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Saturday, Oct. 2 1920 Fair Date

With the exception of President Rodgers, who was detained out of town, all the officers and directors, as well as members of committees, were on hand for the meeting of the Creston Valley Agricultural Association Friday night, at which Vice-President Cook presided.

The most important feature of the conclave was the naming of Saturday, October 2nd, as the date for this year's fair. This is the usual time for the exhibition, coming two days after the Nelson show, which will expedite matters in getting a good supply of government judges, possibly in all departments—incidentally this is also the date of the full moon, which will mean something in getting the out of town crowd home.

In connection with judges the secretary was introduced to apply for at least three of these for the fruit and vegetable section, as well as two others for the livestock, poultry and dairy produce. An effort will also be made to secure a couple of lady judges from the department staff of ajudicators.

The secretary will also write the department re this year's grant. In 1919 a matter of $250 was allotted Creston, but this year a new system has been introduced in this connection, government aid being on the basis of the previous year's prize list and the amount of money actually paid exhibitors. Guy Constable is still acting as secretary but C. B. Garland, who some time ago tentatively agreed to take on the secretarial work, will be again consulted with a view to having him take over the work, failing which the next meeting of the directors will make another appointment.

The prize list committee reported that as a result of their campaign for special prizes in cash and goods, as well the promise of at least seven new cups, it was prepared to assure that the 1920 list of awards would be considerably more attractive than in 1919 in every way, and that they were drafting their list to take care of at least a distribution of $600 in prizes, which does not include the value of the several cups. The trophies were being distributed in the livestock, poultry, fruit and vegetable classes, while in the other departments very attractive cash offerings were being made. The list this year will be issued at the end of July, and will be mailed direct to prospective exhibitors.

The grounds committee reported on a number of prospective improvements, including a shed for the poultry exhibit, and if possible also sheds for some of the livestock. It is announced that the next meeting will be a general one at which all members are urged to attend, and at which all the committees for the year will be struck, as well as naming the ladies and gentlemen who will have charge of the different sections on fair day.

As there is still a small debt on the new main building and some extra revenue will be required for the poultry shed and any other structures that may have to be erected, it is likely the agricultural association will appropriate fair night for the purpose of giving a dance to help secure the needed revenue.

West Creston

Del. Bliss of Porthill was a visitor along the Kootenay by motor boat on Thursday, in quest of the ferry at Porthill which had broke loose, and had passed the Kootenay River ferry at least twelve hours before Mr. Bliss arrived.

Geo. Seymour has just finished fencing the Buena Vista ranch at Corn Creek, and along with Jeo Stephens has set out about 1200 strawberry plants, which are coming along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moores left on Saturday, for Coleman, Alta., after a couple of weeks stay with the former's parents here.

Spraying is the order of the day at the Golden Glow and Cedar Grove ranches. At the former prospects were newer better for a fine crop of cherries.

Frank Tompkins has just finished ploughing the river bank ranch of F. K. Hurry, which will again be planted quite heavily to corn.

Angus Currie is seeding considerable wheat on the Benny ranch this spring, and will be going into chickens and ducks probably.

Cool weather the past week has taken the flood water off the flats considerably, and unless an excessively hot wave happens along soon it is not likely this year's overflow will hinder traffic at all.

Big game hunting is still to be had in this section. Joe Stephens reports seeing a brown bear at Corn Creek one day last week.

Canyon City

T. Harris has a crew of men in camp here who are making good time at clearing the right of way and grading Canyon side of the road to the new high level bridge.

Roads in this section are considerably improved since Guy Browell has had the drag busy behind the motor truck loads of lumber that have been hauling to town.

Lou Faulkner, who got back about ten days ago from a holiday trip to Florida, has gone to work again as planer mill foreman.

Fred Browell is preparing for the return trip to Alberta via the overland route in his Chevrolet.

Spraying operations are delayed this year owing to the supply of water having to be hauled from the creeks.

John Wood, who is working at Birchbank this season, was a week-end visitor at his home here.

Telephone connection, which was cut off a few days last week due to three felling operations on the new road mrking wire disconnection imperative. Things, however, are normal again now.

Decidedly cool weather prevails for so near the end of May but all the rancheas agree that if there has been any frost damage it is not noticeable at all.

The cold weather, seemingly, of the early winter was disasterous however, as almost 75 per cent, of the bees in this section have been winter killed. F. Knott with a dozen hives is the heaviest looser, while Messrs. Mawson, Wearmouth and Browell have lost three or four each.

Matt. Clayton has the distinction of being the first to use a power sprayer in the Canyon district. The machine is the property of Wm. Searle, whose ranch, along with the D. Rogers and Turner places, Mr. Clayton is handling this season.

Albert Wesling has just joined up with the motor car fraternity here, with a Chevrolet from the Embree garage at Creston. F. Knott is also due to graduate as a motorist, having purchased the Lou Hussack Ford.

Manford Samuelson is having rather a serious time of it at present with an attack of abcess in the throat.

Dad Browell is continuing clearing operations in these parts, being at present busy on an acre of the Shorty Adams ranch.

Listerites are not likely to go hungry for the next few months. A carload of flour for them was unloaded at the siding last week, along with a car of hay.

Miss Kate Wood, a sister in the convent at Seattle, is a visitor here at present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood.

Peter Nelson has just moved into the quite commodious new residence he has erected on the Petroschuk ranch, which he purchased some time ago. Incidentally he seems due to become the strawberry king of Canyon, as he is busy setting out some 12,000 of these plants. Mr. and Mrs. Petroschuk are now residents of Texas, we hear.

Mrs. S. T. Evans Dead

A death that has brought a touch of sorrow to Creston people generally is that of Mrs. Samuel T. Evans of Revelstoke, who passed away at an early hour on Monday morning, following a short illness that only took the turn for the worst a few hours before the end came. Deceased, who will be remembered as Laura Edmondson, was in her twenty-third year, had been a Creston girl since 1905, when she arrived with her parents, until May of last year, when she was wedded to Mr. Evans, since when they have resided at Revelstoke. Deceased was a graduate of Creston school, and after a year at Nelson high school graduated the next term from Victoria Normal School, teaching successive terms at Nelson, Erickson and Kingsgate, being in charge of the latter school at the time of her marriage. The funeral is arranged to take place to-day (Thursday), the body arriving on the noon train, with a short service at the Methodist church—which will be taken by Rev. J. P. Westman of Nelson—and interment at Creston cemetery. Mrs. Evans was popular alike as pupil and teacher, as well as with townsfolk, to all of whom word of her death brings keen regret. To the husband bereft of his bride of scarcely more than a year, and the parents who have taken a long farewell of an only child, sympathy that words are all too inadequate to express is sincerely tendered.

Erickson

Erickson members of the Women's Institute are giving a dance at the home of Mrs. F. V. Staples, to help raise funds to finance the big institute convention at Creston in August.

The first spray is now complete and according to the records it is finished at approximately the same date in May as was the case last year, while all agree that the blossoms are decidedly healthier looking.

BIRTH—On May 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Putnam, a daughter.

B. H. Turner is home again from Nelson, where he had been for a few weeks for treatment to his eyes.

Miss Melva Cartwright was home from Cranbrook for the Victoria Day vacation.

J. M. Craigie is the first in these parts to purchase a light delivery motor car, which can be used as a pleasure car or for work purposes. It is a Chevrolet, and he took delivery this week.

BIRTH—On May 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Fraser, a daughter.

May 24th passed off quitely here, any celebrating Erickson did was the day previous at Creston at the double-decked baseball tournament when Messrs. Telford, Maxwell, Hall and Long helped Creston score victories over both Duck Creek and Porthill.

Although seed is worth up to $150 a ton it is safe to say that the Erickson section never had such an extensive area planted to potatoes as is the case this year. Notwithstanding the bad luck last year the Long ranch has ten acres of spuds again this year.

Sirdar

Sirdar had an offiaial call from Vice-Presidents Hall and Coleman, who went through by special train on Sunday, and who spent about half an hour inspecting recent improvements here.

Marion and Earl Swanson of Creston were week-end visitors here, returning on the excursion train on Monday.

W. H. Morris, who has been here for a couple of weeks, left on Friday day for a holiday at Cranbrook.

Principal and Mrs. Brewis spent the holiday with friends at Wynndel and report that area looking fine for the biggest strawberry crop ever.

Sirdar hears that tenders have been called for the construction of the floating wharf at Kuskanook, with the bids to be in not later than the middle of June. Simultaneously tenders are to be asked for the construction of the raid from here to the wharf.

Rev. J. S. Mahood was here on Sunday, and had a fine turnout for the Church of England service at the schoolhouse.

Mayor Daly had a welcome visit on Sunday from his old friend Conductor Robischaud of Cranbrook, who took the excursion train out on May 24th.

Miss Donaldson has just arrived direct from the Old Country to take a position on the staff of the C.P.R. boarding house.

Mesdames North and Dennes were Creston callers on Saturday.

May 24th passed off very quitely here. Fearing an opposition day might spoil the attendance at Cranbrook Mayor Daly discouraged every effort to stage Victoria Day doings in the city.

Station agent Goodman was among the witnesses at Nelson last week in the Jackson and Cameron cases, and during his absence Henry Chester was in charge of the local depot.

Lister

Quite a number from here were at Creston for the Victoria Day dance and report it about the best they have been at in that town since coming here.

J. Turnley headed a delegation of about a dozen Listerites who were at Cranbrook for the 24th of May doings, and all report a fine time between the celebratien and seeing old friends.

Mr. Smith of Nelson, Mason & Risch piano company representative, was here at the week-end on a business trip, and reports having already placed four or five instruments at Lister.

J. Filmer left a few days ago for Lethbridge, Alta., where he is getting together his equipment of horses and implements to ship to Lister.

Ian Leask is a visitor with Nelson friends this week.

Mr. Mitchell, who has charge of the store, who has been on the sick list for a couple of weeks, is able to be about again, though not yet back on duty.

The sawmill is now completed and the boiler has passed the official inspection. With the arrival of a few steam fittings sawing operations will commence.

Stumping and ploughing operations are now under way on the tract that will be used as the experimental farm for the area. No announcement is yet made as to who will be in charge of it.

W. Bird is another Cranbrook visitor this week, for his family and household effects, and is expected back almost any day now.

Canyon City Lumber Co. caterpillar engine that has been here again for a couple of weeks at stump pulling, has returned to Canyon to resume log hauling operations, and will not likely be with us again until the wet weather makes log hauling impossible.

Mrs. Liddicoatt was a visitor with Cranbrook friends a few days last week.

Lister celebrated its first Victoria Day with an afternoon of sports, largely for the children. The youngsters foregathered at the school at 1.30 and then proceeded to the Brain ranch, where the day was spent. All sorts of outdoor athletics were indulged in, with special prominence to races, and the distribution of a generous supply of ice cream cones. The concluding feature was a baseball match in which the school team rather badly trimmed a team of grown-ups. A basket picnic ended the celebration which was most enjoyable one throughout. For the children's sports $160 was raised by subscription, practically all of which was distributed in cash prizes.

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

2510 Tons Hay 2131 Head Stock

Some decidedly interesting figures in connection with the livestock industry in this section were furnished in connection with the Creston Valley Stockbreeders Association annual meeting on May 17th, which was well attended, upward of seventy of those directly interested being present. On the basis of the returns made in the statement of Secretary Constable to the gathering it would appear that on the average 2200 pounds of flats' hay is required to put each head of stock through the winter that obtains in Creston Valley. In other words the total cut of hay on the flats last year was 2510 tons, which was required for 2131 head of stock if the statements of those applying for hay can be relied upon—and as the association went to some trouble to check up the quantity of stock in the district the figures can be taken as quite accurately stating the situation.

President J. W. Dow occupied the chair at the annual meeting, which was favored with the attendance of T. P. MacKenzie of Victoria, provincial grazing commissioner. Briefly put the treasurer's statement showed that during the year a matter of almost $20,000 was handled, and that after taking care of every expenditure during the year there is a surplus of $133. Of this amount it was decided to vote $25 for the purchase of a cup for the agricultural association, which will be known as the Stockbreeders' Cup, and will be awarded for the best beef type animal at the fair—the cup to be won twice in succession before becoming the permanent property of any winner. The meeting decided to change the association's year so as to have it close the first of May rather than at the end of December as heretofore, fixing the date of the annual meeting for the second week in May.

At the conclusion of this feature of the proceedings Mr. MacKenzie was called on for an address, in the course of which he stated that the regulations that had been drafted to govern the Valley association had been approved by the department and were now part of the B.C. Grazing Regulations. He took opportunity to compliment the organization on the excellence of their operating rules, remarking that they were exceptionally useful to the department in that they covered both grazing and hay cutting—a situation that existed nowhere else in the province at present, but doubtless would be met with at other points later on. Mr. MacKenzie was equally eulogistic in his remarks on the conduct of the association, stating that he had less trouble to contend with here than at any other place.

With the exception of two or three dissenting the 1919 officers and advisory board was given an enthusiastic re-election. They are:

President—J. W. Dow.
Vice-President—C. Sutcliffe.
Secy.-Treas.—Guy Constable.
Directors—G. Hobden, A D. Pochin, J. F. Rose, G. M. Benney, J. Hobden.

It was up to Secretary Constable to acknowledge the confidence that had been so unmistakably expressed in the handling of affairs last year, which he did in felicitous terms, remarking that as it had been the first season in the association's history it had of necessity been quite and intense and complex situation to handle, getting applause of the gathering when he observed that for this year the sailing would be quite smooth if all the members loyally co-operated with the officers and directors.

Briefly stated the reports submitted showed that there had been 128 applications to cut hay which requested a total of 1723 tons. Of these however, only 87 actually did any harvesting, covering 1513 head of stock (1312 cattle and 201 horses), but their haying operations mounted up to 2218 tons, or an average of 1.4 ton per head. In addition to this the association put up 237 tons by contract, and purchased another 55 tons, which accounts for the 2510 tons on a total of, which, as before stated, was for the feeding of 2131 head of stock.

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Would not any girl so taken have acted as Ruth had done? Would not any girl have assented to whatever he might have said and passively endured his caresses? Would not any girl have welcomed, in her dread of approaching dissolution, the grasp of strong arms and the comforting assurance that she was not to slip alone into the chill depths below?

Ruggles grew hot with shame at the recollection of his wild words and actions. It seemed to him that he had played the part of a coward rather than a hero, and that to attempt to profit by it now would be the performance of a cad. No, it could not be done. His emotions of the night before had been the result of shock and fatigue and the reaction from past danger. If ever he were to have Ruth he must win her fairly by faithfulness and industry, and not through a series of blind accidents. Even now it was possible that she might remember enough of what had occurred to be dreading the fulfilment of her faltered pledge.

"She needn't worry," muttered Ruggles to himself. "Unless she gives me some reason I'll never remind her of it."

He made his toilet, drinking his coffee as he dressed; then went on deck. His resolution had rought back dignity and self-possession. Scarcely glancing for an instant at the others of the group, he walked straight to Ruth, whose face at his approach glowed with a sudden rosy light.

"Good-morning, Miss Downing," said he quietly. "I hope you are feeling all right again."

Ruth's eyes, which had brightened at the sight of him, were filled with a swift questioning; and then, as they met Ruggle's steady gaze, the light seemed to fade from them. She thanked him in a low voice and introduced him to her father, who took Ruggle's hand in his strong grip and in a few simple words, free from sentimentality, he thanked him for the service that he had rendered to his daughter; then he made way for his son. Mr. Downing's had run over to Boulogne in their car immediately on reaching Montreuil-sur-Plage, telephone messages the night before. But on going aboard the yacht and learning that the two castaways were asleep, they had returned to the pavilion hotel.

As it was nearly time for the arrival of the Folkestone boat on which the Fellows expected their guests, the party made their adieus with many expressions of thanks and were set ashore at the quay where the two cars were awaiting them. On the way back Mr. Downing told Ruggles that he had been greatly interested in his singular fortunes and his guardianship of the Miss Bar. Ali Hamid, and even chaff'd him a little on the sudden elopement of Roxana, which incident had, of course, found its way into the papers. Ruggles turned rather cold and wondered what Mr. Downing would say if he should ever learn of the terrible fact connected with the affair and the narrow escape of his beloved daughter from mutilation and death.

To change the subject he began to talk about the company. Ruggles had also a deeper motive in this topic, and decided to take this opportunity of making a proposition which he had been seriously considering for some time. With this object in view, he said to Mr. Downing, as they stepped out on the quay:

"I wonder if you'd mind riding back with me in my car, sir? I'm a stockholder in the company now, and there are some things I'd like to talk to you about."

Mr. Downing looked rather surprised, but readily assented, whereupon Ruggles asked Dick Downing if he would kindly take Miss Challand back with him. The matter being thus arranged, the party was divided, and before getting into the limousine after Mr. Downing, Ruggles said to his chauffer:

"Drive slowly, Henri. We are in no hurry."

He was rather silent as the big car glided through the city and started to climb the long hill. Mr. Downing leaned back in his seat, lighted a cigar, and waited for Ruggles to begin. But it was not until they were on the open road that Ruggles came out of his apparent abstraction. He looked at his companion and smiled.

"I've got such a lot to say," he explained naively, "that I'm trying to get it sort of framed up before I start. First off, I guess I'd better tell you something about myself. Then you'll understand better what comes afterwards."

Mr. Downing nodded. "That's always a good plan," he said.

So, with no preamble of any sort, Ruggles proceeded to describe the services rendered to the company in the past by his father and himself. He told of his ambition and his hopes of being made the manager of the Vienna branch, his disappointment, and what it had led to. He spared neither himself nor others. He narrated the facts precisely as they had occurred.

Once or twice during this part of the tale Mr. Downing was on the point of interrupting, but he held his peace. His cigar went out.

Ruggles then passed to his service in the Balkans with the Red Cross. He described briefly his defence of Hamid Pasha, laying no stress upon his valor, but as from the start, confining himself briefly to the facts and leaving the details to the imagination. Mr. Downing was not lacking in imagination. Every promoter of every big successful enterprise is endowed with this quality in its soundest sense. Ruggles told of his convalescence and the last days of Hamid Pasha, when they sat upon the terrace of the palace reading Swinburne and discussing life immortal. Mr. Downing raised his bushy eyebrows, and the glances which he threw at Ruggles were no longer merely curious. That magnetism which was the boy's birthright and had its source in absolute honesty of thought and word and deed, making it impossible for him to be aught than purely natural, found its full effect upon a man who owed the whole of his success to a keen and correct estimate of men and motives. Ruggles was quite unconscious of this divine gift. Had he been conscious of it he would not have possessed it long. But others were conscious of it. Customers had felt it; Pembroke had felt it; Mr. Falconer had felt it; Hamid Pasha had felt it; Miss Elliot had felt it; and now Mr. Downing was feeling it. Of all the people of whom he had come in intimate contact the two who had felt it least were Darthea and Miss Challand; Darthea, because she was herself too self-centred, and Miss Challand, because she was hide-bound with insular prejudice.

Ruggles then told of the fortune left him by Hamid Pasha and its entailed responsibilities. Mr. Downing relighted his cigar and then let it go out again. Ruggles described how, after certain difficulties, he had managed to fulfill his sacred obligation, and get the girls safely betrothed to estimable husbands-elect. Mr. Downing wondered if he were living in the twentieth century. All of this narration was marvelously condensed, yet lacking in no important detail. The story of Genesis in Holy Writ might have been Ruggle's model for comprehensive concentration. It was at this point that he gave pause.

"Now the thing that's been sort of bothering me, Mr. Downing," said he, "is what I'm going to do with myself afterwards. These girls will all get married off this fall, and then my job's over, so far as they're concerned. Now I don't care anything about this sort of a life. Believe me, sir, some men are made to work and some to play, and I guess I'm one of the working kind. I liked to work for the company until it did me dirt, and I lost my head and made a fool of myself. But, you see, I'd sort of outgrown that job. I knew that I was fit for something better. But let me tell you, sir, I've been homesick for the company ever since I left it. And I've got some big ideas for it." And Ruggles proceeded to elaborate, though in scant words, his imperial policy for the company, the cup new [illegible] Downing listened and his eyes gleamed. He [illegible] presently.

"The way I'm fixed now," said Ruggles, "the company don't need to run any risk in giving me what I want. I won't ask any salary until I've made good. I hold the blood of our stock." The "cow" slipped out unconsciously and Mr. Downing noticed it and smiled [illegible] million dollars [illegible] Why, Mr. Downing, if this thing is handled right, with the right men in the right place, we could shoe the whole world."

Mr. Downing relighted his cigar for the third or fourth time.

"I suppose," said he, "your first step would be to fire the managers of the Paris and Vienna shops."

"Why?" Ruggles demanded. "I don't see any good in that. Durand has made good in Paris, and they tell me that Lorenz is beginning to make good in Vienna. He's getting all the high-class retail trade. I went to work to find out, and I understand he is doing first-rate."

"But they handed you the double cross," said Mr. Downing to the ragged end of his cigar.

"What earthly difference does that make?" Ruggles demanded heatedly. "So long as they can sell the goods, they're the men for the jobs."

"How about the Eurocpan general manager?" asked Mr. Downing.

"Why, he's all right, I guess," Ruggles answered. "Where I made my mistake was in not going to see him myself, like Lorenz did. I took too much for granted. I was mad clean through at the time but I saw it differently afterwards. He only did what he thought was for the best interest of the company."

(To be continued)

A Dyspepsia Cure

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High Price For Farm Land

One hundred dollars per acre was paid for 640 acres of land west of Nobleford, Alberta, in a high state of cultivation but not otherwise improved. This is one of the highest prices paid for a block of non-irrigated land in this sector.

Lift off Corns!

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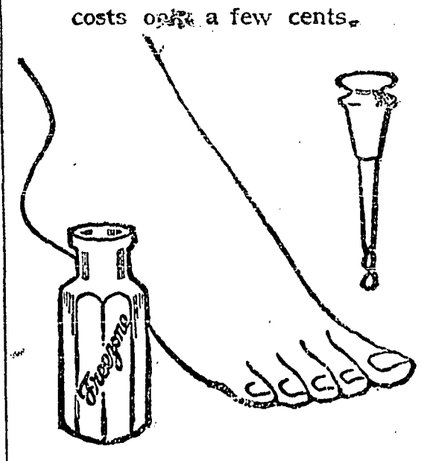

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

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Preserve Farm Property

No matter how substantial a building is, the elements will damage it if given a chance. Unless the surface is protected by a surface coating, wear and the elements will work away at it constantly. Barns weaken and partially collapse, silos decay, pens and coops go to pieces and are split up for firewood —all of which happens long before the building's time.

There are millions invested in farm buildings in this country. There are also many millions of dollars worth of farm machinery. Both property and implements can be indefinitely conserved by paint and varnish at a cost amounting to only a fraction of the loss which otherwise occurs.

Frankness makes people disagreeable, but not all disagreeable people are frank.

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U.S. Sentiment Changes

Low Priced Land in Western Canada Is Attracting American Settlers

Sentiment in the United States, which for a long period was apathetic and even adverse, so far as Manitoba and other western Canadian farm lands were concerned, has undergone a complete change in favor of the purchasing of tracts on this side of the border. This is the report that was brought back from Chicago, Ill., by L. Asenault, president of the Arsenault agencies, limited, who has just returned from a southren business trip.

Much of the credit for this change in public opinion is due to De Witt Foster, superintendent of resources for the Canadian National Railways, Mr. Arsenault said. Mr. Foster has done great campaign work in various states and has succeeded in convincing landseekers that land can be purchased in western Canada for $25 per acre equal to that for which they are obliged to pay $400 per acre in their own states.

This advertising of Western Canadian lands has interested men in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Texas, Minnesota and North and South Dakota, and present indications point to a record year in immigration from the south. These men all have plenty of money, and much American capital will be invested in western Canadian lands. —Winnipeg Free Press.

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Port Mulgrave.

Canada Pulp Supplies

British Interests Securing Pulp Wood Limits Here

G. R. Hall Caine, son of Hall Caine the novelist, was recently in Ottawa. In the course of an interview Mr. Caine said that he was negotiating for the purchase of pulp wood limits and pulp, the company he represents being prepared to spend $40,000,000 in the enterprise. Mr. Caine, who is himself a director of several English paper mill companies, and a pulp and power company in Canada, is representing seven of the largest newspaper publishers in England whose object in securing pulp wood limits is to insure for their paper a continuous supply of newsprint. Negotiations are under way for the purchase of 1,000 square miles of limits. Incidentally Mr. Caine expressed the opinion that there would be a great influx of English capital to Canada in the next few years. The eyes of English business men were turning toward Canada at the present moment as never before.

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OTTO HIGEL PIANO ACTIONS

Many New Companies

During the month of March, 99 new companies were incorporated in B.C. Four were fishery companies; 7 agricultural; 9 mining and 22 lumbering. The remainder were composed of oil exploration, brokers, importers and retail business establishments.

Miss Flora Boyko Tells How Cuticura Healed Her Pimples

"My face was very itchy at first, and after that it was covered with pimples that disfigured it badly. The pimples were hard and red and they were small, and they were scattered all over my face and were so itchy I had to scratch and I could not sleep.

"These bothered me nearly a year before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and when I had used five cakes of Cuticura Soap and five boxes of Cuticura Ointment I was healed." (Signed) Miss Flora M. Boyko, Gardenton, Man., Dec. 26, 1918.

Having obtained a clear healthy skin by the use of Cuticura, keep it clear by using the Soap for all toilet purposes, assisted by touches of Ointment as needed. Do not fail to include the exquisitely scented Cuticura Talcum in your toilet preparations. Splendid after bathing.

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

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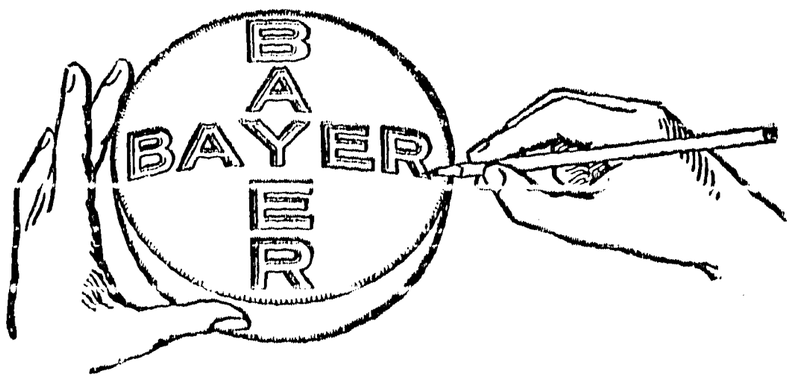

The name "Bayer" identifies the only genuine Aspirin, the Aspirin prescribed by physicians for over nineteen years and now made in Canada. Always buy an unbroken package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" which contains proper directions for Colds, Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Joint Pains, and Pain generally. Tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Larger "Bayer" packages.

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When the success or failure of any day depends upon whether the bowels functionate properly or not

You Need

BEECHAM'S PILLS

The digestion of food entails the production of poisons that must be eliminated regularly and thoroughly.

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Worth a Guinea a box.

Sold everywhere in Canada. In boxes 25c., 50c.

Trucks in Western Provinces

Value of the Truck in Hauling Grain To Market

In the western provinces of Canada the farmers are all future truck-buyers. Many of these farmers are situated at from ten to sixty miles from railroads. The estimated cost for hauling grain is .03 per bushel per mile.

A good team of horses will haul 75 bushels at a speed of 2½ miles per hour.

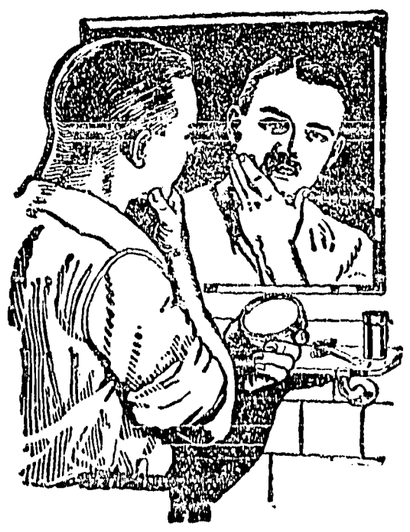
A two-ton truck will haul 80 bushels on a 20-mile trip in two hours and return in two hours, making two trips per day over good roads!

At a recent meeting of the Grain Growers in Saskatoon, when this fact was pointed out to them, many got busy with pencil and paper and soon figured out where they could save the price of a truck in one season.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

New Alberta Bank

Application is being made for the incorporation of the "Bank of Alberta" with headquarters at Edmonton. A capital of $2,000,000 is proposed largely to be subscribed to by the farmers of the province, and branches will immediately be opened at Edmonton and at Calgary.



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Keeps the Skin Soft and Smooth

MANY men suffer from irritation of the skin as a result of shaving. With some it assumes a form of eczema and becomes most annoying and unsightly.

By applying a little of Dr. Chase's Ointment after shaving the irritation is overcome and such ailments as Barber's Itch and Eczema are cured.

60 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

Wonders of Wireless

But Mars Declines to Talk to This Planet

The message from Mars, for which Dr. Frederick H. Millener, noted scientist in wireless, searched inter-stellar space from his giant receiving plant near Omaha, Nebraska, did not materialize. If there were such a message passing through the ether for the fifty millions of miles which separates the earth and Mars it did not come sufficiently close to the earth to be picked up by the great receiving station which Dr. Millener has established on the banks of the Platte River.

For nine hours Dr. Millener and his assistant, L. H. Gamor, searched space for the signals which Mars is thought to be sending earthward.

The first half of the night the wireless instruments were badly interfered with by static. Through the delicate receiving instruments came the cracking of lightning and other electric sounds to such an extent that no signals anywhere could be received.

The receiver was gradually tuned to its full length of wave. Starting at a short wave, its capacity was gradually increased. As its radius was extended the world's wireless business was picked up.

First a school station in Kansas was talking. Next Hawaii was picked up, sending to San Francisco. Then Berlin was heard calling the city of Mexico. Again a station on the coast of Venezuela sent a message to Madrid, then Valpraiso talked with London.

Through and past all these zones, Dr. Millener tuned his receiver until all sounds had ceased. He was in the infinite. Back and forth his apparatus flashed, his range length receiver running the gamut from 16,000 to 300,000 and more. But not a sound came over the waves after the earth zone was past.

The scientists kept this up until daylight. Then Dr. Millener issued the following bulletin:

"The early part of the evening we were troubled with heavy static, so that it was impossible to hear anything except station in South America, Europe and the United States. During the latter hours of the night, when the wireless was stretched to its fullest extent to hear inter-planetary communication, we heard nothing that could be construed as a message from Mars."

Bulletin on Bee-Keeping

Published by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture

At present a great many people in Western Canada are enquiring as to where they can purchase bees, declaring their desire to take up the bee-keeping industry. To assist all such, and also all others who may be interested, the Manitoba Department of Agriculture has published a new 24-page illustrated bulletin entitled "Bee-keeping in Manitoba." This bulletin is written R. M. Muckle, B.S.A., special lecturer in beekeeping, who has had many years experience in bee-keeping in Manitoba, and has had a wide opportunity, in connection with his departmental activities, of observing the beekeeping possibilities of all parts of the province. A free copy of the bulletin may be had on application to the Publications Branch, Manitoba Department of Agriculture, Winnipeg.

Survey of Physicians

In a survey prepared by the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Toronto, in connection with the prospective gift of $5,000,000 from the Rockefeller Foundation for Medical Research in Canada, it is shown that Toronto has one doctor to 567 of population; London, Ont., one doctor to 711; Hamilton, Ont., one doctor to 790, and Ottawa, Ont., one doctor to 840. Ontario leads in the roll call of provinces with one doctor to 766 of population. British Columbia comes next with one doctor to 905, Nova Scotia is third with one doctor to 1,098, and Manitoba, fourth, with one doctor to 1,146.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House

In Thibet the people salute their superiors by taking off their hats and thrusting out their tongues three times.

Western Horses for Ontario

The undersized horses of the Alberta ranches find a ready market in Ontario, according to the manager of the horse department of the Union Stock Yards, Toronto, who is looking into the supply of this type of animal in the west. The horse of under 1,200 pounds, so common on the range here, and of late years found undesirable from a breeding standpoint is eagerly picked up in the eastern province, he states.

Seager Wheeler is Honored

Queen's University has conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity on Rev. C. S. Young, of Saskatoon, and the degree of Doctor of Laws on Seager Wheeler, Rosthern, Sask.

DELICATE GIRLS MADE STRONG

Rich, Red Blood Needed to Keep Up Their Vitality

If growing girls are to become well developed, healthy women, their blood supply must be carefully watched. Mothers should not ignore their unsettled moods or the various troubles that tell of aproaching womanhood. It should be constantly borne in mind that pale, bloodless girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of sleep and regular open-air exercise. But a lack of appetite, and tired, aching limbs tend to hinder progress. To save the weak, thin-blooded sufferer she must have new, rich, red blood and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, they help the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, thus promptly restoring health and strength and transforming anaemic girls and women into cheerful, happy people. Among the thousands who have obtained new health and strength through the use of Dr. Williams Pink Pills is Miss Violet Booth, Glenarm, Ont., who says: — "For a long time I was in a badly run-down condition. I was pale, breathless at the least exertion, and could hardly do any housework without stopping to rest. I often had severe headaches, and my appetite was poor and fickle, and I would get up in the morning without feeling the least bit rested. I had tried several medicines, but did not get benefit from anything until I began the use of Dr. Williams Pink Pills. When I had taken two boxes I could see an improvement, and after using six boxes I found my health fully restored. I feel altogether different since I used the pills that I strongly advise them for all weak, run down people."

If you are weak or ailing in any way, avail yourself at once of the splendid home treatment which Dr. Williams Pink Pills so easily afford, and you will be among those who rejoice in regained health. These pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville.

Settlers in B. C.

Hundreds of settlers are expected to enter the Nechacko Valley in the spring, and it is reported that many concerns controlling thousands of acres in the section have pooled their interests. They expect to have many acres under crop next season.

CHILDLESS WOMEN

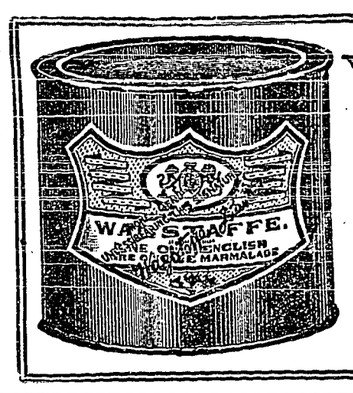
Please Read This Letter And See What Normal Health Will Do For You.

Berwick, Ont.—"I had organic trouble, and after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Medicine all my troubles passed away. I was made strong and well and have been ever since. Now we have a fine baby boy six months old, and I know that I would not have this baby and would still be suffering if it had not been for your remedies. My husband and myself say that your remedies are worth their weight in gold, and I recommend them to my friends. One of my aunts is taking them now."—Mrs. Napoleon Lavigne, Berwick, Ontario, Canada.

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is its ability to correct sterility in many cases. This fact is well established as evidenced by the above letter and hundreds of others we have published in these columns.

In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.



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All Orange and Sugar— No camouflage. Boiled with care in Silver Pans.

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.

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COLT DISTEMPER

You can prevent this loathsome disease from running through your stable and cure all the colts suffering with it when you begin the treatment. No matter how young, SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND is safe to use on any colt. It is wonderful how it prevents all distempers, no matter how colts or horses at any age are "exposed."

SPOHN MEDICAL COMPANY, Goshen, Ind., U.S.A.

Lake Windermere Camp

New Resort to be Opened on Shores Of Lovely Lake In Rockies

There will be opened to tourists this summer, a new resort of rustic design in the Canadian Pacific Rockies on the sandy beaches of Lake Windermere, the loveliest warm water mountain lake in British Columbia.

Lake Windermere is situated about 170 miles south of the main line of the Canadian Pacific and is reached from the main line at Golden, the station being Lake Windmere.

The scenery of this region, combining as it does pastoral softness with rugged mountain grandeur, will attract visitors from all parts, and become a favorite playground.

The summer visitor will find here everything that he could wish, bathing, boating, riding on mountain ponies to great Canyons and Glaciers, golf, automobiling, fishing and big game hunting in season.

The Canadian Pacific are erecting a number of cabins fully equipped with the conveniences of the modern home, which will be opened July 1st. Community hall for dancing and social recreation.

An auto road from Banff is in the course of construction by the Dominion Parks Board.

How's This?

We offer $100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System.

Sold by druggists for over forty years.
Price 75c. Testimonials free.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Cold-Proof House

House Has Been Built to Keep the Cold Out and the Heat in

A house has been built in Saskatoon on the refrigerator plan, save that whereas a refrigerator keeps the cold in, the house has been built to keep the cold out and the heat in. It has been so successful during the last winter that it may be said to merit the term "cold-proof." The owner is Mr. H. Gauvin, a refrigerator engineer.

The house was built of cement and care was taken that there should be no means whereby the warm air in the house might travel up the walls, and escape through a crack or down the inner surface of the outer wall, and so lose its heat. To this end the walls were so built as to eliminate air pockets of appreciable size. The house had a concrete basement, and here again the builder took care that the cold air would not leak into the house.

It must not be thought that the house was hermetically sealed, for it has 43 windows to the nine rooms. But there are only two entrances, one in the front and one in the rear. During the winter the house was heated throughout by electricity, without undue expense.

New Gold Discovery

Gold has been discovered on Snake Creek, eight miles north of Okotoks, and 20 miles south of Calgary. Prospectors have been flocking to this locality, and many miles of claims have been staked. A sample analysed by the Calgary city chemist assayed $18.50 to the cubic yard of sand.

The North Sea takes the drainage of a quarter of Continental Europe besides that of half of the British Isles.

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THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.

THERAPION No. 1
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No 1 for Bladder Catarrh. No 2 for Blood & Skin Diseases. No. 3 for Chronic Weaknesses.

SOLD BY LEADING CHEMISTS. PRICE IN ENGLAND, 3s. DR. LECLERC MED. CO., HAVERSTOCK RD., N.W.5, LONDON. SEE TRADE MARKED WORD 'THERAPION' IS ON BRIT. GOVT. STAMP AFFIXED TO GENUINE PACKETS.

Farm Women's Institutes

The Alberta farm womens' institutes are now the second largest in the Dominion, with a membership of more than 13,000. During the year 1919, 32 branches were organized in the province making a total of 265. Activities include classes in cooking, sewing, socialogy, child welfare and the undertaking of relief work.

"Gosh! How my back aches!"

After Grip, "flu" or colds, the kidneys and bladder are often affected—called nephritis, or inflammation of kidneys.

This is the red flag of danger—better be wise and check the further inroads of kidney disease by obtaining that wonderful discovery of Dr. Pierce's, known as Anuric (anti-uric-acid), because it expels the uric acid poison from the body and removes those pains, such as backache, rheumatism in muscles and joints.

Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag-like formations.

Send 10c. for trial pkg. of Anuric to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., or branch Laboratory, Bridgeburg, Ont.

PRESTON, ONT.—"I was troubled with rheumatism in the right limb and hand for several years, and lately in the left shoulder. The only way I could lie was on my back. I had great difficulty to sit down and more to get up. Recently I had a very severe pain in my back. I have taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery several times with the most satisfactory results, so I concluded to give his Anuric Tablets a trial. The pain in limb and shoulder has stopped entirely and in right hand it is very slight and getting less all the time. I can now sit or lie in any position I wish without discomfort or pain. I certainly will recommend Anuric to all my friends. It is good; I have tried them all."—Gordon Reid, cor. Duke and Waterloo

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

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Going at it Right

One of the truly modern philosophers is credited with remarking that a good dinner lubricates business, and doubtless there are those who can recall the days of two-bit mid-day meals who will heartily concur in the wisdom of this observation.

Next to the good feed, if not of equal rank with it, in creating the "It's always fair weather when good fellows get together" spirit, there is nothing like sociability in the way of any sort of entertainment that will mix people together and get them better acquainted with each other.

To readily get anywhere with a small community the spirit of each for all and all for each, with a firm and steadfast resolution to treat each as friends until absolute proof to the contrary has been directly produced—with no credence whatever to the all too prevalent "they say" stuff—must at all times prevail.

West Creston has just got off to a new start by developing the social side of life and so far the results have been all that could be desired. Agreement has been come to and if the departmental O K is forthcoming there is every likelihood of the West Creston and Corn Creek section having a school quite advantageously located for all concerned.

This is the first of a series of questions that will have to be adjusted on the give and take basis and it will be a fine thing for that district if the existing co-operative spirit can be maintained, as there is every reason to believe it will be, certainly if a widely spread out community can agree as to a school site most anything else should be easy to amicably adjust.

With the long pull and the strong pull and pulling altogether and no stock taken in any tales interested outsiders may have to peddle, the country beyond the Kootenay River can reasonably speedily come into its own. A house divided against itself cannot stand, neither need a community of warring elements ever expect to make the grade.

Shingles For Sale

10,000 No. 1 at $7.50 per M.
100,000 No. 3 at $3.50 per M.
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Write or phone.

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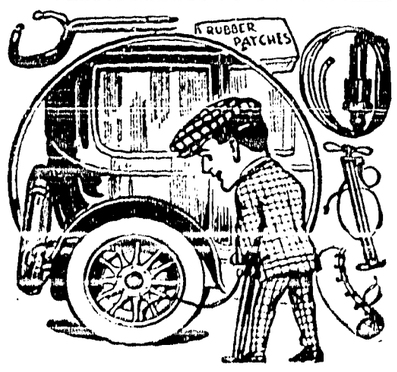
NOTICE

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

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

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



Many Auto Troubles

can be mended at once if the autoist has been wise enough to carry such things as a good pump, a supply of Rubber Patches, extra Plugs, etc., and a set of good tools especially adapted for autoist's needs. For all these at their best you should come here. To know them at their best you should [illegible]

Creston Auto & Supply
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Unity Triumphs

A timely and, we believe, well-deserved compliment is paid the Creston board of trade by Wm. Searle in his letter on the local church situation when he queries, "Is the influence of the church of God of less account than a live board of trade?" While The Review would be loath to think that even a few, if any, in the Valley would be inclined to give any organization the preeminence over the church, at the same time it would be unfair to have the impression Mr. Searle's letter might convey get abroad that locally the churches and the board of trade were being conducted equally advantageously and that it might seem that the latter was making the best showing.

What the board of trade is accomplishing hereabouts the church in its sphere can readily discount many hundred per cent if it will but adopt the principle of concentrating all its effort in one organization in place of the three existing (and we use the preceding term advisedly) denominations. Three boards of trade in Creston would be futile and equally burdensome were it possible to perpetuate them.

With but one Protestant church it would be quite possible to have one fairly good choir and a musical feature to worship that it is now out of the question. It would be equally possible to have a young people's organization that is now impossible, but none the less urgent.

Instead of three Sunday schools—one of which operates morning and afternoon shifts with a total attendance of about a dozen for both sessions—with say fifteen ladies each making a considerable sacrifice in order to take charge of the classes, the teaching staff might be cut in half and take alternate weeks at the work.

Instead of three ladies' aids with the inevitable threefold supply of revenue-raising events, one such organization would suffice with much resultant benefit. And, finally, the community would not need to sacrifice its self respect to the extent of importuning missionary societies for alms [illegible] outsiders.

Too, sight should not be lost of the beneficial effects accruing from getting people together and [illegible], which would [illegible] be accomplished under [illegible] circumstances.

Were anyone to suggest the [illegible] of a ton of baker's to turn out Methodist muffins, Presbyterian plum duff and Anglican angel cake for the exclusive consumption of members and adherents of these denominations the sanity of the party originating the idea of three manufactories of the staff of life would be the subject of a far more unkindly type of comment than is meted out the local weather prophets, and justly so. And yet his mentality could hardly be inferior to those who would seem to consider it good policy to encourage the upkeep of three dispensaries of the bread of life in the make of which, in the last analysis, there is but the one ingredient of doing unto others as we would be done by.

In the light of present day denominationalism one cannot help thinking that the apostle must have been in an ironical frame of mind when he made the observation, "See how these Christians love one another."

B. C. GOVERNMENT'S SPLENDID EXAMPLE

Victoria, May 11—Indicative of the impression created in various parts of the country in respect of the manner in which the public accounts of this Province for the last fiscal year were presented to the Legislature by the Minister of Finance, the following excerpts from editorial comment will be read by British Columbians with particular interest:

The Toronto Globe: "The Government of British Columbia has set a good example to other governments by the full, clear and complete manner in which it has published its public accounts for the last fiscal year."

The Edmonton Journal: "The example given by British Columbia should have a beneficial effect elsewhere."

The Financial Post: "The first annual statement of public accounts of any Canadian Government—Federal or Provincial—to be issued with revenue and expenditure of each Department of the Government segregated under one heading, and with corresponding tables showing actual and estimated revenue and expenditures in each item side by side was tabled in the British Columbia Legislature last week. This business—like form of presenting the public accounts is the culmination of a series of important improvements in Government auditing that have characterized the accounts and estimates of the coast Province during the past two or three years."

The Monetary Times: "The accounts for the year have been prepared so that the cost of each unit of service may be known and compared from year to year. The cost of each Department, and of each subdivision of the department is shown, including salaries, maintenance of buildings, and all miscellaneous expenses."

Canadian Finance: "The Public Accounts of British Columbia recently tabled in the Legislature are further striking proof of the many improvements in Governmental accounting which have resulted in placing expert accountants in charge of such matters. The accounts referred to enable any interested person to ascertain immediately, not only the cost of operating, and the revenue derived from each department of the Government, but also from each division or department in that branch. The public accounts now give reliable information readily obtainable and easily understood regarding the value received for the monies expended. Although Manitoba had a start of two years in its efforts to improve governmental accounts it must be admitted that British Columbia already has taken the lead in this very important work. British Columbia's public accounts are particularly lucid and understandable."

The Canadian Municipal Journal: "As a model in efficiency and compilation the report is worth following, not only by other Provinces, but by the Municipalities."

In addition to the usual half holiday Fernie merchants are being urged to effect a little daylight saving by opening the stores a half-hour earlier in the morning and closing that much ahead of time at night.

James Chapman, C.P.R. yardmaster at Crown Nest, is doing two years in [illegible] for assaulting two [illegible] citizens; steal thirty cases of liquor [illegible] C.P.R. [illegible] have been let down with six months each.

Revelstoke's chief of police figures the force almost earned their pay in April, rounding up 170 in dog licenses and bringing $129 worth of grist to the police court.

What the Miner describes as "one of the most conveniently arranged and modern residences" on Columbia Ave. east, Rossland, has just been sold for $1500.

SAVE AND PREPARE

Success generally comes to those who go looking for it, and the man with a substantial Savings Account is always in a position to grasp good opportunities for investment or advancement.

Save! Open an account with this Bank at once. Interest paid at current rate. 199

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LAST SUMMER

THESE COST TAX PAYERS

$370,000.

A LITTLE CARE WOULD HAVE SAVED THIS

BE CAREFUL!

Sugar Shortage

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at this store. If you have not as yet put in your supply of summer necessities why not come and look over our stock, and if it is some particular thing that you desire, and we haven't it in stock as yet, we will gladly get it for you.

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Hospital vs. Nurse

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—The people in thie district are, or should be, willing to be taxed a reasonable amount yearly, said money to be used for the maintenance of a hospital. To me this is the better plan than canvassing for funds for the salary of one nurse, who would be as one drop of water in the ocean. In this considerable district, and with the population constantly increasing, nothing short of a hospital with a maternity ward will fill the bill—to say nothing of being cheaper in the long run. Why go to Cranbrook or Nelson for hospital treatment when we can have one in our own town. To go away and have your husband and children come to see you on visiting days; or in the case of a young person being in hospital, it costs some money for the mother to stay at a hotel while the child is undergoing treatment. But, here you are right at home, and within call if needed. With a hospital operating as I have tried to outline it would be a case of equal pay for equal treatment—something entirely impossible with a district nurse who at best could only take care of one case at a time, while the many would be doing the paying with no chance of utilizing her services. G.K.

The Telephone Trouble

EDITOR REVIEW.

SIR,—The patience of the monthly subscribers to our local telephone system has nearly run to the end of its endurance. The party responsible for this public irritating condition can only be traced to the management, or, to be more precise, the controlling head of this public utility.

I sincerely regret being forced to this personal expression in public, and especially so when it concerns one of my old and esteemed friends; but when a person's shortcomings in a special line of endeavor (although he be a friend) takes the form of putting the brakes on the community wheel of progress, then the true friend is only he who has the courage to show him the error of his way, and save him from the future wrath of his assumed friends.

The plea that our telephone system does not pay is not the fault of the public nor the system, but entirely traceable to the management. You can no more expect a liberal flow from the public purse on starvation rations of public service than you can expect a liberal flow of milk from a healthy cow fed on sawdust instead of bran and shorts.

The glaring shortcoming of the controlling manager of the local telephone system is his inability to distinguish between competent and incompetent service of his lineman. Personally I do not know this gentleman, but I only have to take down the receiver to hear the sloven, selfish and haughty indifference to public service, lasting days, and sometimes prolonging into weeks, by this selfsame individual. An electric public shock directed to the management of this public utility will restore it to public service, which in these strenuous times can ill afford to lose the full-capacity service of any useful citizens. The moral and financial loss to our community life by a continuation of the past and present incompetent service cannot be computed on paper.

While I am at it let me take a rap at the local board of trade. This, I understand, is an organic body constituted of our leading citizens, whereby one can note the pulsations of public life in the community. Without minimizing its accomplishments and usefulness in the past I note there is a tendency to outside show without a corresponding attention to inside conditions and health, and it avails little the outside attention we show if the inside body is decaying.

Take, for instance, our public roads—the arteries of community life. If the general condition of our roads has escaped the attention of this body of public men it is indeed dull and unresponsive to public feeling. I talked with a stranger yesterday. He came in his car from Vancouver to Duck Creek, via Grand Forks and Spokane, and returned by the same route. This man confessed to me with a blush (sensing he might hurt my local pride) that in all his travelling he never traversed a single piece of road in all that in such horrible and intolerable condition as the roads from the intersection of the boundary line to his turning point at Duck Creek.

I sense the indignation of Creston board of trade on being accused of having any responsibility for bumpy and well nigh untravelable public roads. In this, with my highly respected board of trade I venture to take issue, although I admit that the function of looking after the public roads in a non-municipal community is the sworn and honorable obligation of the responsible elected government. But when this self-same government—our own elected body—turns out to be indifferent, if not incapable, to perform the trust bestowed upon it, and disregard the safety of citizens by permitting public bridges to become death traps for both man and beast, then I consider it the duty of a public body, such as a board of trade, to assist, guide and warn such government of its shortcomings. But so far I have not heard a protest emanate from this local board of ours that anything is lacking in the government proposals in the community. And I repeat again, that if the board of trade cannot hear, or see the true conditions, I would not say it is dull, but I would say that it is a political imbecile.

Are you, Messrs. Community Farmers, as indifferent to serviceable public roads in our district as are, apparently, our guiding citizens and ruling government? If not, arise from your two thousand years lethargy and take the leading position; assert your supremacy in our next election, such as the univerral law of nature has in store for you, not for the purpose of taking the scalp of our local functionary government officials, but for the purpose of converting these otherwise cull materials into useful by-products for public service. They are unfit as farmers, but very useful when we control, and can place them where best fitted. O. J. WIGEN.

Grand Forks reports the April rainfall the heaviest in that section's history.

Creston Valley Lands

Murdock Estate

Town Lots, Cattle Ranch Fruit Ranch For Sale

The undermentioned lands are for sale:

15½ acres of Town Lots (Dow's Addition) in one-acre and half-acre blocks; prices from $500 to $850. On a beautiful site overlooking Creston Valley.

The well-known Griffin Fruit Ranch of 20 acres, with good bungalow and buildings, price $12,200.

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Cedar Hill Cattle Ranch, West Creston, 73 acres, price $2500.

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ROBERT STARK, Creston, B.C.

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.

Is there any Meat in the House?

This is the first question that presents itself to the housewife if an unexpected visitor drops in for a meal. But why worry?

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The Cranbrook Courier hears that the B. C. Spruce Mills, Ltd., will this year spend $1,000,000 on the erection of a new steel and concrete sawmill plant near Wattsburg, which will cut a quarter of a million feet a day.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

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

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

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

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

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

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

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of $300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of $10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

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

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

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

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfilment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, 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 provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Royal Yeast has been the standard yeast in Canada for over 50 years, and it is a well known fact that bread made with Royal Yeast possesses a greater amount of nourishment than that made with any other.

Clean Up!

Around about this time of the year it is customary for the housewife to indulge in her annual spring housecleaning. It has become the usual procedure, too, for the provincial and municipal fire prevention and health authorities to declare "Clean-up" days or weeks. The object is, of course, to focus public attention upon the importance of organized community as well as individual effort being devoted to the task of collecting and destroying the refuse and rubbish which always accumulates around the house and other buildings during the severe winter months.

It is important that this work be attended to for many reason. First, there is the question of health to be considered. The accumulation of dirt, filth and waste material of various kinds develop from such accumulations, but flies, the greatest of all carriers of disease, find their chief breeding places in filth and rubbish. A general spring clean-up is one of the best health measures that can be taken in any home or community.

The removal of the dust and dirt resulting from the sealing up of houses and offices during the cold winter months is also a protective measure from moths and insects whose destructive activities are too well known to even require mention.

A general spring clean-up is important also from the standpoint of fire protection. Many people who exercise care in regard to the accumulation of filth and rubbish which might have an adverse effect on health, and as the breeding places of germs and insects of many kinds, neglect to collect and remove other kinds of rubbish which, while not dangerous from these standpoints, are the cause of fires which, all too frequently, result in serious conflagrations with consequent loss of valuable property and even more valuable lives.

"Clean-up" days or weeks have become established institutions in the cities and large towns, and the municipal authorities co-operate with the individual citizen in [illegible] and town-wide house-cleaning. The public health is thereby promoted, a larger measure of security from fire is provided, and the whole community made more [illegible] and more attractive, leading inevitably to greater civic pride and to the carrying out of other improvements and [illegible] ing out lawns and gardens, and general home and civic betterment.

Although such organized co-operative effort is not possible in the rural portions of the West, it is none the less important that the same work should be carried out on every farmstead, and the united efforts of all members of the family and the hired help directed to a general farm clean-up, not only around the home but all the outbuilding. The removal of accumulated rubbish will not only improve the appearance of the place, but it may easily be the direct cause of preventing sickness and loss by fire.

Canada's fire loss annually is simply stupendous; it is the highest per capita of any country in the world. It amounts, on an average, to over $25,00,000 a year, or at the rate of $68,000 a day. According to statistics compiled by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, 62 percent of all fires start from preventable causes, while fires of unknown origin are, it is believed, also largely from preventable causes. This heavy fire loss forces insurance companies to charge extremely heavy premiums for fire insurance, thus those innocent people who take all possible precautions are made to suffer loss because of the carelessness of others.

Addressing a recent meeting of the Canadian National Safety League, one speaker declared that experience has shown that cleanliness about any institution would do more to prevent fires than any other one thing. The "rubbish habit," he declared, was a source of constant danger.

Safety First; an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure; it is better to be sure than sorry—all of these old adages and scores of others of like import apply to the question of a general spring clean-up and the removal of rubbish and waste of every description. Better still, of course, is never to allow it to accumulate, but under certain conditions this is not wholly possible during the winter. There should, however, in their own individual and even selfish interests be a general response by all people to the proclamations issued by the provincial governments of the West for "Clean-up" week. It is not necessary to wait until that date, but individual and community housecleaning should not be deferred beyond it.

A SMILE IN EVERY DOSE OF BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Baby's Own Tablets are a regular joy giver to the little ones — they never fail to make the cross baby happy. When baby is cross and fretful the mother may be sure something is the matter for it is not baby's nature to be cross unless he is ailing. Mothers, if your baby is cross; if he cries a great deal and needs your constant attention day and night, give him a dose of Baby's Own Tablets. They are a mild but thorough laxative, which will quickly regulate the bowels and stomach and thus relieve constipation and indigestion, colds and simple fevers and make baby happy — there surely is a smile in every dose of the Tablets. Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Saskatchewan Sells Bonds

The Saskatchewan government has just effected a sale of one mililon dollars of four year six percent Saskatchewan bonds at 102.20, or a net cost to the province at the rate of 5.37 percent, it was announced by the Hon. Charles A. Dunning, provincial treas-

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Conscience Money

The Chancellor of the Exchequer of the United Kingdom publicly acknowledges the receipt of fifty pounds conscience money from S.O.S. It is a big amount in the circustances, but doubtless is as a grain of sand on the beach to what is owed the government by individuals whose consciences do not worry them, at least to the extent of compelling a disgorgement. S. O. S. is a lonely fellow. Or is it a she?—Montreal Gazette.

HEART SO BAD WAS NOT SAFE TO LEAVE HER ALONE

Miss Eva P. Yateman, Krugersdorf, Ont., writes: — "I feel that I must write and tell you of the benefit I have received from Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. About four years ago I was taken terribly bad with my heart, nerves and fainting spells, and was down in bed for about six months. I doctored with two different doctors and seemed to get better, although the fainting spells would not leave me. I would take such terrible falls, wherever I was, that it was not safe to leave me at home at any time. At last I decided to resort to proprietary medicines and took several different kinds, but seemed to receive but little benefit from them. One day noticing the advertisement of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and before I had taken more than two boxes I could see they were helping me. I have taken about ten boxes, and am almost cured of those terrible spells. I sincerely feel that your medicine has proved a blessing to me, and I advise any one troubled with their heart to try them, as I am confident they will find relief."

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

Parasites as Exterminators

Development of internal parasites, which will ultimately exterminate the grasshopper, is being carried on at the University of Saskatchewan by Dr. A. E. Cameron, Dominion entomologist. The scientist says that ordinary methods must again be used this year, but hopes that development of the parasite will be sufficient in 1921 to prevent any further grasshopper plague.

Minard's Liniment, Lumberman's Friend.

Care of the Battery

Why Distilled Water is Always Used For Batteries

A good deal of ignorance is abroad as to why nothing but distilled water should be used in storage cells, says the Motor Annual of Popular Science Monthly. All but distilled water contains mineral matter in solution, and although this may be small in quantity, as the water evaporates the mineral matter is left behind and all that ever enters the cell remains there. It is obvious, therefore, that the amount of mineral matter in solution is constantly increasing. Very soon the concentration becomes so great that mineral salts are deposited on the plates of the cells. Electrolytic action then begins between the salts and the plates, the framework of the plates is eaten away and the life of the cell destroyed. The energy wasted in the process, too, is considerable.

Some people have the idea that boiling water helps, but boiled water is worse than unboiled, for the concentration of mineral matter in solution is only increased. Therefore, avoid the use of any but pure distilled water in filling storage cells.

Storage for Coal

Sheds, with a storage capacity of 10,000 tons, to be extended to handle 20,000 tons, have been secured in Winnipeg to store coal shipped from Drumheller, Alta. This is the first time coal from the Drumheller mines has been stored in that city.

Binding Power of The British Throne

It is Because of the Republic Spirit That British Monarchy Stands Firmly

Western Australia Mail.—The British Empire, or, as it is of late more correctly being styled, the British Commonwealth of Nations, could not well exist without the nexus of a common throne. This crowned republic, if it is to continue as a political entity cannot conceivably scrap the institution of the monarchy, which is the axis round which all our governmental machinery so smoothly revolves. The sovereign people are not more sovereign anywhere than in Britain and in the self-governing Dominions The American president may, and does on occasions, exercise an autocratic power which no occupant of the British throne could or would attempt and it is because of the republic spirit which pervades British political institutions that the British monarchy stands so firmly as it does. A paradox this no doubt, but a paradox which exactly expresses the truth.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

Sheep Ranchers For B. C.

The owners of an area totalling 160,000 acres in the Cotsa Francois and Stuart Lakes districts in B. C., have sold out to a party of 12 prairie farmers who will run sheep there. A Manitoba rancher has bought 3,200 acres near Stuart Lake and taken an option on 5,000 additional acres, while a Victoria resident recently bought 2,040 acres on the Necosle river in the same section. An influx of Swiss farmers is expected into the province, with a view to settlement, being graduates of the agricultural college at Zurich. They are mainly interested in the dairy business.

RHEUMATISM

This is just the season when Rheumatism with its grinding pain and stiffening of joints gets hold of you. Fight it with

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The Horse Doctor

Little Irene marched into the room breathless.

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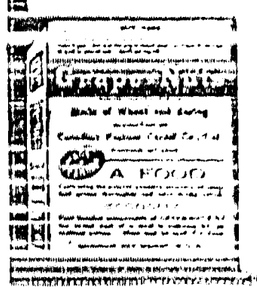

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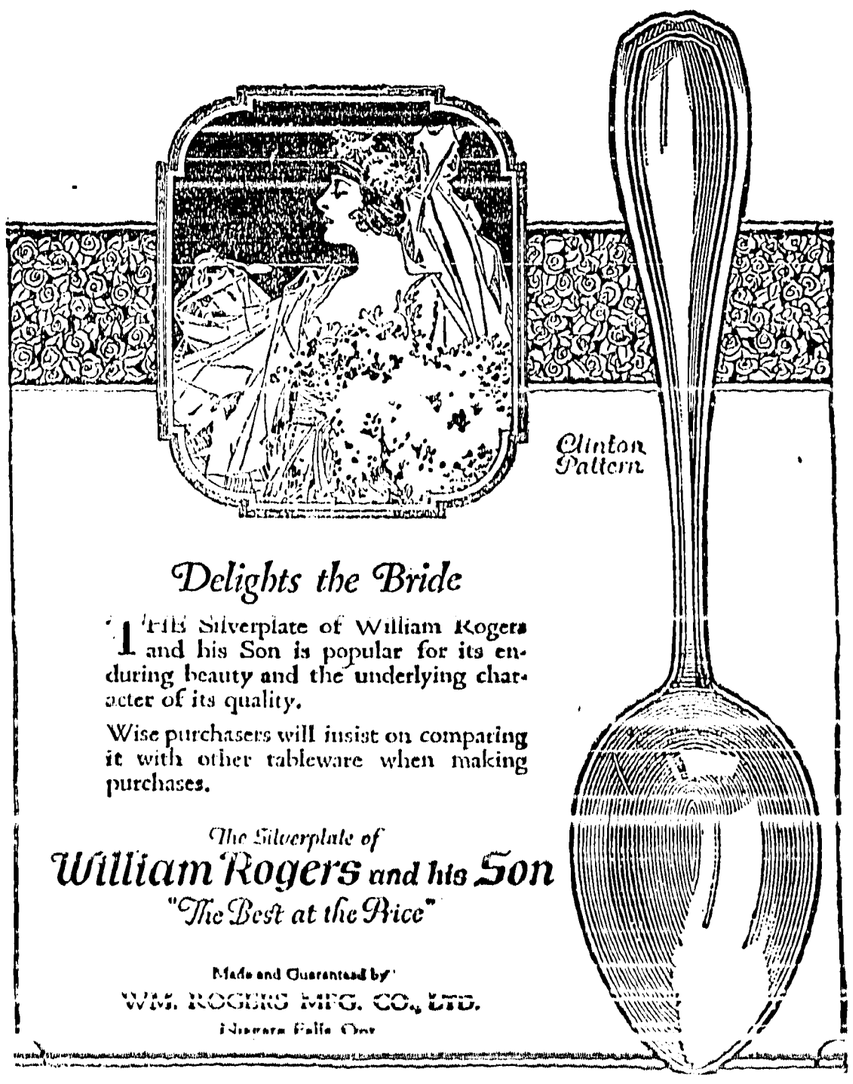

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Board Estimates The Value of Wheat Certificates

Winnipeg.— James Stewart, chairman of the Canadian wheat board, announces that the value of the "participation certificates" will not be less than 40 cents per bushel.

The official statement of the board reads as follows:

The Canadian wheat board feels that some idea should be given as to the probable value of the participation certificates issued by the board. The wheat has not all been marketed by the farmers, and it is indeed difficult to estimate closely the quantity remaining in their hands to be marketed before the new crop. Other factors enter into the situation, such as the values prevailing when and as the wheat is marketed, as well as the quantity required for domestic use before the new crop, a late harvest making a difference of several million bushels.

Notwithstanding this, the board estimates that it should be able to pay at least 40 cents per bushel against the wheat represented by the participation certificates.

At the conclusion of the present season complete returns of the year's operations will be made known, and a final report as to the full value of the participation certificates will be issued.

Registration in Manitoba

To Register For Next Fall Vote On Dry Province

Winnipeg. — Registration for the coming provincial general election, it is officially announced, will begin in Winnipeg at 143 polling divisions on May 10 and extend over the next two days. But it is not registration for this election alone. Some time in the late summer or early fall the people of Manitoba will be given an opportunity of saying whether they want a bone dry province or not. Those who register will have the opportunity of expressing their views by the ballot. Those who do not will not have this right.

Price for 1920 Crop

Ottawa.— It is freely predicted in authoritative quarters that the price of the 1920 crop will be higher, some members believing that it will go to $3.00 per bushel, provided there are no internal troubles in any of the larger countries of the world.

Continuance of the wheat board is still looked for, in view of the fact that Europeans governments have practically decided to stand together.

Hun Delegation Reaches London

London. — A German delegation, headed by Dr. Zeelinger, has arrived in London to settle with the maritime section of the reparations committee the questions of the remaining ships to be handed over to the allies.

LET "DANDERINE" BEAUTIFY HAIR

Girls! Have a mass of long, thick, gleamy hair

Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or fading. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality.

Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp; check dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic, then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return—Hurry!

All Want Representation

Other Dominions May Ask For Privilege of Individual Ambassador

Montreal.—A London cable to the Montreal star says: "If Canada is permitted to establish an individual diplomatic representative in Washington, three other great British colonies may be expected to ask for the same privilege. This is the personal opinion of several members of the foreign office staff. The dominions referred to are New Zealand, South Africa and Australia. These officials take the view that the Dominions should be accorded the fullest freedom in conducting their international tariff, customs, boundaries and immigration affairs. The only matters which should be strictly reserved for the British ambassador are those pertaining to the foreign policy of the empire as a whole, they believe.

Wilson Is Criticized

No Excuse at All For Prolongation, Of War, Says Senator Knox

Washington.— Opening the debate on his resolution to declare the state of war with Germany and Austria at an end, Senator Knox, Republican, of Pennsylvania, declared in the senate that President Wilson was arbitrarily maintaining that the U.S. technically was at war in order to coerce the senate into ratification of the Treaty of Versailles.

"There was no excuse whatsoever for greatly prolonging the war beyond the signature of the armistice," Senator Knox said, "and the only explanation for so doing was the deliberate aim to retain all those autocratic compulsory powers, with which the executive had been endowed for the prosecution of the war, in order that they might be used for other purposes."

Declaring that he entertained only sympathy for the president in his illness and "sympathy for the country which must suffer under him because of it," Senator Knox said it was an unwelcome task to judge one who has fallen in public esteem." The Senator then launched into a severe criticism of the president for his "stand pat attitude" in regard to the treaty.

Strangled Girl At Own Request

Alleged Confession is Placed As Evidence in Trial on Charge Of Murder

Pontiac, Mich.—The state has closed its case in the trial of Anzon Best, charged with the murder of Miss Vera Schneider, and a few character witnesses were examined for the defence.

Best, it was said, would probably take the stand in his own behalf.

After the introduction of an alleged confession over the objection of defence counsel, newspaper men who interviewed Best related the prisoners' alleged statements that he had strangled the telephone operator at her own request.

County officers placed on the stand declared they had not used force in obtaining the alleged confession, as claimed by Best when he repudiated the statement attributed to him by Prosecutor Gillespie.

Further Advance in Paper Prices

Washington.—Further advances in print paper prices are to be made by the International Paper company on July 1, said a telegram from Chester W. Lyman, vice-president of the company, which was presented to the senate committee now investigating the paper shortage. The message was addressed to Joseph Pulitzer, Jr., publisher of the St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Hindenburg's Statue is Confiscated

Berlin.— The colossal Hindenburg war statue, standing in front of the Reichstag, has been confiscated by the police. This action was taken in order to prevent the possibility of disorders in the event of its being moved from Germany.

Permanent Board To Buy Supplies

Business Interests Throughout Country Send Resolutions to Government

Ottawa.—Communications from the business interests throughout the country have been received by the government favoring the bill to establish a permanent board for the purchase of governmental and other supplies. Resolutions in approval have been received from the boards of trade of Vancouver, Calgary, Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat, Saskatoon and Winnipeg, the associated boards of trade of British Columbia and the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. The point generally taken in the question is that the establishment of such a board would mean greater economy in the purchase of supplies and give every man engaged in the business a fair chance to compete.

Ontario Liquor Laws

Board of License Commissioners Is Given Greater Measure of Control

Toronto.—Amendments to the Ontario Temperance act introduced by Hon. N. C. Nixon in the legislature reduces the minimum penalty to be imposed on persons having liquor illegally in their possession from $200 to $100. The maximum penalty that may be imposed under the act is increased, however, from $1,000 to $2,000. Either a fine or imprisonment may be imposed at the magistrates' discretion.

The board of license commissioners is given a greater measure of control over the number of prescriptions issued by physicians by being empowered to refuse to honor prescriptions issued too promiscuously. The allowance of liquor to dentists for medicinal purposes is increased from six ounces to one quart.

A person convicted of a breach of the Ontario Temperance Act will be forbidden to have liquor in his home, even if he move from the house in which the liquor was kept. This prohibition remains in force for a year following the conviction.

Persons convicted of being drunk or disorderly twice within three months may be committed to jail or to an industrial farm for a period of not more than three months.

Certain of ships on lakes or rivers within the province are made responsible for infractions of the act which may occur on their vessels.

Imprisonment without the option of a fine, is made the penalty for persons who are intoxicated while in charge of a motor car under a bill introduced by Hon. W. E. Raney. Dr. Stevenson of London, sugested confiscation of automobiles while the owners were in prison.

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North Schleswig Becomes Part of Danish Territory

Copenhagen.— Danish troops have occupied Northern Schleswig, the people of which on February 10 last, in a plebiscite provided for in the peace treaty, voted by a large majority for a return of this part of the territory to Danish nationality.

The Germans had been in control there since 1866. Enthusiastic scenes accompanied the arrival of the Danes at Sonderburg. There the entire population, among them a number of aged persons, who still remembered the rain of German shells on the town 56 years ago, and about 50 veterans of the war of 1864 were out to cheer them.

A force of Danes also arrived in Haderslef (Hadersleven) and were welcomed by a crowd estimated to aggregate 20,000. Danish and French troops marched through beflagged streets to the barracks, where, amid great rejoicing, the German colors were hauled down and the Danish flag was hoisted. At Tondern, British troops were drawn up to receive the Danes.

Admiral Sheppard, commander of the allied occupation forces, will officially transfer the military authority to the Danish commander at Sonderburg.

In the war of 1864, Prussia and Austria wrested the duchies of Schleswig and Holstein from Denmark. Two year's later Prussia's victory over Austria resulted in the incorporation of the duchies in the dominions of Prussia with the provision that the people ultimately should decide their nationality by plebiscite. This agreement never was kept by Prussia and was repudiated by her on the formation of the German Empire in 1871.

Forced to Economize

Former Kaiser's Whole Stable is up For Auction

The Hague.—Horses, carriages and harness belonging to the former German emperor, including a set of gold mounted harness presented to him by the Pope, are offered for sale in a display advertisement in the Handelsblad. The advertisement is signed only with a number, but it is agreed to furnish photographs and other information. So far as the Associated Press is able to learn, no doubt exists that it is Count Hohenzollern himself who is disposing of the goods. For some time past rumor at Amerongen has had it that the former emperor's financial condition has not been thriving.

Best Medicine He Has Ever Taken

FATHER TELLS OF SON'S HELP FROM DODD'S MEDICINES

He Recommends Everybody Who Has Shaking or Pain in the Heart To Use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets and Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Birmingham, Sask., May 10th. — (Special).—"Dodd's Kidney Pills and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best medicines my son has ever taken."

This is the statement of Mr. Johannes Reinson, a well-known resident here. "When he started to take them," Mr. Reinson continues, "there was not much hope of him. Soon after starting to take the Dodd's Medicines he began to improve in health and now he is well."

He advises everybody who has shaking or pain in the heart to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

The Dodd's Medicines act on the two essentials to good health. The Tablets help to digest the food and produce good blood. The Pills act on the kidneys, healing and strengthening them, thus ensuring that the blood is kept free from impurities. For the work of healthy kidneys is to strain all impurities out of the blood.

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not heal and strengthen the kidneys.

British Trade Improving

Unemployment is Less Now Than in Any Period Before The War

London.—Sir Robert Horne, president of the board of trade, speaking at a dinner of the London chamber of commerce, said that the present state of British trade showed that the nation could go forward with the greatest confidence. Unemployment, he said, was today lower than at any period before the war, although about eight hundred thousand more people were now engaged in industry. About 85 percent of the returned soldiers had now been absorbed in industry.

Among the guests were Sir George Perley, Canadian high commissioner and Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec.

To Repatriate Huns

Two Hundred Thousand Prisoners in Russia Said to be in Terrible Condition

Washington.— Dr. Fridtof Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, probably will head the organization to be set up by the League of Nations for the purpose of repatriating 200,000 German, Austrian and other war prisoners still held in Russia. Reports to be submitted to the league council at Rome this month say that unless these men are rescued from their prison camps in Siberia before next winter few of them are likely to survive. They have been in captivity for five years.

Votes for Women

Cape Town, Union of South Africa. —The house of assembly has passed a resolution favoring the extension of the parliamentary franchise to women.

Canadians at Labor Conference

Meeting to be Held in Genoa on June 15 Under Auspices of the League of Nations

Ottawa.—Canada will be represented at the second International Labor conference called under the auspices of the League of Nations. The conference is due to open in Genoa, Italy, on June 15. The Canadian delegates will be: Government, Sir George Perley, high commissioner in London; C. J. Desbarates, deputy minister of naval service. Employers': Thos. Robb, Montreal, Shipping Federation of Canada. Workers: G. J. Gauthier, Montreal, seamens' union.

The conference has been specially called to deal with labor questions affecting seamen.

Volcano Eruption

New York.—Indications that a volcano eruption is taking place on the Island of Providence, belonging to Columbia, and 120 miles off the coast of the Carribean sea, were reported today by the United Fruit Company steamer Calamares.

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Local and Personal

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

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

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

Mrs. Vachon left on Sunday for Spokane, where she is spending a few days with friends.

Miss Jennie Nicholls, who is teaching at Roosville, was at her home here for the Victoria Day vacation.

Mrs. Erickson and Miss Dobbin of Cranbrook, spent a few days here early in the week, with Mrs. Bennett.

FOR SALE—Holstein cow, milking. Also some Wagner and MacIntosh Red apple trees and cherries. W. K. Brown, Creston.

The Embree garage on Monday unloaded two more Chevrolet autos as well as one of the firm's light delivery cars, for which there is a buyer in sight.

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

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

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

Miss Ella Leamy, nurse in training at the Nelson hospital, is spending a few days at her home here.

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

Vice-principal Pearce of the public school, accompanied by Mrs. Pearce, were with Nelson friends over the week-end.

Miss Hunt, teacher of Division 2 of the public school, and Miss Evelyn Bevan, were week-end visitors with Cranbrook friends.

R. Helme of Vancouver, B.C. superintendent of the Dominion Express Co., was here a couple of days this week, visiting his sister, Mrs. J. Hobden.

Starting to morrow the Peekin is going back to its old standard Saturday night show of nine reels—one of comedy, two of serial and six feature.

The C.P.R has a small crew of men at work here erecting the promised auto unloading platform, which is being put in next the Imperial Oil Co. warehouse.

Mrs. Mead, who since her return from California, about a month ago, has been at Natal with her son, George, returned to Creston the latter part of the week.

RANCH FOR SALE—10 acres bearing orchard, or will divide into five-acre ranches if desired. Mostly apples, of first-class varieties. Apply Box 78, Review Office, Creston.

Creston baseball team was winner in a double header at the local diamond on Sunday, beating Wynndel 12 to 5 in the first encounter, and scoring a 5 - 0 shutout against Porthill for the end of a perfect day.

Two Carloads Mason & Risch Pianos Just Arrived

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NELSON, B.C.

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.

Saturday, Oct. 2nd, has been decided upon as the date for Creston's 1920 fall fair, with entries due to close the Thursday previous. This year's prize list will run to almost $600.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid are having a 15-cent tea and sale of cooking on Saturday afternoon, May 29th, in Speers' Hall, from 3 to 5.30, to which the ladies are all cordially invited.

Creston Fruit Growers Union advises that the final shipment of seed potatoes has just arrived and those wanting them should secure a supply at once. They are going at $7.50

C.P.R. Conductor Caven spent a couple of days in Creston the middle of the week, looking after the planting of a couple of acres of potatoes on his ranch in the Alice Siding section.

Readers will not overlook the fact that Wednesday is the King's Birthday—a statutory holiday for the banks and postoffice, and the regulation half-holiday for the merchants.

Miss Maggie Trotter, formerly on the telephone central staff, but who has been at Macleod, Alta., the past four years, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Trotter.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid had no trouble disposing of their supply of home cooking at their sale and tea on Saturday afternoon last, with the day's financial intake running to $20.

Mr. Patterson of Penticton is expected today to take up the work of day operator at Creston station. It is expected that with his coming the local depot will operate on town time—from 8 to 5, with an hour off at noon.

E. L. T. Taylor, a local rancher who quit the land just prior to the outbreak of war, and who joined up for overseas service at Lethbridge early in 1915, is spending a few days here this week renewing old acquaintances.

Erickson Women's Institute members will hold a dance at the home of Mrs. F. V. Staples on Wednesday evening, June 3rd. Admission 50 cents, which includes supper. Candy and ice cream on sale. Everybody welcome.

Dr. Lillie, the Blairmore dentist, who visits Creston each month, announces that he has gone on a two month's business trip and will not be at Creston during June or July, but will again take up dental work on his return.

The Stockbreeders' Association has donated the fall fair a silver cup, which is to be awarded the best beef type animal at the fair, and must be won two years in succession before becoming the permanent property of any exhibitor.

Gregory Nicholas, a Bonners Ferry Indian, who threatened the use of a revolver on Dong Barney, when the Pacific restauranteur refused to supply him with cider, was fined $10 and costs Friday night for carrying concealed weapons.

The May export trade statement includes the outgo of 33 cases and a ten-gallon demijohn of whiskey, representing the ingathering of Provincial police Vachon during the past six weeks. It was billed to the government vendor at Vancouver.

The first spray of the series of three was pretty well completed at the end of the week, and those who keep tab on these affairs state that the work this year is completed not more than five days later than in 1919, with the bloom in, apparently, healthier condition.

Another part of the good road making outfit arrived on Monday. It is a water cart which will be required for sprinkling purposes when highway building commences. The roller and power equipment is on the way and operations will commence early next month.

Jas. Smith, of Nelson, who is in charge of the Mason & Risch Piano Co. business in Kootenay, spent the latter part of the week in this section, and reports business splendid. Within the past year he has sold an even dozen of the well-known pianos in Creston Valley.

Tuesday is the last day for receiving entries for the prospective flower show under Women's Institute auspices. If held the fair will not take place until July but the early receiving of entries is necessary in order to decide whether it is worth while attempting to hold the show.

Creston was appealed to for help on Thursday last to apprehend the Port hill ferry which had broken loose that morning and started on a trip down the Kootenay. About twelve hours after it had passed the ferry here D. Bliss went down the river on a launch in quest of the derelict.

About twenty-five tickets were sold at Valley points to people taking Monday's special train for the 24th of May celebration at Cranbrook. Ideal weather prevailed and the holiday makers had a splendid outing, despite the late return of the train, which did not get back until about 6 a.m.

Figures given out at the annual conference at Vancouver showed that thirty-nine B.C. Methodist ministers served in the great war. Eighteen of them figure in a group photograph which was produced in last Thursday's Vancouver Province, and among them is noted Rev. G. H. Hamilton, pastor of the Creston church.

Father Lambot of Cranbrook, who looks after the spiritual needs of the Creston Indians, is leaving this month on an extended holiday to his old home in Belgium, and will be gone at least until fall. His health has been very uncertain the past year and a prolonged holiday was imperative.

According to the returns made at the annual meeting of the Stockbreeders' Association, just a little over 2500 tons of hay were cut on the flats last season, which was required to feed just over 2100 head of stock. On top of this possibly another 500 tons were brought in from outside points baled.

Messrs. Constable and Hayes left yesterday for Invermere for a conference of East Kootenay boards of trade at that point, which may result in the formation of an associated board for the territory east of Kootenay Lake. The visitors will be guest at a banquet on Friday night while on Saturday night those of them who are members of the Masonic fraternity will be similarly feted by Columbia Lodge which meets in regular session that evening.

The arrival of three more cars of flour and feed for Creston Fruit Growers' Union should relieve all anxiety as to a famine for the present in these commodities. The warehouse is now stacked to the roof, while the hay shed is also equally well stocked. The Union alone has a supply of twenty tons of flour and if all the other Valley dealers combined are as well prepared there is now at least a fifty-pound sack of flour available for every man, woman and child in the Valley.

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The country fair, whist and dance under Christ Church Ladies' Guild auspices on Monday was a money maker to the extent of just over $100 for the three features. The whist part of the programme was slimly attended but the Parish Hall had a capacity crowd for the dance for which Mesdames Foreman and Lister and Alex. Lidgate furnished the music. The prize winners at cards were Mrs. Mallandaine and Miss Blanche Hendren, and Messrs. A. R. Swanson and J. P. Pears.

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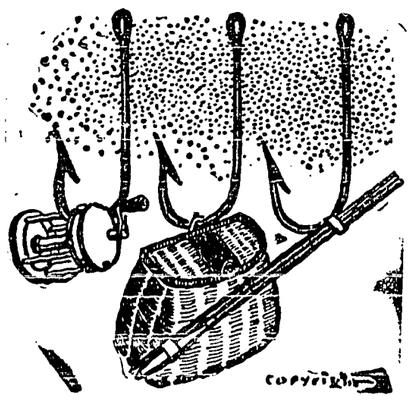

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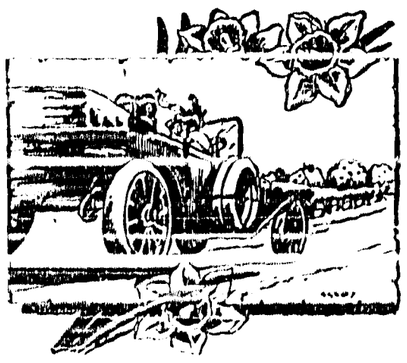

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KETCHUP—Clark's Tomato 30c. bottle, at	.25
RICE—2 lbs. 45c. reg, at lb.	.20
Featherlight Baking Powder, reg. 35c., at	.30

BROWN SUGAR 22c. lb.

Some Canadian centres are paying as high as 30 cents a pound for sugar right now, and advices are that the "peak" has not been reached, and there is another shortage in sight.

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