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Canyon City

Deepest spmpathy is extended A. D. Pochin in his heavy bereavement in the death of Mrs. Pochin on Sunday. The funeral, to Creston cemetry on Tuesday, was largely attended by our citizens.

Mrs. Witherhead received an unexpected call to Ontario the latter part of the week, owing to the critical illness of her mother.

Miss Muriel and Frances Knott are with a party from Creston who are spending the week on a camping trip at Cultus Creek.

Dad Browell is still making headquarters in the Porthill section where he is one of those left on guard at the forest fire of last week in the neighborhood of the Continental mine.

Mr. Jameson, who has been working at the mill for some time, is another of those who, with his family, have trekked back to Alberta where an exceptionally fine harvest is being taken off.

The Goat River, in the neighborhood of the new bridge, is quite a favorite resort for both Canyon and Erickson young people. This hot weather the bathing is particularly appreciated.

Mr. Pepperdine left a few days ago for Calgary, where he expects to remain until the fore part of September.

Owing to the passing of Mrs. Pochin the United Farmers meeting arranged for Monday night was postponed until Wednesday, the feature to be a talk on central pack by Manager Loveday of the Union. Since last week's rain has washed off the dust it now seems assured Canyon will have a better apple crop than seemed in evidence early in the season.

Sirdar

BIRTH—At the cottage hospital, Cranbrook, on July 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Sid McCabe, a son.

"Happy" Eastlake of Creston arrived the first of the month, and has taken a position as wiper at the local roundhouse.

Actual roadmaking operations on the Sirdar-Kuskanook highway are now well under way with two crews working between Kuskanook and here. If men can be had a crew will be employed at the Kuskanook end.

Mrs. Jones of Kuskanook was a visitor here on Saturday, en route to Creston. She states that the thunder and lightning in the storm of Tuesday last was extremely violent in that section. A couple of bolts of the latter struck in the lake creating a scene remarkably thrilling and beautiful.

Mrs. Dennes, who has been holidaying at Nelson for the past month, has just returned to Sirdar.

Mr. and Mrs. Touhey and family who have been with coast friends for a short vacation got home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. McKinley of St. Jose, Calif., a cousin of Mrs. Jones is a visitor with the latter at Kuskanook at present. Mr. and Mrs. Perine of the same city are also expected along on a holiday trip before the end of the month.

Rev. J. S. Mahood of Queens Bay was calling on some of his parishioners here between trains on Saturday. Sirdar's contribution to the Anglican Forward Movement amounts to $45.

Chas. Woodrow, the Nelson forest fire warden, had a gang of about fifteen men in the Kuskanook section fighting fires which the lightning of Tuesday last caused. By the end of the week he had reduced the force to a couple of men who were left on guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Chappen of Vernon, who contemplate tackling farming somewhere in the lake section, are at present employed by Mrs. Jones, getting acquainted with the dairying end of the business.

For the first time for [illegible] past the local fishermen are now catching a bass occasionally on their trips. This species of the finny tribe are said to be the gamest of all fish—and make equally good eating.

Mayor Daly is just home few days from a most enjoyable and interesting visit with his old friend, John Cadden of Kaslo. Almost thirty years ago Messrs. Daly and Cadden were two of the best known C.P.R. engineers then running out of Rat Portage, Ont.

Engineers Green and McLean of the Great Northern and Dominion government staffs, were here last week en route to Kuskanook to make the official measurements and location of the new wharf at that point, on which construction will start before the end of the month.

Lister

The G.W.V.A. Ladies' Auxiliary dance at the schoolhouse on Saturday night was well attended and proved one of the most enjoyable of the many held to date, owing in some measure to the good work of floor manager Barney Barnard, The music was excellent—the product of G. Paton.

Miss Bernice Hurl of Alberta is a Lister visitor at present, at the home of Wm. Hurl.

A large increase is noted in the live stock population this month. During the past few days residents have invested in a matter of fourteen pigs, three cows, a horse and three brood sows.

Jas. Filmer is making an excellent showing on his location in the way of spare time clearing. This week sees another five acres blown and well cleared, making a total of ten acres he has put in shape in his after work periods.

Most of the fire fighters that were handling the forest blaze at Porthill have returned to Lister, though a few have taken temporary work at the Continental mine near there, among them Jack Sibley, who is now on the Continental office force.

Jas. Turnley is spending a few days with Spokane friends this week. He left on Saturday.

The carpenters have just about finished a stylish looking four room bungalow on the F. Bagshaw place.

Miss Selma Anderson of Creston was a week end visitor with Mrs. John Noble, Frampton Avenue.

The donkey engine is shut down temporarily while repairs in the way of new skids, tubes, etc., are being made. Engineer Lewis and Fred Swanson, who have charge of it, are away on a holiday at coast points.

Clarence Embree is busy at present putting up the finishing work on the additional room to the school. A new double door has just been put in the old school building so as to comply with the insurance regulations on public buildings.

A clerical visitor at the Phillips ranch favored with Methodist service and Sunday school on Sunday last.

President Bell of the G.W.V.A. presided at the meeting on Thursday last when the hay question was finally disposed of. Hay cutting permits will be required for 65 Listerites this year.

Commencing this week the Lister store will not in future be open for business on Sundays.

Card of Thanks

A. D. Pochin and family wish to thank all those who showed such kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement.

PIGS FOR SALE—9 weeks old, $10 each. John Miller, Creston.

PIGS FOR SALE—Half-dozen pigs, seven weeks old; take your pick. E. Haskins, Cresson.

FOR SALE—Edison phonograph, with horn, 36 records, $26 complete. R. Clarke, Creston.

FOR SALE—Purebred White Yorkshire boar, seven weeks old, $12. D. Learmonth, Creston.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Reply to Mr. Staples

My first duty, Mr. Editor, is to apologize to you for being the cause of monoplizing half of the space of your last week's issue. Next in order would be to pay my respects to Mr. Staples for the very amusing advertisement he gives me. In his article my name appears no less than thirty-six times, and only once does he call me a liar, and but once an ass. This is more than offset when in three different places he refers to me as a saint. I assure you, Mr. Staples. that no one could have been more amused than I in reading your article—a fiction dealing with my personality; some of which I recognize, and some I do not.

However, as amusing as a wordy personal combat between you and I would be for the readers of The Review I must absolutely decline to enter into it. I shall try to confine mysels to the point at issue, namely: The interests of our local fruit growers. Taking your article as a whole you could not have confirmed my statement in much plainer language. At the foot of the first column on page one of the Review of August 13th you say: "What makes Mr. Wigen's lying insinuation all the more malicious is the fact that he was in Creston the Monday preceding the publication of his letter, met the writer of this article on the street, and made not the slightest attempt to secure the true facts in connection."

Why, Mr. Staples, have you overlooked the fact that you told me yourself last spring, shortly after you came back from Calgary, that you had engaged with the Mutual Brokers to represent them in this district, and when I tried to bring out your view of the effect that would have on the Fruit Growers Union the substance of your answer was that you did not intend to interfere with the customers of the Union, but would confine yourself principally to independent growers around Erickson and others. In this I partly concurred as it would tend to keep together independent shippers—the prey of disturbed markets.

When I saw you announced yourself in the Review under the firm name of the Staples Fruit Company I knew without further questioning that you had either deceived me in the first instance, or that you intended to deceive your prospective customers. In either case, it would avail but little to call on you to reveal the facts.

For the Mutual Brokers—the head of your thirty Nash houses, that you refer to—to establish another competitive agency amongst us when these houses (thanks to your business sagacity when employed by the Union) have had and still have all the accommodation for legitimate business connection, can only have one interpretation from the growers' standpoint, namely: That you, they, or all of you, intend to nullify all the good that you accomplished for the local organization when in its employ; cultivate dissension among the farmers, and when we are divided—then the pickings. No one has a more intimate knowledge than you of all our weak points as farmers. and I will deplore it if yon take advantage of us.

Your reference to the Okanagan United Growers is most untimely, as it reveals a negative current in your versatile brain as far as it relates to the interests and future wellbeing of us farmers. No one in our locality has had better opportunity than you to acquaint yourself with the incalculable value of what this farmers' organization has accomplished for the uplift of the B.C. farmers and fruit growers in general during the last six or seven years.

From a farmers' organization untrained in business and financial stress (such as that of Creston Fruit Growers Union at the time it employed you as its manager) this farmers' organization has risen to the peak of success and influence, having been able to overcome and defy octopuses in trade and finance, even such as the one you claim to represent. It also has been able to turn the table, so that now this farmers organization practically sets the prices for us on most of our staple products, and the so-called Nash houses and others are to a great extent governed by its prices and regulations.

Your reference to one Mr. Skinner is equally untimely. I cannot recall that gentleman paying me any attention when in Vernon last, but take your word for it that he lent himself for a sinister purpose, and I now learn that he, like yourself, severed his connection with the O.U.G.—a farmers' organization—and allied himself with the same organization as you and, to the best of my information, for the same purpose.

We recognized your ability, Mr. Staples, and tried to appreciate it as long as we could make use of it, but, when this same ability begins to develop negative forces that crosscut our interests as organized farmers, you surely cannot blame me for giving warning, inasmuch as it has struck me most forcibly of late that it is more congenial to you to farm the farmers than to farm the farm.

I will now let you have the last say in this matter, as we have already monopolized too much space in our local paper. Your alertness of brain, smartness, business sagacity, and mastery of language by pen or mouth, makes me no match for you. But as to honesty of purpose and sincere intention and effort to unite, promote and help the mass of the tillers of the soil to come into their rightful heritage, Mr. Staples, I am your superior. But you are young; in the prime of life; fired by ambition but imbued with selfish interests; while I am old and grey, with spent forces. Perhaps when you have attained my ripe age you will find more satisfaction in taking part in the uplift of your fellowmen than in selfish pursuits.

O. J. WIGEN.

REVIEW $2.50 A YEAR

Commencing Monday, Sept. 6, the subscription price of THE REVIEW will be $2.50 a year in advance to Canadian postoffice addresses, and $3 a year to subscribers in the U.S.

While it hardly seems necessary to offer any excuse for this modest raise in rates, it may be of interest to note that six years ago the plain white paper used in THE REVIEW cost 5 cents a pound; now it is just over 12 cents. Ink is at least 100 per cent. higher, and all the other materials used show at least an equal advance—including labor. Besides, THE REVIEW we believe, is a rather better paper than when we took it over about half a dozen years ago.

The label will tell you when your subscription runs out. If it reads "Aug. 20" your subscription has expired. If it shows any month prior to August you are in arrears. If any month beyond August is indicated you are in good standing.

While, naturally, we are not urging those whose subscriptions will not expire until September or thereafter to pay up at once and save four bits, still we have no objection to those so disposed making payment this month and saving the discount.

But we wish to make it quite clear that all who have been billed for subscriptions at the old rate will have to liquidate at the higher price if they fail to make payment before Sept. 6th.

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

HORSE FOR SALE—Small, cheap for cash, works both single and double and under saddle, quiet; would make good pack pony. W. G. Bailey, Erickson.

Wynndel

The baseball club dance on Saturday night was voted by all as the very best dance of the season. Miss Florence and Mrs. H. A. Bathie supplied the music which was of the best while the floor was ably managed by C. Ogilvie. The very dainty supper was served by Mrs. H. A. and Misses F. and M. Bathie on the plate system. The floor was perfect and it was altogether a most successful affair. Everybody hopes the ball club will put on more dances of the same kind shortly.

Wynndel ball team played Creston again on Sunday last, and we are sorry to report that Creston was again victorious.

Messrs. John and H. A. Bathie, sr. and jr., started on Tuesday by motor boat on a three-day fishing trip to Midge Creek.

E. S. Butterfield left on Tuesday for Nelson, expecting to return Friday via Balfour and Proctor.

F. Packman of Calgary is here on a visit to his brother, H. F. Packman.

The dredge from Harrop is here again to do some work for J. B. Winlaw. O. Ringheim towed it up the channel with his motor boat, arriving on Monday night.

M. Wigen is loading out a car of apple boxes for Creston Fruit Growers Union. He has installed a printing press for marking the boxes.

F. Price has the contract of clearing two acres on the Anderson ranch. He has moved into the old Bellamy shack and has the job well under way.

E. Uri's house is nearing completion and he expects to move in shortly.

M. Hagen and a crew of mon are now working on the new road going out to the flats between the M. Hagen and the M. Wigen ranches. All the hay cutters are pleased to see this new and regular road put in.

Mrs. Mosely of Bellvue, Alta., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. Uri.

Mrs. Rudd left on Saturday for Rochester, Minn., whers she is at the Mayo Bros. hospital for treatment.

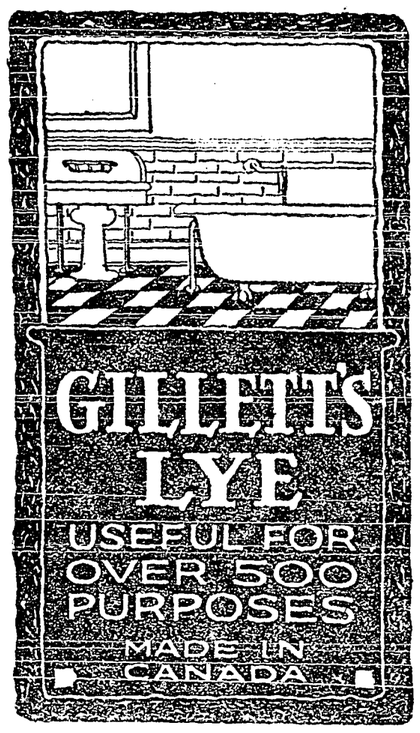
The United Farmers held a meeting in the schoolhouse on Saturday night with a fair turnout of members and a full discussion of several business matters. The meeting was requested to appoint a new member of the Entertainment Committee in the place of Miss D. Butterfield resigned. It was decided to ask her to reconsider her decision as everybody is well satisfied with her work in that connection and the association sorry that she gave it up.

Mrs. Pochin Dead

The heavy hand of the grim reaper has again been laid on the Valley, the summons this time being to Mrs. A. D. Pochin of Canyon City, who passed away at an early hour on Sunday night at the age of 35 years. Deceased had not enjoyed the best of health the past few years despite a stay at the sanitarium at Kamloops, more than a year's residence in Arizona, as well as a trip to the old home in England last year. Deceased, who was originally from London, had been a resident of the Valley since 1909, and enjoyed the respect and friendship of all. The funeral was on Tuesday to Creston cemetery, Rev. J. S. Mahood having charge of the burial services, and a large turnout of neighbors and friends to pay their last respects; the esteem in which deceased was held being strikingly shown in the many floral tributes. The pallbearers were C. Blair. E. VanAckeran, G. Leach, Guy Browell, T. Mawson, T. Hickey. One little daughter, Helen, and the husband are left to mourn the early passing of a devoted mother and wife and in their sad bereavement they have the true sympathy of all.

A tender blossom faded from our midst:
A sweet smile gone; how sadly missed.
A gracious voice hushed we loved to hear,
As fragrance the memory, sweet and dear.

J.A.L.



Crop Average and Crop Yield

Addressing the Canadian Club of Regina during the week of the Provincial Exhibition, Dr. Tolmie, the Dominion minister of agriculture, laid emphasis upon the fact that, despite a steady and really large increase in acreage under cultivation in Canada during the last ten years, there had been a marked falling off in yield per acre, with the result that the farm production of the country had not grown in volume to the extent that might have been expected from the increase in acreage placed in crop.

Commenting on this disappointing result the Federal minister of agriculture said: "An increase of three bushels to the acre in the production of wheat in Canada would mean an annual increase of over $118,00,000, and over $500,000,000 could be added to the wealth of the country every year if the farmers would exercise more intelligence and enterprise in their agricultural operations."

These are startling figures even in this age when we have become accustomed to reckoning things in the millions of dollars. And Dr. Tolmie was speaking by the book; the official statistics of Dominion and provincial governments bear out the assertions he made.

It is assuredly in the interest, not only of the country as a whole, but in the interest of the individual farmer that the causes of this decline in yield per acre should be ascertained and steps taken to check its further progress and to bring about a steady increase in yield. There is far more money, and infinitely larger profits, in increasing the yield per acre than in largely increasing the number of acres in crop which produce a comparatively small yield.

Dr. Tolmie suggested certain remedies. First, a large increase in yield [illegible] be obtained from a more [illegible] of good seed. Second, an [illegible] rotation of crops will increase the larger yields. Third, [illegible] of more live stock [illegible] to the same [illegible]

[illegible] Dr. [illegible] which [illegible] any person [illegible] the grain [illegible] along our [illegible] foremost [illegible] of weeds. West [illegible] large [illegible] of money annually in hail insurance premiums, but the annual loss from hail is but small in comparison with the annual loss resulting from the decreased yield because of weeds. Thousands of dollars are spent annually in fighting the gophers, and in Manitoba and Saskatchewan this year hundreds of thousands of dollars have been expended in the effort to overcome the grasshoppers. And it has all been money well spent. But year after year weeds take a greater toll than these pests without half the excitement or effort to eradicate them and stop the loss.

In many directions government and farmers' organizations are striving to improve the condition and advance the prosperity of the farmers, but thousands of farmers are themselves neglecting a matter the control of which is in their own hands. They are growing weeds instead of wheat, oats, barley and flax. Where there is an abundant crop of weeds there cannot be a heavy yield of grain. Sooner or later the whole of Western Canada will have to bestir itself in connection with the weed problem, and the sooner the better for all concerned, and the cheaper in the long run. Public opinion on the question is sadly asleep with the result that a weed official who proceeds to fearlessly do his duty quickly makes himself a most unpopular individual.

Another difficulty to be found is the weakness of so many men to acquire more land. More acreage seems to be their ambition rather than more grain. They seem to be happier with 500 acres yielding 14 bushels to the acre, or 7,000 bushels, than with 350 acres yielding 20 bushels to the acre, or a like total crop of 7,000 bushels, although it is cheaper to plow, seed, harvest and thresh the 350 acre crop than it is the 500 acre one, not to speak of the capital tied up in the larger acreage which, in reality, is producing nothing. Men who are not tilling the land they have as it ought to be tilled, are constantly mortgaging their future to buy more land and more equipment to work that land. Such men are not farmers, but land speculators. The West needs more of intensive cultivation, that is, better farming, rather than more acres brought under the plow.

Relief for Suffering Everywhere.—He whose life is made miserable by the suffering that comes from indigestion and has not tried Parmelee's Vegetable Pills does not know how easily this formidable foe can be dealt with. These pills will relieve where others fail. They are the result of long and patient study and are confidently put forward as a sure corrector of disorders of the digestive organs, from which so many suffer.

England's Arable Area Increased

Since 1915 there has been a steady increase in the arable area of England due to the government policy of encouraging the production of foodstuffs.

A record hay crop is expected this year, but the outlook for the fruit crop is poor. Of apples and pears only 20 percent of the average is expected and the small-fruit crops are also below average.

Cool and Heartless

"Woman! You have ruined me with your extravagance. I am penniless. There is only one place for me now. Good-bye. I'm going!"

"Where?"

"To the river!"

"Well, you'll be passing the post-office. Do you mind posting this letter?"

The High Price of Sugar

makes one welcome foods which are rich in natural sweetness.

Grape-Nuts

—the ready-cooked cereal

requires no added sweetening, for it contains its own pure grain sugar, developed from wheat and barley by twenty hours' baking.

Sprinkle Grape-Nuts over ripe fruit or berries and you'll save sugar.

The Smallest Nation

Monaco Has Thirty Square Miles of Territory and 11,513 Inhabitants

Monaco is the smallest nation on earth, according to statistics recently gathered. The entire area of its territory is eight square miles, and the population is 23,000. It is situated on the Mediterranean. The prince was absolute ruler until 1911, when a representative government was set up. San Marino claims to be the oldest state in Europe. It has thirty square miles of territory and 11,513 inhabitants. Lichtenstein, a small principality in the western border of Switzerland, has a population of only 10,716, while Andorra, located between France and Spain, has only 5,231 inhabitants. It is the smallest independent country as regards population.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS KILL LITTLE ONES

At the first sign of illness during the hot weather give the little ones Baby's Own Tablets or in a few hours he may be beyond aid. These Tablets will prevent summer complaints if given occasionally to the well child and will promptly relieve these troubles if they come on suddenly. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in every home where there are young children. There is no other medicine as good and the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that they are absolutely safe. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Three Thousand Still in Army

Three thousand men who served at the front are still awaiting demobilization and it will be April before all are out of uniform. In Great Britain three hundred men are still engaged looking after stores or attending the operation of two military hospitals. The war purchasing commission is gradually disposing of about $6,000,000 of military stores.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Distemper.

A Good Record

Granting that we have had our off years we should remember that the average production of wheat per acre in Canada for the last ten years has been 19.25 bushels, while that of the United States has been only 14.72. And that, in spite of all the calamities which drought, hail, wind and frost have brought us.

Overdressed Youth: "Here is a ha' penny for you, my man, and pray tell me how you came to be so miserably poor."

Mendicant: "Ah, sir! I was like you—too fond of giving large sums of money to the deserving poor!"

Montreal, May 29th, '09.
Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Yarmouth, N. S.

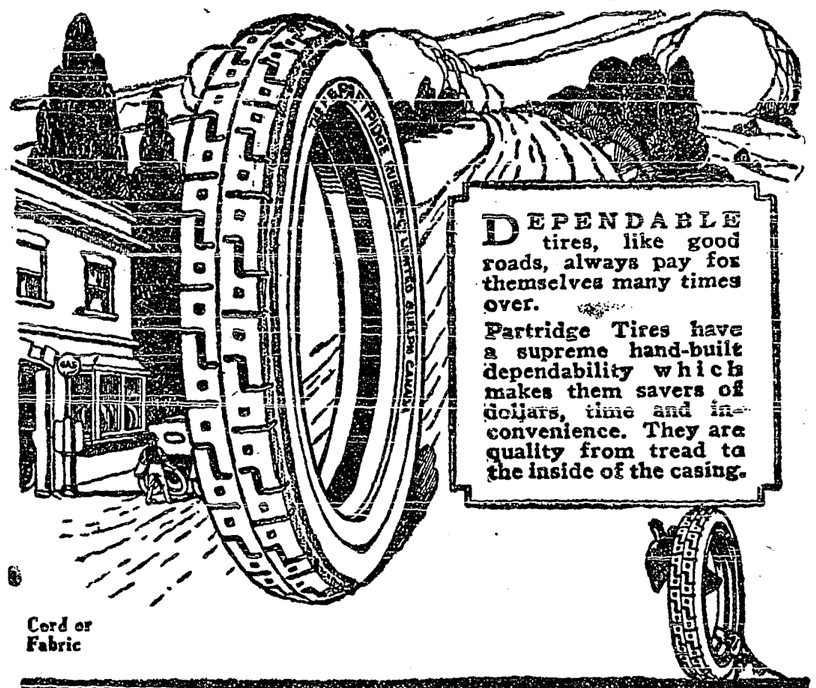
Gentlemen,—I beg to let you know that I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT for some time, and I find it the best I have ever used for the joints and muscles.

Yours very truly,
THOMAS J. HOGAN.
The Champion Clog and Pedestal Dancer of Canada.

Hens Must Work

It is a Poor Hen That Will Not Pay For Her Own Feed

The United Farmers of West Zorra, Oxford county, intend to stand no further nonsense from the class of hens known to the poultry world as "star boarders." A hen-culling campaign throughout the whole township will begin, and the otiose birds that refuse to do a decent stint of work will have to go into the pot or the oven, where they will serve a useful purpose. At any time it is a poor hen that will not pay for her own feed, and the present high cost of living for chickens has made it imperative that no mercy shall be shown the ones that will not give an adequate return for what they take in. It is a case of the survival of the fittest, directed by human intelligence instead of natural selection.—Toronto Globe.



PARTRIDGE TIRES
Game as Their Name

There is Only One Difference Between These Houses---That is

OWNERSHIP

These houses were built at the same time and cost the same. The contractor built one for Harry Duncan. Seeing the good value for renting prospects, the contractor built a second house and rented it to Tom Sinclair.

Harry Duncan owns his own home; he takes pride in it; keeps it looking fine. His monthly payments are less than Tom Sinclair's rent—which house would you prefer? Tom Sinclair has no interest in his house; he wouldn't improve it for someone else, and now after five years rent collecting the contractor is selling the house. Tom Sinclair must move, although he has paid enough in rent to buy the house.

There is the difference between renting and owning—there is the difference between spending and investing.

YOU CAN BE AN OWNER

See your nearest lumber dealer—see him now. Secure a copy of "Better Buildings" and know what beauty and convenience, combined with economy, will do for you through the lumber dealer's help. He has plans, specifications, working drawings and full particulars to give you—free. See him today. BUILD NOW.

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BUILD A REAL HOME THIS YEAR
BUILD NOW!

Half Section at $130 Acre

A record price for land twenty-five miles from Regina in the Pense district is reported in the sale of a half section for $33,000, or a little better than $130 an acre.

Miller's Worm Powders destroy worms without any inconvenience to the child, and so effectually that they pass from the body unperceived. They are not ejected in their entirety but are ground up and pass away through the excreta. They thoroughly cleanse the stomach and bowels, and leave them in a condition not favorable to worms, and there will be no revival of the pests.

The sewing needle is one of the oldest implements used by man. Bone specimens have been found in the reindeer caves of France.

Pigeons carried 709 messages for the R.A.F. between April, 1918, and the armistice, often saving human lives and valuable airplanes.

"Playing the Game"

"Did yuh get anything?" whispered the burglar on guard, as his mate emerged from the window.

"No! I didn't! This dump belongs to a lawyer.

"Gee! that's hard luck!" said the first. Then, as an afterthought: "But did you lose anything?"

Minard's Liniment Relieves Diptheria

When a man has so much confidence in his automobile that he thinks it can lick a locomotive in a grade crossing encounter he isn't much of a life insurance risk.—New York World.

PILES

Do not suffer another day with Itching Bleeding, or Protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and afford lasting benefit. 60c. a box; all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample Box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

BRITAIN ISSUES A WARNING TO BOLSHEVIKI

TO STOP POLISH ADVANCE

Great Britain and Allies May Be Forced to Declare War On Russia

London.—According to the Herald Premier Lloyd George, during a conversation with M. Krassin and Kameneff, presented an ultimatum to the Bolshevik representatives demanding an immediate and unconditional cessation of the Russian advance into Poland, even before signing an armistice, or otherwise Great Britain would declare war.

The newspaper declared that the British note sent to Russia is of a threatening character.

The Daily Mail also reports that the note is in the nature of an ultimatum. "It says plainly," asserts the newspaper, "that Poland is being over-run, and if, instead of hastening an armistice, the Bolsheviki armies continue to advance, the situation foreseen in the note of July 20 will have arisen, and Great Britain and her Allies will be obliged to assist in the support of Poland."

The Daily Mail also declares that the Prime minister indulges in some frank talk about the Red advance, to Kameneff and Krassin.

Scores Sir Eric Geddes

Jellicoe Declares That Latter Made Complete Fiasco of the Admiralty Plans

London.—Lord Jellicoe's new war book, which discusses the administration of the British admiralty, has created some sensation by its disclosures affecting Sir Eric Geddes as First Lord of the Admiralty.

Lord Jellicoe's book says Sir Eric appointed hordes of civil officials, incurred huge expense, disorganized the admiralty in the mist of the submarine war and then made a complete fiasco of the admiralty's building program, which was his especial care. It is pointed out that Sir Eric's achievements as minister of transports has been the exact counterpart of this.

Wheat Certificates

Winnipeg.—The first payment of a participation certificate issued by the Canada Wheat board has been made. Approximately 900,000 certificates have been issued, it is said, and the first participation is at the rate of 30 cents per bushel. A second payment of at least ten cents per bushel is expected. The first disbursement will amount to $30,000,000 or $35,000-000, according to members of the wheat board.

Japan Puts Larger Forces in Korea

Tokio. — Japan will increase her garrison forces in Korea by 4,800 men, owing to the unsettled conditions, it was announced here.

Faint and Dizzy Spells.

Weakness and Shortness of Breath.

You can generally tell when the heart is affected by the faint and dizzy spells, the shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensations, weak, sinking, all-gone feeling, choking sensation, etc.

Many men and women become rundown and worn out when otherwise they could be strong and healthy if they would only pay some attention to the first sign of heart weakness.

No remedy will do so much to make the heart regain strength and vigor, regulate its beat and restore it to a healthy and normal condition as Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

Mrs. C. A. S. Drake, Paris, Ont., writes:—"I have used on towards the second box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and find they have done me good. I had those fainting, dizzy spells, once in a while, and also weakness and shortness of breath, and would become so choked up at times I could hardly sleep without sitting up in bed. When walking too fast I would have to stop and try to catch my breath. I feel a lot better since I have used your pills and know that they have helped me wonderfully as I have improved very much."

Price 50c. a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Release Strike Leader

Winnipeg Labor Men Obtain Freedom of John Farnell

Winnipeg.— John Farnell, one of the Winnipeg strike leaders who was given a prison term of nine months for seditious utterances, is to be released at once. News to this effect was contained in a telegram received by E. Robinson, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, from Tom Moore, president of the Trades Congress, who stated that he had been officially notified by the under-secretary of state that a wire had been sent to Winnipeg ordering Farnell's release forthwith.

Farnell has been in jail for about six months, so that three months are being lopped off his sentence.

The news comes as the culmination of quiet but effective work of the labor leaders to get Farnell out of jail in view of the poor health of his wife and the baby that was born after the father was imprisoned.

Propose Stiff Penalties

$2,000 Fine or Jail for Intemperance In Ontario

Toronto.—It is believed that as an outcome of a conference held at the parliament buildings between Police Magistrate George T. Dennison, of this city, and Attorney-General W. E. Raney, that $2,000 fines for breaches of the Ontario Temerance Act, as well as imprisonment may become fairly common in the Toronto police court. So far, heavy fines are uncommon.

It is understood that Magistrate Dennison was instructed on lines similar to the notices sent out by the attorney-general to the magistrates throughout the province to the effect that prevention, not revenue, was the object of prosecutions for breaches of the Ontario Temperance act, and suggesting imprisonment as a means to this end.

Damage from Hessian Fly

Ontario Counties Report Damage to Fall Wheat From Pest

Toronto.—Serious damage has been done to fall wheat crop by the Hessian fly, in a number of counties in the southwestern section of this province, according to reports received by the Ontario department of agriculture. Reports from Norfolk state that some fields there suffered from 40 to 50 percent of damage from the insect. Barley has headed well, but the straw is short. Oats promise a generous yield with plenty of straw. Spring wheat has not done so well as the other grains mentioned. Owing to continued catchy weather, a good deal of hay is still lying in the fields and as a result there will be considerable poorly-cured clover and timothy.

With the Gentle Bolsheviki

Wearing of a White Collar Results In A Death Warrant

Allenstein, East Prussia.— Threats by the Russian soviet forces to execute instantly any civil or military subjects of the allied owers who pass the frontier, are reported by refugees arriving here from the region to the east being occupied by the Russians. This has caused the inter-allied commission in the district to announce no person will for any reason be permitted to enter the Russian controlled zone.

The refugees declare that the Bolsheviki are shooting all landowners and property holders and others suspected of having money. The wearing of a white collar of any sort is sufficient evidence for a death warrant. Officials of the inter-allied commission declare that the majority of these reports are supported by circumstances indicating their truth.

High Wages Hits Farmers

Montreal.—That there is a scarcity of agricultural labor, and further that such labor as is offered, commands un-heard of wages, was the concensus of opinion of the many farmers who met at St. Norbert, Berthier county, on the occasion of a demonstration of labor saving haying machinery.

TRANS-ATLANTIC SERVICE BY GIANT DIRIGIBLE

TO CROSS OCEAN IN 50 HOURS

Germans Are Building Airship To Equal the Finest Ocean Liners

Paris.—The giant new trans-Atlantic air line which German private enterprise is planning to establish will be operated with dirigibles greater than any which have heretofore been flown. They will have 300 cabins, each with two beds, and will be equipped with kitchens, lounging saloons and promenades, the equal of those provided on the finest ocean liners.

It was learned here that the ships will be from the basic designs of the German inventor, Boerner, whose crafts were said to be the models of the R-34—the ship in which British airmen sailed across the Atlantic ocean and back last summer.

The new dirigibles are to be 800 feet long, 80 feet wide and 100 feet high. The envelope will be semi-rigid, and the car will extend almost the entire length of the ship. Motive power will be furnished by 34 gasoline motors, each of either 150 or 200 horsepower, arranged so the ship can be navigated in all directions, without employment of ballast. The arrangements are such that a complete power breakdown or an explosion will be impossible.

The dirigibles will be equipped to make a 4,000 mile non-stop flight at an average speed of 68 miles per hour. The dirigibles will be designed to land in water, and in that element will have a speed of 35 miles. The flight time from Germany to New York will be approximately 50 hours.

Herr Colsman, director to the Zeppelin factories, will be the general manager of the new enterprise.

Man Without a Country

Premier Hughes Will Prevent Return Of Mannix to Australia

London.—Messages from Australia quote Premier Hughes as saying that Archbishop Mannix would not be allowed to return to Australia.

In an address at Melbourne, Australia, Premier Hughes severely attacked the archbishop, whom, he declared, was responsible for much of the present sectarian bitterness now prevailing in that country. Mr. Hughes stated that Archbishop Mannix does not represent Australia or the Irish nor any other question, and is the acknowledged Sinn Fein leader in Australia.

Polish Army Demoralized

Bolshevik Columns Enveloping Warsaw From the North

Paris.—The Bolshevik forces apparently have scored a great military victory over the Poles, who are reported to have been forced to abandon the Bug River line and possibly will be compelled to relinquish Warsaw.

According to the latest reports to reach Paris, the Polish army, for the time being at least, has gone to pieces and the Bolshevik columns, advancing in echelon in accordance with approved German technical style are enveloping Warsaw simultaneously from the north and east. The Bug River line, Poland's Marne, has gone almost without a fight, compelling the Poles to make a rapid retreat and shorten their front, which some of the military experts believe will be likely to bring the Poles into the Vistula and San Rivers, and involve the abandonment of half of the country to the invaders.

Freight Increas in U. S.

Washington.— The American travelling and shipping public may expect to begin paying the increased passengers' fares and freight rates authorized by the interstate commission August 26, the railroads have announced.

W. N. U. 1329

Send Greetings to Britain

United States Sends Message on the Sixth Anniversary of Entry into War

New York.—Greetings on the sixth anniversary of Great Britain's entry into the war were cabled to Field Marshal Earl Haig and Admiral Sir David Beatty by Franklin D'Olier, national commander of the American legion.

"Honor to the statesmen who had the courage to assume responsibility of that decision," reads the message. "Honor to the British Millions who with valor unsurpassed and 'hearts of oak,' executed that decision on Britain's many fronts. When we contemplate what would have been the state of affairs in the world today had not Britain acted as she did, the trials and difficulties of the present hour, however vexatious they may seem now to be, sink into comparative insignificance.

"United States forces have had the privilege of service on land and sea under British high command. The memories of the associations of these great days will never perish. They will perpetuate themselves in our hearts and thus serve to perpetuate the indissoluble friendship of the British and American peoples.

Coast to Coast by Plane

Progressing With Survey of The Cross Canada Air Route

Winnipeg.— Surveying of a coast to-coast, aerial route for commercial aviation, recently undertaken by the Dominion government, is practically completed in certain districts and within a year's time, trans-Canada flying will be inaugurated, according to the statement of Major R. D. Hobbs, inspector of civil aviation, of Ottawa, who has arrived in the city.

Major Hobbs said that the development of commercial aviation is dependent on a through route from coast to coast. The most difficult stretch of country between Winnipeg and Sudbury is almost completed. "When we have covered the mountain passes and found adequate landing stages, the surveys will be almost completed. Within a year's time we should have a regular coast to coast passenger service," he declared.

Murders in New York

Homicide Record of 52 Murders In Seven Months Is Unparalleled

New York. — Fifty-two murders have been committed in New York city during the seven months since January 1, setting a homicide record unparalleled in many previous years, it was stated at the district attorney's office.

In the six convictions returned in these cases, none have been for murder in the first degree, in 16 of the 52 murders no arrests have been made.

May Sit in West

Railway Commission Likely to Hold Sessions in Both East And West

Ottawa.—In addition to the opening hearing by the railway commission of the application of the express companies for an increase of forty percent, in rates to be held at Toronto on September 2, the board has decided to have other sittings, both in Eastern and Western Canada. The dates and places where evidence will be taken will be announced later.

In connection with the objection taken to the proposal to confine the hearing of the application of the railways for thirty percent increase to be held at sittings in Ottawa, it is probable that the board will give consideration to the west also, and make an announcement at an early date.

Turks Against Greeks

Constantinople.—Turkish Nationalist forces opened a bitter offensive against the Greeks along a sixty mile front in Asia Minor on Monday. The battle line extends along the Bagdad railroad westward from Kutahia to Simav.

LUXURY TAX ADDS MILLIONS TO REVENUE

A 100 PER CENT. INCREASE

Some Tangible Evidence Of What New Taxation Scheme is Bringing in

Ottawa.— The effect of Canada's new luxury taxes are somewhat clearly shown in the excise tax figures available. These taxes include luxury, sales, and manufacturers' tax and while it is impossible to give exact figures on the actual amount of luxury tax, it is safe to say that already several millions have been added to the country's income as a result of Sir Henry Drayton's 1920 budget.

Collections from all sources of the inland revenue branch for July amounted to $9,982,051 as compared with $4,356,452 for the corresponding month of last year or an increase of $5,269,599, which is more than one hundred percent increase.

On the excise tax side the amount collected last month totalled $6,944,-457 as compared with $969,299 for the same month last year. This is another abnormal increase which reflected the effect of this year's legislation.

Good Fishing Season

Record for First Six Months Shows Increase Over Last Year

Ottawa.— Canadian fisheries, both in amount of product and value, made a good record for the first six months of the year ending June 30. Sea fish landed on both coasts amounted to 2,837,424 cwt., valued at $10,564,146. For the same period last year the catch totalled 2,546,773 cwt., valued at $9,939,495 or $1,170,651 less than for the first six months of the present year.

Of the total catch for the six months 1,974,362 cwt., valued at $7,.294,459 were taken from the Atlantic and 862,962 cwt., valued at $3,269.687 from the Pacific.

Druggists Warned

Toronto. — Druggists have been warned by the Ontario college of pharmacy, than any druggist convicted of contravention of the Ontario Temperance act, will lose his certificate and be prevented from acting as a member, director or shareholder of any incorporated company dealing in drugs or medicines in Ontario.

NOTHING LIKE IT FOR BRONCHITIS AND WEAK THROAT

Remarkable Cures in the Worst Cases Reported Daily

Cures Without Using Drugs

Dostors now advocate an entirely new method for treating bronchitis and irritable throat. Stomach dosing is no longer necessary.

The most approved treatment consists of a healing vapor resembling the pure air of the Adironacks.

This soothing vapor is full of germ-destroying substances, and at the same time is a powerful healing agent. It is sent to the bronchial tubes and lungs through a skillfully devised inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket. Simplicity itself is the keynote of this splendid treatment.

CATARRHOZONE is the name of this wonderful invention that is daily curing chronic cases of weak throat, bronchitis and Catarrh. Every breath through the inhaler is laden with soothing, healing substances that destroy all diseased conditions in the breathing organs, it can't fail to cure because it goes where the trouble really exists, and doesn't attempt to cure an illness in the head or throat by means of medicine taken into the stomach. Catarrhozone is a direct breathable scientific cure.

[illegible] cold or any winter ill, that won't find a cure in Catarrhozone, which is employed by physicians, ministers, lawyers and public men throughout many foreign lands. Large size lasts two months and costs $1.00 and is guaranteed; small size 50c, sample size 25c, all storekeepers and druggists, or the Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Canada.

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

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Might be Worse

In the Wigen-Staples-Fruit-Company-Nash organization controversy which has made highly interesting reading in our last couple of issues THE REVIEW has no desire to join further than to call attention to an injustice Mr. Wigen has unwittingly, we feel sure, done the latter concern insofar as its operations at this end of the Valley are concerned up to the present.

The import of Mr. Wigen's article would seem to be to create the impression that the Nash outfit is none other than a wolf in sheep's clothing seeking whom it might devour in the way of co-operative fruit selling organizations.

As to the Nash designs and accomplishments in eliminating united selling effort by growers in other parts for the purpose of this article we are not concerned, but it is only fair to point out that in 1917 when Creston Fruit Growers Union connected up with the Mutual Brokors to do the selling of the Union output the Union was in about its worst shape—financially and in some other ways. Stockholders will have no trouble recalling the estimated value of their shares at that time, and the back debts to wholesalers and growers still unliquidated.

If the Nash house—of whom the Mutual Brokers are western Canada representatives—are (or were) the co-operative-marketing smashing combination Mr. Wigen alleges how comes it that they so obligingly co-operated with the Union at a time when the putting of it out of business could have been the more easily and more or less painlessly accomplished.

Just what the Nash connection meant to Union growers is indicated in the financial statements for 1917, 1918 and 1919—the latter year showing Union shares worth almost double par value, an almost unexcellod credit rating, a cash surplus and reserve totalling almost $10,000, and the satisfaction that comes of knowing that growers were promptly paid prices that equalled if not excelled every district in B.C.

For some assistance rendered in bringing about this fortunate state of affairs some measure of commendation is surely due the Nash organization by the growers at this end of the Valley.

As to the status of the Staples Fruit Company Mr. Staples has stated the case effectively in his reply to Mr. Wigen. Insofar as their opening in business here goes it seems to us the Valley is to be congratulated rather than commiserated with on such an occurrence. The Valley's output has now reached the point when rival selling agencies were bound to open for business, and if opposition there must be far better to have the competition of a man you know—and one who has, also, a growers' interest in the commnnity—than go up against a non-interested stranger, particularly if such opposition is of the deeigning sort Mr. Wigen pictures the Nash people instigating.

Evidence that the Nash organization if not quite the destructive force in marketing operations that Mr. Wigen opines is furnished in the Okanagan where they have been operating for three or four years and where the O.U.G. and other co operative concerns are still getting their full share of that section's steadily increasing output.

For at least the past two seasons on-the-spot opposition for the handling of the Valley crop has been mooted. That a concern of excellent financial standing and the extensive western connection of the Staples Fruit Company should be that competitor should be a matter of satisfaction to growers and the community alike.

Possibly not this year. but certainly in 1921 there is every indication that there will be both room and welcome for two selling agencies. With about ten years' previous and, in the main, successful experience to their credit the old-established houses need have little worry as to the future. While there may be no sentiment in business, experience both here and elsewhere has shown that given equal service the old time house has seldom failed to more than hold its own. And in the accommodation of patrons none should be better able to serve and hold friends than a share-holding co-operative organization surely.

Harness Supplies

Both haying and the heavy hauling season in other lines are about here and before commencing these operations you are almost sure to require outfit of some sort in the Harness line. Possibly you ought to have

Collars — Lines — Sweat Pads
Saddle Pads — Riding Bridles
Bits — Snaps

or any thing of this sort drop in here and secure your every requirement at the right price and goods that will stand the wear and tear.

Hardware & Furniture Supply Company

M. J. BOYD *Manager*

CARELESSNESS CAUSED 140 FOREST FIRES LAST SUMMER

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A LITTLE CARE WOULD HAVE SAVED THIS

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Board of Trade

For the first time almost of record both the president and secretary were absent from a board of trade session and for the August meeting, on the 10th inst., it was needful for Vice-President Bevan to assume charge, with S. A. Speers taking the minutes, and rather a slim attendance.

Amongst the correspondence was a letter from the C.P.R. superintendent at Cranbrook stating that after careful investigation he had found that the quantity of livestock shipped from Creston did not warrant the expense of putting a water service in the cattle corrall. Too, he was of opinion that in view of the growth of the Valley's population the prospect was for all local cattle being needed for home consumption.

For the executive S. A. Speers reported that a meeting had been held at which the question of joining up with the East Kootenay Associated Board of Trade had been very thoroughly discussed and their recommendation was that the Creston board should affiliate. A motion to this effect was made which on being put resulted in a tie vote and vice-president Bevan's aye was required to sanction the affiliatian with the new organization.

The water notices of C. P. Hill asking for permission to take and use 1000 C.S.F. of water from two different points of diversion on the Goat River resulted in the secretary being instructed to enter a protest against the issuance of these licenses, if the granting of them will interfere with the proposed Valley irrigation scheme which will tap Goat River at a point somewhere in the same neighborhood as Mr. Hill asks permission to divert it.

The recent imposition of nominal fines on at least half a dozen Alberta autoists who failed to report their entry into B.C. at any of the provincial police offices resulted in a motion that Mr. McMynn, the chief of provincial police, be written to suggesting that notices calling attention to this registration regulation be posted in all garages and other public places at points contiguous to both sides of the provincial boundary.

TO FARMERS

A Savings Account is like a weed—once started you can't stop it growing.

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Extra large size 80c.

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Combinations at $1, $1.50, $1.85.

Boys' Combination Balbriggan Undersuits

Sizes 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 at $1.00

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers at $1.00.

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A variety of styles and materials at 2.00, 2.50, 3.85 to $6.00 per suit.

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WATER NOTICE
DIVERSION AND USE

Take notice that Charles Plummer Hill, whose address is 1 McGregor Street, Montreal, will apply for a license to take and use 1000 cubic feet per second of water out of Goat River, which flows southerly and drains into Duck Lake about four miles south of Sirdar, B.C. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about nine miles north of Kitchener Townsite, and will be used for power purposes upon the mine described as the Hill Iron Claims, more particularly described in Schedule below. This notice was posted on the ground on the 31st day of July, 1920. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson, B.C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is August 6, 1920.

C. P. HILL, Applicant.
By G. A. M. YOUNG, Agent.

SCHEDULE.

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Czar " "
Czar Fraction "
Great Expectations Mineral Claim.
Jolly Boy "
Tom Sawyer "
Roughing It "
Lorna Doone "
Kelvin Grove "
Huckleberry Finn "
Agamemnon "
Enniscourthy "
Endymion "
Leander "
Hellespont "
Tristram Shandy "
Constellation "
Orion "
Ardromeda "
Perseus "
Argo "

All of which said Mineral Claims are situated on Iron Mountain, near Kitchener, B.C.

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A few lines picked at random from our complete and nicely assorted stock:

Middy Cloth, per yard		$ 60
Holland Linen "		95
Ginghams "	45c., 60c.	65
White Flannelette, 29 in. wide, per yd		50
Striped Flannelette, 34 in. wide "		40
Romper Cloth, striped, 30 in. "		60
Natural Pongee Silk, per yard	$1.25,	1.40
White Voile, per yard		90
Black and White Shepherd Check, yd		1.00

Boys' Wash Suits, 3 to 7 years, $1.75

These values must be seen to be fully appreciated

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At the Peekin

"The Trap," which comes to the Peekin Theatre to-morrow night with Olive Tell in the leading role was rendered conspicuous at the outset by the fact that it was written by Richard Harding Davis, the master of the dramatic situation, assisted by Jules Eckert Goodman.

The action in "The Trap," a Universal production, takes place in the Yukon, during the gold-rush days, and reverts to New York. The wild, picturesque scenery of the Klondike, the habits of the men and women who went there to cajole the yellow harpy, gold, are portrayed with intense realism, it is said. The subsequent events which transpire in New York, reflect the plot strength of the Davis story. In bas-relief to the plot and action are the photographical possibilities present when depicting homes of wealth. The aggressive methods of the men who vie with each other for a place in New York's business world, are faithfully portrayed.

The story concerns Jean Carson, played by Miss Tell, a New York school teacher, who goes to Klondike with her father, and there becomes associated with three men who profess to love her. Two of the men are brothers, one of whom is true hearted and the other a blackguard and a bigamist. A New York broker, in the Yukon on business, is the other member of the quadrangle about which the action revolves.

Lovers of comedy and romance will find their heart's desire in "Caught in the Act," the William Fox photoplay which is coming to the Peekin Theatre on Wednesday, Aug. 25th. In this tale, filled with fun and mischief, Peggy Hyland is starring in the role of Pricilla Kane. As a school girl she is full of pranks; as a debutante she defies every convention.

She is the sort of breezy, wholesouled girl that everyone loves. She never is bad, but always in some sort of scrape. Even her marriage is a schoolgirl prank that takes place on the fire escape of her fiance's bachelor apartments in the small hours of the night.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

The hospital at Cranbrook is raising funds to purchase a motor ambulance for the exclusive use of that institution.

Cranbrook is having some trouble getting $5000 by voluntary subscriptions to erect its proposed soldier memorial.

Cranbrook ratepayers are to have opportunity of voting on a bylaw to spend $60,000 in purchasing the present private owned electric light and power plant.

During the summer Revelstoke Methodist services are held on the church lawn and religious moving pictures shown. The hymns are also thrown upon a screen.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE

Notice to ex-members of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that ex-members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force who are entitled to and who require post-discharge dental treatment must submit their applications to the District Dental officer at the Headquarters of the District in which they reside on or before 1st September, 1920. Applications received for dental treatment after 1st September, 1920, will not be considered.

(Sgd) EUGENE FISET,
Major General,
Deputy Minister, Militia and Defence.
Ottawa, August 3, 1920.

Note—Newspapers will not be paid for the advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

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.

J. D. ANDERSON

R. G. McEwan, the Fernie baker, has just installed an electric cake mixer.

A rumor is current that the Trail smelter people are about to re-open the famous St. Eugene mine at Moyie.

About 1000 names is all that will show on the new voters list for the Grand Forks riding. Of these about 700 are in Grand Forks town alone.

Geo. Thomson, the Fernie undertaker for the past ten years, has disposed of his business and is removing to Toronto, where he will open out in the same line.

Up till the middle of July some 2500 persons had registered to vote in the Fernie riding, and the Free Press thinks that fully that many more had failed to register.

As soon as the crews are through dismantling the Granby mines at Phoenix they will move on to Grand Forks where they will do a similar job at the smelter at that city.

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?

Shamrock Brand Hams and Bacon
Finest Quality Cooked Ham
Lunch Meat
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are always to be had here. In meats nothing quite equals 'Shamrock' products.

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Cheap butter, milk, eggs, poultry and garden truck for its employees will be provided by the Trail smelter, which is now running a 300-acre farm near Trail for the production of these commodities.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

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

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

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

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

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

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment 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 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.

Willow, The Wisp

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After a time she stood up and moving softly across the room touched a match to the kindling in the grate. Dannie had settled down upon a rush mat just outside the door. She smiled as she heard the regular breathing that assured her that he was sleeping She reached for the dried venison hanging from the rafter, and sliced some of the meat into a big frying-pan. She filled the kettle with water and slung it into the crane above the leaping fire, then sat down to wait until the kettle boiled, her eyes on Dannie's upturned face.

The light had drawn the whining mosquitos from the thickets outside. She tiptoed over and placed a piece of cheese-cloth over the boy's face to protect it from the stinging bites Then she went out and gathered a handful of twigs. These she placed before the open door and set fire to them, throwing a handful or two of damp chips on the blaze, as it leaped up, to make the dense smoke called by the woods-people a "smudge," and which acts as a barrier to the troublesome swamp-flies.

When at length the tea was steeped and the venison fried to a crisp brown, she called Dannie.

He sat up immediately and rubbed his eyes. "How long was I asleep, Willer?" he asked as he rose.

"Over an hour," she replied, "you ought to feel better Dannie."

"I guess I needed a wink or two," said the lad; "I ain't been sleepin' much since—"

"Come on to supper," said Willow, quickly; "you must be hungry."

"Wall, I be. An' it does seem good to see you settin' thar in your old place ag'in, Willer. All day I've looked across an' found your place empty an' his place empty—"

"I'm not goin' back to Hardwoods Retreat no more," said Willow as she poured the tea; "Not unless you'll go, too,' she added, as he glanced up with troubled eyes.

"You must go, Willer," frowned the boy. "You simply must go. Dad wouldn't rest quiet if he knowed you an' me wasn't doin' jest what he's laid out we would; no, Willer, you must go back. I'll be all right here now, by myself."

He took his seat at the table and fell to on the appetizing venison with a zest born of long fasting.

Silence fell between them. The firelight danced and painted ruddy pictures on the smoke-blackened rafters; the smoke of the smudge drifted up in pungent, fragrant puffs. Far off somewhere, a nighthawk [illegible] plaintively, but beyond that all the world around was locked in [illegible].

[illegible] her elbows on the table and [illegible] in her hands, was gazing deep into the shooting flame of the fire. [illegible] the boy became [illegible] she had [illegible] was he [illegible] there, a [illegible] baffle[illegible]

He [illegible] with a [illegible] that the drooping lids and [illegible] fell to her deep brown eyes and fell to her deep breathing. [illegible] and the red blood [illegible] and [illegible] drifted [illegible]

[illegible] stood awkwardly up. His own face was pale and his lips quivered a little as he said:—

"Do you love Dorkin, Willer?"

She did not answer. She drooped lower over the table and trembled a little.

Dannie moved forward and laid his hand on her thick, waving hair in all tenderness. "Me an' you, we're woods-children, gal," he said softly. "We wasn't born to nuthin' by halves. One thing we allers must do, Willer, an' that is play square with others an' ourselves. I don't know what it is to love, but I do know what it is to hate. It's goin' ter be either hell or heaven fer you, gal; one or t'other."

"It's all right, Dannie," she said quietly; "I reckon when I tell him that I love him, he'll be glad."

The boy knit his brows in a frown. "Do you think that's jest the thing to do, Willer?" he asked perplexedly.

She looked at him wonderingly. "Why not?" she asked simply.

"I don't know. I was thinkin'—but — I guess maybe, arter all, it's best you should tell him. He's damn square, Dorkin is."

"Yes, he's damn square," she repeated gently. "He's good, Dannie, he's strong—he's everything!"

"That's so." The lad sat down on a stool and gazed thoughtfully into the fire. Silence fell between them.

At length Dannie spoke, hesitatingly.

"Have you ever thort that there might be somebody else?" he asked—some other gal, I mean," as her eyes flashed a quick question.

She looked at him dumbly, her face going white. Then she stood up, gripping the rough boards of the table in her strong brown hands.

"No," she whispered, "I never thort of that. But—but there isn't no other gal. There can't, there can't!" She almost shrieked the words and fell back into her seat, arms thrown across the table and head drooped upon them.

He reached out and clasped one of the clenched hands in his own. "There, there," he said soothingly, "o' course there can't. It's mighty foolish to think of sech a thing. Jest forget what I said, Willer. It's all right. It's bound to be all right."

She lifted a wan face and smiled bravely. "We're mates, him an' me," she said softly; "up here in the big woods, we're mates, jest as sure as the stars are in the sky. Oh, don't you understand, Dannie? He's mine, mine, all mine; there can't be no other gal! There can't!"

"No, Willer," he consoled, patting her hands; "there jest can't. He orter be right glad."

He stood up and reached for the [illegible] "I'll go on down to the spring an' get a pail o' fresh water," he said.

The girl rose and commenced to [illegible] the supper dishes. "There's something I guess maybe I orter tell you, Willer," said the [illegible] returned and placed [illegible] "[illegible] I was out by [illegible] place, somethin' happened [illegible] goin'. Set down an' [illegible] what it was.

"[illegible] heard about that man Savage, who comes down from the Post two or three times a year to buy pelts from the Dalton gang? You've heerd dad and me speak about him; he's crooked an' everybody in these parts knows it, I guess. Well, I've only seen him once er twice, but I'm pretty sure I'd know him ag'in, if I saw him, an' I'm real sure I saw him today. I was sittin' out under the big oak, when this feller Savage come up along the trail. He was decked out in city clothes an' when he sees me he don't let on. I wanted to stop him an' ast him what scheme he an' that Abe Dalton was hatchin' for this comin' season, but I didn't. I jest let him pass. But he's up to some dirty work, all right. What do do you think his game is, Willer?"

"I don't know," said the girl, slowly. "More trouble comin' likely. Wasn't it him an' Injun White Hawk and the Daltons who set fire to the Jacob Company's mills, Dannie?"

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City Council Doings

To put through the license reduction will require some tall hustling. Meantime lots of corns will be tramped on. The cure is "Putnam's," the old reliable corn extractor that has been curing corns and warts for years. "Putnam's" never fails, 25c at all dealers.

Prices Cannot Go Down

Canadian Farmers Will Make Fine Profits This Year

Addressing the Kiwanis in Winnipeg, Robert Magill, secretary of the Canadian Grain exchange, said: "Europe in the next twelve months must depend upon the North American continent for its wheat, and the only country today with high-grade hard spring wheat is the Dominion. Where is the price of wheat going? Well, it cannot go down much. The world, you know, is short on wheat and very long on paper money and credit. Canadian farmers this year will make fine profits for all the wheat they harvest."

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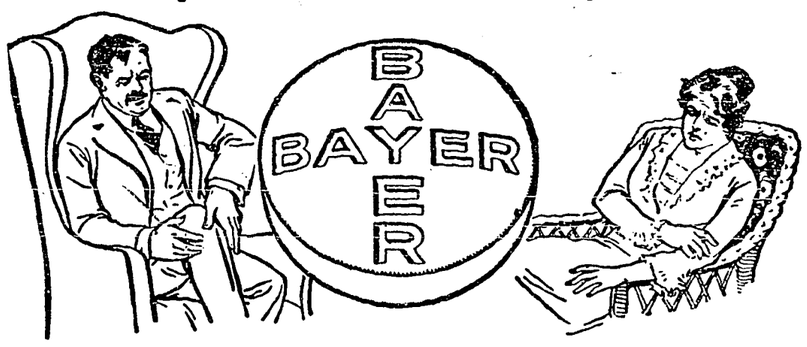

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Probably the only woman in North America engaged in the manufacture of nitroglycerine is Mrs. Clare W. Stokes, of Petrolia, Ont., whose factory turns out large quantities of the material, used principally in torpedoing oil wells.

As a vermifuge there is nothing so potent as Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it can be given to the most delicate child without fear of injury to the constitution.

The weekly trade report of the Canadian Credit Men's Association gives several interesting points. One is that many lines of goods are now coming forward from factories more freely. Another is, that prices as a rule, are remaining firm— the only exception being in boots.

Youth and Age

THERE is no time in woman's life that she cannot benefit by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food in order to keep up the supply of pure, rich blood and to ensure a healthful condition of the nervous system.

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Is the Price of Lumber Going Down?

Read the Following Facts and You Can Then Judge For Yourself

A fear of paying too much for lumber and the hope of an immediate or near future decline in the price of building material has caused many to hesitate building. That these fears are groundless and that the alternative of a higher lumber price is more likely is pointed out in detail in the following paragraphs.

This fear causes hesitation and by hesitating people are gradually adding to the congestion of the lumber situation which is already serious.

A thorough investigation of the lumber situation brings out some startling facts relative to the cost of production.

Lumber is made from logs. Logs must be cut. Cutting takes labor, and labor is high. There is the A. B.C. and the Crux of the whole situation.

Logging camps are operating eight hours daily in place of ten hours, as formerly, yet paying the more wages.

Sawmills are operating 50 hours weekly in place of 60 hours. Wages increased 20 percent over and above the time changes.

Railway freight rates increased 25 percent, and lumber requires long hauls.

Wire rope, logging machinery, the camp supplies have increased up to 300 percent.

Mill supplies and equipment have increased from 100 percent to 300 percent.

Towage rates increased 100 percent.

Government royalties increased 50 percent.

Fares of loggers going and coming from camps increased.

The fringe of the forest is being clipped. Lumber must be hauled further and from deeper recesses, not as accessible as formerly.

Every condition and item that enters into the cost of producing the finished article has jumped enormously since 1914-15. These increases and their ever climbing habit precludes any drop in the cost of lumber. It rather makes a most desirable purchase at the present price and an actual investment when put into a house.

The question of further increase of freight rates, supplies, wages, etc., etc., enter into and make uncertain the prices of lumber.

The house shortage at the present time is caused to a certain extent by the hope that the cost of building would make a descent. The above figures are convincing evidence of the futility of waiting. Act now! Build now!

Minard's Liniment Relieves Colds etc

An Interesting Find

Skeleton Two Thousand Years Old Discovered

A skeleton, buried at least 2,000 B. C., probably nearly 3,000 B.C., has been unearthed near Peterborough, England, by a local antiquary. The body, which may be of the bronze age, was buried in a crouching position, with the head to the north and feet to the east, while the hands were pressed against the chin, the right hand being underneath the right cheek.

A peculiar circumstance is that the burial was some five feet deep and had been made at the bottom of a ditch forming a circular entrenchment. No relics were found with the skeleton, which is that of a female, 25 to 30 years of age.

Great Waste In Timber

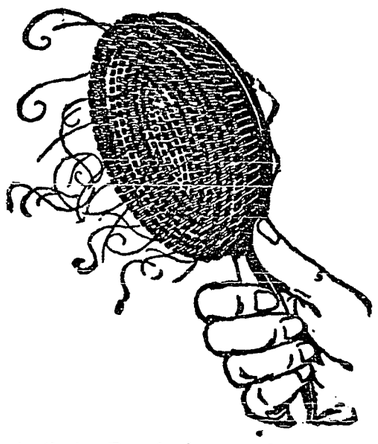
It is estimated that the material discarded in the timber industry in the United States each year might be made to provide 40,000 tons of paper, 3,000 tons of resin, 600,000 gallons of Ethyl alcohol and 300,000 gallons of turpentine.

Rub it in for Lame Back.—A brisk rubbing with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will cure lame back. The skin will immediately absorb the oil and it will penetrate the tissues and bring speedy relief. Try it and be convinced. As the liniment sinks in the pain comes out and there are ample grounds for saying that its touch is magical, as it is.

The Miracle Worker

What is the Unhappy Farmer to Do With the Double-Jointed Advice

After spending ten years teaching the dry belt farmer that he should work the surface soil into a fine mulch to retain the moisture, the agricultural experts are now starting to tell him that he must have the surface covered with clods to keep the wind from blowing the soil away. And the disconcerting feature is that there is reason in both arguments. If the dry belt farmer can do both he will likely get a crop, and will certainly deserve one.—Edmonton Bulletin.



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Penalized for Doing Right

Americans Serving in Canadian Forces Will Lose Their Citizenship

Men who, when citizens of Massachusetts, enlisted in the Canadian and other allied forces prior to the entry of the United States into the war have lost their citizenship and cannot vote, according to an opinion handed down by Attorney-general J. Western Allen, at the request of Secretary Langley. They can regain their citizenship by taking the oath of allegiance.

No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Cure at hand to remove them.

Important

The Girl at the Window.—Yes, madam, this is the information bureau. What do you wish to know?

The Woman Outside.—I'd like to know how much you paid for that georgette crepe waist you're wearing. —Boston Globe.

FREQUENT HEADACHES

A Sign That the Blood is Watery And Impure

People with thin blood are much more subject to headaches than full-blooded persons and the forms of anaemia that afflicts growing girls is almost always accompanied by headaches, together with disturbance of the digestive organs.

Whenever you have constant or recurring headaches and pallor of the face, they show that the blood is thin and your efforts should be directed toward building up your blood. A fair treatment with Dr. Williams Pink Pills will do this effectively and the rich red blood made by these pills will remove the headache.

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Prairie Strawberries

Flavor Much Better Than That of the Coast Berries

Angus McDonell, of Ray, brought to the Bulletin office on Thursday a box of strawberries grown in his garden. All the berries were large, but one of them measured four and a half inches around. The berries are of the ever-bearing variety. Mr. McDonnell set out 75 plants last season, in ground that had been fallowed the year before. They were placed in two rows. The rows were two feet apart, and the plants were two feet apart in the rows. They grew well last season and some blossoms came but they were not allowed to produce fruit. No mulch was placed over the plants last fall, but they wintered safely. They have had no fetilizer this season but have been carefully weeded and hoed. They are fruiting abundantly, about a box of berries to a plant. The flavor is excellent, being much better than that of the coast berries as they come on the market here—Edmonton Bulletin.

MOTHER!

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Immigration Figures

Canada is Getting 18,000 Immigrants Each Month

British immigration to Canada so far this season is about double that coming in from the United States. Of an average influx of about 18,000 a month 12,000 are coming from the United Kingdom and 6,000 from the United States.

The newcomers from the old country are mostly English. Out of an arrival of 12,500 in the last month tabulated, over 8,000 were English; 3,000 Scotch; less than 1,000 Irish and 150 Welsh.

The new immigration restrictions requiring careful selection are rejecting about 1,800 a month, while about 30 or 40 are deported for criminality or other disqualifying conditions.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Garget in Cows.

Plane Leaves for Far Northland

The great naval seaplane of the Canadian Aero Film company left Toronto recently on its 800 mile trip to Hudson Bay, where pictures will be taken for the provincial government, and a survey made for the Dominion government. The plane can travel at a speed of 90 miles an hour. Stops will be made at North Bay, Cochrane and Moose Factory. The plane is going to the Belchet Islands on the west coast of Labrador in the bay.

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Mrs. Embree and Mrs. Foreman were visitors with Spokane friends a few days the latter part of the week.

Miss Alice Carr of the telephone central, and Miss Olga Wigen of Wynndel, are holiday visitors in Spokane.

Principal Smith of the Creston public school is at Silverton for a couple of weeks before the re-opening of school.

E. Gammon of Nelson, the West Kootenay chief of provincial police, was here on an official visit Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Beazer of Beazer, Alta., and Miss Duce of Cardston, Alta., who have been guests of Mrs. R. M. Beazer, have returned home.

Miss Pearl Carew of Toronto, who is on a visit to friends in Arizona, is here for a few days, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Jas. Cook.

The 1920 game regulations have just been issued, and provide for the opening of the grouse, duck, geese and deer seasons on Sept. 4th.

Miss Morris, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Loveday, for the past month, left for her home in Los Angeles, Calif., on Monday.

LOST—About Aug. 7th, a light grey parametta raincoat, between Arrow Creek and Creston. Finder please leave same at Review Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore are at the head of a camping party numbering about a dozen who got away on Saturday for an outing at Cultus Creek.

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Block 144, Kootenay Valley Lands, containing 18.2 acres, logged over land, situated on Sirdar road about 1¾ miles north of Wynndel postoffice. Apply to the owner, G. A. M. Young, Creston, B.C.

An examination for licensing Scalers will be held Tuesday, August 24th, at the C.P.R. Mill at Yahk. Thursday, August 26th, at the Otis Staples Lumber Co.'s mill at Wycliffe. Saturday, August 28th, at the Elk Lumber Co.'s mill at Fernie. Further particulars may be obtained from the District Forester, Cranbrook.

Jim Johnston is now a temporary resident of Kitchener, where he went on Sunday to take charge of the F. V. Staples portable sawmill plant.

LIVE FOWL WANTED—Young chickens in unlimited quantities. Highest price paid for No. 1 stock. Address all shipments: W. Barraclough, Fernie, B.C.

The C.P.R. has a crew here this week putting in new telegraph poles between Creston and Wynndel. Near town almost two thirds of the old poles are being replaced with new ones.

That the soft fruit shipping season is practically over both in the Valley and Kootenay Lake points is indicated in the on-time arrival of the eastbound train commencing early in the week.

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Pastor Knox of the Methodist church, with Mrs. Knox are Cranbrook visitors this week for the quarterly district meeting of East Kootenay Methodists. F. K. Smith also attended the sessions as lay delegate.

E. Letts of Tompkins, Sask., reached here on Sunday with a car of horses and another carload of effects, intending to locate in the Valley. Finding it difficult to get range for his horses he shipped out to Cranbrook the following day.

Mrs. Ernest Ryckman and children are here from California on a visit to old Valley friends, and are stopping with Mrs. S. Ryckman. Fred Ryckman is also here from Fort Steele and will remain some time to supervise the Indian hay cutting operations.

H. Nelson, a recent visitor here from Alberta, is the latest buyer of Creston real estate. He purchased two lots near the park from H. S. McCreath, and has already ordered lumber for a house he will build immediately, and remove here to reside.

Building operations this week include a commodious new warehouse which Mawson Bros. are erecting at the back of their store premises. W. K. Brown is busy erecting a garage on the lot he recently purchased from Mr. Cory—at the rear of his town residence.

The passing of the usual batch of accounts was the chief business in hand at the school board meeting on Monday night. If the cost is not prohibitive the trustees plan to put in a drinking fountain to replace the granite cup system now in use at the public school.

The 1920 mosquito season is now practically over, the cool wave the fore part of the week putting the finishing touch on them. Not for many seasons back have the pesky critters been as numerous or as active as this year's supply has been for almost six weeks.

The excessive heat kept down the attendance at the Creston-Wynndel baseball match here on Sunday afternoon, which was won by Creston by a margin of 12-5. As Wynndel players had been hosts at a dance the night previous naturally they were not playing at top form.

S. P. Birch, the first of several expected English apple buyers paid Creston a visit the latter part of the week, in quest of a couple of dozen cars which his firm is prepared to handle on a consignment basis. While his preference was for the later varieties he expressen a wiloingness to take a quantity of Wealthys.

Rev. Jenkins Burkholder of Caledon, Ont., who has been taking the Presbyterian church work here the past four Sundays, left on Monday to spend a couple of weeks at the coast before returning east. Word as to whether he will accept the pastorate of the local church should be available within the next four or five weeks.

The Dominion fruit crop report for August states that in Creston Valley the apple crop will be 75 per cent. of the 1919 yield, with Wealthy and McIntosh the leading varities; Wagners good, and estimated at 90 per cent. of last year; winter varieties medium, much more scab as reported than in other years, due to the excessive moisture in May and June.

The most notable extremes in Valley temperatures were in evidence the fore part of the week. On Monday the citizens sweltered in a little more of 92 in the shade, while a gale that [illegible] things off so rapidly that at an early hour on Tuesday morning the mercury was down to 45. The decidedly cool spell prevailed until Thursday.

The deepest sympathy of their many Valley friends is extended Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pease, now residing near Steveston, B.C., whose third son, Morgan, lost his life in a double drowning mishap in the Fraser River on Sunday afternoon. He and his companion, Jimmy Hunter, were caught by the undercurrents at a spot near the Lulu Island bridge and before the alarm which was raised could bring help they had disappeared. The passing of Morgan Pease is particularly touching in that after completing a course in a Vancouver business college he had joined the staff of the Royal Bank at Marpole, and was getting on splendidly. No more promising or popular youth ever left Creston Valley than Morgan Pease, and The Review joins the many here who extend sincere regrets at his early and untimely passing.

Both the R.N.W.M.P. and provincial police had a busy time of it the fore part of the week. On Monday they apprehended a bootlegger operating with a deftly constructed light wagon and grey team at Arrow Creek who had an even twelve cases of liquor aboard, heading for Porthill. The owner failed to appear in court on Wednesday so the wet goods and complete outfit were confiscated. On Monday two parties, each driving Nash roadsters, were nabbed for entering Canada without reporting to the customs authorities at Porthill. On Wednesday Magistsate Crompton fined them $5 and costs for their misdemeanor and then turned them over to customs collector H. White of Cranbrook, who had been summond here and Mr. White promptly confiscated the two cars, which are valued at around $2000. On Tuesday night a swell new seven-passenger Premier auto was gathered in which also had a couple of cases of hard stuff on it. The owner was mulcted in the sum of $100 for carrying the booze, $10 for not reporting his entry into Canada, and his car, too, was also confiscated. Valuations of the latter auto run from $5000 to $6500.

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Rossland council has just disposed of its fire hall team at $450, and is on the lookout for a younger span of horses for the job.

Rev. W. F. Burns of Vermilion, Alta., has accepted the pastorate of the United Church, Fernie, and will take over the work Sept. 1st.

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And notice is further given that any person claiming to be entitled to be registered as a voter in the above-named Electoral District may apply in person to have his name entered on the list of voters for the said Electoral District at the said sitting of the Court of Revision, notwithstanding the fact that his name has been omitted from the list of applicants for registration, or that he has omitted to apply for registration at the time or in the manner otherwise provided by the Provincial Elections Act.

The list of applicants for registration is now posted and may be inspected at the office of the undersigned Registrar of Voters.

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