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Junior and Senior Sports Favored

A well attended meeting of the executive of the newly-organized Creston Valley Amateur Athletic Association was held on Tuesday night, when the question of what lines of sport would receive attention at the start of the association's career was very thoroughly discussed, and will be ready for presentation at the meeting at the Peekin on Monday night.

Baseball, of course, is already established and will be a big feature of the association's activities. A manager has already been selected and a captain will be named at once for Creston-Erickson nine, and plans will be at once formulated to put the team on a good working basis both as to playing the game as well in other respects. At senior baseball an effort will be made to get a Valley league under way with Porthill, Wynndel and Creston teams in sight for a starter. Equally strict attention will be given to organizing a junior league—either composed of school teams or nines made up of school players and others who are over school age but who cannot qualify for the senior ranks.

An effort will be made to introduce football, which can be played before and after the baseball season, or the whole year through if there is enough material available. Lister has ample players to field almost two strong teams, while, doubtless, in the other sections it should be possible to float a league of four really good teams. Football, too, will be introduced in the schools if the thing is feasible.

For the boys and girls, however, basketball is to be featured, and as but few players are required to make up a team it is felt this sport can be introduced in every school in the Valley, and the greatest amount of rivalry developed, which will go a long way to make the sport a success. Outdoor basketball can be played most of the months in the year, but the indoor kind will also be encouraged wherever suitable buildings to play it in can be secured.

Hockey has been mentioned, but its introduction depends upon whether anyone can be pursuaded to operate closed rinks. So far as Creston is concerned the fall fair main building is available for that purpose, and with skating also made available a rink should be a paying proposition.

The association executive is prepared to give the time necessary to launch these several lines of sport, and as a central body supervise the effort, but to make these various plans materialize is will be necessary to have strong committees to handle each one of them. A definite proposition along all these lines will be submitted at the public meeting on Monday night at the Peekin, and it is hoped there will be a good turnout of those interested so the project can be immediately got under way.

Kitchener

Fishing in both the Goat and at the Meadows is reported good at present, and some fine catches are being made. With Dick Smith in residence here now all records for good luck in the angling line are going his way.

Mrs. Johnson, who has been unwell since the early part of the month, was a visitor at Cranbrook a few days last week.

Week-end visitors out of town were J. Hanson, who was at Creston, and G. Grant, who Sundayed at Wynndel.

Mr. Howard is taking an enforced vacation at present, due to the fact that while at work loading ties one of these timbers fell on his foot, crushing the toes rather severely.

F. V. Staples was at Creston on Sunday umpiring the baseball match between Creston and Wynndel. He has his sawmill running in good shape, and turning out from eight to ten thousand feet a day.

The C.P.R. is busy loading out the cut of ties they purchased here this spring, in addition to which the Paulson's are equally busy when cars are available loading out ties, posts and poles.

Auto tourist traffic is heavier through here this year than ever before. So far there have been no mishaps due to the rule of the road changing on the 15th.

Everyone is looking forward to tomorrow night, Saturday, July 24th, when the benefit dance for C. Lapointe takes place at the new Paulson store. Every facility is being provided to take care of a big turnout, and there will be a good floor, good music, and a splendid supper.

Last word of Mr. Lapointe is that he is coming along as well as could be expected at Nelson hospital. The doctors found it necessary to amputate the leg just a few inches below the knee.

Wynndel

The most serious forest fire of the season, which broke out in the hills between Wynndel and Arrow Creek on July 11th, was got under control the latter part of the week, and the crew of 35 men that had been fighting it was cut to half a dozen. The blaze was dangerously close to the timber on the Winlaw limits, but the fighters were successful in keeping it off that area.

Eric, Lewis and John Johnson, who have been working for J. B. Winlaw, left on Monday for Alberta, to look after their farms there.

J. W. Humphrey of Malakwa, the United Farmers' provincial organizer, addressed the members of the Wynndel local on Monday night, there being a good turnout of members at the gathering. His talk was a decidedly interesting one as was shown by the very close attention that was given his remarks. At other centres Mr. Humphrey has been kind enough to state that the Wynndel organization is equal to the best of them in the province when it comes to doing good work.

A. Joy had a visit from his brother a few days the early part of the wnek.

Miss H. Nathorst, who has been at Pincher Creek for the past month, returned on Sunday, and is looking fine after her vacation.

E. S. Butterfield did not spend the week-end at Balfour but is expecting, if everything goes well, to be there for this week-end. Most of us are wondering how he ever got through Saturday and Sunday minus his regulation Balfour visit.

Mike Callaghan, who has been working for Monrad Wigen all spring and summer, left on Tuesday for his home at Fernie. His sister is staying to the end of the berry season.

The very large crowd of outside berry pickers is now beginning to thin out, parties going away on every train this week.

The Co-Operative Fruit Growers sent out their last car of strawberries on Monday, but a considerable quantity of berries still go out daily in small express lots. Owing to the cold, damp spring the yield of berries has not been quite up to expectations, the Co-Op. having but six instsead of eight straight cars to export. Monday saw the first of the raspberries moving.

Although it is unpleasant to have to do it, we are compelled to state that the dance in the schoolhouse on Saturday night was an absolute disgrace to the community—and was made so solely by parties of visitors from various Valley points who were very much intoxicated. To make matters worse there was no one at the dance in authority except a lady, and she had to rely on what assistant she could get from the Wynndel boys and who, it is a pleasure to say, backed her up very well. The people of Duck Creek would be very much obliged if in the future parties attending our dances would come sober, or stay away entirely.

Entrance Results

Just as we went to press this (Thursday) afternoon Entrance Examination results in the Valley are announced as follows:

Lister—Annie Chalmers 752, Lena Frampton 551.

Canyon City—Kathleen Clayton 578.

Creston—Violet Morrow 719, Edith Cook 665, Eva Holmes 608, Louise Beyan 590, Marguerite Crawford 585, Agnes Hobden 567, Lionel Moore 554, Osborn Bell 551.

Wynndel—Nora Hagen 574.

Police Court Has Quite Busy Day

Stipendiary magistrate Crompton had both quality and quantity in police court proceedings on Wednesday morning. Ten cases were disposed of on that occasion, though the financial intake was rather low; averaging but $3 per case. Six Valley autoists appeared on a charge of running cars without tail lights lit three others were accused of failing to report in writing within twenty-four hours on motor accidents that they figured in, and one gentleman was held on the charge of operating his car with only one number plate showing. A fine of $1 and costs was inflicted in each case, and all liquidated

A couple of visiting Alberta motorists also contributed modestly to the provincial revenues via the police court route this week. One of them who had neglected to report his arrival in B.C. at any of the accredited sources was mulcted in the sum of $1 and costs for his sin of ommission in this regard, while another gentleman who was apprehended carrying fire arms in his motor during the close season was assessed $10 and cots, with his rifle confiscated and expressed back to his home town in Alberta. Provincial police Vachon was the prosecutor in the whole dozen motor prosecutions that have taken place within the week.

Erickson Local United Farmers

Creston Valley now has four branches of the United Farmers of British Columbia, the newest member of the fraternity being Erickson local which was formed at a fairly well attended meeting at the Erickson schoolhouse on Tuesday night, with provincial organizer J. W. Humphrey of Malakwa in attendance.

The meeting chose W. V. Jackson, president of the Creston branch, and who is also the Kootenay director of the provincial organization, as chairman, who spoke briefly in introducing Mr. Humphrey to the gathering. In an address which lasted probably an hour Mr. Humphrey briefly but very convincingly set forth the advantages that would accure to the district as a whole, as well as the farmers individually through having a live local of the U.F. operating in their midst. His talk was nicely balanced in stating the case both from what might be termed the commercial and community advantages as well as the social side to the U.F. locals, which he very strongly urged be given even better than 50 per cent. of their attention.

At the conclusion of his remarks the point of organizing immediately or calling another meeting before electing permanent officers was briefly debated, with the show of hands in favor of immediately getting the local under way, and the election of officers resulted as follows:

Presidedt—W. G. Littlejohn.
Vice-Pres.—W. G. Birney.
Secy. Treas.—W. J. Boyd.
Executive—M. R. Palmer, Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. Birney.

Fifteen members were enrolled at the meeting, and as there are several here who had joined up in the winter at Creston, and who will transfer to Erickson, certainly the local gets off to a good start both as to members and entnusiasm. The next meeting is called for the schoolhouse on Friday evening next, June 30th, and in the meantime a whole lot of missionary work will be done to ensure a good attendance and the signing on of more members.

E. VanAckeran, secretary of the Canyon local was present, as well as A. R. Swanson, who is a director of the Canyon branch, both of whom spoke briefly as to the benefits of such an organization in any community. W. G. Birney made an excellent secretary for the meeting.

Canyon City

Campbell Blair was a visitor with Nelson friends a few days the latter part of the week.

Jock McRobb returned from Birchbank a few days ago, and will be here for haying operations.

Fred Waylett is at present enjoying a visit from his father and mother, who aarived early in the month from Winniepg, and are expecting to stay until the end of August.

Box making operations have eased off at the mill until something more definite can be gleaned as to the extent of the apple crop. Already 40,000 boxes have been turned out.

We hear Tom Hickey has just closed a logging contract with the Company, for a cut of three million feet, and will have his crew in the woods the fore part of September.

Last week saw the finishing touches put on the new road on the Canyon side to the new high level bridge. The road crew has transferred to Erickson, where it is on repair work.

Capt. Gray of the Salvation Army corps, Cranbrook, had another successful meeting here on Tuesday night, which is his farewell appearance. He has been transferred to the coast.

The United Farmers are looking for a big turnout this (Thursday) night when Organizer Humphrey is to deliver an address, going on to Lister on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross, who have been here for some weeks on a visit their daughter, Mrs. G. Davie, expect to be returning in a few weeks to their home at Portsmouth, England.

Congratulations are extended to Misses Frances Knott and Sadie Wood on their success at this year's high school examinations. The latter has had remarkable success at her work passing her Entrance and first, second and third year high school tests without a miss—and had a six mile drive night and morning for three years taking the latter work.

Local and Personal

P. B. Fowler, who up till 1914 was manager of Creston branch of the Bank of Commerce, and since then in charge at Fernie and Nelson, has just been made assistant manager at the Vancouver branch.

Capt. Gray, who has been in charge of Salvation Army work at Cranbrook, and who has worked Creston Valley once a week as an outstation, has just received word of his transfer to a corps at the coast, and will hold his final services at Cranbrook on Sunday. It is not likely the work at Cranbrook will be continued, at least for the present.

The past week has been rather a busy one with local realty dealers, one of the latest sales being another five-acre block of the Dow Addition, which Rose & Timmons this week sold to J. Gabriel of Duhamel, Alta. As he is anxious to get busy on his land Mr. Gabriel has also purchased the frame cottage of T. Trevelyan, near the school, which he will occupy for the time being.

Creston Masonic Lodge has an interesting number on hand for the next regular meeting on Wednesday. P.G.M. Jas. Schofield of Trail will be here to assist with the installation of S. A. Speers as D.D.G.M. of District No. 8, in addition to which a third degree will be conferred, proceedings to close with an informal banquet spread. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

Association Will Handle Athletics

Creston Valley Amateur Athletic Association was regularly organized the meeting called for last Friday night, and which attracted quite a large and representative attendance. R. B. Staples was chosen to preside over the gathering, with C. F. Hayes doing the work of secretary.

All present were quite agreed that some such organization was required to intelligently promote sports and athletics of almost every kind, not only amongst the seniors, but more particularly amongst the juniors. It was also considered wise to have the association embrace the whole Valley, and in the election of officers this was kept well in view. The officers chosen are;

President—C. F. Hayes.
Vice-President—C. G. Bennett.
Secy.-Treas.—C. B. Garland.
Executive: H. Bathie, Wynndel; G. Paton, Lister; R. M. Telford, F. V. Staples, W. Hall, C. Maxwell, Erickson; R. B. McLeod, Creston.

As the baseball club is already in existence, although without officers regularly appointed to take charge, the first move was in the direction of securing a manager for the team, and for which post R. B. Staples was the unanimous choice.

A meeting of the officers and executive was decided upon for Tuesday night, at which the whole sports situation will be gone carefully into, as well as the drafting of rules and regulations governing the association and another public meeting is called for Monday, July 26th, at 8.30 p.m., at which the recommendations of the executive will be submitted for amendment and approval.

The underlying principle of the athletic association is to have a central organization in charge, as far as possible, of all lines of sport in the Valley, and from the association membership to pick committees to take charge of the different sports, such as baseball, football, basketball and every feature of athletics that can be developed in the district.

Sirdar

Supt. Maharg of Cranbrook was here on an official visit on Friday. This will probably be his last look in on us as he has been transferred to the coast, and expects to leave for Vancouver any day.

The strawberry season is practically over here. The long dry season last year, coupled with the early freeze-up seems to have been too much for the plants. The Pascuzzo ranch disposed of the entire crop to local residents and the C.P.R. diners.

The body of the unknown man which was found here about a month ago, is still moored at the same old place. As soon as the water goes down it will be buried at the same spot. There is still no clue to indentify the unfortunate.

Mr. and Mrs. Proctor, who are guests of the Loasby's, were at Nelson for a few days the latter part of the week.

Rev. J. S. Mahood will be here again on Sunday evening for the English Church services, and if the mosquitoes will permit there should be a good turnout.

W. H. Morris was here from Trail a few days last week, but left again on Saturday on a trip to Cranbrook.

Mrs. Loasby is spending a few days with friends in Spokane this week. She left on Monday.

From all accounts Sirdar is the only point in the Valley that has any peaches at all, and it will be up to local growers to supply this fruit for Creston fair.

The trustees are still waiting for word from Victoria in connection with the vacancy in the school board. A matter of $1500 is asked this year, which will not only pay the teacher's salary, but will take care of the other running expenses, and thus do away with passing the hat to get money even for janitor work.

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He stooped and folded the dead man's hands on his bosom. Then he glanced at the boy and girl. They stood side by side, Willow's right hand gripping Dannie's left. In her big eyes was the look of a hurt wild thing. She trembled when Dorkin put his hand sympathetically upon her shoulder, and her arm went about her brother's neck. But she did not speak. Like the lad, who stood gazing upon the motionless form on the skins with hot eyes from which the tears fell fast, she was voiceless. Gently Dorkin drew the young people outside where a blanket of golden sunlight lay upon dripping grass and fern. "Look," he said pointing to the barred skies between the rainbow and Old Creation, "Daddie passed through yonder."

Dannie caught his breath as he gazed and his face lit up with a wistful smile. "If we only knew for sure that Dad went through there," he said, "we'd be right glad."

"If Dorkin says he went through," said the girl, "why o' course he did." She reached for the big man's hand and carried it to her face. She rested her white cheek against it, and her bosom heaved as she gazed upon the glorious lights beneath the dimming rainbow.

"Dannie," spoke Dorkin gently, "you remember it was Daddy's wish that his last sleep should be beneath the [illegible] where the trail divides. It will [illegible] wished, laddie, but we must hurry."

The boy turned with a sigh. "Yes," he faltered. "Dad offers liked that old tree. We'll make his grave there. We'd most like to have it all over afore the birds quit singin' wouldn't we, Willy?"

The girl nodded. "Ay," when it's all broke, I'm more like to play him the tune on the fiddle," she added softly.

She turned towards the cabin, but Dorkin restrained her. "I'll fetch the fiddle, Willow," he said, "you stay out here in the sunlight."

She smiled bravely up into his face. "Anyway you want me to do, I'll do," she said simply.

He left her standing wrapped in the glory above Old Creation, and passed into the cabin.

As he looked down on the peaceful face on the skins, he remembered what trouble, danger and struggle to tell him about the boy. He had forgotten all about it. He turned to the corner where his fiddle was gone. A long bright ray had been cut in the oiled skin of the window, here to the [illegible] had stolen the boy and with it the secret which the old trapper had vainly tried to tell him.

For a moment Dorkin stood in stupefied amazement at what had happened, then his mind became active again. What could that box contain? he wondered; something of importance surely, judging from the effort the dead man had made towards its preservation and now he, Dorkin, had been the unwitting agent of its loss. He stood still in the centre of the room, vexed with himself for his carelessness, disgusted with the vandals who had no respect even for death. He reached for the violin hanging on the wall and went out where Willow still stood gazing at the changing colors above the far hills.

"Dorkin," she asked, as she took the violin from his hand and snuggled it against her face, "do you suppose there's woods an' lakes an' rivers on t'other side of them gold bars, 'cross there?'

"I believe there's whatever Daddy most loved beyond those golden bars, Willow," he answered.

She sighed and the first tears her eyes had known since her bereavement stole down her cheeks.

"Then it's all right," she murmured. "If there wasn't birds an' trees an' marshes an' sech like, across there, it'd be hell fer Daddy."

"Suppose you go up on the knoll and join Dannie," Dorkin suggested. "I will carry Daddy over, and together we'll lay him where he wanted to be laid.

"Oh yes," she said—and the heartache in her voice hurt him—"we'll lay him where he wanted to be laid. And then, Dorkin?"

She turned towards him, her face uplifted, her eyes humid with a light he could not understand.

"Then we will all go up to the preserve, Willow; you and Dannie are going to live with us, now."

"Us?"

"Yes. Dannie with me in my cabin, you with LaPeer and his wife in the one close beside it. Are you glad?" smiling at the look of wonder on her face.

"Yes," she said softly, "right glad."

Into her wan cheeks the red blood stole and mounted until the warmth of it kindled a fire in her eyes. He watched her, his heart beating a little quicker, then turned and walked slowly up the path to the knoll.

When he turned to re-enter the cabin a tall Indian stepped out from the trees and stood before him.

"How," said the newcomer gravely.

"How, Sagawa," returned Dorkin, holding out his hand.

The Indian took it, his piercing black eyes on Dorkin's, his strong face showing no emotion, as he said: "You are the friend of Sagawa, and to you he will speak, openly. When the spring wind calls, Wa-wa flies northward to the forest lakes. When the white wolf lopes on the upland, Sagawa hears the voice of a brother in distress. He has come to find the hands that fed him when he was hungry, and plucked him from the cataract when the freshet swooped down folded forever. Sagawa would know how his friend, the aged trapper, came to his death. Will his brother who says 'come' to the wild things and they follow, tell him?"

He folded his arms across his breast and stood waiting.

"He was shot in the back, Sagawa," said Dorkin sadly. "It happened somewhere down near the Black River that runs between the poplars. He crawled to his cabin on his hands and knees. He did not know who shot him."

The Indian lifted his head with a superb gesture. "Look," he cried, holding up his right hand, fingers distended. "Twice as many fingers as you see here are not as many as the years I have known him. He fed me, saved my life in the time of deep snows when the current carried me down, and an Algonquin never forgets. Three nights ago the white wolf crossed my trail, and when the moon rose above the lake I saw him. His long nose was pointed towards the golden bars that threads the [illegible]

"Yes, the hardwoods," said the Indian. "As I watched him, he lifted his muzzle to the skies and gave the death howl."

He paused and pointed towards the cabin. "Then," he resumed, "I stamped out my camp-fire and took the trail. One night and two days I trekked the forest; then the white wolf flashed before me once again; and all that night I walked the trail and swam the lakes. Now I am here and I find my white brother gone forever from the hunting field. No more his feet will follow the trails of the forest. The heart of Sagawa is hot with grief and the red mists rise to choke the trails that wind through valley and upland. He must hunt for the slayer of his friend and brother."

Dorkin pointed to the weaving lights above the far hills. "Look, Sagawa," he said: "your friend and brother has ridden on the wild horses through the golden bars which Gitche Manito let down in the skies, yonder. He would have you join him there some day. Let there be no stain of blood on the hand he will hold, Sagawa. Fight off the red mists that choke the trails, quench the fires that cry vengeance in your heart. Come with me."

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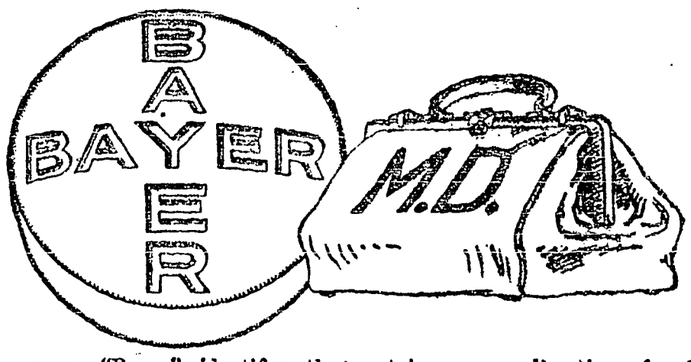

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Minard's Liniment Relieves Colds, etc.

National Industrial Meet

Will Follow Up On the Conference Held Last Year

Plans are under way for the calling of another national industrial conference, at which both capital and labor will be in attendance. The appropriation for this purpose was provided by parliament in the Department of Labor estimates which passed during the last week of the recent session.

The conference held last year, it is felt, was productive of good results in bringing capital and labor together and ironing out many incipient differences. This year it is hoped to continue the good influence started last September.

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The cause of this debility is generally starved nerves. The blood, which gives the nervous system its food and power to work efficiently, has become thin and weak, and until the blood regains its tone and strength there can be no improvement in the condition of the nerves. In cases of this kind Dr. William's Pink Pills will be found the very best medicine. They make rich, red blood which feeds and strengthens the starved nerves, and in this way restores the sufferer to full health and strength. Proof of this is found in the case of Mr. Fred Sander, London, Ont., who says: "while on service with the Imperial forces in Africa I completely lost my health through continual hardship and shock. I was sent back to the base hospital suffering, so the doctor said, from nervous debility. After spending some time in the hospital I was invalided back to England as unfit for further service. After spending a long time in Netley hospital, I was given my discharge, but was still a weak and nervous wreck. I had neither the strength nor ambition to do anything. In London I doctored for three or four months with a civilian doctor, who finally advised a change of climate. I was terribly nervous, suffered from sleeplessness, smothering and sinking spells, and pains in the heart; my hands and feet were always cold and clammy. At this time I decided to come to Canada, and shortly after reaching this country was advised to try Dr. Williams Pink Pills. After I had taken the pills for some weeks I found myself improving. I continued taking the pills for several months with the result that they fully restored my health My nerves are now as steady as a rock; my appetite the best, and my eyes and skin, which had turned yellowish, are clear and healthy looking. I feel like a new man in every way and fit for anything. I have since recommended the pills to several friends, and know of several cases where they were beneficial in the influenza epidemic. I am of the opinion that should any of my returned soldier comrades use Dr. Williams Pink Pills for shell shock, they would be a great help to them."

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A District Nurse

Paper by MRS. H. B. DOWNS at June Meeting of the Women's Institute

I think most people will agree with me that a District Nurse is an absolute necessity. With the one exception of a small town large enough to support a hospital. In this exception all sickness can be attended to by thd hospital staff; those who are very sick can be taken into the building, and those well enough to walk can get treatment there. But in the case of large towns or cities and scattered country districts something quite outside this work is needed, and that need is supplied by what we call a District Nurse.

A District Nurse is a graduate nurse doing any form of social work in which the health of the public is concerned, and in which her training as a nurse comes into play and is recognized as a valuable part of her equipment.

Her first duty is the bedside care of patients in the home, and the instruction of the family in how to give the care between her visits; the teaching of health habits, and demonstrations of how health rules may be carried out, are an important part of her daily work in the homes of her patients.

She goes to rich and poor alike if she is needed, caring for cases only where there is a doctor in attendance, except where there is no doctor and she is called in an emergency, and in chronic cases she does all that is necessary without his aid.

Besides the actual nursing care of chronic and acutely ill patients, and her educational work, she may have to help the doctor in his school inspection of the children. She carries home his advice to the parents of any child who is not perfectly well, explains what the trouble is, and what may be done to relieve it.

She instructs a child with a weak back in those exercises which will make him strong and straight. She helps a mother plan the right dietary for an under-nourished child; she seeks to remove causes of eye strain aun headaches by securing better light and ventilation.

She makes frequent inspection of children to discover in clean heads decaying teeth and other conditions which interfere with good health. Her qualifications, you see, must be of the best. Not only must she be 0 graduate nurse from an accredited hosyital examing school, but she must take a post graduate course in public school nursing with an an association which provides careful supervision. The usual hospital course of two or three years does not fit her to meet the family and community problems which constitute a large vart of her daily responsibility, nor does it supply the requisite knowledge of how to do practical work without the apparatus to which she has been accustomed.

This course also adds a great deal to her probably meagre knowledge of communicable diseases and the practice of preventible medicine with its problems of housing, sanitation, etc.

In thinking over the personal qualities requisite in a District Nurse you will afiree with me that she must be almost an angel in disposition. No othsr type of work is more dependent for its success and growth upon the personality of the individual worker.

She must be tactful, patient, tolerant, and conscientious in keeping accurate records of her work. She must be adaptable, for she meets a wide variety of people. She enters a home when there is trouble there with an earnest desire to serve. She has a wonderful opportunity to teach, because the very nature of her work establishes a bond of friendliness and receptivity on the part of the family she is helping She must be ready to co-operate and get aloug with other workers, and, above all she must not be a gossip. A wise nurse never discussess her patients, except with the doctor.

As Mrs. Garland Foster gave a paper on the Victorian Order of Nurses you will know all about them, and how to apply for one of them when needed, but the first requisite is intelligent co-operation on the part os the community, and even more necessary is a thorough understanding of its health problems and needs.

Too large a territory doesn't make for efficiency, and some form of conveyance is necessary in country districts. You would have to raom and board the nurse, also provide a room for her office where she would keep supplies; these would be in the nature of dressings, bandages, etc., drugs, loan and emergency articles such as sheets, layettes, bed pans, douche bags, hot water bags, etc. She would also require a desk, chairs, a file for records, shelves for supplies telephone, wash stand, running water, scales for weighing babies.

She should nos be called upon to work more than eight hours a day She cannot work long hours and maintain perfect health..

The question of payment rests with the committee appointed for this purpose. Usually the public individually guarantee to pay so much each per year. The different organizations—board of trade, church guilds, women's institute—pledge themselves to a certain sum annually in recognition of the public service rendered by the nursing organization.

Mills, camps, etc., should pay for the services of the nurse if they don't pay an annual sum. As the whole scheme is so vitally important to us all there would be no difficulty, I am sure, in raising funds for emergencies—the nurse's holidays and payment of a substitute.

In conclusion, if the Women's Institute would take the District Nurse under its wing—if we are fortunate enough to get one—not to guarantee her salary but to see that she gets what is known as "a square deal," don't you think we would be living up to our motto, For Home and Country.

JANITOR WANTED

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up till Monday, Aug. 2, 1920, for the position of janitor of Creston high and public schools, duties to commence Aug. 15. State salary required. S. A. SPEERS, Secretary School Board, Creston, B.C.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 24)

In the matter of Lot 1, Block 2, Town of Creston, Province of British Columbia, Map 979.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 6790-1, to the above-mentioned lands in the name of William Henry Crawford, and bearing date the 19th January, 1920, I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue to the said William Henry Crawford a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned. Dated at the Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., this 29th day of June, 1920.

E. S. STOKES,
District Registrar of Titles.

Date of first publication July 9, 1920.

MINERAL ACT
FORM F

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Gracie R, Arnold Fraction and Rosebud Fraction Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of Kootenay District. Where located: Near Green City.

TAKE NOTICE that J. D. Anderson, B.C.L.S., of Trail, agent for Wm. Connolly of Rossland, Free Miner's Certificate No. 27449c, intends, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims. And further take notice that action under Section 85 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements. Dated this 24th day of June, 1920.

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Getting Apples on British Markets

J. Forsyth Smith, formerly prairie markets commissioner for B.C., and now representing the Dominion Department of Trade and Commerce in the United Kingdom, addressed a gathering of fruit growers in the Peekin theatre on Thursday night last, on the conditions affecting the sale of apples on the British and continental markets.

The speaker began his remarks by complimenting the growers on the progress and development that had taken place in the district since his last visit some six years ago. Another subject of congratulation was the eminently satisfactory results from the shipment of considerable quantities of British Columbia apples to Great Britain last year, among which were some eight cars of Kootenay apples which had created a very favorable impression on the Glasgow market.

British Columbia had been exporting apples to the Old Country for a considerable number of years but in quantities running only from 16,000 to 55,000 boxes annually, and such quantities thereby scattered over a country of 45,000,000 people could not produce an adequate impression against the competition of a half to one-and-a-half million boxes of apples from Washington and Oregon. Last year, however, about 320 cars had been exported to the United Kingdom from this province—the first definite foothold had been gained on the market, and an impression created on the fruit trade which had made them very anxious to form connections with our shippers.

Before dealing more particularly with the British market Mr. Smith spoke of the opportunities offered by Norway, Sweden and Denmark, each of which might consume 50,000 to 150,000 boxes annually. The demand was principally for red apples for consumption during January, February and March and small sizes were preferred. Sizes 125 to 225 were wanted, and the best prices will be paid for sizes from 150 to 175. Business was done on the cash basis, a resident agent placing orders with responsible importers on a commission of from 3 to 5 per cent. Belgium and Holland were smaller markets, as both were apple exporting countries. They also preferred red varieties, but would take Newtons, and paid the best prices for larger sizes. France was a large producer of apples and required to be educated to the use of imported box apples. Government prohibition of apple imports and high rate of exchange precluded business at present.

Referring to the English market the speaker stated that the English apple crop prospects were no more than 50 per cent., and possibly 25 per cent. of last year's output. That the Nova Scotia crop would also be much less; that the adverse rates of exchange would operate against large shipments of American barrel apples, and as the box apple crop was short, the demand situation was likely to be satisfactory, except that prices would probably be held down to government fixed maximum of 20/10. He gave an interesting account of the difficulties incident to selling under controlled price conditions, emphasizing the point that the maximum price was payable on a minimum net weight of 40 pounds, and that as long as control continued special attention should be devoted to assuring this minimum.

The comparative merits of five principal ways of distributing apples on the British market were discussed. A large proportion of the apples imported were sold on shippers' account at auction, which possessed the advantage of quick distribution, price publicity, and the competitive bidding of 150 to 200 buyers.

Consignment to reliable importers at Liverpool, London, Glasgow and Manchester for sale privately was also likely to prove satisfactory, but consignments should not be made to secondary inland ports. Outright sales would probably appeal more to British Columbia shippers, and were usually arranged on the basis of cash against bills of lading, payable at points of delivery.

Best of all, where the export quantities permitted, was to have a representative on the market who could make use of all available channels of distribution. The United Fruit Companies of New Zealand and American box apple exporters had such a representative and the results had been very satisfactory.

Cox Orange, said the speaker, was the highest priced variety on the market, and the Yellow Newton also stood very high in popular esteem, as also did the Jonathan, the Winesap, and Spitzenberg. The well-colored Kootenay Grayenstein should do well, and a limited supply of Wealthys might meet the demand for a highly colored red apple early in the season.

Rome Beauty and Wagner sold fairly well, but would never bring top prices. Grimes Golden were unpopular and should not be shipped. The McIntosh had not yet come into its own and did not sell as well as the Jonathan. Well colored Spies were in strong demand. Winter Banana and Delicious were not appreciated, the latter, as yet, being scarcely known, and bringing a lower price than the Jonathan.

Every separate size had its distinctive value, from 150 to 175 calling for the highest, with a progressive drop for apples either smaller or larger Apples larger than 112 were not wanted and very difficult to sell; and sizes from 150 to 200 would usually bring better values than 112 to 138—the preferred sizes for the prairie. Small sizes, from 175 to 225, were especially desired in the Cox, as was also attractive color. Large and uncolored apples of this variety should not be shipped.

The commissioner advocated the use of corrugated paper lining as a protection against frost, and the wiring of boxes to eliminote breakage. Summing up, the general outlook for the future, he stated that the English market readily absorbed from a half to one-and-a-half million boxes of apples, and to two-and-a-half million barrel apples annually; that there was a growing tendency on the part of the trade in favor of box apples which, while they would never take the place of barrel apples as cheap fruit for the multitude, would steadily encroach on the territory occupied by the best barrel apples.

British Columbia apples were just gaining a foothold against the keen competition of the large, established brands from Washington and Oregon; that while there was plenty of room at the top there was no room at profitable prices at the bottom, and he very forcibly urged that no effort should be spared to raise and maintain the grade and pack standards at the very highest level.

The special facilities for advertising quality offered by the system of auction selling made it certain that quality packs would be directly translated into dollars and cents. In this connection he related the experience of an Ontario packer whose brand had secured a position on the Ontario market that practically guaranteed him a premium of of 3s. to 5s. a barrel over all competitors.

In conclusion Mr. Smith paid a deserved tribute to the Fruit Branch, Ottawa, for their constant efforts on behalf of the industry, and to the Canadian Cargo inspectors located at London, Bristol, Liverpool and Manchester, whose efficient supervision of the discharge of Canadian apples at the docks was annually saving thousands of dollars to Canadian shippers.

Grand Forks council owes the government $605 for the keep of a trio of its citizens at the old man's home at Kamloops. The provincial treasurer wants the money, but the Forks will pay it by having the government deduct the amount from what the province owes them in the way of arrears in school monies.

NOTICE

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

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

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

NOTICE

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

GEO. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

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

Is there any Meat in the House?

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

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Hams and Bacon
Finest Quality
Cooked Ham
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Duck Creek Daylight Store
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Plain Ice Cream, Sundaes and Sodas

Soft Drinks, Cider
Two Per Cent. Beer

Screened Verandah and lots of air for hot weather.

We ask our friends in Creston and Sirdar to run in give us the once over.

Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

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

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

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

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

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

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

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

GRAZING.

Grazing Act 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for herding animals to pasture, up to ten head.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

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

Co-Operation in Industry

Although sharp differences of opinion may exist throughout Canada as to the methods to be employed to promote the prosperity and development of industry in this Dominion, people are a unit in desiring to see the natural resources of this country developed to their fullest degree for the use and benefit of our own people and in order to enlarge the export trade of Canada.

No thinking man or woman is antagonistic to the building up of great manufacturing industries in Canada; on the contrary, everybody welcomes them, is anxious to see them prosper, and is prepared to do everything within reason to assist their growth in the common interests of all and for the welfare of the Dominion. Opinions may and do differ as to the policies and methods to be adopted to that end, and these are properly open to debate, but it is almost universally recognized and accepted that the primary means to be employed should be scientific and vigorous development of Canada's latent wealth in natural resources of all kinds.

Manufacturers, workingmen and consumers alike stand to benefit greatly through the development for use of those natural sources of wealth with which the several provinces abound. For example, it is a source of national strength and of benefit to all people that, as one propagandist for the great manufacturing interests recently pointed out, Canada should have a great match-making industry. Such an industry calls for the use of many natural products of Canada, gives employment to hundreds of men and women, and to the extent that it supplies the home market and adds to the export trade of Canada, adds to the national strength and financial stability of the country. Our people should [illegible] such industry.

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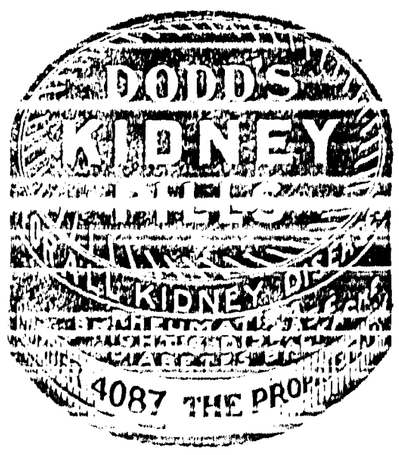


been denied to our people. Now, owing to conditions over which this country has no control, it has become a matter of dire necessity that our people should secure their coal requirements largely at home. Here in the West we must rely almost exclusively this fall and winter upon the output of our western mines, yet, because the lack of development in the past it will be difficult for them to meet the heavy demands so suddenly thrust upon them.

In past years these mines have frequently been idle during the summer months, because there was no immediate demand for coal, and because much of it is of a class that cannot be stored in the open, subject to the weather conditions. It must be stored under cover. This has resulted in labor dissatisfaction, because of "layoffs" at the mines, and the operators have had great difficulty in maintaining full and efficient staffs of workers. Such a condition has also added to the transportation problem, inasmuch as the eastbound coal movement from the Alberta mines to Saskatchewan and Manitoba has come at the same period of the year as the heavy movement of grain from the prairies to the head of the lakes. In other words the two heaviest freight movements have come together, and both have called for transportation in the same direction—from east to west. If one moved west and the other east, the transportation problem would be simple, but two heavy freight movements in one direction, means a return of long trains of empty cars the other way, thus adding enormously to transportation costs which the people have to pay.

Future provision must be made for the transportation and storage of Western coal during the summer months before the grain movement begins in the fall if dangers of grain blockades or an acute coal shortage in severe weather are to be avoided. It is too late to do much in this direction this year, but the people can help very materially and in a simple and thoroughly practical manner by buying their winter's requirements of coal and taking delivery of it into their cellars,—which are the chief existing places of storage — now. A heavy movement of coal in the West during the next six or eight weeks will assist enormously in reducing the costs, preventing grain blockades with a bumper crop in prospect, providing against a coal shortage with its resultant inconvenience and suffering, and largely solve the big transportation problem which otherwise will cripple this country during the coming fall and winter.

SAVE THE CHILDREN

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel reasonably safe during the hot weather. Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, in most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets relieve these troubles, or if given occasionaly to the well child will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely harmless even to the newborn babe. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Holland is covered with willow [illegible] the great dykes of the [illegible] are made stronger by the [illegible] formed by the roots.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Distemper.

[illegible] the weather is fine and the [illegible] frequently sleep floating [illegible] backs in the water.

Cause of Asthma. No one can say [illegible] what causes the [illegible] of asthmatic conditions. [illegible] street, from flowers, [illegible] other irritants [illegible] such as Dr. J. D. Kel[illegible] Certainty [illegible] for there can [illegible] recording a remedy [illegible] relation of asth[illegible] this source of [illegible] every

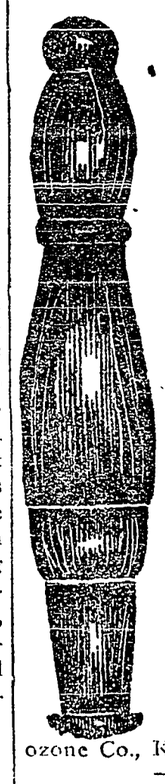
Birds That Cannot Fly

Wings of Barnyard Fowls Have Become Useless for Flying

Why don't barnyard fowl fly? They can make a fluttering pretence at flight, it is true, but for real flying their wings are useless. Barnyard fowl have lost the use of their wings through neglecting to use them. They have been valued for their eggs, and, as a consequence, they have been well fed. Thus the necessity for flying from place to place in search of food has not existed. They have for the same reason been protected as far as possible from attack by animals and from other dangers that would make flight, as a means of escape, a necessity. In course of time, therefore, their wings have become practically useless for purposes of flight. The wings of barnyard fowl are gradually decreasing in size. It may be in the course of time their wings will be nothing more than mere stumps, and later still it is quite possible that they will disappear altogether.

In Java it is supposed that if a live sheep is thrown into the water it will indicate the position of a drowned person by sinking near it.

IT CURES CATARRH BRONCHITIS



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This wonderful inhaler treatment is guaranteed to cure any case of Catarrh, no matter how chronic.

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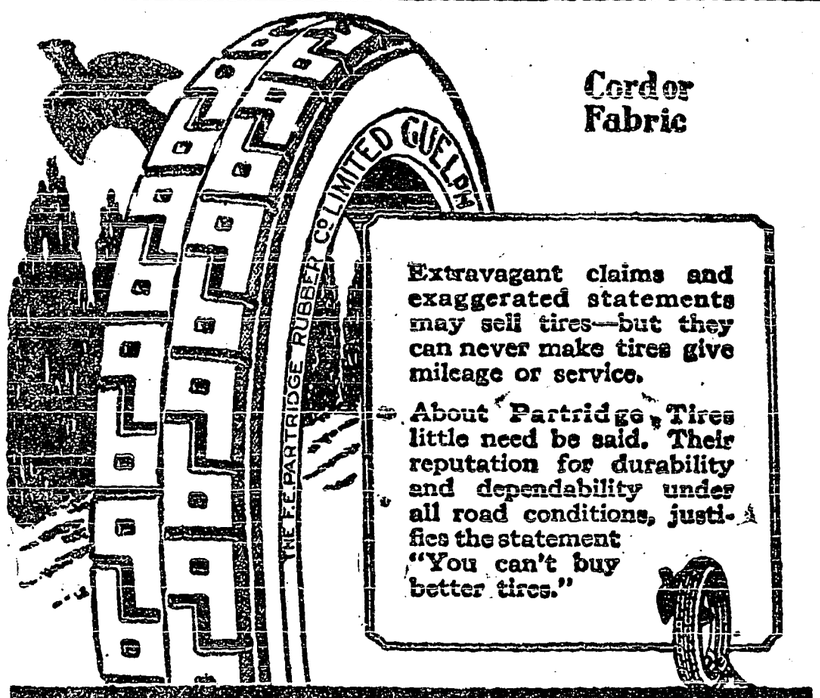
Canada's Need

Resources Only Need to be Developed in Order to Enrich This Country

"What is the need of Canada at the present time? We have a great debt in this country. How are we going to meet it? We are told to produce. We can produce in the factories, on the land, and in the mines of this country. We have great natural resources that only need to be developed in order to enrich this country; and if we can only develop those resources to the extent of one-fourth of their value at the present time we would have no trouble in meeting our obligations as a nation. There is no cause for any person in this country to be discouraged about the future of Canada. All we need to do is to move around this Dominion to realize the great resources we possess; and we cannot help but become prouder of our country and cannot help but glory in the fact that, in Canada, we have as great wealth and as great opportunities as are to be found in any land in the world today. What is requisite is to encourage the development of those resources, and, given an opoprtunity to the people to take advantage of the wealth that is in the country there will be no need for the government to worry about the future of Canada and no need for the honest, capable and ambitious citizen of Canada to worry about it either." W. A. Buchanan, M.P., in the House of Commons.

The Danube river flows through countries in which 52 languages and dialects are spoken.

[illegible] Cows.



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About Partridge Tires little need be said. Their reputation for durability and dependability under all road conditions, justifies the statement "You can't buy better tires."

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Of ability and good local connections—preferably a tailor or clothing man

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selling Men's Made-to-Measure Clothes in his locality. Style, quality and value of garments known from Ocean to Ocean. Address—in first instance—with full information to P. O. Box 105, Montreal. 1

England to Grow Square Trees

Not with any desire of giving publicity to the designs of that curious class of artists, called cubists, but with the entire laudatory ambition of avoiding waste, the Cambridge Forestry Association, of Cambridge, England, suggests that trees should be made to grow square instead of round, thus producing wood of better quality and in greater quantity. Will the leaves, flowers and fruit of such trees be square also, one wonders?

To Hold Court at Chesterfield Inlet

For the first time in Canadian history, court will be held at Chesterfield Inlet, when Ouangwak, alleged murderer of two kinsmen, will be tried. The Eskimo was brought to Winnipeg by Sergt. W. O. Douglas, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who will take him to Chesterfield Inlet, sailing from Montreal.

I fell from a building and received what the doctor called a very bad sprained ankle, and told me I must not walk on it for three weeks. I got MINARD'S LINIMENT and in six days I was out to work again. I think it the best liniment made.
ARCHIE E. LAUNDRY.
Edmonton.

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NORRIS SECURES LARGEST VOTE IN MANITOBA

Farmers and Independents May Organize Into Single Group

Winnipeg. — The results of the Manitoba elections would indicate that the large single group which will sit in the next legislature will be the followers of the Norris Government. With two deferred elections, the Pas and Rupert's Land, and the results of the proportional representation vote in Winnipeg not yet announced, the standing is as follows: Government, 17 seats; Farmers, 9 seats; Labor, 7 seats; Conservatives, 6 seats; Independents, 4 seats.

The presence in the field of numerous farmers and independents, provided the three-cornered and, in some cases, four-cornered contests, which upset the calculations of the experts. It is regarded as certain that in essentials of his policy, Premier Norris could count upon the support of a considerable number of those candidates who were elected, and political statisticians are inclined to think that an agreement upon the various minority groups to upset the government is not among the probabilities.

Labor will present the second strongest group in next legislature, outnumbering the Conservatives, who, according to latest returns, have lost their leader, R. G. Willis, in Turtle Mountain. Apparently it is possible for the independents and farmers who will have seats in the house, to organize into a distinct group, which would be able to hold the balance of power, but in this connection, it is claimed by the Liberals, that at least three men in this number, Little, of Beautiful Plains; McKinnel, of Rockwood, and Enmond, of Swan River, are counted upon to give the Norris government a general support.

The Manitoba legislature normally meets in January, and it is pointed out that, lacking intervention by the lieutenant-governor, there is no reason why the government should not carry on in the meantime and, when the house is in session, settle its immediate fate by a vote of confidence. Doubtless the interval would be marked by nothing which might be expected to result in a definite alignment of the smaller groups for offense and defence. The strategic position of the Norris forces is strengthened, it is pointed out, by the fact that all the members of the government were elected. One cabinet seat is vacant, through the recent death of the minister of agriculture.

Many Harvesters Needed

Planning Ways and Means to Secure 50,000 Men to Garner Crop

Winnipeg. — Fifty thousand farm laborers will be required to harvest the 1920 crop of the prairie provinces, it was elicited by J. A. Bowman, provincial commissioner of colonization. He estimated that Manitoba required 15,000; Saskatchewan, 20,000 and Alberta, 15,000.

On July 10 railway officials and members of the immigration and colonization will meet to discuss matters for the importation of these laborers.

H. B. Appointment

Montreal.—The Hudson's Bay company has announced the appointment of H. F. Harman to the position of land commissioner of the company, with headquarters at Winnipeg, vice James Thomson, resigned.

Grain Growers to Hold Conferences

Meetings Will Be Addressed by J. A. Maharg, M.P., and J. B. Musselman

Regina. — An important series of Grain Growers' meetings has been scheduled for district No. 2, which will be addressed by J. A. Maharg, M.P., and J. B. Musselman. The first will be held at Willows on Tuesday, July 20, commencing at 2 o'clock. Another meeting will be held in the evening at the village of Willow Bunch, commencing at 7.30.

On the following day, Wednesday, July 21, there will be a conference of all the locals of the district who are interested, to discuss the proposed routes for the extension of the Canadian National railway from Bengough; which will be followed by a public meeting the same evening, which will also be addressed by J. A. Maharg and J. B. Musselman.

Link Up Empire by Wireless

Imperial Telegraphy Committee Urge Establishment of Big System

London.—The Imperial wireless telegraphy committee recommends the establishment of a system of wireless throughout the Empire. Two wireless chains are outlined in the report, one to Australia with intermediate stations. A similar communication with Canada must be established but this can only be done after the conference has estimated the cost, which will be about one million and a quarter pounds. Marconi proposals were rejected chiefly on account of the prohibitive cost and as creating undesirable monopoly.

Sinn Fein Delegate Visits Vatican

Rome.—Sean O'Ceallaigh, diplomatic delegate extraordinary of the government of the Irish "republic," was received in private audience by Pope Benedict.

It was authoritatively stated that O'Ceallaigh was received by the pontiff only in his private capacity. O'Ceillaigh approved this statement, saying he had no wish to embarass the Vatican.

Big Wheat Exports

Chicago.—Four million bushels of wheat were exported from Chicago to Europe by lake routes in the last two months, Wm. H. Clair, collector of customs has announced. This was eight times as many bushels as were exported direct last year, the announcement said. Strikes and shortage of railroad cars were given as reasons for the large boat shipments.

Not in Effect Yet

Montreal.—Word was received here by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association that on information from the department of finance at Ottawa, the stamp tax on promissory notes bills of exchange, bank overdrafts, and on transfers of stock will not come into effect until the bill now before parliament has been assented to..

Riots in Shanghai

Shanghai. — Labor disorders and strikes are spreading with incipient rioting and looting of food shops in the industrial districts due to the price of rice having mounted to $15.20 a peeul (a peeul approximates 140 pounds). It is estimated that there is only a four-day supply of rice available.

Ambassador to Germany

London. — Lord Abernon, well known as a financier and chairman of the central board of control of liquor traffic, has accepted the ambassadorship to Germany, it has been announced.

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selling Men's Made-to-Measure Clothes in his locality. Style, quality and value of garments known from Ocean to Ocean. Address—in first instance —with full information to P. O. Box 105, Montreal. 1

MAIN NAVAL ESTIMATES ARE FINALLY PASSED

Hon. Arthur Meighen and Dr. Michael Clark Cross Swords

Ottawa.—The main naval estimate of $300,000, together with the supplementary vote of $1,700,000, were passed in the house of commons.

In reply to a question and after Sir Robert Borden had undertaken to table the navy correspondence, unless it was of a confidential character, Hon. C. C. Ballantyne said there was only one cablegram which said that Canada could not accept all the ships Great Britain offered.

Hon. Arthur Meighen crossed swords with Dr. Michael Clark on the former's speech to the effect that the Liberal party had ridiculed the German menace in 1909, and although this has passed away the British empire is still compelled to guard against possible foes. Dr. Clark asked if Mr. Meighen foresaw the general menace when he joined forces with Bourassa to scrap Canada's naval policy. He asked how Canadian trade routes were to be protected with five warships.

Mr. Mackenzie King threatened to stand in the way of proroguing unless the house adjourned after adopting the naval estimates, according to the agreement which he claimed had been arrived at. Hon. Jacques Bureau said there had been an obvious misunderstanding between the two leaders and suggested a compromise by passing one estimate then and leave the other over. This was finally agreed to and the house adjourned.

For Imperial Veterans

Organizing in Interests of Imperial Men Taking Up Residence Here

Ottawa. — A complete ocean-to-ocean organization to care for the discharged soldiers of the British army who have taken up residence in Canada is being planned by the Imperial Veterans' Association of Canada. Major T. B. Thomas of Vancouver, Dominion president and organizer, and James C. Berg, of Winnipeg, Dominion solicitor of the imperial veterans, are in Ottawa and will confer with the federal cabinet before going east to organize branches.

Major Thomas said his association was growing with every boat arriving from the old country and that the organization planned to solve the problems of the imperial soldier wherever possible.

Await Spa Conference

London.— Premier Lloyd George has stated in the house that he did not propose to make a further statement on the Boulogne conference until after the meeting at Spa had been held.

Answering six questions about Mesopotamia, the premier said consideration must be given to rights existing before the war, and the interests of the Arab states must be safeguarded.

Italy Not Sending Troops to Albania

Rome. — During a debate on the Albanian situation in the chamber, Socialists demanded withdrawal of Italian troops. Premier Giolitti, in replying, said that the government were not sending troops to Albania and reminded the chamber that when he was last premier he had urged that Albania ought to be completely independent and had done his best to secure the formation of a stable government.

Big Riot Damage

Fermoy, County Cork. — Damage amounting to hundreds of pounds were caused by rioters and window smashers here. The inhabitants attribute the demonstration to soldiers who left their barracks on hearing of the kidnapping of Brig.-General Lucas.

Attempts to burn houses were frustrated.

Trainmen Refuse To Carry Soldiers

Government is Taking Over Railways In Ireland

Dublin. —Newbridge, County Kildare, is the great military centre serving Curragh, the Aldershot of Ireland, and it was sought to despatch soldiers thence by a train passing from Kilkenny to Dublin.

The driver refused to carry them and the soldiers remained on the train. Subsequently trains from Athlone and Thurles and Dublin were similarly boarded by soldiers and blocked. The stranded passengers drove to Kildare to catch the through train not stopping at Newbridge. The soldiers have orders to board any train available, so the situation cannot be relieved by the despatch of trains from Dublin. The government has had offers of a score of men from Belfast to operate the trains but has not accepted them. The situation is declared to be serious. The government is taking over the trains and entering upon a general conflict should the drivers persist in refusing to move troops on trains.

Russian Reply Unsatisfactory

Soviet's Attitude Toward Foreign Debt Unacceptable

London. — Krassin, Russian Soviet minister of trade and commerce, had a conference with Premier Lloyd George at the premier's office. The meeting lasted an hour.

The object of Krassin's visit to the Premier was to submit to him Moscow's reply concerning the Soviet's attitude toward the foreign debt and private property of foreigners expropriated by the Russian government.

It is said that the reply was unsatisfactory, but that negotiations would be continued.

Southern China Seizes Fortress

Honolulu.—Troops of south China have captured Yuan Chow, a stronghold of the north China forces, after several days of severe fighting, according to a special cable from Tokio.

DEBATE OVER FRANCHISE BILL IN HOUSE

Third Reading Carried After Amendments by Majority of Twenty-Six

Ottawa.—The franchise bill which has occupied the house of commons for a large part of the present session, was passed after several amendments had been adopted. There were several divisions and a brief debate on the oposition amendment which sought to compel newspapers to print the name of advertisers paying for matter published in suport of political parties.

Third reading of the bill was finally passed by a majority of 26 after an amendment proposed by A. R. McMaster was defeated by a vote of 86 to 60. Hon. W. A. Buchanan, Lethbridge, and F. L. Davis, Neepawa, voted against the government in support of the amendment. The Farmers' party voted against the government.

Mr. McMaster proposed that election advertisements in any form bear the name of the person or organisation paying for the advertisement.

Hon. Hugh Guthrie said that evils of election advertisements through public journls were greatly exaggerated. It would be more to the point if newspaper articles bear the signature of the writer.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King said that the important thing was that powerful interests be prevented from backing a political party without the knowledge of the public.

Hon. W. S. Fielding had an amendment to refer the bill back to committee with instructions to provide that where there were two or more constituencies vacant, by-elections be held on one day. The house declined on the amendment. It was defeated by 77 to 58—a government majority of 19.

News of the Provinces

SASKATCHEWAN

The Mennonite Exodus

Swift Current.—While it is expected that a number of Mennonites will depart shortly for the southern States, no general exodus is anticipated, and it is considered probable that the majority of the colony will remain to obey the school laws of the province.

Leaves Saskatoon

Saskatoon.— J. T. Hull, for the last few years editor of the Saskatoon Phoenix, is retiring from that position to become editor of the Grain Growers' Guide at Winnipeg.

Visiting Rural Districts

Regina. — Hon. George Langley, minister of municipal affairs, is visiting several points in the province, addressing a series of public meetings dealing with the work of the different departments and explaining recent enactments.

MANITOBA

Farmers Anticipating Election

Winnipeg. — Organization of the farmers of Canada for the next federal election is to be discussed at a meeting in Winnipeg on July 12 of a special committee of the Canadian council of agriculture.

ALBERTA

To Probe Freight Rates on Coal

Edmonton.—E. Drummond, manager of the Mountain Park coal company, is leaving for Toronto and Ottawa as a commissioner from the Alberta Government and the coal operators' association, to investigate the question of freight rates on coal from Alberta to the eastern markets. His mission is being undertaken at the request also, of the Canadian Manufacturers' association, the coal mining branch of which has been taking an active interest in the possible shipment of western coal to Ontario.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

To Tow Rafts to Europe

Victoria, B. C.—Swedish lumbermen have been on the coast and successfully investigated the possibility of rafting lumber from British Columbia to Europe. Rafts of large size, called rafanutes, have been successfully towed from Sweden to Great Britain. It is believed that the huge timbers of the province will possible the construction and successful operation of rafanutes larger than those shipped out of the Baltic, which contain four or five million feet each. The rafts leaving the Pacific Coast will probably contain from 15 to 20 million feet.

Vancouver, B. C.—The Rat Portage Company has sold timber limits containing fir and some cedar on the southwest of Vancouver Island to John W. Blodgett of Grand Rapids, Michigan, for $400,000. A mill will be erected on the property.

Fruit Shipments to Britain Increase

Sicamous, B. C.—Apple shipments from the Okanagan Valley to Great Britain during the past season amounted to 320 carloads as compared with only 85 in the best previous year. Inquiries indicate that shipments to Great Britain during the coming year will greatly exceed even this enviable record. Several large British buyers are on their way to British Columbia, including the representatives of both the English and Scottish Co-operative Societies, who have not previously been interested in the Pacific coast orchard products.

Board of Trade Gathering

Invermere, B. C.—At a meeting of seventy representatives of Boards of Trade from Golden, Windermere, Fort Steele, Cranbrook, Fernie and Creston, the Associated Boards of South Eastern British Columbia was formed for the purpose of promoting the interests of the combined districts.

Local and Personal

BIRTH—On July 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. B. McCreight, a son.

W. B. Muir left on Wednesday for Seattle, where he had been called owing to the rather serious illness of his brother in that city.

Ice Cold Drinks
Tobaccos
Cigars
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FOR SALE—Sealers and Window Plants. Apply Mrs. Simon, section house, Creston.

WANTED—8-foot hay rake, must be in good shape, state price. J. H. Webster, Creston.

Mrs. J. F. Rose is spending a few days with Spokane friends this week. She left on Monday.

Rollamore cherry seeders and canning racks at Creston Hardware & Furniture Supply Co.

WANTED—A young man to help in garage and learn the garage work and driving. R. S. Bevan.

The egg market took another rise this week, and strictly fresh hen fruit is now retailing at 65 cents a dozen.

Miss Alice Heath, ledgerkeeper at the Bank of Commerce, is away on two weeks' vacation at her home in Invermere.

DEMOCRAT FOR SALE—Two seats, newly painted, in good shape in every way, $95. Mrs. A. Mosley, Pincher Creek, Alta.

J. E. Morgan of Cranbrook was here a few days last week, making his semi-annual inspection of his ranch in the K.V. section.

A. R. Swanson, who recently purchased a couple of lots on Wilson Ave., about opposite the water tank, is busy at present building a commodious garage on one of them.

Autos For Sale

1 second hand Chevrolet Truck 1919 Model

1 Dodge car, 1918 Model.

1 Ford car, 1913 Model.

1 McLaughlin car, 1915 Model

New Studebaker cars.

New Overland Four cars.

Dezall Garage
CRANBROOK

MILCH COWS FOR SALE—Six registered thoroughbred Holstein cows. Good milkers, for sale. Enquire C. O. Rodgers, Creston.

There will be morning service at 11 o'clock, followed by a celebration of Holy Communion, on Sunday, Rev. J. S. Mahood officiating.

Last week was also of the showery sort, during Sunday and early Monday morning a rainfall of at least a quarter of an inch being recorded.

John Tait of Nelson, C.P.R. telegraph auditor, made an official call at Creston on Monday. The telegraph business here more than holds it own with the steadily increasing freight and passenger trade.

Block H of Creston townsite, part of the Murdock estate, has just been purchased by Joe Tebo, who gets immediate possession. There is five acres in the lot, which is alongside that owned by Alex. Matheson.

Harry Wright of Trail, at one time M.P.P. of Ymir riding, was a business visitor here on Tuesday. He has a block of four lots on Hillside Road that the trustees have designs on for the enlarged school grounds.

J. W. Eastham, plant pathologist at the B.C. University, Vancouver, was a Creston visitor on Friday, looking up a number of ranchers who had been in correspondence with him on ranch affairs during the season.

Some added fire protection is being supplied this week by the C.P.R. which has inttalled 250 feet of 2½ inch hose which can be attached to the water tank and is of standard size and will fit any of the hydrants in town.

The number of auto tourists in and out of Creston this year is the heaviest ever. If the rush continues it will be needful for manager Hollinger of the Creston Hotel to provide parking accommodation for the many visitors.

Manager French of the Exchange Billiard Hall has an inseresting announcement this week. While they last he is selling his stock of chocolate bars at 5 cents each, and is also making similar reductions on all his confectionery stock.

Lidgate Bros. advt. calls attention to Miracle Motor Gas. This is a tablet preparation costing about two cents a tablet and which is guaranteed to make gasoline go at least 25 per cent. further. The ratio is a tablet to each gallon of gasoline.

Mrs. Hayes, who has been at Edmonton, Alta., the past three weeks with her sister, who is in the hospital in that city, returned on Tuesday. While the patient is not entirely out of danger a satisfactory recovery is confidently anticipated.

E. C. Hunt, Nelson, who has supervision over horticultural work in the Creston Valley, was here on an officiai visit last Friday. His latest inspection of the orchards convinces that this year's apple crop will be about 75 per cent. of the 1920 yield.

Rev. J. Burkholder of Caledon, Ont., is announced to take the services in Creston Presbyterian Church for the next three Sundays—preaching with a view to being called as resident pastor. Rev. T. D. McClintock of Nelson occupied the pulpit last Sunday.

Although excessively hot weather has prevailed all week, with the heat most severely felt on Saturdvy, nothing worse than 92 in the shade has been experienced, which has been about the normal temperature for many of the days so far this month.

A few of the ranchers report indulging themselves in new potatoes toward the end of last week, which would indicate that spuds are at least three weeks later than usual—Dominion Day previously being the advent of the new potato season in the Valley.

J. W. Rutledge, V.S., of Cranbrook, was here on a professiohal visit the latter part of the week. He states that after thinking it over for four months the directors have at last decided to have a fall fair at Cranbrook again this year—the first Wednesday and Thursday in September.

Owing to growers bringing in shipments at the last minute that the staff cannot handle so as to comply with the Express company's closing time, the Union announces that from now on shipments cannot be accepted after 12.15 town time of fruit that is required to move the same day.

A meeting to complete the organization of Creston Valley Amateur Athletic Association is called for Monday night at 8.30 at the Peckin. The executive are preparing a report outlining the activities the association will foster this year, and this report will be the feature of Monday night's gathering.

F. Celli of Coleman, who purchased the A. Lindley ranch about three years ago, was here this week looking after his property interests. He has disposed of his mercantile interests in the Pass, and contemplates moving here to take charge of his ranch. Lately the place has been leased to Dong Barney.

J. W. Humphrey, of Malakwa, official organizer of the United Farmers British Columbia, is spending the week in the Valley, making Creston headquarters. He is having meetings at Wynndel, Creston, Erickson, Canyon and Lister, and expects to establish a new local at the soldier settlement and another at Erickson.

The ranch of the late Andy Miller, just north of town, has just been purchased by R. Alderson of Hosmer, who will get almost immediate possession. There are 20 acres in the place, nearly all of which is under cultivation, along with a good barn and a nice cottage home. R. M. Beazer has had the place leased since early in the year.

The successful candidates in this year's High School examinations here announced in the coast papers at the of the week. Those passing at Creston are: Third Class non-professional—Dorothy Stark 552, Frances Knott 492, Ruth Compton 466. Intermediate Grade—Earl Birney 810, Frances Lyne 797, Kathering Moore 739, Marion Swanson 605, Sadie Wood 594, Edna Holmes 550.

The ten acres comprising the east half of the old Griffin ranch, part of the Murdock estate, was sold this week to N. Schade of Rosthern, Sask, who has already taken possession. A considerable part of the land is planted to orchard, and there is a small house on the property. The sale was negotiated by R. Walmsley. Mr Schade expects his family to arrive any day, and for the present will occupy the S. A. Speers house below the track, which Mr. Schade purchased last week.

Mawson Bros. took advantage of the Wednesday half holiday to move into their new premises in the drugstore building, which they have purchased. The place has been newly papered and painted throughout and provided with new shelving, and certainly presents a nifty appearance throughout. While the new store considerably increases their floor space it is the firm's intention in the spring to erect a commodious addition at the rear.

FRUIT RANCH FOR SALE

20-acre ranch, one mile east of Creston, 10 acres planted to fruit trees of best varieties. 19 acres under cultivation. Creek running through land. Good well, good log house and barn, also sheds. All farm equipment will go with ranch. Reasonable cash payment; balance to suit purchaser. Enquire Review Office.

TENDERS FOR WOOD

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up till Monday, Aug. 2, 1920, for 50 cords of 4-foot green-cut seasoned wood, to be delivered at the Creston school not later than January 1st, 1921. Lowest noi any tender not necessarily accepted. S. A. SPEERS, Secretary School Board, Creston, B.C.

HAYING PERMITS

Notice is hereby given that all applications for haying privileges on the Flats must be forwarded to the Creston Valley Stockbreeders' Association on or before July 24th, 1920.

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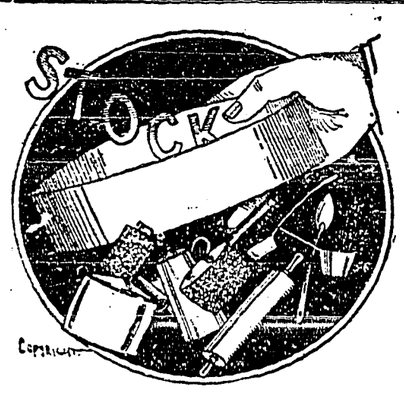

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This week we bid you welcome to our new store in the building just vacated by Beattie Oatway, Ltd., a few doors north of our old stand.

Moving operasions commenced on Wednesday, and while we are in shape for business at the new stand, it will be a few days yet before the store is in ship shape.

With bigger quarters we are now in a position to carry larger stocks in our staple lines, as well as to display goods to much better advantage, whilst the increased trade we feel sure will be ours under these circumstances will enable us to give still better values.

The efficient service that has always obtained at this store will be maintained and extended. If you have not hitherto favored us with a share of your business we solicit a call and opportunity to demonstrate our ability to save you money on most all your shopping.

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