wear the badge of the guild on their feet. Bully big thought!

Ruggles finally said good night and walked back to his villa in a peculiar state of mind. It was, perhaps, more difficult for him to adjust himself to this newly sprung intimacy with the Downings, father and son, than it had been for him to think of himself as a millionaire with great responsibilities or even as a suitor for the hand of Ruth. Here he had been actually in conference over the future development of the company with its supreme head and its probable successor, and outlining an ambitious policy constructed along bigger lines than either had ever ventured to imagine.

The strangest feature to Ruggles was that it had all seemed such a natural thing for him to do. The personal equations too, impressed him as so different from anything which he could possibly have preconceived. Mr. Downing, that omnipotent Jove, had suddenly become to him merely a quiet, clear-headed business man, of which sort there were many thousands whereas Dick, that wondrous paladin of college and factory, whom he had worshipped as a demi-god was, after all, no more than a fine, big, good-natured boy, with a normal amount of commercial ability and the faculty of making friends.

It cannot be said that Ruggles was disappointed or disillusioned. He was more perplexed with himself to find that he could sit unabashed at the table of the high gods than critical of the Downing men. They were, after all, just about as he had pictured them. It was the utter lack of his own early reverence and awe which puzzled him, for he could not realize that the change was in himself.

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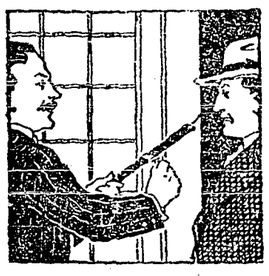

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At the recent motor boat exhibition in London, England, the most attractive exhibit was the famous coastal motor boat C.M.B.4, from the Baltic after many cruises, during which she passed through lines of forts and torpedoed the Bolshevik cruiser Olog. This vessel is a skimover or hydroplane of the type invented before the war for sporting purposes. It attains a speed of 40 knots with full armament and crew. The show contained many British examples of small auxiliary motors, which can be attached to rowing boats and other small craft. Some of these are installed on board and others are attached to the stern without structural alterations. One pattern, with an engine rated at 2 to 3 horse power, weighs only 60 lbs. complete with propellor and steering gear.

Waited too Long

"Where are you going?" the dentist asked a man who started to leave the waiting-room. "I've been here 45 minutes for you to pull a tooth for me." "Well, I'm ready for you now, step in the waiting-room." "I'm not ready for you now doc. When I first came in here I was chock full of doughboy courage, but every second some of it oozed away, and now I guess I must feel about the same way a German in a dugout felt just after he had shouted 'Kamerad!' and was not certain whether the answer would be a hand grenade or an order to march to the rear."

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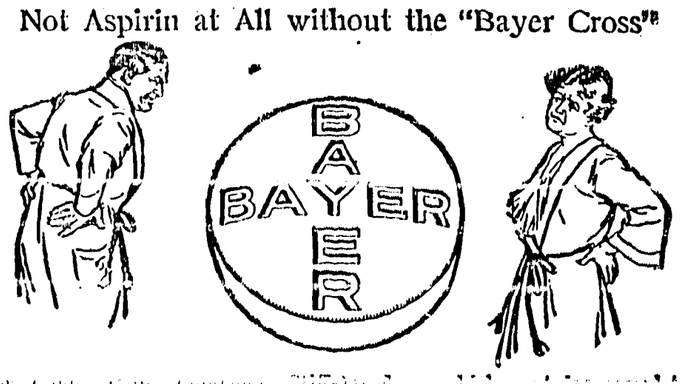

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Heavy Horses Are Again in Demand

Transport Companies Consider Horse For a Five-mile Haul Cheaper Than A Motor Dray

J. L. Dougherty, representative of the Ontario Department of Agriculture in Kent County, in an inteview points out that there is a good future to breeding of heavy horses, he says:

"For a few years past prices for heavy horses has not been remunerative to the breeder, hence there has been a marked decrease in the number of good heavy horses to be had. This scarcity, coupled with the fact that transport companies have found out that the horse for a five mile haul and under is cheaper than the motor-dray is resulting in increased demand and good prices for first-class sound, heavy horses with good feet and plenty of bone of good quality.

"April 22nd's issue of the Breeders' Gazette, published in Chicago, contains the following information relative to the horse industry: "The Consumers Co., of Chicago, gave an order ten weeks ago for two hundred and fifteen geldings weighing 1600 pounds and over for which they are willing to pay full market prices. Notwithstanding the fact that since the time when the Consumers Co. placed their order weekly receipts at the Chicago Markets have run from 800 to 1,200 head; this company has purchased only 60 head. There are scores of other concerns in Chicago and in every city in America in a similar situation. They fully understand now the advantages that would accrue to them from the use of horses rather than trucks in the conduct of their cartage departments. The same issue contains the information that a pair of geldings came into the Chicago market last week which cost the buyer $1,350. In the country, farmers would be well advised to resume the breeding of first class heavy horses."

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World's Greatest Crisis

Red Cross League Faced With A Gigantic Task in Europe

Raymond B. Fosdick, formerly of Buffalo, and for a time acting as the undersecretary-general of the League of Nations, and who returned from Europe a few weeks ago, says in a communication to the New York Times:

"No one who has been abroad in recent months, in contact with the situation in countries like Poland, Austria, Hungary, Germany, Czecho-Slovakia and Jugo-Slovakia, can escape the belief that Europe is plunging to a catastrophe besides which political questions such as boundaries and indemnities are insignificant. So far from getting on their feet, these countries are sinking in a quagmire of non-production, stavation and disease, which only the united efforts of the rest of the world can keep from spreading."

It is Mr. Fosdick's conviction that, "Europe faces a catastrophe of appalling proportions, measurable in anarchy and loss of life on a scale hitherto undreamed of." This accords in substance with the statements recently made by Henry P. Davidson, formerly chairman of the war council of the American Red Cross and now chairman of the general council of the Red Cross League, which embraces the Red Cross Societies of twenty-seven nations.

The general council of the Red Cross league decalres that "any voluntary aid to become effective can only follow the provision of such essentials as food, clothing and transportation, which must be given if the people are to live and be restored to a condition of self-support, and the need of which is so vast that it cannot be given by voluntary organizations, but must be supplied by governments.

Being a "quitter" so far as co-operating with the League of Nations is concerned the United States as a government is now facing the question of co-operating with the Red Cross league of the world in the rescue work of saving tens of millions of men, women and children from a death by famine and anarchy.—Buffalo Courier.

Harold II., last of the native English kings, died on the battlefield after nine months' reign.

Our Salubrious Climate

That Hudson Bay ex-factor who at the age of 94 danced with his wife at Montreal's celebration of the 250th anniversary of the granting of the Hudson Bay charter is a great advertisement of the salubrious North, and also of the fibre of the "gentlemen adventurers" who flew the company's flag at the remote posts of the Great Lone Land.

EARLY SYMPTOMS OF BLOODLESSNESS

Shown by Pallor of the Face and Lips —How to Obtain New Blood

Anaemia, or lack of blood is so gradual in its approach that it is often well developed before the patient is sufficiently alarmed to consult a doctor or take proper treatment to restore the blood to a healthy condition.

The earliest symptom of anaemia is loss of color, especially in the lips, gums and membranes lining the eyelids. Then comes shortness of breath on slight exertion, such as going up stairs, palpitation of the heart, increased pallor of the face and lips. If this thinning of the blood is not corrected it will proceed rapidly until a complete breakdown in health follows, when there may be disorders of the stomach, headaches and backaches dizziness and fainting spells. The most effective and prompt way to increase and enrich the blood at a time like this is through the fair use of Dr. Williams Pink Pills. These pills have restored to good health thousands of weak, anaemic people, among them Miss Mae Johnston, of Port Arthur, Ont., who says:—"Between the ages of sixteen and eighteen I worked in a telephone office, and it was very trying to the nerves and health. I became bloodless, and so pale that friends often said I looked consumptive. One night I had to be taken home from the office, and a doctor was called in who told me I must not go back for a time. Sometimes I would faint, and to walk up the stairs would leave me utterly breathless. As I did not appear to be getting any better one of my girls friends, whose mother had used Dr. Williams Pink Pills with great benefit, advised me to try these. I took the pills very faithfully for some time, with the result that they restored me to good health, and now when anyone tells me they feel weak or rundown, I always recommend Dr. Williams Pink Pills, as I feel so thankful for the help they gave me."

If you have any of the symptoms described by Miss Johnston try building up the blood with Dr. Williams Pink Pills. Eat nourishing food, exercise a little in the open air daily and watch the color return to cheeks and lips. You can run no risk in giving Dr. Williams Pink Pills a trial as they cannot injure the most delicate system. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Among the most curious modes of salutation is that of the Malays and other Polynesians, who greet each other by smelling. Two natives, on meeting after an absence of some time seize hands, rub noses violently, and at the same time weep loudly, presumably from the pleasures of seeing one another.

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Clemenceau arrived at the railway station—the duel was fixed to take place near a village some little way out—at the same time as his opponent.

The latter was first at the booking-office window, and asked for a return ticket to the place agreed upon. Then he stepped aside and gave place to the "Tiger," who quietly asked the clerk for a single ticket.

"Afraid you will not return, eh, M. Clemenceau?" the other said, sneeringly.

"Not at all, monsieur," was the quick response. "It is my invariable practice to make use of my opponent's return half—when I've finished with him!"

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After a precedence of some years, it appears that the pointed shoe is about to be shelved. According to the shoe dealers, and the latest numbers of shoe journals and catalogues, there are very few pointed shoes being shown, and next fall shoes with broad toes will be the style. This applies to women's shoes as well as men's, and will, no doubt, be welcomed with satisfaction by the men who have been forced to squeeze their pedal extremeties into stream-line bodied shoes, which are built for speed, but not for comfort, and for looks and not for endurance.

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Rush of Settlers

Americans Are Flocking to Western Canada This Spring

More settlers are coming into Saskatchewan from the United States this spring that at any time since the outbreak of war, according to figures that have been received by local C.P.R. officials. While this influx is considerable, it is said by these same railwaymen to be nothing to what may be expected later in the summer. During the first three weeks of the month twenty settlers arrived here from U.S. points on their way to land they had taken up. Five carloads of settlers' effects were registered at Portal as passing through to points in this province and 23 cars to Alberta points. Settlers are also coming through Kingsgate and Emerson, the traffic at the latter place being particularly heavy and as many as 46 carloads of effects passing through the port of entry in a day.

Ever the True Gentleman

Nobody ever believed that King George made the discourteous remark about President Wilson attributed to him, but Republicans have been disseminating them in their general effort to discredit the president. Now comes an official denial of the whole story from Japan. The King of England is ever the true gentleman—something which, unfortunately, cannot be said of all the Republican United States Senators. — The Philadelphia Record.

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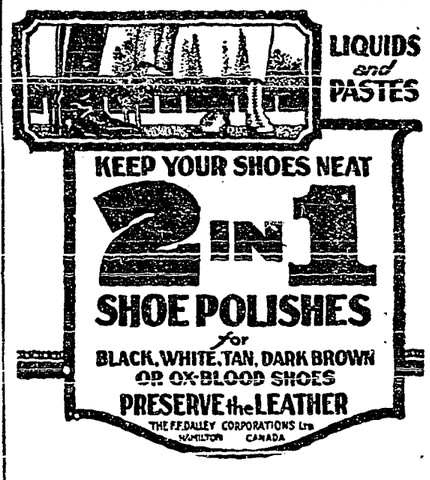

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Local and Personal

Horse, harness and buggy for sale. G. Davie, Canyon.

A full stock of wire screening just arrived. Mawson Brothers.

FOR SALE—Buggy, in good shape McCreath's Livery, Creston.

FOR SALE—Two Shorthorn milch cows. Ashley Cooper, Wynndel, B.C.

Oil stoves on the monthly payment plan if desired. Mawson Brothers.

DUCK EGGS FOR HATCHING—Peekin at $1.50per dozen. W.Davie, Creston.

FOR SALE—Bay mare, 5 years old, 1300 lbs, price right. Enquire Review Office.

OIL STOVE FOR SALE—Three-burner Florence, good as new. Mrs. W. V. Jackson.

PIANO FOR SALE—Erard piano, in good condition, $250. J. A. P. Crompton, Creston.

FOR SALE—Tomato and cabbage plants. Also three pigs 10 weeks old. R. Stewart, Creston.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and buggy, also light dump cart. Morrow's blacksmith shop, Creston.

POULTRY FOR SALE—Dozen Plymouth Rock hens and one rooster, all purebred. L. A. Davis, Creston.

Salvation Army services in Mercantile Hall every Thursday night, with young people's meeting at 7.30 and adults at 8.15.

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FOR SALE—Pony, 5 years old, weighs about 1000 lbs. W. B. Muir, Creston.

Owing to a shortage of space the May school report and the financial statement of the emergency hospital will appear next week.

Mr. McAlpine has lately arrived from Liverpool. England, on a visit to his son, who lately purchased the Forward ten-acre ranch.

Insect Powder kills bed bugs, fleas, lice, ants, mosquitoes, flies, etc., 35c. can, ready to use. Dong Barney, Pacific Restaurant, next drugstore, Creston.

Morgan Long is spending a few days in Cranbrook at present, where he is taking treatment for a touch of blood poisoning in the first finger of his right hand.

F. E. Loveday, manager of the Fruit Growers Union, was at Vernon the latter part of the week, for a meeting of the B C. Traffic and Credit Men's A sociation.

All the stores in town advanced the price of bread on Tuesday. It now sells at 15 cents a loaf, or seven loaves for $1. Up till now it was two loaves for 25 cents.

Al. Hendren and J. P. Johnston have been at Kitchener the past week, where they are erecting a new store and office building for the Paulson lumber firm.

The demand for pantry products was greater than the supply at the Presbyterian sale and tea on Saturday afternoon, at which the intake was almost $30.

FOR SALE—Span Percheron horses, well matched, weight 2300; also harness, wagon, sleighs and plow, all in good shape. Enquire at McCreath's livery barn. L. C. Davis.

Entries for the proposed Women's Institute flower show were due to close on Tuesday. Unless considerable more of them are made it would look as if the show would have to be abandoned.

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NELSON, B.C.

C. O. Quist left the latter part of the week for Metiskow, Alta., where he will spend the next few months assisting his sons at farming operations.

Yesterday was the King's Birthday and in addition to the usual list of races at which some $25 was distributed in prizes, the children were treated to an auto ride to the Canyon before the sports started.

R. Lamont has commenced the erection of a new one-story real estate office on a site between the Imperial Bank and the office occupied by Rose & Timmons. The rear of the building will be utilized as a garage.

Rev. C. C. Owen of Vancouver, travelling military chaplain for B.C., will take evening service in Christ Church, Creston, on Sunday at 7.30. He will give Lister its first Anglican service in the morning at 11.

Miss Lyda Johnson, who has been at Victoria Normal School since last summer, was successful in the final axams. last month, passing with the full senior standing, which carries with it the advanced diploma.

Christ Church Ladies' Guild at the June meeting on Tuesday discussed the matter of getting away from the guild idea and forming a woman's auxiliary. The decision was to carry on as at present until the end of 1920.

Commencing at June 1st the hours at the C.P.R. station have been fixed as follows—town time: Freight and express business from 9 to 5, with 1.45 to 2.45 for dinner. The telegraph office will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Creston Board of Trade meets in June session on Tuesday night. As the question of affiliating with the East Kootenay associated board will be discussed it is specially desired that there should be a full turnout of members.

The stores are now paying 60 cents a dozen for eggs. Butter is retailing at 75 cents, a drop of five cents in the last week. There is now a good supply of dairy butter and the creamery article is not being imported to any extent.

Mr. and Mrs. Attwood got back on Tuesday from a ten-day stay with Cranbrook friends. Along with Mr. and Mrs. Adams they made the trip to Invermere for the East Kootenay boards of trade conference at the week-end.

Vital statistics for May show the Valley population to have been enlarged by the arrival of four brand new citizens—all of them girls. There were no marriages and no deaths. For June, however, cupid promises a better showing.

Creston has decided upon a Citizens Day celebration on Friday, June 25th, and the committee in charge of the affair is meeting to-night to arrange the sports and other attractions. The best holiday of the sort ever seen here is being arranged for.

Local painters report 1920 the busiest season in their line in the last half-dozen years. Jas. Adlard, who has just finished the exteriors of the R. B. Staples and Jas. Cook residences is now brightening up the house occupied by C. G. Bennett.

Tomato planting is due to get under way at high pressure this week. The June full moon is now safely passed and all those who refrain from setting out plants until after the full moon are busy confident that further frost damage is not at all likely.

A notable transfer of town property was effected at the week-end when Mrs. Ben Long disposed of her residence on Victoria Ave., to Mr. Tungstead of Millet, Alta., at a price in the neighborhood of $2500. The purchasers will get possession immediately.

The June meeting of Creston Women's Institute is called for Friday next, June 11th, at 3 o'clock, when Mrs. M. B. Long will give a talk on the care of bulbs. Other business will be in connection with the forthcoming convention as well as the flower show.

Will the party who was seen removing the tire, inner tube and rim from the disabled Gray Dort car at the intersection of the Rodgers' and government roads on the evening of May 24th kindly return this property and save trouble. John Hobden, Creston.

During the past week C.P.R. crews have been here generally improving the company's property. The station platform has been replanked in spots and a new set of steps put in leading up from Wilson Ave. The residence of agent Swanson has also had considerable interior repainting.

Geo. Mead arrived from Natal on Saturday on a visit to his mother, and incidentally to recuperate from an accident he sustained a couple of weeks ago while horse back riding, the animal throwing him and almost breaking one of his legs. He is now making good progress toward complete recovery.

After a skip of a couple of weeks Creston Presbyterians had services on Sunday with Rev. Prof. Barnard of Edmonton, Alta., occupying the pulpit. The speaker is a patient at the [illegible] and for the next three months will be available for services when other ministers fail to get here.

The official weather report for May shows that the Valley was favored with a total rainfall for the month of almost two inches. The coolest day of the month was the second when the mercury showed four degrees of [illegible] the warmest day was the eighth when the atmosphere warmed up to 79 in the shade.

Creston Fruit Growers Union this week received an offer for their entire stock of sugar at a price a few cents a pound higher than they are selling it at present. This would indicate an expected shortage and makes immediate sugar buying a decidedly worth while investment.

Messrs. Constable and Hayes got home on Sunday from their trip to Invermere on board of trade business. Residents in the Columbia Valley state that this year's accumulation of snow is the heaviest ever and given a little steady warm weather the cannot see how the worst floods in a dozen years can possibly be avoided.

Rev. G. H. Hamilton, local Methodist pastor, who was expected back last Saturday to resume permanent charge of his congregation, is apparently not in the good health he appeared to be while home the fore part of May. Latest word is that arrangements are being made to send a man here to take his work until late in the fall.

Town property has been on the move the last few days, the latest sale being the store property of Mrs. W. K. Brown on Victoria Ave., opposite the Methodist Church, which has been purchased by Mrs. Bruce, who will remodel and occupy it as a millinery store. At present Mr. Morrow is residing in the premises. The price, we hear, was about $1600.

The delegates to the board of trade conference at Invermere last week did some very effective boosting. On Monday, W. R. Kimpton one of the oldest and biggest ranchers on the Windermere side of the lake, arrived in Creston to look the Valley over with a view to locating here. He has lately given an option on his place and is hoping to dispose of it.

The drugstore property on Wilson Ave., which the Beattie Oatway Co. will vacate about the middle of the month, was purchased last week by Mawson Brothers. The firm propose to make some interior improvements before moving into it about the middle of July. Mawson Bros. also own the vacant lot next to it which will expedite any further expansion in the way of bigger premises.

The balance of the good roads making machinery arrived at the first of the week, the latest equipment being the power for the crusher and the steam roller. Engineer Ramsay will be along any day now to select the stretches of road that are to be built into permanent highways. Between new roads and repair work it is announced that almost $45,000 will be spent on highways in Creston Valley this year, if labor is available.

F. G. Little, who had the distinction of owning the first motor car in the Valley—the Pioneer Ford, which he bought in 1912—is now entitled to rank as the Pioneer Overland owner, having this week taken delivery of a light four, the very latest in the Willys Overland manufacture. With the mayor again in the auto owning class and Hughie McCreath handling a Ford truck, Foster will have pretty much of a monopoly on 1920 weather guessing.

Hon. Jonn Keen, of Kaslo, M.P.P. for this constituency, spent Wednesday and Thursday here looking over the districts in which new roads and bridges are contemplated for this year. This was Mr. Keen's first visit since undergoing almost six months hospital treatment with a like number of operations last year. All are agreed that he never looked better in the four years Creston has known him intimately, and he certainly has lost none of his old time activity in getting about the country and generally looking after his constituent's interests.

The local mill of justice will be rather busy on Indian grist this week, Provincial police Vachon having no less than four of the reds due for trial on the arrival of R. L. T. Galbraith, the Kootenay Indian agent, who is due here today (Thursday). The trial list includes a stepson of Louie Luke, who is held on a charge for theft; Old Nick, who faces a charge of branding other people's cattle; White Louie, who was apprehended shooting deer out of season at Twin Bay one day last week; and Leo, who is charged with obstructing the police while in discharge of his duty.

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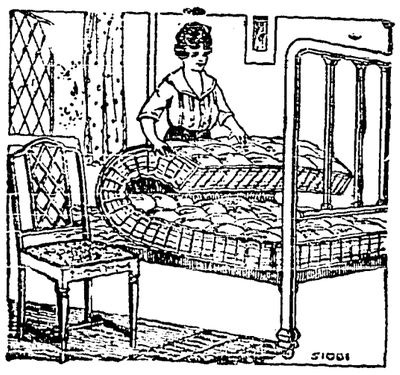

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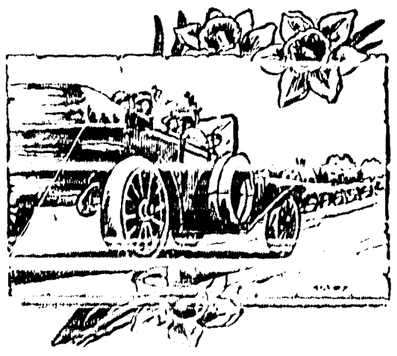

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