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Erickson

The boys attending Erickson school have gotten a baseball team together, and after a couple more week's practice will be ready to challenge Creston or Canyon City.

The late spring seems to have had no effect in delaying the arrival of the hawks. Already poultry keepers report losses from the depradations of these birds.

F. Lewis has completed his stump shooting contract on the Holden place on the lower road, and we hear Mr. Bush—on the Quaife place—has leased the newly-stumped area and will plant it to potatoes and tomatoes.

Geo. Leadbeater is another who has been at the stumping job this year—having about cleaned up the balance of his ranch this spring.

E. A. Penson is claiming the record of having the first cherry blossoms. Some of them were full out on Sunday last.

The pupils at Erickson school had an afternoon off one day last week which was devoted to getting the school garden in shape for this year, and from appearances a very thorough job was made of it. The school is now having a record attendance, six new scholars starting in during April.

Mr. Brownrigg is busy erecting a packing shed on the Lewis ranch. Other building operations include a new cottage for Teddy Pogle, which he is erecting at the Staples ranch.

J. McBain, who has been making his home here for the past few months, left on Monday for the sanitarium at Kamloops, at which institution he is confident the treatment will greatly improve health, which has been poor of late.

The Staples' tractor discing outfit commenced operations this week, and certainly makes a swell job of it Never in the history of this section has spring cultivation been as thoroughly done as is the case this year.

Although up till this week the weather has been none too promising some of the ranchers have already commenced setting out cabbage plants. Strawberry plants have wintered well all through here.

All reports agree that this should be a banner year for the Wealthy and MacIntosh varieties of apples. The cool, rainy weather has had the effect of developing the fruit buds to the healthiest shape they have ever been in, and once the bloom arrives there need be no worry about lost time being made up.

H. Cameron of Bellyne, Alta., who was here last week, purchased the ten acres of the R. Lamont holdings immediately adjoining the M. R. Palmer ranch. Smith brothers of the same place, who bought about twenty acres from Mr. Lamont here about a year ago, are now occupying the land and busy at clearing operations.

Sirdar

C. M. Goodman, C.P.R. agent at this point, has recovered from his illness, and is again in charge of the depot here, Mr. Bundy returning to Creston on Monday.

R. Dennes was up in the tomato section on Monday, looking after a bad order car set out on the Erickson siding.

Mrs. Loasby, who has been Spokane for some time, is on a visit at Creston and Cranbrook before returning to Sirdar.

The fishing season opened on Sunday with Messrs. McDiarmid, Hughes and friend the first out to sample the anglings bringing back nine rather fine samples of trout.

Now Sunday work is cut out Sirdarites are buying autos, the first to invest being Jack Cameron, who is reported as buying a Ford this week. Mayor Daly is now busy drafting a traffic by-law and the speed limit through town will likely be fixed at 8 miles an hour.

Creston was favored with an unusually heavy list of callers the past week among them being Mr. and Mrs. North, Mr. and Mrs. Whitesides, Mrs. Dennes, Mrs. Martin. Mr. Loasby made the trip by speeder on Saturday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, who spent the week-end there.

Miss Irene Spence of Boswell arrived a few days ago, and has joined the staff at the C.P.R. Hotel.

Mrs. H. Hughes and son are spending a few days with Cranbrook friends.

Rev. J. S. Mahood was here on Sunday for the usual Church of England service, which attracted a good attendance.

New books at the public library include "The Missing Plane, or the Carpenter's Revenge."

W. H. Morris was here for a few days last week, en route to Cranbrook.

Billy Riddle, the well-known sleeping car conductor who lost his arm in the accident at Creston last November, was shaking hands with old friends here on Saturday.

Kuskanook has demonstrated that for that much to be desired early season climate that district beats Sirdar at least two weeks. Already Mrs. Jones has been supplying our citizens with new rhubarb. and states that all the garden stuff is planted and is coming right along.

Canyon City

Fred Browell, who left for Lethbridge, Alta., a few weeks ago, is just home for a short holiday, reports Southern Alberta weather very backward, with snow or rain almost every day last month.

Miss May McLean, who had charge of the Canyon School about three years ago, and who has since been at the university at Vancouver, was a caller here at the end of the week, en route to Alberta, where she has taken a school at Manyberries.

Guy Browell is taking a couple of weeks enforced vacation from caterpillar engine labors, due to a sprained wrist. He sustained the injury a couple of years ago and is again being favored with some more of it.

BIRTH—On May 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Nelson, a son.

The semi-improved half of the A. R. Swanson 20-acre ranch has been purchased by Mr. Gross of Calgary, Alta., who with his family have just moved into the house on the other ten acres.

Tom Campbell, who went overseas with the third Valley contingent just about five years ago, is now amongst the employees at the mill yard, having arrived a few weeks ago. Tom's return just about accounts for the whereabouts of all the recruits from Creston Valley.

Word has reached here a few days ago of the safe arrival in England of Mrs. Blair and Miss Colthurst, who left about six weeks ago. They had a fine trip accross, making the ocean voyage in less than seven days.

Messrs. Spencer and VanAckeran were at Creston on Tuesday night for the initial meeting of the United Farmers' and board of trade joint municipal committee, and report very effective organization session.

The mill has been shut down for a few days and has been getting a thorough oveshaul by mill superintendent Burns, who arrived recently from Baynes Lake to replace Lou Faulkner, and is about ready to commence another heavy season's cut.

C. Blair has peen haying a rather buy week of it at cattle branding operations at the farm. He has wintered a little over 200 head.

W. J. Biker, the provincial water rights engineer, Nelson, was here on an official visit this week, and had a conference on Tuesday with those directly interested in the Canyon Water Users' Association. He went into some detail on the report of the irrigation and power scheme for which the survey was made last summer and which, it is stated, can be installed for between $10,000 and $12,000.

April Standings Creston School

DIVISION I.—G. P. Smith, Principal.

Highest standing: Entrance Class—Violet Morrow, Edith Cook, Louise Bevan. Fourth Reader—Clara Morrow, Ruth Swanson, Freda Lewis.

Perfect Attendance—Osborn Bell, Evelyn Bevan, Fred Boffey, Edith Cook, Marguerite Crawford, Robert Hetherington, Lionel Moore, Violet Morrow, Ralph Swanson, Ruth Swanson, Eva Webster, Gladys Webster, Freda Lewis.

DIVISION II.—F. H. Pearce, Teacher.

Highest standing: Senior Third—Edith Crawford, Donald Young, Ivin Compton. Junior Third—Ralpn Christie, Marguerite Benney, Grace Davis. Senior Second—James Cherrington, Marion Learmonth, Ben Crawford.

Perfect Attendance—Edith Crawford, Ivin Compton, Lily Wilson, Joyce Moore, Marion Learmonth, Annie Smith, Harvey Gobbett, Leslie Boffey, Donald Young, Fred Payne, Herbert Manuel, Alfred Boffey, Henry Webster, Harry Smith, Ralph Christie, Albert Sherwood.

DIVISION III.—Miss Hunt, Teacher.

Highest standing: Senior Second—Alva Quist, Helen Moore, Ray Oatway. Junior Second—Fred Christie, John Belanger, Nadine Bell. First Reader—Lily Lewis, Clarence Staples, Ethel Lewis.

Perfect Attendance—Fred Christie, Charles Cotterill, Elizabeth Lewis, Charles Moore, Helen Moore, Ray Oatway, Alva Quist, Harold Speers, Clarence Staples, Edith Wilson, William Manuel, Lily Lewis, Louise Ross.

DIVISION IV.—Miss Roy, Teacher.

Highest standing: Second Primer—Muriel Oatway, Arthur Couling, Rophina Androsov. First Primer—Laura Holmes, Jean McCreath, Frank Crawford. Receiving Class—Howard Bohlae, Aileen Spratt, Betty Speers.

Perfect Attendance—Eva Christie, Lyda Christie, Arthur Couling, Frank Crawford, Laura Holmes, Jessie Learmouth, Ada Lewis, Jean McCreath, Madeline Moore, Beryl Nichols, Muriel Oatway, Jack O'Neil, Arthur Webster Grace Bohlae, Tom Crosthwait, Mary Goodwin, Mervyn Oatway, Betty Speers, Aileen Spratt, Gwen Webster, Ross Wilson.

Lister

Lieut. Rice, who has been in charge of land survey work here for the past nine months, accompanied by his wife and family, left on Saturday for Spokane. Before leaving their Lister friends treated them to a genuine surprise party on Friday night, at which a most enjoyable social time was had.

Rev. H. J. H. White, temporary Presbyterian pastor at Creston, was here on Sunday afternoon for service at the schoolhouse—the first church we have had this year.

A meeting of the residents was held at the schoolhouse on Tuesday night to arrange a statement of case to present to the members of the land settlement board who are expected at Lister at the end of the week.

The ladies auxilary to the G.W.V.A. had their regular meeting on Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Chalmers, while the vets. foregathered at the schoolhouse. At the conclusion of the seperate sessions a union meeting was held in the shape of a dance at the school. There were visitors from both Porthill and Creston.

Messrs. Jory and Christianson, the pioneer poultrymen, report splendid results from their chicken raising operations so far. Both are handling incubators and are averaging about ten chicks to each dozen of eggs.

The Lister Sunday school, which has been on vacation for a few weeks back, is announced to resume operations at the usual hour on Sunday.

Visitors in these parts this week included C. H. and Sheery Phillips of Cranbrook, and as a result of their call the sale is reported of a considerable part of Col. Lister's 200-acre tract near here to these gentlemen. The latter is a student at the B.C. university at Vancouver taking the course in agriculture, and it is expected development of the purchase will commence forthwith.

Kitchener

Frank Staples shipped in his traction engine and portable sawmill equipment the latter part of the week and has it almost ready for operation in the Paulson timber about a mile northwest of the townsite.

Mrs. Boyd and Miss Hunt of Creston were week-end visitors here with Mrs. G. A. Hunt.

E. Driffill spent a few days at Creston the early part of last week where he was busy fencing around a ten-acre tract of wild land near the show fair grounds.

The fishing season opened on Saturday, but owing to the backward spring no good catches are looked for till the weather improves considerably.

Dr. Henderson of Creston was a visitor here last week, en route to Yahk. His car stalled on the bad roads at Goat River Crossing and after hoofing it here he secured a speeder for the balance of the journey.

Kitchener trappers are stated to have taken not less than $2000 worth of furs this season, this amount being divided amongst Messrs. Burke, Dubie, Arnell and Forrester, with the two former bulging their bank accounts the most extensively. Old Anasta, a Creston Indian, took out at least $400 on his catch of marten.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnson were both Cranbrook visitors for a couple of days within the week.

Cranbrook Sash & Door Co. are busy rebuilding the burned planer mill and will likely be operating it again in a week or ten days. The most serious damage to the planer was the melting out of the babbitting the heat not being sufficiently great to badly injure the machine itself.

G. A Hunt expects to complete his contract on the cut off at the crossing in a few days, and will then devote his attention to road repairs between that point and Goatfell, as we understand he will this year be local road boss for that stretch of Highway.

Mr. Walker, C. P. R. Roadmaster at Cranbrook, was a visitor here last week making arrangements for putting in a new stretch of siding, which will provide better loading facilities. Nothing definite has yet been heard as to the locating of a station agent at this point.

Local and Personal

The cemetry officials wish to express their appreciation of the good work done by the volunteer corps of helpers who were out on Wednesday afternoon for clean-up day operations.

Capt. Gray, who is in charge of the Salvation Army work at Cranbrook, accompanied by an assistant, were here on Thursday night to hold a meeting, but due to the fact that no advertising had been given the affair there was no turnout. However, the captain is convinced there is need for Salvation Army effort and announces that he will visit Creston weekly in future, holding meetings each Thursday night.

Rev. G. H. Hamilton got back on Saturday from Vancouver, where he has been taking hospital treatment on the glands of his neck since before the new year. He looks almost his old-time self and is hoping the two weeks' leave he has obtained from medical supervision will demonstrate that no further operations are necessary. He had a good turnout for the service at the Methodist Church on Sunday night, and will take the service again this Sunday at 7.30 p.m.

H. C. Meredith has just arrived from Abbotsford to start work on a five acre tract at Arrow Creek, adjoining the Arrowsmith holdings, and expects a friend along this month to start in on another five acres next him, which they purchased from a dealer at the coast. There is some activity in Arrow Creek lands this spring Bert Arrowsmith also being out there putting up a house and getting land ready to plant out to orchard and berrie and bush fruits.

Wynndel

Enoch Williams arrived here on Friday to do some work on his ranch, and is stopping with Paul Ofner. He reports conditions very unsettled all through the Pass.

Miss M. Ringheim left on Saturday's train for Vidora, Sask., where she will visit with her sister for some time.

T. W. Davis left for Coleman last Thursday, returning on Saturday, and left again Tuesday for the same town.

There will be a general meeting of the United Farmers at the schoolhouse this Saturday night, May 8th, when the delegates' report of municipal affairs will be read. The roads question as it effects this district will also be discussed. Every member should be in attendance as a vote will be taken as to co-operating in the municipal project for the Valley.

The first of the season's dances at the Clubhouse, on Saturday night, was very successful, about thirty couples always keeping the floor well filled, while the ladies served an excellent lunch. There was good music by local talent, assisted by Mrs. Foreman, who played for a few of the dances. Her ability and popularity was amply attested by the applause each of her numbers got.

A box social and dance is announced for Saturday evening, May 16th, at the Clubhouse, to which a cordial invitation is extended everyone, and a fine time guaranteed.

Vic. Johnson left on Tuesday on a business visit to Nelson.

Miss B. Stokes, who has been staying with Mrs. T. Sadler since last fall, left on Sunday for her home at Coleman, due to the illness of her mother.

Mr. Wilson, who has been a guest at the Bathie home, left on Tuesday's train.

F. W. Penson has just invested in a horse to help out with the ranch work.

The Co-Operative Fruit Growers unloaded another car of berry crates this week, and are still expecting at least one more.

Large quantities of strawberry plants are being shipped out these days, M. Wigen being the heaviest exporter in this line. He is also selling a lot locally, the residents putting in new supplies as well as quite heavy plantings by newcomers to the district.

Piano Pupils' Recital

The first public recital of the piano pupils of Mrs. Garland at the Parish Hall, on Saturday afternoon, was a decidedly successful affair in all its details. There was a fine turnout of the pupils' parents and others interested who generously applauded all the performers, while the different numbers presented were very much to the liking of those in attendance, and if some little nervousness in the young artists is overlooked, certainly all acquitted themselves creditably, indeed. The programme follows;

Old Folks at Home.
Ben Crawford.
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Muriel Oatway.
Waltz—Ever of Thee,
Ivan Staples.
Moon Winks,
Edith Crawford.
Duett—Swing Song,
Vera and Ruby Lister.
The Palms,
Ted Staples.
Petite Valse, Stately Grace,
Louise Bevan.
Trio—The Robins' Lullaby,
Piano, Louise Bevan.
Violin, Evelyn Bevan,
'Cello, Mr. Choriton.
The Waltzing Doll,
Lillian Cherrington.
Gavotte Miniature, Autumn Glory,
Agnes Hobden.
Fleurs de Mai,
Marguerite Crawford.
To a Wild Rose, Serenade,
Marion Swanson.
Album Leaf, Polish Dance,
Frances Knott.
Violin Solo, Mrs. F. Lister.

The announcement at the close by Mrs. Garland, that it is hoped that this will be but the first of a series of these recitals, will be good news to Creston's quite extensive circle of music lovers.

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Roxana had then conducted her to the clearing in the woods, and there, turning suddenly, had addressed her in such language as is sometimes employed by Turkish harem women of a dissolute class, and with a fury and a passion that had appalled the American girl. She had accused Ruth of all sorts of unspeakable things in connection with Ruggles, who, Roxana said, was her own lover. Ruth, startled and terrified, was beginning to believe the girl insane and pluckily thinking up some way of defending herself from the physical attack which she felt sure would follow the verbal one, when Roxana had snatched from her bosom a vial of what Ruth had rightly guessed to be vitriol and had attempted to dash it into Ruth's face.

But her the ex-slave girl had reckoned without her host. Ruth, though of far less than Roxana's size and strength, was lacking neither in strength nor courage. Seeing her danger she had sprung at Roxana and gripped her wrists. In the struggle that had followed, the flask had dropped into the bushes and been lost. Roxana had fought like a tigress, and Ruth with the strength of desperation. But the Georgian had proved more than a match for her antagonist, finally flinging her to the ground and twisting her scarf around her neck, then making off through the pines.

"I'ts just about as awful as anything could be," said Miss Challand, finally. "I always had a feeling that Roxana was far from civilized, and so had Miss Elliot and Miss Downing, although Darthea liked and admired her. What's to be done? We've got to hush the thing up. But we can't let Hertzfeld marry her. It wouldn't be right."

Ruggles glanced at his watch. "I guess we won't be able to help ourselves—or Hertzfeld either," said he.

"What do you mean?"

"Well, as I dope it out," said Ruggles, "Hertzfeld and Roxana are probably landing at Dover, just about now. Do you know, Miss Challand, I believe it was Roxana who sent that message to Von Hertzfeld. She probably told him that something had gone wrong with her here, and that she wouldn't stay in the place any longer, and that he could take her to England tonight, and marry her by special license, or not at all. And Hertzeld, being head over heels in love, took her up on it."

"Good gracious!" exclaimed Miss Challand.

"I heard a big car starting down on the road when I was hustling through the woods," said Ruggles, "and now that I think of it, it sounded like that sixty Mercedes of Von Hertzfeld's. The same sort of cough and roar. Of course, he probably thought that Roxana had been disciplined by some of us and wouldn't stand for it. Well, so much the worse for him. I don't see how we can help it now."

He got up took one or two limping steps, then paused in front of the elderly Englishwoman and looked her squarely in the eyes.

"It's my own darn fault for not having been more on my guard," said he. "I had Roxana sized up from the very start for a savage. Pembroke wanted to marry her, and I went out to Constantinople to prevent it. She made love to me in Paris, and I told her there was nothing doing, and that she'd got to put it all out of her head. She made no fuss and promised to marry anybody I wanted her to. It might have gone through all right if she hadn't seen that I was in love with Ruth Downing. But that was more than that tigress nature of hers could stand. So she made up her mind on the spur of the moment to ruin Ruth's beauty and elope with Von Hertzfeld. It struck me tonight at dinner that she was looking sort of wild. I ought to have kept my eye on her."

Miss Challand sank into a chair and sniffed her salts. "Fancy such things in this day and age!" said she.

Ruggle's face hardened. "Roxana doesn't belong to this day and age," said he. "Ruth has had a mighty close call. I don't believe Roxana had meant to kill her when they started out, but she meant something just as bad if not worse. When Ruth knocked the bottle out of her hand she saw red and decided to strangle her. And now"—his face grew even whiter and more tense—"I suppose nothing will ever make Ruth believe that she didn't have more reason for doing it than just because she took a fancy to me, and I laid down the law to her that she was my ward and nothing more."

Miss Challand shook her head. Then, at sight of Ruggle's drawn features, she rose from her chair and, stepping to where he sat, patted him gently on the shoulder.

"My dear boy," said she, "I'm afraid it's going to be rather hard—but we'll do the best we can. You may be sure that you shall have all of my help and sympathy."

Ruggles seized her hand in his "Thank you, Miss Challand," said he. "It sure means an awful lot to me."

And Miss Challand did not correct the syncopated adverb. She said mere-that Ruth agreed with her that the affair must be kept strictly secret.

Ruggle's shrewd surmise in regard to Von Hertzfeld proved to be correct. The following day brought a letter written him by Von Hertzfeld, on the Calais-Dover boat. In it the young man offered infinite apologies for the step that he had taken and his apparent abuse of Ruggle's confidence and many kindnesses. An excuse, he said, that the possibility of losing Roxana had been something that he had not the strength to contemplate and, knowing her varying moods and intense nature, he could do no more than follow her instructions. He trusted that Ruggles, who had already approved his suit, would understand—and there was no question of his sympathy with the misguided young man. He would himself have as soon thought of forming an alliance with a trapped lioness. But he reflected that perhaps Von Hertzfeld might prove himself a dompteur de fauves. Which possibly he may have done.

But Ruggle's chief concern was not for the principals of this run-away match. Ruth had appeared the following morning, a little pale and quiet, but none the worse for her experience. Of the entire household only Ruggles and Miss Challand were cognizant of the real facts. The others supposed that Ruth had been persuaded by Roxana to connive at her elopement, and that this had made a certain coolness between Ruggles and herself. For that a coolness existed was most apparent. Ruth returned to the hotel, and for several days Ruggle's mooned around with set features and tightened lips. He had tried to see Ruth without avail. And in the meantime Mr. Downing and Dick arrived, and a golf chum of Ruggles, who put up at the hotel, told him that the family were leaving within a day or two for Scotland.

Ruggles made no further efforts to see Ruth or any of the Downings. He felt sick and sore. He reasoned that if Ruth, knowing him as well as she did, could believe any of his actions might have been responsible for Roxana's furious attempt at vengeance, there could not exist between them that sympathy whiih had seemed to be an established covenant. Everything was sham. All human emotions were empty shells. He sat on the beach and stared out across the drab waters of the Channel, and wished that he might conscientiously drown himself therein.

It was perhaps with this furtive suggestion—not that he had any idea of drowning himself, but for the sake of the mere melancholy contemplation—that he went down to swim one afternoon when the weather was not such as to appeal to the casual bather. The air was humid and oppressive, yet carried a distinct chill. No breeze had stirred for hours. And the water was as motionless and flat as a skat [illegible] beach, and at some distance from the shore the near horizon fetched up in a sluggish blanket of fog. The tide was far out and still running ebb, and so dark and dismal were all bathing conditions, as compared with the cheer of golf and tennis and the grounds of the Casino, that Ruggles found himself practically alone.

But not entirely alone, for a long way out a speck of crimson was moving melting into the haze that introduced the fog. It caught Ruggle's quick eye and sent a shock through him, for Ruth tied up her dark tresses in a crimson kerchief when going into the sea. But he could not believe that it was Ruth, for there were no signs of any of her family, and he did not think that she would have been allowed to bathe unattended by even a maid—which was quite true, if any of her family had known what she was up to.

Ruggles waded and waded until it seemed to him that he must have walked halfway to England. Then, the water deepening suddenly, he flung himself forward and started out to investigate the red kerchief. It occurred to him that whoever might be under it was certainly getting farther out than was prudent with the conditions of the tide. And then, as it continued seaward, he was filled with the conviction that it must be Ruth. He did not believe that there was another woman in Europe who would be rash enough to swim straight into that thickening mist and through those chill, threatening waters; also, he was sure that she had seen him and wished to avoid him.

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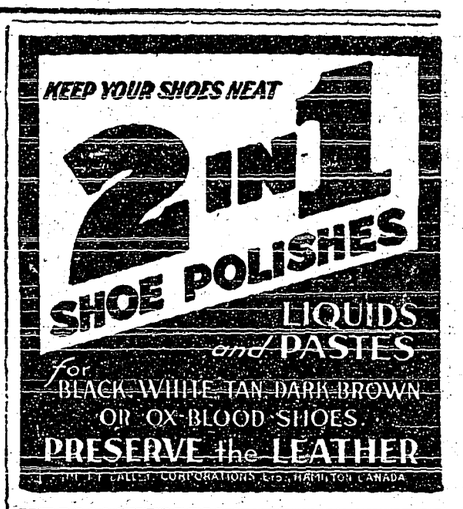

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White Star Yeast Cakes are the result of 30 years manufacturing experience.

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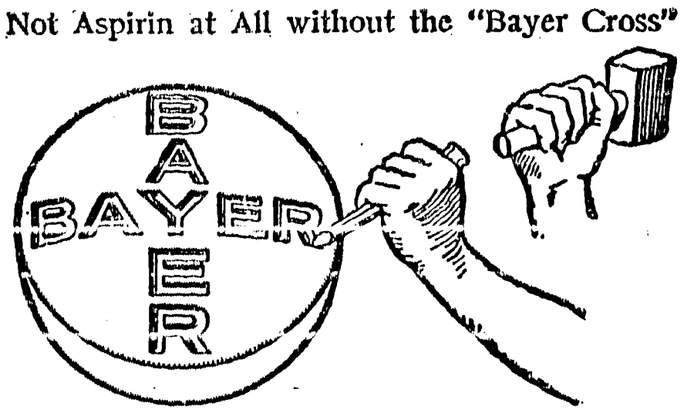

The name "Bayer" identifies the only genuine Aspirin,—the Aspirin prescribed by physicians for over nineteen years and now made in Canada. Always buy an unbroken package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" which contains proper directions for Chills, Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Rheumatism,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

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Do not let the British breeders come to Canada and carry off all our best foundation stock. Do not be satisfied with the cheap cull stallions brought in by irresponsible dealers and stallion pedlars from the United States, when you can buy the best individuals of the best breeding raised right here in Alberta by men that have been in the breeding business for 25 years, and expect to remain in the business. We have seventy-four head of Pure-bred Percheron Stallions of our own breeding now on hand to select from. You can see their sires and dams, and if you cannot choose one from the lot to suit you we will give you every assistance in our power. Write for prices or come to Calgary Alberta, and we will meet you and show you the stock at any time.—Address:

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The only breed of draft horses ever shipped back to England from Canada for breeding purposes were Percherons.
The greatest breed of draft horses in North America are Percherons.
The safest investment in draft horses today is Percherons.
A profit to own—A pleasure to handle.
You will make no mistake in your horse breeding this year if you use a Percheron sire.

WRITE FOR INFORMATION AND LITERATURE
Let us put you in touch with the best Canadian Percheron Breeds.
Mention this paper when writing.

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TONIGHT TRY

Minard's Liniment

for that Cold and Tired Feeling.
Get Well, Keep Well,
Kill Spanish Flu
by using the OLD RELIABLE.
MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LTD.,
Yarmouth, N.S.

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MEN'S HATS
THIS TRADE MARK ON ALL LEATHERS
Borsalino Grand Prix Venezia
ANTICA CASA FONDATA NEL 1857
"WILL OUTWEAR TWO HATS OF ANY OTHER MAKE"
Made in Italy
ALL STYLES—ALL COLORS
SEE YOUR LOCAL DEALER

Col. Barker Honored

Lieut.-Col. Wm. G. Barker, V.C., D.S.O., has been awarded a second silver medal by the King of Italy for his wonderful fight in October, 1918, in which he tackled sixty Huns single-handed, and shot down six of them before he was brought down by enemy fire. The award reads:

"Protector of the air." Col. Barker now holds more decorations than any other living British airman.

Keeps Baby's Skin Healthy

IF every mother could only realize the danger which lurks in the neglect of chafing and skin irritations she would not take chances on being without Dr. Chase's Ointment to apply after baby's bath.

It arrests the development of eczema and makes the skin soft, smooth and velvety.

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

Dr. Chase's Ointment

Got Him to Advertise

Persistency Had Its Reward After Many Days

An advertising salesman connected with the Syracuse Post Standard told me recently of his difficulties in persuading owners of little shops in his community to advertise, and he furnished me with a concrete illustration of how persistent he has to be to secure contracts from some of them.

He told me that he had called on one man twice a week for several years. Of course, he got very well acquainted with this man. He had been a merchant in a small way for over half a century merely making a living and that's all, while he might have made a fortune had he commenced his career by employing advertising in his home-town newspapers.

This advertising salesman called on this merchant on his eighty-fourth birthday and congratulated him, remarking on his splendid physical condition and telling him that instead of looking eighty-four he didn't look a day over sixty-five.

This pleased the old gentleman so much that he said to the advertising salesman, "Well, you have been trying to get me to advertise for a great many years, and I am going to celebrate my birthday by giving you an advertisement." Whereupon he told him to insert a two-inch ad.

Now, the moral of this little story is: Keep at a business man and persuade him to advertise even if he lives to be eighty-four before he starts.

It is never too late to get started on the right track.—W. C. Freeman, in Fourth Estate.

Minard's Liniment For Sale Everywhere.

His Party

The Countess of Warwick, who has been adopted as Labor candidate for East Walthamstow, has long been noted for her practical interest in welfare work.

One of her best stories concerns an occasion when she canvassed the humble quarters of a northern town on behalf of a well-known Labor leader, and encountered at the first house she visited a matron of the most determined character. "May I see Mr.——?" she asked. "No, you can't" answered the matron decisively. "But I want to know what party he belongs to," said Lady Warwick. The woman drew up her tall figure. "Well, take a good look at me," she said. "I'm the party he belongs to!"

Lethbridge's Export Trade

Exports to the value of $1,695,621.85 was exported in 1919. Cattle formed the biggest portion of these exports, 17,159 head having been shipped to southern points. These were valued at $854,512.80. Horses for exhibition and ranching purposes, flour, potatoes, personal effects, and wool, comprised the remainder of the exports. The total value of the wool exported from Lethbridge in 1919 was $515,544.95.

How He Felt

A pretty girl asked a soldier who was just discharged from the hospital, "And how did you feel when the bullet went through your arm?" "Well," said the hero, "I felt distinctly bored, don't you know."

Steer Warships by Wireless

During Experiments Destroyer Was Manoeuvred With Not A Single Man Aboard

The British Admiralty reports considerable progress in recent tests of applying wireless control to vessels and torpedoes. Warships with crews of only a few men are regarded as an early possibility as a result of experiments. The Daily Mail says: "By using hertzian waves the wireless wizards of our fleet have succeeded in controlling torpedo craft from a distance of some miles. During the experiments a destroyer was manoeuvred by wireless with not a single man aboard. By touching the wheel, a vessel is easily steered by the invisible force. Ships' searchlights were also turned by wireless."

SAFE AND EFFICIENT HOME TREATMENT

Many Weak and Ailing People Who Have Been Helped Strongly Recommend Dr. Williams Pink Pills

There is only one way to build up a run down system if the blood is pale and thin. Many diseases are caused by thin blood. Other diseases such as influenza and rheumatism cause the blood to become thin and the wasting effect of these disorders cannot be combated successfully until the blood is restored to its normal condition.

Pallor, nervousness, indigestion sleeplessness, headaches, dizzy spells, shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, these are a few of the symptoms of an anaemic bloodless condition. Some of them are not naturally associated with thin blood, but the quickest way to overcome them is to make the blood rich and red.

Dr. Williams Pink Pills do one thing and do it well. They build up the blood increasing the number of red corpuscles. As this is done the blood becomes a richer red and is able to carry more oxygen, the great supporter of human life. As the blood improves in quality the tissues of the body are better nourished and the functions of the body are better performed. The glands of the stomach are stimulated and the first sign of improvement is usually a better appetite and better digestion.

Dr. Williams Pink Pills have been used for years as a bloodmaking tonic and system builder with such good results that in every community there are many people who are recommending this remedy to their friends and to others who are afflicted.

Here is the statement of one person among thousands who have used Dr. Williams Pink Pills to their own great advantage. Mrs. A. Veniot, Hemford, N. S. says: — "For about two years I was a great sufferer from indigestion, which seemed to carry with it a complication of other troubles. Every meal I took brought with it misery, as it was followed by pain, and sometimes nausea and vomiting. At other times gas would form in the stomach to such an extent that my heart would palpitate at an alarming rate. These conditions brought on extreme nervousness and irritability, and I found my general health so much affected, that the least exertion would tire me and I slept but poorly. I had been doctoring for several months with no result beyond slight temporary relief, when I was advised by a friend to try Dr. Williams Pink Pills. I decided to follow his advice and got half a dozen boxes Good results soon began to show from this treatment, and the further continued use of the pills have made me a well woman. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams Pink Pills to similar sufferers."

The purpose of Dr. Williams Pink Pills is to build up the blood. They do this one thing and they do it well They are an invaluable remedy in diseases arising from bad or deficient blood, as rheumatism, neuralgia; after effects of the grip and fevers. The pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drug and cannot injure the most delicate system.

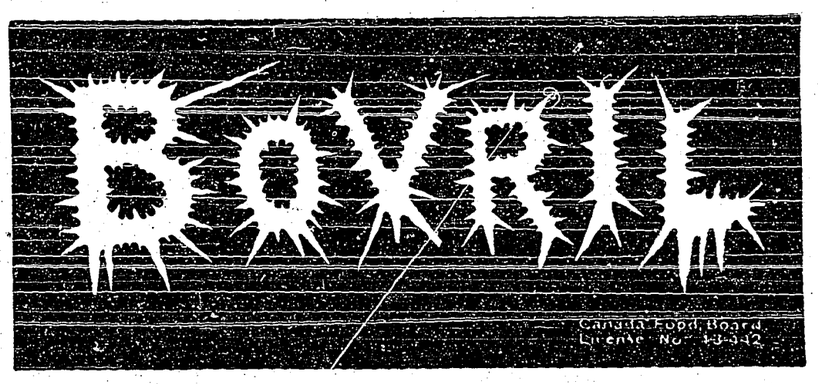
You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

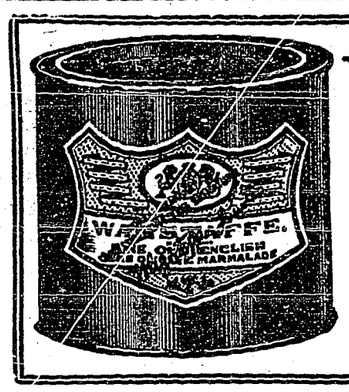
Why Eve Liked Apples

"Alas!" sighed young Callow, "if only Eve hadn't been so fond of apples."

"My dear boy," said Cynicus, "Eve wasn't so very fond of apples, but that was the only forbidden fruit."

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES
Heals, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they Tire, Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists in Canada. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Company, Chicago, U. S. A.





WAGSTAFFE'S
Real Seville
Orange Marmalade

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

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.

Czechs to Cross Canada

The Canadian Government was asked some days ago by the war office if 50,000 Czecho-Slovak troops returning from Siberia to their own newly formed republic, could be transported across Canada. These troops, after a difficult journey, joined the anti-Bolshevist forces in Siberia and fought there for a considerable period. They are now to return home, and as they cannot cross Russia in doing so, it is proposed that they should be transported across the Pacific to Canada; should travel through Canada to the Atlantic, and so journey to their own country in Europe.

25 MILLIONS!

"Cascarets" is biggest selling Laxative-Cathartic for Liver and Bowels

Twenty-five million boxes of Cascarets were sold last year to folks who wanted relief without injury from Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Gases, Colds and Sick Headache. Cascarets work while you sleep, removing the toxins, poisons and sour, indigestible waste without griping or inconvenience. Cascarets regulate by strengthening the bowel muscles. They never weaken or shock the liver like calomel or harsh pills. Cascarets cost so little too.

Old-Fashioned Girl

Mrs. Olden.—What did you marry for, my dear; love, money, position or what?

Mrs. Bridey.— For a husband. — (New Haven Register).

Dyes Her Garments But None Can Tell

"Diamond Dyes" Turn Faded, Shabby Apparel Into New

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods, — dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings—everything.

The Direction Book with each package tells how to Diamond Dye over any color.

To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

Squirrels As Big As Cats

There is no country that can rival North America for the great number of squirrels, both species and subspecies, represented in her fauna. In so far as brilliancy of color and size are concerned, however, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington, the handsomest and largest of squirrels in the world are found in the Orient and the East Indies, along the coast of Malabar is found a squirrel as big as an ordinary cat; this animal is bright red on the upper part of its body, offset by the most intense black, while all the lower parts are of a clear yellow.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

MONEY ORDERS

Dominion Express Money Orders are on sale in five thousand offices throughout Canada.

KNITTING YARN. OUR FINEST Red Cross quality in sixteen colours. Twenty cents per skein. Sample mailed twenty-five cents. Georgetown Woollen Mills, Georgetown, Ontario.

Complete Band Outfits

Drums and Drummers' - Traps -

Complete information and suggested constitution for newly-formed Bands, free on request.

THE R. S. WILLIAMS & SONS CO. LIMITED
Winnipeg, Calgary, Montreal, Toronto
Address Our Nearest Branch

Wantmore Peanut Butter Fudge

Two squares chocolate, two and a half cups granulated sugar, two-thirds cup of milk, one level tablespoon butter, two tablespoons Fowler's Wantmore Peanut Butter, pinch salt.

Cook the chocolate, sugar and milk together until a little in cold water forms a soft ball, then add the peanut butter and salt and beat until thick. Turn into greased pan, and when nearly cold cut into squares. Be sure and use Fowler's Wantmore Peanut Butter, as no other peanut butter will make it as good.

At the Musicale

Guest. — What a fine touch that pianist has.

Host.—I guess I know it; he touched me for a hundred just before you came in.

AFTER GRIP or FLU
WINTER COLDS—
BAD BLOOD

You are pale, thin, weak—with little vitality. Your liver is sluggish and the bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby and weak—then indigestion.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made from wild roots and barks, and free from alcohol or narcotics, is the great and powerful blood purifier of to-day. Ingredients printed on wrapper. This tonic, in liquid or tablet form, is just what you need to give you vim, vigor and vitality.

Take the 'Discovery' as directed and it will search out impure and poisonous matter throughout the system and eliminate it through the natural channels.

You can procure a trial package of the tablets by sending 10c. to the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., or branch Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ontario.

SINTALUTA, SASK.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for liver trouble, and found it excellent, and would not be without it. I suffered from congestion of the liver about six years ago and I always say that this medicine cured me. I have also given it to my family for colds and it cured them in a very short time. We must have used about 4 dozen bottles of the 'Discovery'."—MRS. ENOCH MITCHELL.

KITCHENER, ONT.—"I had become all run-down, was weak and nervous. My blood was bad also. I took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and was completely restored to good health. I am always recommending this medicine to my friends, many of whom have had equally as good results."—MRS. ERNEST KEYTELE, 64 Heathcote Street.

THE CRESTON REVIEW

Issued every Friday at Creston, B.C. Subscription: $2 a year in advance. $2·50 to U.S. points.

C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, MAY 7

Hearing About Creston

Strome, Alta., April 9
Secretary Board of Trade,
Creston, B.C.

Dear Sir—I am thinking of selling my farm in Alberta and moving to B.C. While I was reading the Edmonton Daily Bulletin lately I noticed an article "Creston Apples Excel," which also spoke of the possibility of 30,000 acres of Kootenay Flats being drained. I would like to buy about one-half section of good bottom land, mostly for the purpose of raising purebred cattle and grain for a few years, then hay, and finally turn it into fruit land. I understand irrigation is not necessary, and that the climate is good.

Shellbrook, Sask, April 3
Secretary Board of Trade,
Creston, B. C.

Dear Sir.—Mr. Jackson of the B. C. Farmer kindly informed me that if I would write to you you would give me some information re the Creston District which, as we are thinking of coming to B. C., we should be pleased to receive. What I want is a small place where I can keep a few cows (4), some pigs and chickens, and as Mr. Jackson says Creston is the coming place I should like to know something about the place . . . . . ."

The two letters quoted above reached the board of trade within a week of each other, and are but fair samples of the enquiries that are coming along with surprising regularity.

Both are striking tributes to the effective publicity effort that the board of trade is carrying on, the first one being particularly notable in that it indicates that there is sure to be a considerable demand for the Kootenay Flats area once drainage is accomplished—and by a type of agriculturist that it is particularly desirable to have on that class of land.

The outstanding feature of the second is, possibly, the assertion by S. P. Jackson, editor of the B.C. Farmer, that "Creston is THE coming place." When the man at the head of a representative publication like the B. C. Farmer unhesitatingly recommends Creston in this fashion, it may safely be assumed that not only is Creston Valley the peer of them all, but that the outside world has learned and is convinced of the fact.

Some day soon Creston Board of Trade is to have an entertainment, or campaign, of some sort to secure funds to continue and extend its publicity effort. With these examples of the splendid work that is being done the organization looks forward with confidence to a generous response to whatever shape its appeal for funds take.

A Shorter Soliloquy

Dear friend, Review, it's quite the rage
To have a poem on your page;
So, if you find this not too bad,
Give me the space the others had.
We've happened on some curious days
To some, the parting of the ways,
There's others talking temperance,
And decent folks like jazz hounds dance.
We have no leaders for the sheep
Of the Master's fold, and one might weep
To see the lambs without a shepherd,
For he must eat, so I have heard.
Five Roses flour can not be bought
Unless the dollars first are caught.
No wonder people quit the church,
When year's-end finds them in the lurch,
When hired to labor for our good.
When Christians worthy of the name
Will not combine in God's good name
And have the church for mankind's good,
To fight the crop of devil's brood.
Wake up, ye Christians; wake, arise,
It may pay you to advertise
The fact that you're still on the earth
And not yet all beneath the turf.
Can it be true you have no creed
But dollars and a selfish greed?
Don't be afraid, bread on the waters
May return and save your sons and daughters.
The last few years some change has wrought,
Some of it good red blood has bought.
But your chances now are great,
Get in and fight ere it's too late.
Then you'll find good men and true
Come back into the church with you.
History now is in the making,
Watch now the steps the world is taking.
Don't be a drag in its progress;
Stand up and help in time of stress.
If you all lay down on your job—
No excuses, you know, go with God.

Creston, B. C. —T.T.T.

The concluding chapters of "TARZAN OF THE APES"
From the book by Edgar Rice Burroughs

Its Crashing Drama and Wild Beauty Will Hold You Spellbound

The adventures of the white ruler of a tribe of apes who seeks his love and destiny amid a civilization with which he is entirely unfamiliar.

PEEKIN THEATRE : : CRESTON

MONDAY, MAY 10

Afternoon at 4. Evening at 8.30. 75c. and 35c.

The Retort Courteous

"If my dog barks at the moon," said a lad,
"What will the moon do," asked the boy of his dad.
"Shine on," said the father, laughingly,
For the boy did not understand, you see.
And so in life you'll find many a day
When others will try to block your way.
Shine on, for you will very soon
Give light to darkness as doth the moon.
Should you be the victims of others spite,
Because of principle to do the right,
Heed not, worry not; sing this song,
I soon shall wear the victor's crown.

—T. M. EDMONDSON.

Nelson Women's Institute has a membership of 75.

Revelstoke council has decided to discontinue supplying electricity free to householders who wanted it for porch lights.

At Trail the town time has been moved an hour ahead in order to effect daylight saving, commencing the middle of April.

Final announcement is made that Granby will dismantle its mines at Phoenix, the work to be completed by the middle of June.

Vernon has over $35,000 of uncollected city taxes.

The Gazette believes Grand Forks has an asset in its climate and pure air that is not as fully appreciated and boosted as it should be.

Revelstoke is indeed waking up. In future the board of trade will meet monthly. In the past it has foregathered once every three months.

Since April 1, 1913, the official recorder of vital statistics at Trail reports the arrival of 737 new citizens, 132 marriages and 251 deaths.

Special Prices

on

Spray Hose and Extension Rods

8 and 10 ft.

Pressure Guages
Relief Valves

You cannot buy cheaper

Tires and Tubes

than we carry of the same quality.

Creston Auto & Supply

R. S. BEVAN, Manager

Shingles For Sale

10,000 No. 1 at $7.50 per M.
100,000 No. 2 at $3.50 per M.
f.o.b. Duck Creek.

Write or phone.

WYNNDEL MERCANTILE CO., Wynndel, B.C.

HARDIE SPRAYERS

Our Hardie Spray Machines have arrived.

We have also received a supply of Hardie Spray parts.

Creston Fruit Growers Union
LIMITED

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Change in Train Service

Effective SUNDAY, MAY 2nd

TRANS CANADA LIMITED, all standard sleeping cars. Trains 7 and 8 between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will be resumed, first train from Montreal and Vancouver, May 2nd.

TIMES OF TRAINS AT CRESTON

Eastbound, daily, 12.35 p.m.
Westbound, daily, 3.22 p.m.

SPOKANE EXPRESS

12 and 14, between St. Paul and Vancouver will be resumed, first train from St. Paul May 29th. First train from Vancouver May 30th.

For further particulars apply to any ticket agent.

J. E. CROWTHER,
District Passenger Agent
Calgary, Alta.

Your Daily News

The Nelson Daily News desires to be *YOUR* Daily Paper.

It is published in *your* district of Kootenay-Boundary.

Its full leased wire service of up-to-the-minute foreign and Canadian news is the News *you* want, and want while it is fresh.

Its Kootenay-Boundary department contains the worldwide news of *your* own home town. News of what *you* and *your* neighbors are doing, *your* friends, *your* aspirations, *your* successes.

You'll find it worth while to read it.

By mail 60c a month; $6.00 a year

THE DAILY NEWS
NELSON, B.C.

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and any kind of repairs. Your repair work will be handled by a skilled mechanic.

Just one Chevroiet 490 left in stock.

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Convenience, security and economy are secured by the use of Travellers' Cheques issued by this Bank. They enable the bearer to identify himself and are readily converted into the current coin of any foreign country.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

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RESERVE FUND - - $15,000,000

CRESTON BRANCH, C. G. Bennett, Manager.

BOYS' CHILDREN'S MEN'S

SHOES

HURLBUT WELT CUSHION SOLE SHOE. The ideal shoe for children, in button and lace.

SOLDIER BOY SHOES, made by J. Leckie & Co., from best of stock, for hard wear.

MEN'S SHOES at $6.50. We have quite a nice stock at this exceptionally favorable price.

There's as much dissimilarity in feet as there is in faces. Lasts that are adapted to the shape of your feet may be entirely wrong for our next customer.

We take a great deal of pains in fitting feet. We want you to get shoes that will fit your feet comfortably and correctly and not cause deformities, pain or foot trouble.

All sizes and styles in the best qualities in stock.

S. A. SPEERS

GENERAL MERCHANT : CRESTON

Navy Blue Suits

at

$45.00

We are again able to offer you a choice selection of All-Wool Navy Blue Suits for men at $45 per suit. All sizes

Twenty Suits Only

Creston Mercantile Company

LIMITED

If you are needing

Brick or Shingles

now is the time to buy

We have just unloaded a car of these at Creston

Canyon City Lumber Company

LIMITED

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

The smelter at Greenwood, which has been closed down for almost two years, is now advertised for sale.

W. J. Hamilton, one of Cranbrook's pioneer ranchers, reports the arrival of seventeen lambs from eleven ewes.

After trying it out for a matter of eight days the city of Trail has cancelled daylight saving, although the smelter is still operating on that plan.

Rossland council finds it necessary to ask the citizens for $10,000 to make some very pressing repairs and improvements to the waterworks system.

Courier: A Cranbrook resident reports that he has burned seven tons of coal already this winter and expects another seven tons will see him through.

Bonners Ferry barbers have raised the price of haircuts to 65 cents. Where the barber goes to a place outside the shop to do a bit of shaving the price is $1.

Vernon farmers institute has been advised that the government has discontinued the practice of sending out horticultural experts to hold apple packing schools.

The Courier cannot understand why winter continues to linger in the lap of spring. Cranbrook gophers made their appearance three weeks earlier than usual this year.

Kaslo council has decided to furnish free light and water to the G.W.V.A. club room in that town, and if the finance committee can see it that way a cash grant will also be made.

Not having had a meeting in six months the minister of agriculture has caused notices to be posted that the Penticton farmers' institute has thereby forfeited its co-operative powers.

To take care of an increased and still increasing Sunday school attendance Grand Forks Presbyterians are blowing in $2100 to buy the old Baptist church in that town for Sabbath school purposes.

Revelstoke citizens are not unmindful of services rendered by its medical men and in token of that appreciation lately presented Dr. Hamilton with $357.50 on the occasion of him leaving for a holiday.

Fernie council is paying $3500 for an International chasis upon which will be erected the necessary container to handle the city's fire fighting equipment, thus obviating the use of horses in the fire brigade.

$1300 will be offered in purses for the boxing features of the 24th of May celebration at Cranbrook this year. The boxing will be staged at the city rink which will be rigged up so as to seat at least 2000 people.

Fred Elsmore, a Grand Forks real estate dealer is likely to be up on a charge of profiteering. Early in the year he purchased the Uren ranch at $1200, which he a few days ago unloaded at $2300. The buyer of the place is to do the prosecuting.

Romance of Tarzan

Tarzan and Jane Porter meet in the jungle, when Tarzan saves the girl from a savage black who has lain in wait upon her trail. Tarzan recognizes the girl as the white mate of whom he has dreamed for years, but is greeted none too cordially by Prof. Porter and Clayton, when the party arrives on the scene.

Tarzan, however, saves the party, first from the attack of an infuriated lion and later from a war party of cannibals, who beseige the cabin. In the meantime a finger-print expert accompanying the English solicitor takes impressions of Tarzan's finger markings and discovers that he is in reality the rightful heir to the Greystoke title. Meanwhile, young Clayton has been trapped outside the cabin by savages. Tarzan goes to his rescue, and by a clever ruse snatches him out of the hands of the cannibals, and leads him away by a secret path to the sea coast. Returning to the cabin Tarzan is just in time to rescue the whole party from another attack by the savages. He shows the way to the sea coast where the boat is moored, but in staying behind to guard the retreat, is himself attacked by the blacks, and has to battle six of the blood-maddened savages.

Jane and the others find Clayton hiding near the beach. He persuades them not to wait for Tarzan, declaring that he witnessed the ape-man's death at the hands of the cannibals a few moments previously. So with heavy hearts the party sails away.

Tarzan is rescued in the meanwhile by his friend, Tantor, the huge elephant, and arrives at the beach on his back as the ship disappears on the horizon. Determined to follow, Tarzan swims to an island mission, a few mile down the coast, where he is cared for by a benevolent priest.

A few weeks later Tarzan sees a [illegible] approaching the island and swimming out to it finds a berth aboard. The schooner finally touches at a California port, and Tarzan for the first time in his life is thrown into the maelstrom of a big city. After a brief experience he strikes for the open country, where he feels more at home.

The palatial rancho of the Parters is located in the California mountains along the very trail that Tarzan sets out upon. Prof. Porter and Jane have just arrived home from their long journey abroad, and shortly after is visited by Clayton, who persists in his determination to marry the beautiful heiress.

Tarzan is overtaken on the trail by outlaws, headed by Juan, a halfbreed, known as The Devil, who operates a notorious dance hall or cantina, bearing the unsavory title of The Hellhole. Secreting himself in a tree under which the outlaws gather, Tarzan hears them formulate a plan to abduct Jane Porter and hold her for ransom. After the outlaws have left Tarzan follows them to the cantina, where he arrives at evening, just as the dancing revels, led by La Belle Odine, a beautiful siren, are at their height. Tarzan breaks into the hall unexpectedly and bounds to the platform, where La Belle Odine is swaying in the intoxication of her dance. Juan and his henchmen try to overpower the ape-man, but he is master of them all. La Belle Odine is subdued into admiration by the primitive strength and heroism of the newcomer.

When the uproar has subsided Juan leaves the cantina long enough to carry out his plan of abducting Jane Porter. When he returns, however, Tarzan hears the cries of his mate from one of the rooms upstairs, and flying to her rescue, assisted by La Belle Odine, overpowers Juan and his desperate followers. Jane is restored to her father, and the evidence that Tarzan lives results in his being acclaimed the Lord of Graystoke and assuming the station to which he is lawfully entitled.

Clayton, however, still determined to put him out of the way, so that he can marry Jane Porter, conspires Juan and La Belle Odine to compromise Tarzan. The plot succeeds up to a certain point, until La Belle Odine finds that she has herself fallen in love with Tarzan.

Jane Porter, believing the evidence infidelity that Clayton has presented against Tarzan, turns from him, and in despair, the primval nobleman leaves the civilization that has brought him nothing but unhappiness and treachery, and returns to his home in the jungles.

Meanwhile, La Belle Odine seeks out Jane Porter, and after confessing her part in the plot to compromise Tarzan, urges the heiress to seek him and win back his love if she must "go to the ends of the earth" to do so.

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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.

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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 fulfillment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may [illegible] 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.

Canada and the United States

In these days of almost universal unrest, words of advice and warning are so frequently uttered and written that there is grave danger of the public ear becoming dulled, and the old fable repeating itself, and the cry of "wolf, wolf" so often sounded being disregarded when actual danger is imminent.

Nevertheless, at the risk of but adding to the alarms given, the writer of this column ventures to declare without equivocation of any kind that danger is threatening Canada, the British Empire, the United States, and, through these great English-speaking nations, is threatening the world.

A deliberate propaganda is being engineered throughout the English-speaking world, but more especially in the United States, to create and develop a feeling of antagonism, of suspicion, of hate, between the people of the United States and the people of the British Empire. And because Canada is British, and the next door neighbor of the United States, no stone is being left unturned to arouse an anti-American sentiment among people in this Dominion.

Traced to its course, this propaganda is the work of Germans and German sympathizers. Make no mistake about it. And the writer would say, as a writer in McLean's magazine said recently: "Canadians, don't fall for it."

Ignominously defeated in the Great War; all her colonies lost to her, and with loss of territory in Europe; her shipping in the hands of her former enemies; her world trade destroyed; her money at a ruinous discount throughout the world; burdened with an enormous debt, and with discontent and rebellion seething at home, Germany is striving almost with desperation to retrieve in piece what she lost in war. Unless she can do so; unless she can gain a new footing in world trade and commerce, Germany's position is hopeless for generations to come.

How is she to even partially regain all that she has lost? She sees but one sure, certain and fairly swift method, and that is to drive a wedge of suspicion and hate between the British Empire and the United States. Accomplish this, and the way is open for Germany to again emerge as a power in the world.

In the United States, the game is being played for Germany by certain politicians of the ward type catering for the German-American and the Irish-American vote. The game is being played by the Hearst newspapers. It is being played by the Sinn Feiners, both in the United States and Ireland.

In turn, the anti-British outbreaks fomented by these classes in the United States are used in Canada and England, but especially in Canada, to arouse a feeling of hostility in this country towards Americans. Full use is made of the discount on English and Canadian money. Retaliatory action is urged against Hearst and other American interests. A policy of nagging and pin-pricking is being encouraged on both sides of the international boundary, not for the advantage of Canada or the advantage of the United States, but in order to benefit Germany, the enemy of both

With a firm friendship cemented between Great Britain and the United States, it would, in the final analysis, matter little whether the League of Nations became a permanent institution or not, because united they can maintain the peace of the world; divided and suspicious of one another, no League of Nations could be effective.

Upon Canada devolves an enormous responsibility. A former member of the Lloyd George Government said to the writer that great as had been Canada's contribution to victory in the war and glorious as was the position this Dominion had won for itself among the nations, its recent achievements and glory were small indeed compared with the opportunity for world service now thrust upon it. Canada, he said, was in fact, the hostage for the future peace of the world. Situated, as this country is, a loyal and proud British Dominion, alongside the great English-speaking repuglic, its people had it in their power to bring about a unity in sentiment between the United States and the British Empire which alone could make permanent world peace possible. On the other hand, Canadians had it equally in their power, by unwise and ill-considered action and the development of an anti-American sentiment to do irretrievable injury to a concord between the Empire and the Republic.

Canadians should be on their guard. They should not be led astray by the political scheming, and the pro-German propaganda, across the line. This twisting of the Lion's tail does not meet with the approval of the sound commonsense of the American people. It is the work of a noisy minority. Canadians can afford to treat it with contempt. Don't take it seriously; don't retaliate in kind. Just laugh at it, and keep on striving to create an eternal friendship between the two great branches of the English-speaking family.

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A Fitting Response

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When Mr. Lloyd George said in the House of Commons that De Valera is putting forward in this country "the same claim in exactly the same language as Jefferson Davis did" and that Great Britain claims nothing more in Ireland than the United States did in the South " and will stand for nothing less," he made a proper response to the Senate's recent meddlesome resolution in favor of the Sinn Feiners. It has never been difficult to put Congress on record in support of the schemes of insurrection, secession and independence on the part of other peoples, but for some reason or another such doctrines as applied to ourselves are always passionately resented. — New York World.

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France to Purchase Ships From Britain

England is Willing to Negotiate the Sale of Ships

Mr. Bignon, French Undersecretary for the Mercantile Marine, announces that he expects important and speedy results from his visit to London and his conversation with British ministers respecting ships and coal.

The attitude of the British authorities was sympathetic and conciliatory, and they expressed surprise at the charge that England is retaining more tonnage than she is justly entitled to at the expense of France.

Mr. Bignon points out that France cannot expect to receive a present of a fleet, but England is willing to negotiate the sale of ships. She had to consider her own position as a sea power, and, according to Mr. Bignon France has reason to be grateful to her for her concessions.

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According to Dr. H. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, crop prospects throughout the Dominion are apparently extremely good. There have been fairly good rainfalls, and there is every prospect of plenty of moisture, while as far as can be judged at this early date seeding prospects are fair. There is a good supply of wheat, oats, and barley seed, which are described as in good condition. The Deputy Minister states that there is sufficient seed to meet all demands.

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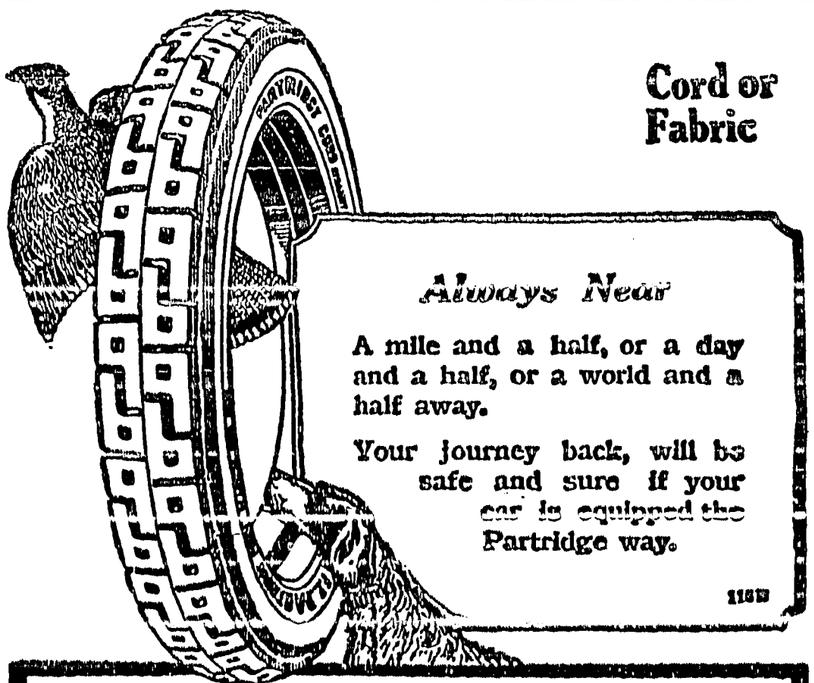
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Strikers' Release Entirely Changed Policy of Ireland

London.—The release of the Irish prisoners was by direct order of General Sir Neville McCready, and marks the beginning of an entire change in the Irish policy, according to a prominently displayed statement in the Daily Mail.

When it became clear some time ago, says the paper, that the policy of repression was leading to dissatisfactions, the premier decided to change the policy, and, if necessary get rid of men associated with the old regime. He suddenly and without warning told J. I. McPherson, chief secretary for Ireland, that he was to be moved to the pensions ministry, and appointed General McCready in command of the troops without consulting the Irish office. General McCready, adds the Mail, was instructed to inaugurate a new policy of conciliation and was given a free hand. In other words, he was to supersede the existing heads of the government in Ireland.

When General McCready arrived in Dublin, he ordered the release of the prisoners after an exchange of wireless messages with Premier Lloyd George, who was on his way to San Remo, according to the Daily Mail.

Inasmuch as General McCready reversed the policy or which Viscount French was responsible, the viceroy, the paper believes, wishes a clear definition as to whether he or General McCready is the chief power in Ireland, and may come to London to inquire.

"The answer," continues the Mail, "may lead to his resignation—a contingency for which the Premier possibly planned. Names of his possible successors are being discussed in the lobbies of parliament, the favorite being the Earl of Granard, although he is a Catholic and a special act of parliament would be necessary to enable him to act as viceroy."

The Mail assumes from Mr. Bonar Law's speeches that he was not informed of the decision for the release of the prisoners and says that the peculiarity of his position is being discussed in political circles.

Protest Against Transfer

Kingston, Ont. — The Kingston branch of the Army and Navy Veterans has passed a resolution protesting against the transfering of guards from the Edmonton penitentiary which is being closed up, to the Portsmouth penitentiary here.

Bavaria Predicts War With France

And For That Reason Germany Should Remain Solid

Geneva.—The Munich Post, a socialist organ, has created a sensation in Bavaria by publishing the report of a secret meeting of the Bavarian Junker Party, which was attended by most of the military officers. The meeting was presided over by Herr Von Schoch, president of the Patriotic League. The principle questions discussed related to the division of Germany into two ports and the proposed overtures to be made to France to join in an attack upon Prussia.

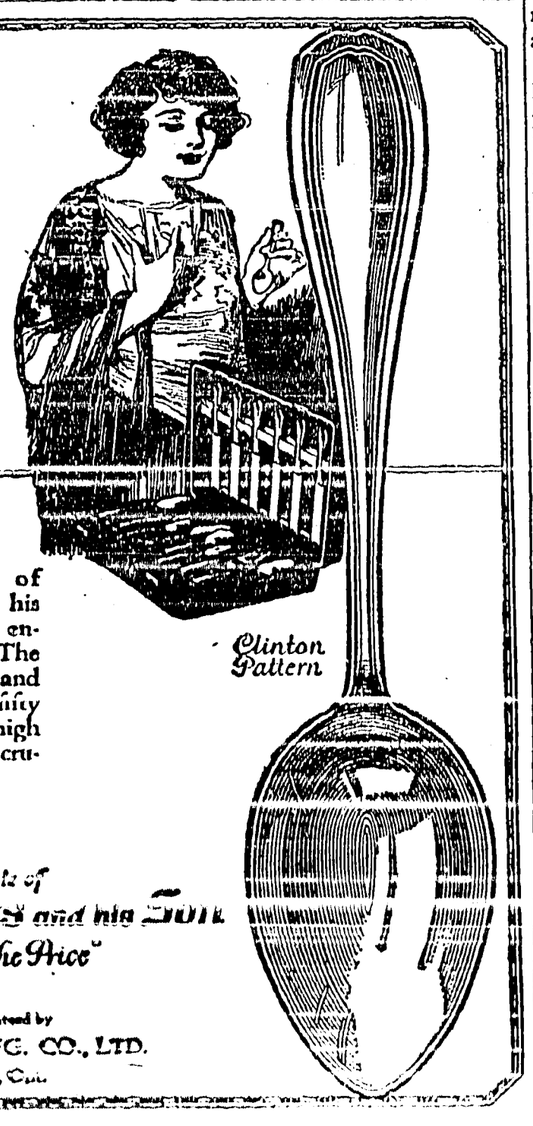
Captain Berthold, says the Munich Post, objected to the proposals, saying that the Bavarian generals would suffer the fate of Admiral Kolchak and General Denikine, the Russian anti-Bolsheviki leaders. He added that another war with France was inevitable in the near future and for that reason Germany should remain solid. Several officers and politicians supported the view.

Land for Irish Soldiers

Who Volunteered For Service At The Front in 1918

Dublin.—Government officials are negotiating for 1,000 acres of land which will be apportioned among Irishmen who volunteered for service at the front in 1918. Viscount Field-Marshal French, lord-lientenant of Ireland, promised in 1918 that land would be given to those who joined the colors, and in 1919 parliament passed a bill carrying the lord-lieutenant's promise into effect. To the present, however, only 71 men who took advantage of the offer, have been provided with homes.

The only land that can be taken under the law is that which is not subject to tenancies and it may be taken from landlords under compulsion. Recent governments have followed the policy of relieving congestion by distributing of land among small tenants, and these men are beginning to display apprehension lest their claims be postponed, preference being given those soldiers. Four thousand applications for holdings have been filed, and nearly six thousand soldiers have asked for cottages.



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Strikers Are Released For Treatment

Prisoners Say That Their Worst Hardship Was Uncomfortable Beds

Dublin.—It was officially announced that it is not intended to release all of the hunger strikers in Mount Joy prison unconditionally, but that an order has been issued that those requiring medical treatment outside the prison will be released on parole for periods to be specified in the case of each individual by the prison doctor.

After only four of the prisoners had been removed from Mount Joy prison, the government intervened with the conditions pertaining to the reincarceration of the hunger strikers after hospital treatment.

The prisoners refused the new terms. When a danger arose that there would be a refusal of further departure from the prison by the hunger strikers, the lord mayor again visited the vice-regal lodge with a view to having the order rescinded.

The lord mayor stated on his return that the prisoners would be released unconditionally.

The prisoners had refused to accept the stipulation on the ground that it was a re-application of the "cat and mouse" policy.

The release of the prisoners announced at five o-clock in the afternoon is regarded as a complete triumph for the hunger strikers and its ally, the general strike. It became known early that Viscount French had summoned the lord mayor, and that it was then only a question of terms.

It is not definitely known what the terms are, and for some days there may be contradictory statements regarding them, the trade unionists, however, have no doubt which side had won, and immediately called off the general strike, to the great relief of the citizens.

The prison board also received an order that henceforth under the Defence of the Realm Act, prisoners should receive ameliorative treatment from the date of their arrest until their trial for a specific offence.

The visit to Dublin of James Henry Thomas, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen and Labor member of parliament for Derby, is regarded as having had some share in the decision for the release of some of the men.

It is said that an attempt was to have been made to bring about a strike in England in support of the Irish cause. Mr. Thomas made a speech from a window of the labor executive offices endorsing the action of the hunger strikers.

The absence of military from the streets was conspicuous. There were no tanks or armored cars posted at the jail, and the barbed wire barricades had been removed. The Irish volunteers resumed charge of maintaing order outside the prison and were implicitly obeyed.

The released prisoners in the Mater Misericordia hospital say that the prison staff and ordinary officers at Mount Joy were kind in their treatment of them; their worst hardship was uncomfortable beds. They were indignant at two proposals made to them by the authorities, which implied that certain of the men should desert their colleagues. Their attitude was "all or none."

To Eliminate French Language

Orange Delegation Presented Petition To Nova Scotia Council

Halifax. — A delegation from the Grand Orange Lodge appeared before the council of public instruction and presented a petition pointing out that the French language had no official status in Nova Scotia and asking that it be absolutely eliminated, either as a medium of study or instruction in primary grades.

The delegation also expressed its disapproval of the present separate school system.

The council replied that the matter will be considered.

Lisbon.—Twenty-nine persons were wounded when three bombs were thrown into a crowd during a demonstration here in a protest against the high cost of foodstuffs. Two syndicate workmen were arrested. During the demonstration cabinet ministers made speeches in response to the acclamations of the crowd.

Col. Morden Says Ottawa May Be Capital of Empire

Suggests United States Try Canadian Plan

Of Having An Investigation Before A Strike Is Permitted

Boston.—In a speech delivered at a luncheon here, Major-General Wood dealt with the strike situation. Referring to the Canadian plan of "having an investigation before a strike is permitted," he said: "In this way, Canada has built up a sound public opinion. We have not built up any public opinion here. We do not get the facts concerning strikes. The coal strike in Kansas, for instance, was a strike for longer working hours. The men were allowed to work only eighteen hours a week because there were no cars to move the coal and no place to store the coal, and they could not live on eighteen hours' work a week. That happens to have been the inside fact in that strike, yet nobody knew anything about it. The steel strike was something quite different; and so with the coal strike in West Virginia. We want to build up a sound public opinion here. Public opinion rules in this country."

May Break Relations

Russian Soviet and Poland Unable To Reach Agreement

Warsaw.—In rejecting further discussions regarding Borisov, on the Bernesina river northeast of Minsk, as the place for the proposed peace negotiations of Poland and Russia, the Russian Soviet government has sent a wireless message saying it considered the last note of the Poles in the nature of an ultimatum. "We are now standing face to face with the sad eventuality of breaking with Poland owing to the failure to agree upon the locality," the message says:

It reiterates that the Bolsheviki are ready to accept any neutral town and suggests the possibility of holding the peace conference in Paris or London. The message concludes by saying that Russia's only alternative has been to address England, America and France.

It is expected here that the entente note to Poland on the subject will be made public in a few days.

Nominate Convicted Leaders

Labor Party Decided In Favor Of Men Who Figured In Sedition Charges

Winnipeg.—Annulling the nominations made a fortnight ago, the Winnipeg Branch of the Dominion Labor Party, at a meeting in the Labor Temple, decided in favor of the ten men who had figured in the sedition charges being nominated for the Winnipeg seats at the provincial elections in July.

These men are R. B. Russels, Rev. Wm. Ivens, Ald. John Queen, W. A. Pritchard, R. J. Johns, George Armstrong and R. E. Bray, who were convicted; John Farnell, who was imprisoned for seditious utterances; F. J. Dixon, M.L.A., who was charged with seditious libel and was acquitted, and J. S. Woodworth, who is facing a similar charge.

They will not all be the nominees of the Labor Party, however, as it was decided to confer with other working class organizations, such as the Socialist party, the Social-Democratic party, and the Ex-soldiers' and Ex-sailors' party, with a view to these organizations naming their own particular candidates. The Labor party will confine its nominees to those of the men who are members of the party, Ivens, Woodworth and Dixon.

Ninety Blind in Saskatchewan

Regina, Sask.—A survey of Saskatchewan by the provincial government at the request of the National Institution for the Blind reveals there are ninety blind persons in Saskatchewan.

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Ottawa.— Addressing members of the Empire Parliamentary Association at a dinner in the Rideau Club, Col. Grant Morden, a member of the British House of Commons, declared that the idea that Canada, having become a nation within the British Empire, was strong enough to stand alone was not only a fallacious, but a dangerous view. Other speakers during the evening were Senator Foster and Hon. MacKenzie King.

Col. Morden scouted the idea that Britain had been ruined by the war. It was true he said, that Britain had a debt of eight billion pounds, but more than ninety per cent. of this was an internal debt and the balance was more than doubly covered by the loans made the allies. The country was exceedingly poor after the Napoleonic wars, as compared with today.

Colonel Morden paid a tribute to Lloyd George, who had proved himself a leader enabling Britain to win the war, and who was now showing himself a great statesman and master of reconstruction.

Co-operation and combination was being applied in industry in Britain with success. This might apply as well to the politics of the empire at large. If the capital and experience of the motherland could be combined with the resources of the overseas dominions, then there was a bright future in sight for all parts of the empire. The empire would be able to maintain her position as first in the world. Canada had the resources and if they were wisely developed, Col. Morden would not be surprised, he said, to see this Dominion and Ottawa, in many senses at least, the capital of the empire. A good government, which would protect the interests of all classes, was a necessity to induce people to come to Canada, and people were needed as well as capital to develop resources.

The "silken thread of sentiment" binding the Empire should be reinforced by the "golden chains of commerce.

Quebec Wants More Revenue

Quebec.—In an effort to find more revenue to foot the city's growing expenditures, the Quebec city council is considering various plans of taxation. It is proposed to levy a 15 per cent. tax on all business enterprises and also to pad the property valuation so as to raise by a couple of millions the revenues of the administration.

Opium Sent As Eggs

Calgary. — Twenty tins of opium, valued at $2,000 were seized by police here. The opium was sent from Montreal to a local Chinese firm and was secreted in a case of eggs. The police are trying to locate the owner.

Was Tortured for Nearly Two Years

THEN MRS. McNEIL USED DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Nova Scotian Suffering From Rheumatism Tells of the Benefit She Got Through Using Dodd's Kidney Pills

Hillsborough, N.S., April 19th. — (Special).—"For nearly two years I suffered the tortures of rheumatism and could get nothing to relieve me. At last I thought of Dodd's Kidney Pills and commenced to take them.

"Before I had used two boxes I felt better. I have been using them for nearly six months and feel ever so much better. I will continue to use them until my rheumatism is gone."

Mrs. James McNeill, who lives here, makes the above statement. She feels that she owes it to other sufferers from rheumatism to tell them how she found relief from her suffering. She is always ready to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Other sufferers from rheumatism tell of pains relieved and health restored through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They act directly on the kidneys. They strengthen the kidneys and put them in shape to strain the uric acid out of the blood. Uric acid crystallizing in the muscles causes the pains known as rheumatism.

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

Local and Personal

C. B. Garland was a business visitor at Nelson on Tuesday.

DUCK EGGS—For setting, $1 for 9 eggs. C. Kelsey, Erickson.

BIRTH—On April 22nd, to Mr. and Peterman, West Creston, a son.

SPRAY BARRELS FOR SALE—A few empties. W. V. Jackson, Creston.

FOR SALE—Eight young pigs, six weeks old, $9 and $10 each. R. Stewart, Creston.

CANARIES—Two hen canary birds for sale. Mrs. J. B. Kennedy, Victoria Ave., Creston.

FOR SALE—Limited quantity of strawberry plants. Monrad Wigen, Wynndel, B.C.

Mrs. Lidgate got back on Thursday last from a two week's holiday with Nelson friends.

R. B. Staples left on Snnday on a business trip to Calgary and other prairie centres.

COW FOR SALE—Giving nice flow of milk. See her for yourself, Embree's Garage, Creston.

FORD CAR FOR SALE—1917 model, in first-class shape. L. Hussack, Canyon City (Erickson P.O.)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Truscott extend their thanks to the charivari party for the handsome present received from them.

Telephone Rates

Owing to the increased cost of operation and maintenance the Creston Power, Light & Telephone Company, Limited, are increasing their rates to the following schedule, to take effect May 1, 1920.

Banks	$5.00	per month.
Hotels	5.00	"
Stores	5.00	"
Garages	4.00	"
Offices	4.00	"
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Installations	3.00	

10% will be added to these rates if not piad when due.

All previous rates, privileges, concessions, etc, are hereby cancelled.

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FOR SALE—Portable hen house 8 x 6 feet. Mrs. Forward.

Mrs. J. R. Bohlae and children were Spokane visitors a couple of days the latter part of the week.

LOST—two keys for safety deposit compartment. Reward. Leave at Review Office, Creston.

FOR SALE—Registered pedigree Jersey heifer, 18 months old, not bred. $100. A. North Sirdar.

Mrs. W. S. Trombley of Sibbald, Alta., is spending a few days with old friends in Creston this week.

There will be the usual services at the usual hours in Holy Cross Church, Creston, on Sunday, May 9th.

FOR SALE—Furniture and all household effects, by private sale. Mrs. J. R. Bohlae, Fourth St., Creston.

Miss Anna Anderson of The Review staff was a Nelson visitor a couple of days the early part of the week.

Jim Cameron of Cranbrook was a week-end visitor here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cameron.

Miss E. Irvine of Vancouver arrived on Friday, and will spend a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Garland.

"Chippy" Hill of Montreal, arrived on Tuesday, and is making an inspection of his iron claims at Kitchener.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, $1.50 for setting of 15 eggs. W. V. Jackson, Creston.

Vic. Mawson is spending a few days with Nelson friends this week, combining pleasure with having some nental work attended to.

Miss Severoid of Eethbridge, Alta., arrived last week, and will take charge of the millinery department of Mrs. Bruce's store.

Mrs. Conn of Vernon, who has been a visitor the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Oatway, left on Sunday for Edmonton.

"Dad" Baines has been secured as janitor for the public school for the balance of R. Boadway's year, which expires at the end of June.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Purebred Orpingtons and Barred Rocks. $1.25 for setting of 15. Forest Stream Orchards, Wynndel. Telephone alright.

WANTED—School girl of reliable age to take charge of two small children two or three afternoons a week. Apply Mrs. F. E. Loveday, Creston.

The C.P.R. has this week unloaded three cars of poles in the yard here, which will be used for a new telegraph pole line from Canyon to Wynndel.

Bulk Seeds! Emerald green lawn grass seed, white Dutch clover, Golden Bantam and White Cory Corn. Dutch setts 35c. lb. Mawson Bros.

Leslie McMurtrie is the latest addition to the auto owing fraternity, having last week purchased the Chevrolet from Surveyor Rice, who has left for the coast.

FOR SALE—Heavy work horse, weight 1700 now, fair condition, six years old, intelligent, quiet, good puller, well proportioned, price $225. R. Lamont, Creston.

The Mission Band birthday party on Saturday afternoon, May 15th, will be in the Parish Hall, at 3 o'clock, with an admission fee of one cent for every year you are old.

The Salvation Army officers of Cranbrook and Nelson will conduct a salvation meeting in Mercantile Hall every Thursday night at 8.30, and cordially invite all to attend.

The Ladies' Guild of Christ Church will hold a Country Fair in the Parish Hall on May 24th at 2.30 p.m., to be followed by a whist drive at 8 30 and a dance from 11 to 2 a.m.

Geo. Broderick, who since leaving here about two years ago has been at lumbering operations at Dome Creek on the G.T.P., arrived on Wednesday on a brief business trip.

The Bedry residence on Park Road, next H. Christie's, has just been sold to M. P. Molander of Kitchener. Mr. Bedry is at present in charge of the section crew at the Loop.

R. E. Greenwood, who has been junior on the Bank of Commerce staff, for the past three months, left on Saturday for Greenwood, to which point he has been transferred.

APPLES WANTED—600 cases Jonathan, domestic pack at $1.75; 300 cases small Jonathans at $1.25; also Spitz and Wagners, domestic, at $1.75. Jack H. Snoeck, Hillcrest, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and family have arrived from Kaslo to make their home in Creston, and are occupying the R. Boadway residence. Their son, Roy, is working with F. Belanger.

A whist drive and dance is on the programme for to-night at the Peekin theatre. Cards from 8.30 to 11 followed by lunch, and then a dance to Creston orchestra music. Gentlemen $1, ladies 50c.

Geo. Hendren would appreciate very much if the party who took the loan of jack from the front of his workshop would return the same at once, as he has a job in which he can use it to advantage.

LOST—On April 6th, either on Fourth Street or between there and K. Andrew ranch, kit bag containing two umbrellas, parasol, and other articles. Reward to party leaving same at Review Office.

Those on the lookout for farm equipment, cattle or horses, are reminded of the auction sale of the property of Mrs. Geo. Broderick which is billed for Saturday, May 8, at the McCreath barn.

Rev. Mr. McNabb of Calgary is announced to take the services in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday at the usual hours, and present arrangements are for him to occupy the pulpit for the rest of May.

W. M. Archibald of Rossland, who lately purchased the Hooper ranch was here a couple of days last week, making arrangements for getting on with some of the improvements he plans making on the ranch.

R. Boadway takes this opportunity to express the thanks of himself and family for the many kindnesses shown them in their recent bereavement, as well as last week during their preparations for moving from Creston.

R. Boadway and family left on Saturday for Canora, Sask., where he intends visiting for a couple of weeks, and will locate if opportunity presents itself, otherwise he will proceed to Michigan to make a permanent home.

Notices are going out this week for the annual meeting of Creston Valley Stockbreeders' Association, which will be held Monday afternoon, May 17th, at the Peekin theatre. Grazing Commissioner MacKenzie is expected here on that occasion.

The May meeting of the Women's Institute is called for Friday afternoon next, the feature of which will be a paper by Mrs. Downs on public health matters. Some decision will also be arrived at as to whether to hold a Flower Show or not.

Miss M. McLean of Vancouver, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Truscott, en route to Manyberries, Alta., where she has taken a school. She taught at Canyon City about three years ago, since when she has been at the university at Vancouver.

The May meeting of Creston Board of Trade is called for Tuesday night, and as there are several important committee reports to deal with as well as to arrange for delegates to the East Kootenay boards' convention at Windermere on the 28th, a large turnout is hoped for.

W. D. Montgomery, a photographer, well-known in Creston about ten years ago, is renewing acquaintances in the Valley at present, following his old line of business. He went overseas with the first Canadian contingent in 1914, and was still in uniform when peace came at least four years later.

The directors and a few of the members of the Women's Institute who are having the tea and sale of home cooking to-morrow afternoon are preparing for a large crowd. The funds raised are to defray expenses in connection with the Kootenay-Boundary institutes' convention here in September.

Capt. A. Fitzgerald, a resident here until early in 1914, and who upon the declaration of war returned to England to rejoin his regiment, got back last week on a visit to old friends. His service in France earned him rapid promotion as he now holds the rank of general, as well as having been awarded the D.S.O.

Rev. J. Knox Wright of the Bible Society was here on Friday and gave a moving picture lecture on South America in the Presbyterian church in the evening. As the posters announcing the meeting were only put up the night before the turnout was small. He made his usual collection tour of the town next morning. Last year the society contributions at Creston were $20.

In the neighborhood of $15 was realized at the birthday tea under Christ Church Ladies' Guild auspices at the Mrs. W. S. Watson's home Friday afternoon lrst. The occasion was the hostesses' seventieth anniversary and there was a good turnout of friends to extend felicitations under such auspicious circumstances. Mrs. Hayes won the handsome filet crochet yoke which was raffled during the afternoon.

The first full meeting of the joint committees of the Creston, Canyon and Wynndel locals of the United Farmers and Creston Board of Trade that is enquiring into municipilization was held on Tuesday night when considerable progress was made. Messrs. Spencer, Bathie and Cook were named a sub-committee to at once procure copies of the Municipal Act, the last revised assessment roll of the Valley, as well as the financial and other reports of other rural municipalities. With this data carefully gotten together and sifted out it is expected the committee will then be in a position to present the case intelligently in all its details either for or against municipal organization.

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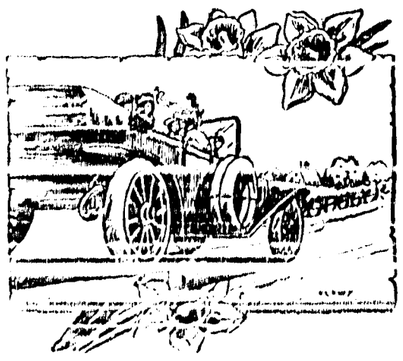

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