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## Creston and Lister Tories Organize

There was a fair turnout on Saturday night for the general meeting of Valley Conservatives called more especially for the purpose of reorganization as well as to select delegates to attend the riding nominating convention which is being held here this afternoon. President Major Mallandaine occupied the chair, and after briefly outlining the purpose for which the meeting was convened and the minutes of the last meeting of the association having been read and adopted, the election of officers was proceeded with, the following being chosen:

President—Major Mallandaine.  
Vice-President—F. H. Jackson.  
Secy.—Treas.—G. A. M. Young.  
Executive—C. O. Rodgers, C. B. Garland, J. W. Hamilton, R. J. Long, Mrs. F. H. Jackson, Mrs. R. J. Long, John Blinco, James Cook, James Compton.

Delegates were chosen for the nominating convention as follows: C. M. Loasby, Sirdar; W. W. Hall, Erickson; R. J. Long, C. O. Rodgers, C. B. Garland, F. H. Jackson, Creston.

On the call of names to be submitted at the nominating convention on Friday, that of Col. Fred Lister was the only one offered, and amidst considerable applause it was resolved that his name go before the convention as the unanimous choice of the Valley Conservatives.

Lister Conservatives had a large and enthusiastic organization meeting on Oct. 27th, which was presided over by C. H. Phillips, one of the civilian farmers in that section, at which an association that starts with a membership of 45 was launched, a representative lot of officers elected, delegates were chosen for the nominating convention, and most important of all Col. Fred Lister definitely assured that he would allow his name to go before the Kaslo riding nominating convention. His decision to carry the soldier-Conservative standard was received with applause and it is felt that with the large soldier vote in the constituency along with the support of the Conservative electors his election seems almost assured. The officers of the Lister association are:

President—C. H. Phillips.  
Secretary—Harry Vernon.  
Treasurer—Lance Lowes.  
Executive—Jos. W. Bell, Robt. Milner, A. R. Webb, N. Stones, John Johnston, W. Wright.

Before the meeting adjourned an informal discussion on provincial election matters took place, among those speaking being Mrs. Stones, Chairman Phillips, Lance Lowes, Col. Lister, A. R. Webb, J. McGee and W. Wright. Peter McKay spoke at some length on the splendid way Col. Lister had always handled the interests of the settlement at Lister.

## Canyon City

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ross, who arrived here some months ago on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. G. Davies, are so pleased with the Valley that they have purchased the residence of Mr. Davies, sr., at Creston and will make their permanent home in town.

The trustees have just been advised that only one bid was put in for the erection of the new school here and the figure was so high that the department is not likely to go on with its construction. The plans provide for the new room to attach to the old one making the structure L shape.

The school scholars have been provided with a basketball outfit and already taking kindly to the game. Matt, Clayton has also erected a couple of swings that are generously patronized. Almost sixty pupils are in attendance these days.

Samuelson and Johnson are starting work at once on the log hauling and skidding contract they have with J. B. Winlaw. They have about 11,000 logs to handle and will employ a couple of teams and a half a dozen men.

Dad, Brownell has just invested in a gasoline engine and, we understand,

is going into wood business this season. A new garage has just been erected on the place to house the Chevrolet.

Canyon had its coldest snap of the season on Monday morning, when the mercury showed 14 degrees of frost.

F. Putnam has been here this week busy on ploughing operations on the 14 acres at the corner. He proposes to plant it to alfalfa, and if he gets an average catches should easily harvest 50 tons each season.

"Shorty" Adams is busy at fencing operations on his ranch here. He has 100 trees on order for spring delivery.

Mrs. Geo. Strong arrived home a few days ago from Cranbrook hospital where she has been for over a month. Her recovery from the operation is quite satisfactory though necessarily slow.

Mrs. C. Blair and daughter, Eleanor, who have been on an extended trip to the Old Country, got back this week. Mrs. Blair is accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Irving.

Elder Reed will be here for a meeting in the schoolhouse on Sunday night, when his address will be on "Ancient Israel."

BIRTH—On Oct. 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Clayton, a daughter.

## Conservative Committee Room

Creston Conservative Association committee room is in the Mallandaine Building. Open 2 to 5 p.m. daily. The public, including the ladies, cordially invited to call.

## Wynndel

Miss Merle Bathia left last week for Calgary, where we understand she will spend the winter.

Mrs. D. Male and Mrs. T. Cooper of Balfour are visitors this week with Mrs. Pitt Brook.

Tom Salem returned this week from the prairie.

Sam Moon was unfortunate enough this week to have a freight engine hit one of his cows, breaking its leg, and rendering it necessary to shoot the animal.

There will be a meeting of the ladies of Wynndel at the schoolhouse, at 8.30, Friday, to discuss with Miss Toplis the question of the children's treat.

## West Creston

Joe Stevens has had a small crew of men at work putting the road between the twin bridges and Corn Creek in good shape. Something like \$1000 was appropriated for the work.

C. B. Twigg, the resident horticulturist at Creston, was here last week taking a census of the trees and live stock on the ranches here.

Dud. Blackwood and Geo. Steel of Nelson, and Os. Borden and Al. Watson of Kaslo, made up two houseboat parties that were duck hunting along the river last week, but report these birds very scarce even yet.

The vegetable crop has panned out not too badly here. Frank Tompkins is reported to have a crop of potatoes

that averaged ten pounds to the hill, while Chas. French's crop on the bench, without any irrigation whatever, will run at least ten tons to the acre. They are of a new-variety called the Freeman.

The shortage of hay is decreasing the herds in the West Creston section. F. Dunn is butchering his for local sale, and H. F. Peterman has already let several head go.

Haying was still under way at the end of the week, C. Blair having a small crew at work at the Reclamation Farm.

R. Sinclair Smith has just completed quite a commodious addition to his residence.

## Revival Services

Evangelist R. H. Roper will begin a series of special meetings in the Methodist Church commencing Sunday evening, Nov. 7th, at 7.30. Meetings will be held every night during the week, except Saturday, the meetings to start at 8 o'clock. For Sunday night's service a special musical programme is arranged, which will include solos by Mr. Roper, Mr. Eby and Miss F. Knott.

COW FOR SALE—4-year old Jersey cow, milking, will freshen Feb. 5th.—T. Mawson, Creston.

An Erickson subscriber writes: "A man may be brave enough to fight the Germans, but Canadians consider him a coward when he uses the horsewhip on children who tick-tack on hallow-e'en."

## Con. Hall Dead; Drowns Himself

Woodstock, N.B., Oct. 14—The body of Cornelius Hall was found this morning in the Meduznakeag River near his home. He has been in failing health for about a year, and it is thought he committed suicide while despondent. He was 61 years of age and is survived by the widow, but no children. He sold his property only the other day to Patrick Culbert of Hartland, and following his doctor's advice he and his wife intended leaving today for Vancouver to escape the severe winter in which city he formerly lived. Yesterday afternoon he told his wife that he intended going to a barber shop to get shaved but instead he threw himself in the river at the rear of Delancey Smith's farm, situated on the Houlton Road. Mr. Hall was well known here, having worked on the mill for Mr. Hayden. He had a farm in Newbury, but spent many years in the American and Canadian West, returning to Woodstock a few years ago. An inquest will be held this afternoon.

The above paragraph, taken from the Fredericton Daily Gleaner, will be read with regret by many Valley people, and especially by Canyon City residents, in which district Mr. Hall resided up till about two years ago, at which time he sold his ranch to Geo. Davies, and left immediately for the old home at Woodstock, N.B. Deceased came to Canyon in 1910, at which time he took up land and was in the employ of Canyon City Lumber Co. for years. He was quiet and a hard worker, in due course developing one of the tidest ten-acre properties in the whole Canyon section.

## Lister

Tickets are now on sale in connection with the raffle of a gramophone donated by J. McGee the receipts from which are to go to the school general expense fund. They are worth 50c. each, and selling rapidly.

A meeting of the G.W.V.A. is called for Saturday night at the school, when the question of taking united action or otherwise in the pending provincial election will be settled. Every member should be in attendance.

Clarence Embree has just started work on the erection of a new residence for Lance Lowes on his location here.

Lister is now in possession of a fully equipped blacksmith shop which has just been opened by Harry Brown in his shop on the main road. He is stocked with all necessary materials and ready to take care of repair work and horseshoeing. He will also conduct a farm implement agency.

Jos. Bell got back the latter part of the week from Kaslo, where he had been for at least a month looking after the work of returning officer in the temperance vote. He already has his coat off at election work on behalf of Col. Lister, the soldier-Conservative candidate.

Lister will have a delegation of at least half a dozen at the Conservative nominating convention at Creston on the 5th, made up of C. H. Phillips, John Johnston, Jos. Bell, A. R. Webb, L. Lowes and H. Vernon. The two latter are the voting delegates.

Jas. Duncan was home on Wednesday, having come up from the hay camp on a business visit. He states baling operations are about complete and the men will all be back toward the end of next week.

There was a rather small turnout at the United Farmers' meeting on Tuesday night last, and not much outside of routine business was disposed of. The letter from Erickson local notifying that their stand on tariff revision was very much opposed to any changes in the present fiscal policy was endorsed by the Lister branch. Lister also endorsed another letter from Erickson which asked that a conference of the five Valley U.F. locals be held at an early date. There was a letter from Creston Public Library urging the local to help with the formation of the proposed library in Creston. The matter was referred to F. Powers and G. Chudley for a report.

# IRRIGATION AND THE SMALL No. 3

The record for the highest-priced car of apples ever shipped out of Creston Valley is claimed for a carload of Delicious billed from Erickson during the past week. This car, which was loaded from the ranches of R. J. Long, A. Duperry and J. M. Craigie, ran 90 per cent. No. 1 and will, we understand, net the growers well over the \$3 mark.

More or less in conflict with this report of high prices is the statement that the apple market all over B.C. and the west has been somewhat demoralized this season by competition from low-priced American and Ontario apples.

That this competition exists and has been demoralizing to prices in certain, and it seems equally true that in spite of low-priced apples from other sections of B.C. apples of the quality of the Delicious, car referred to above have been sold for exceptionally high prices.

## Better Grades of Apples Selling

All over Manitoba Ontario apples have been on sale this season at 5c. per pound to the consumer and at the same time B.C. apples of the best quality have been selling at an average price of \$4 per box. These facts lead us to think that the problem of selling our apples at profitable prices resolves itself into the problem of placing ourselves in the position where we will have nothing but the best grades of apples to offer. In other words, eliminate the small No. 3.

Apparently we have solved the problem of growing apples free from blemishes, and understand packing in a manner which is satisfactory to the market, but with a crop such as we have this year we are up against the question of size, and it is proving a serious handicap in marketing.

## Any Small Apple Out of Favor

The small three is a source of much worry, but possibly not any more so than the small one's and the small two's. Apples running 188 to the box may be No. 1 according to the government standard, but are certainly not number one according to the standard of the buyer, and a carload of these small apples, even though they all

grade No. 1's—are an undesirable commodity for the wholesaler to have on his warehouse floor regardless of the price he may have paid for them.

Creston district, if we are going to hold our markets, will have to grow bigger apples. In this connection we have talked pruning, fertilization, cultivation and thinning, but the Erickson people have come to the conclusion that the one thing lacking is irrigation, and have this season placed themselves in a position to prove to the rest of the district that abundance of water is all that is needed to produce the big red apple.

At an expenditure of over \$20,000.00 water has been piped from Sullivan Creek onto the ranches of Fraser & Son, W. W. Hall, E. Cartwright, Geo. Cartwright, F. Putnam, H. McKowan, Palmer & Sons, R. J. Long and Staples Bros. and everything is in readiness to irrigate these ranches during the coming season.

## What Irrigation Has Done at Erickson

Just what irrigation will do for Erickson remains to be proven, but enough use was made of the water this year to give some idea of the possible benefits.

On the Putnam ranch, for instance, a number of heavily laden Jonathan trees not only gave every indication of failing to bring their crop to marketable size, but it seemed not impossible that the trees themselves might be unable to stand the strain. These trees were heavily irrigated as soon as the water was available and regained a healthy appearance, and the apples sized up so that most of them were marketable.

On the Staples ranch a number of plum trees which had borne a fairly heavy crop and appeared to be dying were given a thorough soaking with the result that a change in their appearance was easily seen almost at once, and they are apparently sufficiently recovered to bear a crop next season.

On the Fraser ranch peppers and tomatoes were showing point rot to an extent that was destroying almost 75 per cent. of the peppers, and at least 20 per cent. of the tomatoes. Irrigation done away with this altogether

and saved even this year several hundred dollars for this ranch.

That the Erickson community deserve great credit for their energy and initiative on installing this irrigation system goes without saying. Difficulties of every kind and description, many of which do not appear on the surface, were encountered and successfully dealt with. Successfully piping the water across the canyon is in itself a creditable work when it is remembered that the work was done by men without any previous engineering experience.

## Financing the Project

Financing a \$20,000 project by so few people without crippling their ranches for operating capital was possibly the biggest problem of all. Some assistance was derived from the sale of the right to use the community's pipe lines to the East Creston Water Users' Community. The work, however, could not possibly have been completed had it not been for the assistance of a government loan, in the getting of which John Keen, M.P.P., showed a thorough interest, and undoubtedly it is due to some extent to the influence he wielded at Victoria that the government aid was forthcoming. This loan was secured under conditions and terms which will make its payment a very light burden to the Erickson people.

Mr. Keen has shown a live interest in the question of irrigation and his efforts, backed up by a comparatively small group of citizens—not all of whom are ranchers—have been instrumental in placing on file with the department reports on two feasible schemes for irrigating the entire Valley. It is not to be expected that the government will take action on either of these schemes until the ranchers themselves show in a more decided manner than they have been doing that they desire irrigation to the extent of being willing to assume some financial obligation to obtain it. It seems certain that the Erickson experiment will furnish the necessary proof that irrigation is indispensable and will be indirectly the means of solving the problem of the small No. 3.







## A Witness Testifies SHE WAS WEAK AND NERVOUS

Brampton, Ont.—"About five years ago I began suffering with woman's trouble. I became all run-down weak and nervous. I was so completely down and out that I could not do anything, could scarcely dress myself. I had the doctor and took other medicine but without getting better until I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and his Golden Medical Discovery. It was only a matter of time before I was completely restored to health and strength and I have been in better health than I ever was before. I have had no use for medicine since, but should I need it I would take these same remedies, knowing them to be excellent."—MRS. HARRY KNIGHT, Jessie St.

### OWES HER LIFE

Ft. Saskatchewan, Alta.—"It is with great pleasure that I write the following and I hope it will help the many sufferers who do not know the good Dr. Pierce's medicines would do them if they would try them. "In regard to my condition, I will say that I suffered from childhood from a very weak back; I had the misfortune of having spinal meningitis when I was one year old and until I was 13 I did not see a well day, but a very kind lady told my mother about Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and she got a bottle to try it. It did me so much good that mother got me 6 bottles. Recently I happened with a car accident and hurt my back badly. My doctor gave me up and said I would not live, but I still stick to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and to my surprise in three weeks I was out of bed and better. I owe my life to it and nothing else, and shall never be without it. "If any sufferer wishes to write I will answer with pleasure."—MRS. NOEL BARTHOLOMEW.

### Nothing to Brag About.

When cities are boasting of their increasing population they want to remember much of this gain comes from the farms, and that farm folks who are in the cities are not producing food for city folks to eat.—New England Homestead.

A merchant can obtain an imitation of MINARD'S LINIMENT from a Toronto house at a very low price, and have it labelled his own product. This greasy imitation is the poorest one we have yet seen of the many that every Tom, Dick and Harry has tried to introduce.

Ask for MINARD'S LINIMENT and you will get it.

### Pleasant News.

Young Man.—What did your pa say when he heard I had kissed your sister?

Little Girl.—He said that was encouraging.



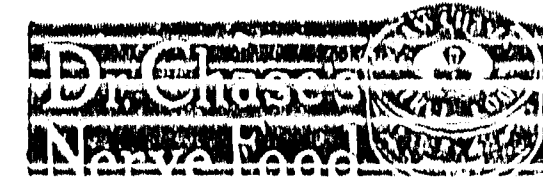
## Healthy, Happy Boys and Girls

IS your child healthy? Is he or she up to standard weight, of good color, with plenty of rich, red blood to nourish the growing tissues?

For children who are thin, pale, anaemic, under weight, nervous, restless, sleepless, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is of the greatest benefit imaginable.

Being mild and gentle in action, and yet wonderfully potent as a restorative, it soon makes the blood rich and builds up the feeble nerves.

60 cents a box, 6 for \$2.75, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.



## Emigration Encouraged By European Countries

Governments Frankly Recognize It As a Safety Valve.

Instead of trying to stop their people from leaving, the European Governments are frankly recognizing the necessity of losing them. Emigration is now a safety valve for the stupid politicians who are in control. Without it Europe would blow up. The British Colonial Office would like to divert British emigration to the colonies, calculating that an emigrant who settles in any of the overseas dominion is worth to the Empire twenty times what he would be worth under another flag. It is characteristic of Germany that she should have organized a bureaucracy to guide her emigrants, principally toward Russia and South America, and this bureau has it all figured out that 8,000,000 Germans will have to leave the Fatherland before the proper balance is established.

### Where the Money Goes.

The post office in a village in Poland reports that 37 men, formerly residents there but now living in America, send home an average of \$645 a man a year.

Use Miller's Worm Powders and the battle against worms is won. These powders correct the morbid conditions of the stomach which nourish worms, and these destructive parasites cannot exist after they come in contact with the medicine. The worms are speedily evacuated with other refuse from the bowels. Soundness is imparted to the organism and the health of the child steadily improves.

### Idleness and Longevity.

Philosophers are long-lived; as all the history of philosophy shows, and lazy men are philosophers, taking things as they come, ignoring the petty cares that irk the common run of busy men and resting content in the knowledge that in a few years the industrious man will be quite as much at rest as himself and quite as devoid of the fruits of industry. So one may say, on the whole, there is reason in the view that lazy men live longer.—Detroit Free Press.

**Drives Asthma Like Magic.** The immediate help from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is apparent. Nevertheless it is only a natural remedy used in a natural way. The smoke or vapor, reaching the most remote passage of the affected tubes, brushes aside the trouble and opens a way for fresh air to enter. It is sold by dealers throughout the land.

### League Costs \$400,000 Monthly.

The sum of \$400,000 monthly will be required to run the League of Nations next year, according to the budget approved by the council of the league at Brussels. This budget will be presented to the league assembly at its coming sessions in Geneva.

### Minard's Liniment For Distemper.

#### Wound Too Tight.

Bore.—"Yes, I don't know how it is, but I feel thoroughly wound up tonight."

Hostess.—"How very strange! And you don't seem to go."

### Catarrhal Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Catarrhal Deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing may be destroyed forever. Many cases of Deafness are caused by Catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. All Druggists 75c. Circulars free. P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

### Increased Soldier Loans.

Nearly \$1,500,000 represents the increase in the amount of loans to soldier settlers, made by the Soldier Settlement Board in the month of September. The total loans approved to October 2 was \$78,285,752, and the number of settlers' loans 19,526.

The cheapness of Mother Grave's Worm Exterminator puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

## NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

The idea that bread making is a long and difficult operation is a mistake, as bread may now be included in the list of quickly prepared foods, for with

## ROYAL YEAST CAKES

light, sweet bread can be baked and ready for use within four hours from the time the sponge is set. Full detailed instructions are contained in Royal Yeast Bake Book which will be sent free upon request.

E. W. Gillett Company Limited, Toronto, Canada.

### Why the Scots Are Healthy.

Apple and potato peelings are quite essential to the diet, according to Dr. S. R. Boynton, of Bellingham, Wash. Sour milk and oatmeal, he said, also were to be recommended. The reason the Scotsman was so hale and hearty, he added, was because he lived on oatmeal and the grace of God.

## RICH, RED BLOOD THE GREATEST NEED

Nearly All Ills Are Due to Poor, Watery Blood—How to Improve Its Condition.

To be in a healthy condition the human body requires a constant supply of new, rich blood. Nearly all the ills from which people suffer arise from one cause—poverty of the blood. If the blood is rich and red it absorbs nourishment from the food which passes into the stomach and distributes that nourishment to the brain, nerves, muscles and all the organs of the body. When the blood is weak and poor in quality it cannot do its natural work of feeding the brain and body, and the results are weakness and disease.

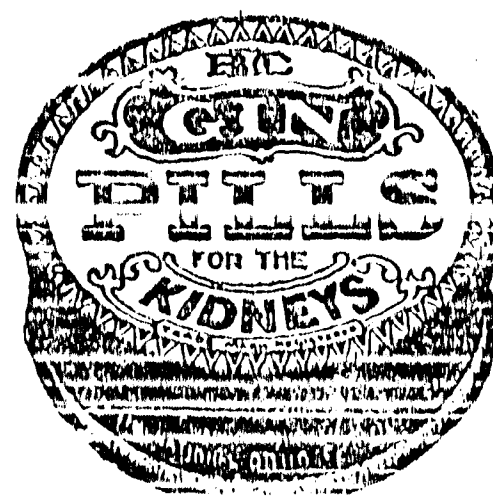
Headaches and backaches, loss of appetite, poor digestion, nervousness, pimples and unsightly blotches on the skin all indicate that the blood has become impure—that it is not doing its appointed work. If this condition is not remedied it will grow worse and worse, and a complete breakdown will eventually occur. To bring about a healthy condition of the blood no medicine can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Their one mission is to make new, rich blood, which reaches every part of the body, bringing with it new health and increasing vitality. Thousands have testified to the benefit they have found in the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when run down in health. Among these is Mrs. Bertha Kendall, Darling avenue, Toronto, who says:—"In the summer of 1918 I was in poor health. My appetite was variable, and I was weak and unfit for work, and I suffered a great deal from nervous headache and palpitation of the heart. A lady friend recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which I used with splendid results, as by the time I had taken six boxes I felt like a new woman. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth their weight in gold to every nervous, sick woman, as they cure quickly and save big doctor bills."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills may be had from any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50c a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Remembering the Dead.

"A man is soon forgotten after he is dead," pathetically remarked an orator at a recent parliamentary election, when referring to the late member. "Not if you marry his widow, guv'nor!" cried a voice from the crowd.

Ireland has 350 co-operative creameries.



### Woman Breaks Auto Record.

All motor car records were broken in Japan recently by Mrs. C. R. Thompson, wife of a San Francisco importer, who piloted her motor car over more than 500 miles of dangerous territory between Kobe and Yokohama in a little more than 31 hours.

### An Oil That Is Prized Everywhere.

—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was put upon the market without any flourish over fifty years ago. It was put up to meet the wants of a small section, but as soon as its merits became known it had a whole continent for a field, and it is now known and prized throughout this continent. There is nothing to equal it.

### Natural Mistake.

Raymond.—What the deuce do you mean by telling Joan that I am a fool. George.—Heaven! I'm sorry—was it a secret?

### Minard's Liniment For Colds, Etc.

#### Dad Knows.

"Father, what is innocence?" "Innocence, my son, is a woman who believes that her husband likes clothes."

## "Pape's Diapepsin" for Indigestion

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for Indigestion, Gases, Flatulence, Heartburn, Sourness, Fermentation or Stomach Distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only 60 cents at drug store. Absolutely harmless and pleasant. Millions helped annually. Largest selling stomach corrector in world.

### Flush Covered.

Teacher.—Johnny, I suppose you know what a caterpillar is? Johnny.—Yes; it's an upholstered worm.

## PILES

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Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye any material without streaking, fading or running. Druggist has color card—Take no other dye!

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**VETARZO** BLOOD MEDICINE. Cures all blood diseases. Cleanses the blood. Purifies the system. Restores the vitality. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's. Price 50c a box. All dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

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### Czechs Abound in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, is said to have as residents in its borders more Czechs than are found in any city in Czechoslovakia, save in the city of Prague.

## Your Eyes

Granulated Eyelids. Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Marise Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggists or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Book of the Eye free write to Marise Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.



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### COOK'S Cotton Root Compound

A safe, reliable regulating medicine. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, 51c; No. 2, 25c; No. 3, 15c per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet. Address: THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Windsor.)



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### Keep Cool

While climatically considered the advice tendered in the heading seems entirely out of place, after some experience in two previous general elections in Creston Valley it seems to us eminently fitting that a timely word of exhortation that our readers make every effort to circumscribe and keep themselves within due bounds on matters political is quite in order now that another provincial contest is getting nicely under way.

Next to a religious controversy we know of nothing less desirable in any community than the bitter feeling and recriminations that are so readily engendered in a political campaign that is allowed to get out of hand.

To our mind a provincial election is only a reproduction of a municipal election on a larger scale—and all who have had experience with municipal affairs will recall that it is a well-observed principle that politics must never be allowed to enter into township, town or city elections.

The lines along which a province

can legislate are so limited by the Confederation Act that any provincial appeal for a renewal of confidence must be largely on the question of service; in other words, have we received good value for the taxes we have been called upon to pay in one form and another, and which of the two or three aspirants who seek to act as our representative at Victoria will be likely to best look after our interests in provincial affairs.

Within the next month the good deeds and also the bad ones of both the government and opposition will be presented at a series of meetings at which Premier Oliver and opposition leader Bowser will personally appear to discuss the larger issues of the contest. These, doubtless, will be followed by gatherings at which the rival candidates in the Kaslo riding will show cause as to why each should be preferred as the local provincial representative.

The public should make it a point to attend all these meetings if possible and get their political information first hand so as to not be at the mercy of interested canvassers or what is commonly known as a subsidized press. With all the platform and press information in the matter carefully digested, seasoned with such facts as are obtainable from local personal observation, the average elector should by the end of the month be able to intelligently mark his ballot in the best interests both of his constituency as well as the province at large.

In the vote on the prohibition plebiscite last month the Valley went through a campaign without regrets on an issue that possibly transcends in importance any of the issues of the pending provincial election—and reached a verdict that accords with public opinion as expressed throughout the province. If the same regard for people's political feelings is shown this month as was evidenced toward the thirst-quenching preferences of citizens in October nobody can possibly be the worse off and certainly many people will be a whole lot the better for the experience. Campaign friendship exalteth a community, but political strife is a reproach to any people—and more especially neighbors.

### The New Minister

"If we could only get the right man" is an expression that has been worn threadbare in discussing church pastorates in Creston during the last half dozen years, and almost as if in fulfillment of the poetical quotation that has it that the Almighty moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform, Creston Presbyterians would appear to have landed "the right man," coupled with which may safely go the observation that he has in like manner landed in the right place.

Rev. J. A. James, who was duly inducted into the pastoral charge of the local Presbyterian Church last week, has already demonstrated his pulpit ability—an ability that measures up well in the rather important features of being pleasurable to listen to and his addresses invariably a plea for a stricter seven-day-a-week observance of the principles of citizenship as taught and exemplified by the Master.

In addition to the high standard of his pulpit effort, fate has likewise been kind to him in ordaining that the church should have an appreciation ship in commercial life, which training has undoubtedly served in good stead in his ministerial career; enabling him to approach naturally all classes of people in or out of the church, and under all circumstances.

That a man of his ability should

decide to locate in Creston can be accounted for only by the fact that he sees in the Valley a district with a great future ahead of it and regardless of monetary considerations he has decided to lend a hand in shaping the destinies of the community—religiously as well as in every other worth while effort. But the favorable impression he has gathered of Creston while satisfactory as confirming a similar faith all of us have had in the Valley, carries with it some responsibilities.

These, of course, primarily devolve upon those of the Presbyterian faith—though, doubtless, they will have no objection to those of the other denominations showing like appreciation. We take it the matter of stipend is provided for satisfactorily but what is equally essential is the matter not only of church attendance, but of the fullest possible co-operation of all concerned in the church work generally. Assuredly a man of his ability has no intention to preaching to empty pews or doing the hundred and one odd jobs in connection with the church's operation that should be looked after by someone other than the pastor.

The Review takes great pleasure in welcoming Rev. Mr. James to Creston. There is a splendid field for a man of his stamp, both in and out of the church, and we have no hesitation in stating that he will pretty well measure up to the highest expectations of those who know him if accorded reasonable encouragement in his chosen calling. Now that the busy season is over no possible excuse exists for not attending church—and if you come once there is little doubt but what you will come again and keep on coming—so far as pulpit ability will attract you; the other features of the house of worship are details the congregation should provide in somewhat the same excellence as the pastor's effort.

The Okanagan has an onion crop of almost 600 cars this year, with the western demand for fall use not more than 400 carloads.

Clergymen are so scarce in Windermere country that recently a justice of the peace had to be pressed into service to unite two hearts that refused to beat separately any longer.

By the contract which the city council has made with the British Columbia & Alberta Power Co. Fernie will be supplied with electricity at 2 cents per kilowatt hour. At present users are paying 15 cents.

Owing to the wet weather at the tail end of the growing season spud growers in the Okanagan are being urged to let the potatoes dry out as much as possible before being pitted, otherwise there is sure to be a heavy loss from rot.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Again the Library

## EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR.—Kindly allow me a little space in your paper to explain a few points in connection with the Public Library, touched upon in a letter in your last issue.

First, as regards the membership fee. Your correspondent does not appear to grasp the fact that the fee is \$2, and the \$3 is meant as a reduction for families, thus allowing the head of the household to take out two memberships for \$3 instead of \$4 for the benefit of his family. This \$3 fee is also meant as a help to those living in outside districts who are not able to come into Creston often.

We have done our best to plan things so that we will suit the convenience of everyone and do the greatest good to the greatest number, but in order to do so we must have funds, and for less than a \$2 fee the library could not be started at all. Even as it is we cannot see our way clear to open more than twice a week, but as soon as we have sufficient funds in hand we shall certainly increase the hours of opening.

The members of the Women's Institute have had the benefit of their library free for nearly two years as you say, and those members who have enjoyed the use of those books have now practically come to the end of them; that is to say, most of them have read all they want to read out of the 300 odd. We knew when we started that library that this would be the case before very long, for such a library can only be temporary, and I think the members (or those of them who use the library) fully realize this fact, and

that the time has come when the library must be extended, and with no income this could not be done.

As regards the fee being high, surely \$2 a year cannot be considered excessive in view of the fees charged in other towns and libraries, and it must be remembered that for that fee there will be a possible 200 books every year for each person.

As to the library being placed in one of the stores, that is out of the question for many reasons. If your readers will consider that we have already over 300 books, and hope to get funds sufficient to obtain 400 more to be changed every three months, he will see that the necessary shelving would occupy a good deal of space on the walls of any store here. Besides that, no storekeeper would wish to have the library for its own sake, and to attend to either properly he would have to neglect either his own business or the library.

Your correspondent complains of the possibility of one member taking away three or four books at a time which might be among the worth while volume needed by all. There again is a misunderstanding of the rule as to membership, for even for the \$3 fee only two books of the new fiction can be taken out at a time; the other two must be either non-fiction or out of the Women's Institute library, which will probably not be the most run after—so many of these books having already been read.

Then there is the question of those books dealing with cooking, gardening, agriculture, engineering—any technical subject in fact. These books will be on loan from Victoria, and can be obtained by us for anybody who needs them. We cannot afford to buy such books yet for our permanent library, but good books of reference should be on the shelves of any library and will be in Creston's Public Library some time in the near future we hope. The board will be glad of suggestions with reference to the choice of books from any members of the Association. J. C. HAMILTON, Hon. Secy.-Treas. Public Library Board.

## 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-emption 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 for 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 homesteads; title to be obtained by 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 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 one year from the death of such person, as formerly, to 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, 1910, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers up to ten head.

## NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

The News says Trail merchants imported a great deal less American fruit this year than in the past season.

Cranbrook is enjoying the cheapest telephone service of any town in B.C., but an all round raise of 40 per cent. is in sight.

The new lumber company just commencing operations at Kaslo will use caterpillar engines for the haul of logs and lumber.

The Courier is advising Cranbrook growers to hold their potatoes over until spring, when it feels sure prices will be 50 per cent. higher.

Grand Forks is paying \$12.50 a ton for the city's supply of coal this winter. The contractor is furnishing the Taber, Alta., black diamonds.

Owners of almost 3000 of the 4324 acres available for irrigation at Grand Forks have signed up for the organization of an irrigation district.

The Review states that within the past few months Revelstoke citizens have contributed almost \$10,000 to help reduce the city hospital debt.

The Arlington Hotel at Trail has

## Provincial Election Coming!

THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE has been dissolved, and an election will be held on Wednesday, December 1, 1920.

The Liberal administration appeals to the electorate for re-election in the firm confidence that the record of the past four years of safe, sane and progressive administration of the affairs of British Columbia has met with the approval of every man and woman who has the best interests of the province at heart.

The future policy of the Oliver Government will be to continue its progressive work in every department with the idea of developing the vast natural resources of British Columbia for the general benefit of the people.

# VOTE

for Liberal Candidates  
December 1

just changed hands, and the new owners announce that they will spend at least \$4000 in refurbishing the hostelry.

The O.U.G. packing plant at Vernon which is operating in a small way this year, is at present turning out fifteen tons of dried apples a day. 40 people are employed.

At their recent produce day Revelstoke citizens donated the hospital 188 quarts of fruit, 17 quarts of jelly, 48 quarts of pickles, 3 boxes of apples and 18 sacks of vegetables.

Grand Forks can have a 24-hour electric light and power service provided they are willing to pay just double the present rates of the West Kootenay Power Company.

The Kootenayan authorities the statement that the Kaslo ladies did much heavy thinking and head scratching at the polling on the prohibition referendum that a quart of hair pins was picked up on the floor of the polling booth the morning after the voting.

WATER NOTICE  
DIVERSION AND USE

Take notice that Kitchener Timber Co., Ltd., whose address is Kitchener P.O., will apply for a license to take and use 25 cu. ft. per second of water out of Russel Creek, which flows north and drains into Goat River about the junction of Meadow Creek and Goat River. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 14 miles from mouth of creek, and will be used for fluming purposes upon the timber lands known as Nos. 9356, 9357, 9358, 9359, 9365. This notice was posted on the ground on the 28th day of October, 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 Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within 30 days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is November 1, 1920.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT  
SECTION 24

In the matter of Part (South 20 Acres) of Block 31 of Lot 892, Group 1, Map 608A, Kootenay District.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 7170A, to the above-mentioned lands in the name of James Bartholomew, and bearing date the 22nd June, 1907, I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue to the said James Bartholomew a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., the 25th day of October, 1920.

Date of first publication Nov. 5, 1920.  
E. S. STOKES,  
District Registrar of Titles.

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## An Armistice Day Appeal

In a few days people the world over will celebrate the second anniversary of the signing of the Armistice, that great event which signalized the final triumph of the cause of freedom over the powers of a military autocracy bent upon world domination and a denial of those great principles for which liberty loving people have struggled and died throughout the long centuries of the past.

Armistice Day is one which should never be forgotten, nor its significance to the whole human race ignored. It should be indelibly written upon the hearts of men and women everywhere, and should be imperishably stamped into the minds of the children now and in generations to come. More than this, each recurring anniversary of the Armistice may well be marked by some act of a notable character by the people in each of the countries allied in the war; some act in the nature of a freewill offering, a tangible and practical expression of thanks for the victory achieved; an annually recurring day upon which some little sacrifice will be made by the many in all nations for the benefit of those whose misfortunes and sufferings call loudly for human sympathy and practical assistance.

So far as Canada is concerned, the Red Cross proposes some such national observance of Armistice Day this year, and it is fitting that the world's greatest and most widely known humanitarian organization should thus lead the way. Alone among all voluntary organizations of an international character, the Red Cross has been officially recognized by the League of Nations as a proper body to exercise functions and discharge important administrative duties of an international character, and it has been appealed to by the Council of the League of Nations to undertake as its first great work the checking of the terrible epidemic of disease now sweeping over a large portion of Europe, and relieve the indescribable suffering and distress which accompanies and follows that epidemic. Hundreds of thousands of people are stricken and dying of typhus, tuberculosis and hunger, while positively millions of children, thousands upon thousands of whom are orphans, lack food, clothing, shelter and care and are dying in appalling numbers.

To meet this awful need, and if possible prevent the spread of typhus throughout the world, the League of Red Cross Societies, which now includes thirty different countries, is sending doctors, nurses, medicines, food and other necessities into the stricken countries. In order that the British Empire, always foremost in works of civilization and humanity all over the globe, may discharge its full duty in the present great emergency, a British Empire War Relief Fund has been inaugurated under the patronage of H.M. the King, and with the support of all political parties and humanitarian organizations. This fund is to be administered by the British Red Cross Society in co-operation with the League of Red Cross Societies.

The people of the Empire are asked to contribute \$10,000,000 to this Fund, and of this amount \$500,000 has been indicated as the amount which Canada ought to supply. The Canadian Red Cross has assumed the task of raising this half million dollars, and Armistice Week has been designated as the period during which an appeal will be made to the Canadian people to make contributions which, in the aggregate, will total that amount.

The efforts of the Canadian Red Cross during and since the war have, very properly, been largely confined to work for our own soldiers and sailors, and in the direction of promoting health, preventing disease and relieving distress and suffering at home. Now, in the face of untold horrors and suffering, a world appeal comes through the Red Cross to the Canadian people. It is an appeal to which the Red Cross organization could not turn a deaf ear. It is a call to service which cannot be resisted and must not be denied. The spirit of the Red Cross is not narrow nor selfish; the whole world is its field and all peoples of every clime and color have a claim upon its sympathy and support.

In Western Canada the appeal on behalf of the British Empire War Relief Fund will be made to the people through local branches of the Red Cross and in the newspapers. All contributions will be sent to Red Cross headquarters in the respective Provincial Divisions, and then forwarded through the head office for Canada to the British Red Cross.

As was the case on all occasions in the past, it is now hoped and expected that the warm-hearted, open-handed generosity of the people of the West will result in a prompt response to the appeal on behalf of the disease stricken and starving men, women and, more especially, children of Europe.

### A Frightful Fire

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### Lesson of the Leaves.

We should draw a lesson from the leaves which fall in their harvest, and the lesson is "Painum's," the old reliable Painum's Corn Extractor, that never fails and always cures; try it, 25c at all druggists.

### Care of Farm Machinery

Needed Repairs Should Be Made When Harvest Is Over.

The attention that is given farm machinery this fall will determine its condition when it must be used in the spring. How many times have we found when we take the implements or machinery out of the shed in the spring that some repairs which was needed has not been attended to? And then—delay, when delay is costly in the spring.

When the harvest is over, machinery should be collected and gone over for needed repairs. By cleaning, oiling and painting in the fall, rust and early deterioration will be prevented during the winter, and the machines will be ready for use in the spring.

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Statistics show that when egg albumen is used as a constituent of baking powder, the amount so used is too small (usually 15/100 of 1%) to affect the quality or effectiveness of the baking powder containing it, and when so used, is plainly for the purpose of fraud. Intelligent buyers will not permit themselves to be deceived by the water glass test.

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### Telephone Poles as Bear Swings.

Every telephone and telegraph pole in the remote districts of Norway has to be constantly watched on account of the bears, which have a mania for climbing the poles and sitting on the cross-beams, swaying backward and forward till the pole falls.

### BABY'S OWN TABLETS ALWAYS IN THE HOUSE

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she always keeps a supply on hand, for the first trial convinces her there is nothing to equal them in keeping children well. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach, thus driving out constipation and indigestion, colds and simple fevers and making teething easier. Concerning them, Mrs. Caluste Pelletier, St. Dumas, Que., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past ten years and am never without them in the house. They have always given me the greatest satisfaction and I can gladly recommend them to all mothers of little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or direct by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Not To Blame.

"What do you mean by keeping me standing here like a fool?" "I can't help how you stand."—London Sketch.

### Minard's Liniment For Garget in Cows.

### Uncertain Yet.

Poor Italy cannot yet tell whether the war bled her white or red.

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### Hasten The Day.

A speeding up of production all round will hasten the advent of the glad day when a dollar will buy a dollar's worth of goods. A tendency on the part of the workers towards greater efficiency is noted in the papers. In this way alone can the present scale of wages and the shorter working hours be maintained. Altogether the prospects are bright on this continent for easier living conditions. —Hamilton Spectator.

### Described.

"What sort of a place is this? Fourteen miles from home, in a day?" "Well, there are about thirty trains a day that don't stop here." —Harper's Magazine.

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### Field Crops of Canada.

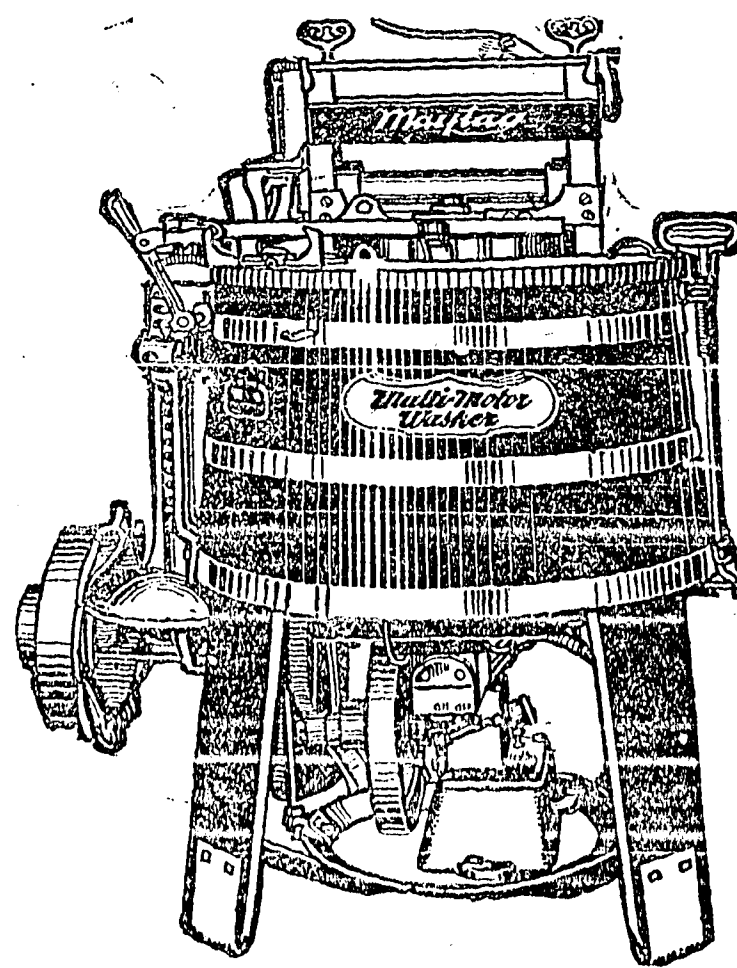
The total field crops of Canada will this year reach nearly 1,250,000 bushels, while the products of hay and corn will exceed 25,000,000 tons as compared with over 1,000,000,000 bushels of grain and 20,000,000 tons of hay and corn in 1919, according to official figures. It is estimated that the price of 1920 wheat will average \$2 per bushel. The field crops of Canada represent about \$170 per head of the population, as compared with \$110 per head in the United States.

### Largest Room Without Pillars.

The largest room without columns is said to be in a solid concrete building of the mosque in Lucknow, India. It is 162 feet long, 54 feet wide and 53 feet high. The timber mold was left a year for the concrete to set, and the building, 125 years old, is still unimpaired.

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## Last Brigade from Swan River to York Factory

By O-GE-MAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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To Mrs. A. M.

A Foreword: It is a hard matter for an old Fur Trader to take a pen and try to show the modern reader what the old days were like. But, when one is asked by a most charming and talented lady, and when she becomes persistent, why then nothing remains but to comply with her request.

In the spring of 1874 being at that time an apprentice clerk in the honorable Hudson's Bay Co.'s service, and rejoicing in a salary of £30 a year, with the usual clerk's allowances (yearly) of 200 lb. flour, 200 lb. sugar, 20 lb. tea, 10 lb. of rice and 10 lb. of chocolate, with two gallons of wine and two of spirits. I received orders from the Chief Factor, at Fort Ellis, to take charge of Shoal River House, which post was situated about sixteen miles from the mouth of Swan River, on the north side of Shoal Lake. Reaching there with two dog trains in the latter part of March and after complying with all formalities incidental to taking over a post, I settled down to my first independent charge with feelings of great pride and no small sense of responsibility.

Shoal River House was charmingly situated on a sandy bar immediately fronting the lake, while to the west and south showed up the grim ranges of the Porcupine Mountains, densely covered with spruce. The Fort itself was enclosed with a stout wall of hewn timber. Heavy gates opened directly in front of the Master's house, and on each side of the enclosure were the usual store houses and men's quarters.

Trading furs kept me busily employed until the opening of the lakes and rivers, when official orders reached me to engage as many boatmen as possible to make the trip to York Factory, my post to be the starting point of the Brigade. Finally, having secured every able bodied man within a radius of 100 miles, the post began to assume appearance of a little town; long rows of Indian Teepees were erected along the ridge east of the Fort, dancing, gambling and love-making, were the order of the day. Time was short and who could tell how many would return after their trip to the sea. My time was fully occupied, every man who signed a contract for the voyage, was entitled to draw half his wages in advance, and there being no cash in circulation, this was paid out of the store goods. Finally the head guide, old Lion-like McNab, came in from Fort Pelly with more men and the last of the boats and assumed absolute charge of the Brigade. Woe betide the unlucky white who disputed his authority. Down he

went with the first thing that came to hand. Now followed several days hard work, seeing that every boat would have its full complement of provisions, coverings, etc. Then carefully assorting the crews, for be it known to the uninitiated that every York boat is manned by eight men and a steersman. The heavy oars used are a load for a man, so to get better mastery of the stroke the whole crew rise and fall when rowing. The steersman standing on a platform in the stern sheets, controls every motion of the boat with a huge sweep; this being replaced by a rudder when sailing, a single mast and large square sail being used when the wind is favorable.

Guide McNab fixes the time of starting for the next day and confusion increases. The shop which stood open from early morning till late at night swarmed with men, women, children and dogs, for with every man engaged came a whole tribe of hangers on, all expecting a little of his bounty. At last the time for departure came. A few steady old hands had pulled the boats up to the beach and ladings consisted of furs, goose quills and castor oil for shipment to Britain; pemmican and dressed leather for posts en route to the Bay, provisions for the trip. But, alas, over twenty men were missing. Then McNab, arming himself with a stout filler, requested me to join in the hunt, and one by one we discovered the deserters, some in Teepees, under piles of bedding, often sheltered by dark damask skirts, others in the woods. Out they were pulled, McNab's voice raging out in trumpet tones, a strange mixture of English, French and Indian oaths, predominating. Some were dragged, some carried to the boats and all were pitched in with small ceremony. At last everything was ready, and though much beyond the time fixed for starting, off we pulled with the cheers of the men and shrill yells of farewell from Indian women and children, the eight boats passed out of sight round the point.

My orders were to accompany the Brigade until relieved, so leaving a trusty man in temporary charge of the fort, taking another and light bark canoe to assure my return, I escorted myself in the stern sheets of the guide's boat. Nine miles down the Shoal River brought us to Lake Winnipegosis. It was beautifully calm, the different boats vying with one another for leadership. Camp was ordered at Graves Point, a watch set to prevent desertions, eight huge fires were built for each crew and a smaller one for myself and guide. Each man was given his rations by the bowsman of the boat, whose duty it was to issue rations of pemmican and flour. In half an hour from landing, a full supply of bread was being rapidly baked, "Beaver Tail Bread." Would you like to know how it is made? Well, a stiff dough is rapidly mixed, generally on an empty sack, no shortening added, and when it attains the right consistency, lumps averaging half a pound, are handed to each man, who has already armed himself with a slender stick and half a dozen wood skewers. Pulling the dough over one end, flattening it out at the base and gradually bringing it to a point at the top, this all held firm by skewers across, the whole bearing resemblance to a beaver tail; one end is pushed into the ground before the fire and a few turns thoroughly cook it, and when eaten hot, it is by no means to be despised. Others of the men were busy cooking pemmican in huge open kettles, some munching it raw. Jestings, songs and stories made the camp an animated scene. The gay capote of the French half-breed, with small hat set jauntily on the side of the head, surmounted by two black ostrich feathers, beads and silk work galore, made them the most conspicuous figures of the crowd. Gay songs followed supper in the rude patois of the Metis, all hands joining in the chorus, while sombre

### The Liberal Leader



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Leader of the Opposition in the Dominion House, who has been making a tour of the Western Provinces.

faces, and at last bed, on most fragrant spruce brush.

Hardly had I closed my eyes, when McNab's voice was heard in stentorian tones, "Leve, Leve, Leve, Le, petite nujons, Leve," and beating time with a tiller on the gunwale of a boat. Incredible! Had the night passed already. Even so, for faint streaks of daylight showed in the east, and my watch said half past two. All hands tumbled in the boats, and two hours good pulling was done before breakfast. Thence on through the narrow and tortuous Waterhen River into Lake Manitoba. Glory, a fair wind. The oars were all shipped, masts stepped, eight mighty sails hoisted and out sailed the Brigade in the lake, our boat leading. A traverse of eighty miles lay before us and after carefully noting the weather, McNab boldly stood out to sea, followed by the other boats, for it is an unwritten law, that where the guide's boat leads the other must follow. By the time we were half way across, the wind freshened to a gale and several of the crew were lying sea sick in the bottom of the boat. It was a delightful experience to me having been used to sailing from my youth up.

Towards evening we made the mouth of the Fairfort River and a few minutes pulling brought us up to the post, where, alas, a senior officer was waiting to take charge of the outfit. I was busily engaged that evening in giving over the various accounts. An early start was made next morning, and away went the Brigade with many kind exclamations of regret at parting with their little clerk of Ogemaeses, to give the Indian title.

Then, with my man and canoe warily coasting the shore of lakes and rivers, we retraced our way to Shoal River House. And so four months of the summer passed until one day a youngster, breathless with excitement, rushed into the fort, calling, "Chemaun, Chemaun," and so it was.

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## The Need For Canadianizing the Foreign Element

Question of Teacher Shortage Has An Important Bearing on the Problem.

Ottawa.—During the conference on technical education the important question of teacher shortage and its influence on the Canadianizing of non-English speaking settlements was discussed.

The position in the western provinces was particularly in view. Hon. G. P. Smith, minister of education for Alberta, described the problem of teacher shortage as being at the root of all difficulties in Canadianizing the non-English speaking immigrant. Salaries had been increased and con-

ditions had been improved but enrollment at teachers' training schools was lower than ever.

The conference unanimously passed a resolution strongly expressing the opinion that the federal government should, without delay provide financial assistance to the provinces so that an adequate supply of specially selected teachers may be trained for this work (in non-English speaking settlements) and in rural districts, provided with permanent and attractive homes.

for afar off could be heard the ringing of the mighty oars and at last, one by one the boats swept round the point, weather beaten and worn in appearance, but the veteran crews, pulling like lions. For was not this the home of many of them? After many hand shakings and congratulations, my winter outfit was put ashore. Some sorrowful faces are seen, two men missing, one lost in a rapid, the body never found; another carrying his two pieces over a rocky portage slipped and, falling, crushed his chest; a rude cross now marks the spot.

Leaving two empty boats with me, the remainder of the Brigade pulled out that evening carrying the precious outfits for Forts Pelly, Ellis, Qu'Appelle and many a faroff outpost.

This was the last time goods were brought to the Swan River district via Hudson's Bay and over many portages to their final destination. But history repeats itself. The route which to our forefathers was the chief means of access to the plains and forests of the North-West, has fallen into abeyance with the advent of the transcontinental railroads, now again, is re-asserting itself, and in the near future will again become a mighty factor in the transportation problems of Western Canada.

### Prince of Wales Captures Prizes.

Calgary.—The Prince of Wales took the championship and two first with his Shropshire sheep, and the Earl of Minto one first with his Oxford animals, at the fall cattle show and sale here.

Sylvia Pankhurst Writes to Lenin, London.—A letter from Sylvia Pankhurst to Nikolai Lenin, now in the hands of the police, states that the hunger strike, as a weapon, has been destroyed since "the government is letting the Irish hunger strikers die." Sylvia is at liberty under bail for sedition.

Victoria, B.C.—British Columbia is being swamped by returned soldiers who have sought the coast province for the mild winter. Unemployment is serious.

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Father Desmarais will be here on Sunday for the usual services at the regular hours in Holy Cross Church.

**WANTED**—By young man, board and room with private family, with home comforts. Enquire Review Office.

Clark Moore, who is working at Windermere, got home on Wednesday for a short holiday with Creston friends.

Earl Birney has joined up with the staff of the Bank of Commerce as junior clerk. He started work on Monday.

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Rev. J. S. Mahood will be here for morning service only in Christ Church on Sunday, which will be followed by a celebration of Holy Communion.

G. A. Earl, of the old time blacksmith firm of Fulmer & Earl, is away on a short business trip to Cardston and other Southern Alberta points.

Sunday morning furnished the coolest weather we have had so far this season, according to the official thermometer, which showed 21 above freezing.

An over feed of alfalfa followed too closely by the morning drink of water was responsible for the death of a splendid milk cow belonging to J. A. Lidgate one day last week.

The Wednesday half holiday, which Creston stores have been taking for the last six months, ended last week, and for the next few months it will be business as usual six days a week.

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Creston Board of Trade meets in November session on Tuesday night. For the past three months the turn-outs have been small and it is urged that all members be in attendance Tuesday night.

J. D. Simon, who has been on the local section crew for the past three years, is leaving this week with his family on a trip to the Old Country, and his present intention is to again take up residence there.

J. K. Chorlton announces that commencing Nov. 6th he will again be in a position to accept pupils on either 'cello or violin, and a letter addressed to him at Creston or a personal call will receive prompt attention.

Elder Reed of the Reorganized Christ Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints is holding a series of meetings in town at the home of Mrs. Kennedy, Victoria Ave. Meetings each evening at 7.30, and all invited.

The two machine guns promised by the war trophies board for soldiers memorial decorative purposes have reached Creston. These are the property of the board of trade at present, on whose request they were shipped.

At the Conservative organization meeting on Saturday night Major Mallandaine was re-elected president of the local association, and the gathering unanimously endorsed Col. Lister as candidate for the Kaslo constituency.

W. Morrow calls our attention to the fact that the paragraph in last week's issue stating the two town blacksmith shops had been amalgamated is incorrect. He is still doing business on his own hook at the old stand.

H. A. Weisenburg, who closed up the White Lunch restaurant here a little over a year ago, and moved to Iowa, was a Creston visitor on Tuesday, coming up from Bonners Ferry where he is making headquarters for the winter.

There was a fine turnout at Christ Church Ladies' Guild whist and dance on Friday night, with dancing as the chief feature and for which Mesdames Lister and Garland supplied excellent music. After paying all expenses the Guild will clear \$60.

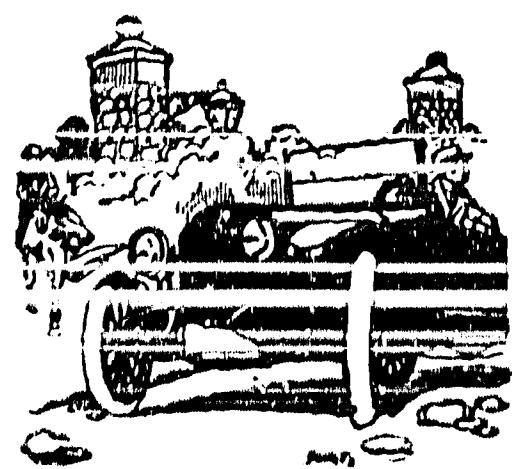
The price of fuel promises to be slightly higher again this winter. Last year the old reliable two ricks of stove wood could be had at \$6. At present \$6.50 is asked, and with the advent of real winter \$7 will probably be the prevailing price.

Creston Valley Women's Institute meets in November session to-morrow afternoon at 3. Owing to having to complete arrangements for their Armistice Day whist on Thursday evening next, the institute meeting is a week earlier than usual.

Word has just been received from the Comptroller of water rights at Victoria that C. P. Hill has been refused the licenses he recently sought to divert water from the Goat River for use in developing mineral claims he has in the Kitchener country.

Premier Oliver, Hon. J. H. King, minister of public works, and John Keen, the prospective Liberal candidate in the Kaslo riding, will address the electors of Creston Valley in Mercantile Hall to-night. The meeting is billed to start at eight o'clock prompt.

October was no exception to September in the matter of wetness, the rainfall for the month being 14 inches. The coldest touch was on Sunday morning when 11 degrees of frost was in evidence, while the warmest was the 4th when the mercury got up to 66 in the shade.



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Mrs. Geo. Marshal and family arrived from Ireland on Wednesday, to join Mr. Marshal, who is operating the Scotty Todd ranch. It is eight years since Mr. Marshal left Ireland and in that time some of the family have grown so much that he hardly recognized them.

Miss E. Hendren, who has been acting as relieving operator for the Dominion Telephone and Telegraph department at various points in the Kootenay and Okanagan for the past eighteen months, is home for a short vacation, before taking permanent position at either Kelowna or Kamloops.

"Chang," the oldest and most familiar figure in the local Chinese colony, was taken to Kamloops last week where he is undergoing medical treatment at present. Creston celestials contributed generously to a fund for Chang's benefit, and it is hoped he will shortly be in shape to make the return trip to China.

Mrs. Boffey and Geo. Hobden were quietly married at Nelson on Tuesday by Rev. J. P. Westman, Methodist pastor in that city, and after a honeymoon trip will reside on Mr. Hobden's ranch near town. Both the bride and groom are well known in the Valley, and a host of congratulations and best wishes are extended them.

G. M. Wilson's auction sale on Friday last attracted a large crowd of buyers, and Auctioneer Rose was successful in getting good prices for everything offered, the bidding being especially keen on household effects. Mr. Wilson, who has been operating the Attwood ranch this season, is moving to Ontario to live.

**PRESSING AND CLEANING**—Mrs. Mc. Cormick announces that she is now prepared to do all classes of pressing and cleaning of gents and ladies' suits and will make alterations on store suits. If desired she will accept payment in wood, fowl or vegetables. She is located in the house on McLeod Ave., next A. L. Camerons.

Armistice Day, Thursday, Nov. 11th, will be observed in Creston with a whist drive and dance in the Parish Hall under the auspices of the Women's Institute. Cards are to start at 8.30 prompt, followed by supper, with dancing at 11. Good music has been secured and there will be prizes at 11. The whist drive to start at 11.

Mr. Harrison of Merritt arrived on Monday to take charge of the dry goods section of the S. A. Speers store. He has had several years experience in this line in Vancouver department stores and is exceptionally well qualified to take charge of this store's expanding trade in dry goods and men's and ladies' wear. As soon as a house is available he will move his family here to reside.

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